### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS

### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

**SEPTEMBER 30, 2024** 

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Judge and County Commissioners Titus County, Texas Mount Pleasant, Texas

### Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

### **Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Titus County. Texas as of and for the year ended September 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the County, as of September 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### **Basis for Opinions**

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

### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the County's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement 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 generally accepted auditing standards 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 generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit
  procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in
  the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the
  circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control.
  Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt
  about the County's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and net pension liability and contributions to TCDRS on pages 3 through 11 and pages 41 through 44 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements. The accompanying combining and individual non-major fund financial statements and schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 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 or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual non-major fund financial statements and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards 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 November 22, 2024, on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the County'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 County's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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November 22, 2024

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

As management of the County of Titus, Texas, we offer readers of the County's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities and performance for the year ended September 30, 2024. The information presented here should be read in conjunction with the independent auditor's report and the County's financial statements.

### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The County's total combined net position was \$32.56 million at September 30, 2024. This is a decrease of \$1 million. Revenues decreased \$2.7 million. ARPA funds of \$1.4 million were recognized and spent. This was 3.6 million less than last year. Property tax revenue increased \$375 thousand. Investment income increased \$208 thousand. Charges for services increased \$137 thousand. Expenses decreased \$723 thousand. The net pension liability decreased by \$937 thousand. This decreased expenses. Salaries increased \$576 thousand.

The general fund balance is \$13.7 million at September 30, 2024 which is a decrease of \$11 thousand. Revenue decreased \$3 million. Property taxes in the general fund increased \$405 thousand, or 5%. Sales tax decreased \$114 thousand. ARPA funds of \$3.5 million were transferred into the general fund in the previous year to cover previous year public safety salaries. Expenditures increase 1.1 million. Capital outlay costs increased \$300 thousand. Payroll increases explain most of the rest of the increase.

During the year, \$2.36 million of fixed assets were added. Some vehicles were purchased for the sheriff's department and equipment was purchased for use in road maintenance. Also, the jail roof is being redone.

There is \$4.7 million in the debt service fund balance. Special revenue funds reflect fund balances of \$2.96 million. There is approximately \$6 thousand remaining in the capital projects funds.

The County spent the remaining \$1.4 million of the funds from the American Rescue Plan.

Approximately 97% of the taxes levied for 2023-2024 were collected by September 30, 2024.

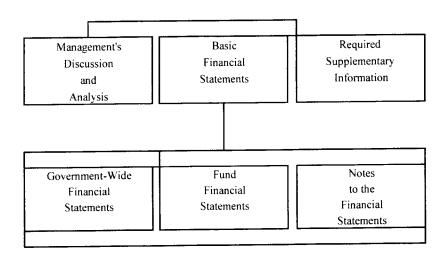
\$5.8 million of principal on debt was paid. No new debt was issued.

### OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This annual report consists of three parts--management's discussion and analysis (this section), the basic financial statements, and required supplementary information. The basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the County:

- The first two statements are *government-wide financial statements* that provide information about the County's activities as a whole and present a longer-term view of the County's property and debt obligations. They reflect the flow of total economic resources in a manner similar to the financial reports of a business enterprise.
- The remaining statements are *fund financial statements* that focus on *individual parts* of the government, reporting the County's operations in *more detail* than the government-wide statements.
  - The governmental funds statements tell how general government services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending.
  - Proprietary fund statements offer short- and long-term financial information about the activities the government operates like businesses, such as a commissary operation.
  - Fiduciary fund statements provide information about the financial relationships in which the County acts solely as a trustee or
    agent for the benefit of others, to whom the resources in question belong. This fund contains District Court Clerk funds for
    pending cases.

Figure A-1. Required Components of the County's Annual Financial Report



The financial statements also include *notes* that explain some of the information in the financial statements and provide more detailed data. The statements are followed by a section of *required supplementary information* that further explains and supports the information in the financial statements. Figure A-1 shows how the required parts of this annual report are arranged and related to one another.

Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the County's financial statements, including the portion of the County government they cover and the types of information they contain. The remainder of this overview section of management's discussion and analysis explains the structure and contents of each of the statements.

Type of Statements	Government-wide	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds
Scope Scope	Entire Agency's government (except fiduciary funds) and the Agency's component units	The activities of the City that are not proprietary or fiduciary	Activities the City operates similar to private businesses, self insurance	Instances in which the City is the trustee or agent for someone else's resources
Required financial	*Statement of net position	*Balance sheet	*Statement of net position	*Statement of fiduciary net position
statements	*Statement of activities	*Statement of revenues. Expenditures & changes in fund balances	*Statement of revenues. expenses and changes in fund net position *Statement of cash flows	*Statement of changes in fiduciary net position
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	Only assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter, no capital assets included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, and short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long- term, the Agency's funds do not currently contain capital assets, although they can
Type of inflow outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year: expenditures when goods or services have been received and payment is due during the year.	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

#### Government-wide Statements

The government-wide statements report information about the County as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net position includes *all* of the government's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the statement of activities regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide statements report the County's *net position* and how they have changed. Net position-the difference between the County's assets and liabilities-is one way to measure the County's financial health or *position*.

- Over time, increases or decreases in the County's net position are an indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the overall health of the County, consideration should be given to additional nonfinancial factors such as changes in the County's tax base.

The government-wide financial statements of the County include the *Governmental activities*. Most of the County's basic services are included here, such as public safety, highways, streets and bridges, judicial and general administration. Property taxes and charges for services finance most of these activities.

### **Fund Financial Statements**

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the County's most significant *funds*-not the County as a whole. Funds are accounting devices that the County uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending for particular purposes.

- Some funds are required by State law and by bond covenants.
- The Commissioner's Court establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it is properly using certain taxes and grants.

The County has three kinds of funds:

- Governmental funds-Most of the County's basic services are included in governmental funds, which focus on (1) how cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the County's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, additional information is provided that explains the relationship (or differences) between them.
- Proprietary funds-Services for which the County charges customers a fee are generally reported in enterprise funds. Enterprise
  funds, like the government-wide statements, provide both long-term and short-term financial information. Internal service funds
  are used to report activities that provide supplies and services for the County's other programs and activities-such as the County's
  Self Insurance Fund.
- Fiduciary funds-The County is the custodian for certain funds. It is also responsible for other assets that-because of a trust arrangement-can be used only for the trust beneficiaries. The County is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes. The County's fiduciary activities are reported in a separate statement of fiduciary net position and a statement of changes in fiduciary net position. These activities are excluded from the County's government-wide financial statements because the County cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE COUNTY AS A WHOLE

Net position. The County's combined net position was approximately \$32.6 million at September 30, 2024.

Table A-1
The County's Net Position
(in thousands of dollars)

	Activities		Activi	ties	Total	
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
C. Laborator	28.889	30,543	273	255	29,162	30,798
Current and other assets	*		2/3	36	98,692	106,179
Capital and non-current assets	98,692	106,143				
TOTAL ASSETS	127,581	136,686	273	291	127,854	136,977
Deferred outflow-pension plan	1,476	1,608		<u> </u>	1,476	1,608
TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	1,476	1,608	-	-	1,476	1,608
Long-term liabilities	90,221	97,273	-	-	90,221	97,273
Other liabilities	1,195	1,980	8	5_	1,203	1,985
TOTAL LIABILITIES	91,416	99,253	8	5_	91,424	99,258
Unavailable revenue-taxes, fines, & fees	5,322	5,628	-	-	5,322	5,628
Deferred inflow-pension plan	28	98			28	98
TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	5,350	5,726	-		5,350	5,726
Net position						
Invested in capital assets						
net of related debt	10,106	11,503	-	36	10,106	11,539
Restricted	7,665	8,161	-	-	7,665	8,161
Unrestricted	14,520	13,651	265	250	14,785	13,901
TOTAL NET POSITION	32,291	33,315	265	286	32,556	33,601

Net position invested in capital assets net of related debt reflects the book value of the County's capital assets in excess of the debt which financed those assets. The \$14.8 million of unrestricted net position represents resources available to fund the programs of the County for the next fiscal year.

### The \$7.67 million is restricted as follows:

Restricted for debt service	4,705
Restricted for capital projects	6
Restricted for special revenue funds	2,954
·	7,665

Net position of the County decreased from \$33.6 million to \$32.6 million, or \$1 million. The County's governmental funds revenues were less than expenditures by \$508 thousand. \$8.43 million of the amount receivable from the Texas Department of Transportation was collected this year. \$2.36 million was expended on capital outlay this year. \$5.8 million was expended on debt principal. Depreciation expense of \$1.37 million was recorded. The net pension liability recorded on the government wide statements as required by GASB 68 decreased by \$937 thousand.

### Changes in net position.

The County's total revenues were \$21 million. 55% of this came from property taxes, 18% came from sales taxes and other taxes, and 14% came from charges for services. Revenue decreased as described above by \$2.7 million.

The total cost of all programs was \$22 million. Approximately 35% of this was for public safety, 18% was for highways, streets and bridges, and 18% was for debt service costs.

Net position decreased by \$1 million from the excess of expenses over revenues again.

Table A-2
The County's Changes in Net Position
(in thousands of dollars)

	0	(in thousand				
	Govern		Business		Tot	o.l
	Activities		Activi		2024	2023
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	
Revenues						
Program Revenues						
Charges for service	2,732	2,569	243	269	2,975	2,838
Operating Grants and Contributions	1,895	5.217	-	-	1,895	5,217
General Revenues						
Property taxes	11,644	11.269	-	-	11,644	11,269
Other taxes	3,747	3,838	-	-	3,747	3,838
Investment earnings	429	221	-	-	429	221
Other	300	290	37	71	337	361
Total Revenues	20,747	23,404	280	340	21,027	23.744
Expenses						
General government	1,636	1,590	-	-	1,636	1,590
Judicial	1.441	1.417	-	-	1,441	1,417
Legal	730	547	-	-	730	547
Financial	1.502	1,355	-	-	1.502	1.355
Public facility	492	335	-	-	492	335
Public safety	7.529	7.760	179	119	7.708	7.879
Health and welfare	210	185	-	-	210	185
Highways, streets, and bridges	3.900	3,858	-	-	3.900	3,858
County extension	118	116	-	-	118	116
Miscellaneous	107	103	-	-	107	103
Right of way acquisition	-	1.025	-	-	-	1,025
Elections	-	-	258	249	258	249
Debt service	3.970	4,136	-		3.970	4,136
Total Expenses	21,635	22.427	437	368	22.072	22.795
Transfers in (out)	(136)	(56)	136	56	_	_
Transiers in (out)	(150)	(50)				
Increase (Decrease) in Net Position	(1.024)	921	(21)	28	(1,045)	949
Beginning Net Position	33.315	32,394	286	258	33,601	32,652
Ending Net Position	32,291	33,315	265	286	32,556	33,601

Table A-3 presents the cost of each of the County's largest functions as well as each function's *net cost* (total cost less fees generated by the activities and intergovernmental aid). The net cost reflects what was funded by state revenues as well as local tax dollars.

- The cost of all governmental activities this year was \$21.6 million.
- However, the amount that taxpayers paid for these activities through property taxes was only \$11.6 million.
- Some of the cost was paid by those who directly benefited from the programs (\$2.8 million), or by grants and contributions (\$1.89 million).

Table A-3
Net Cost of Selected County Functions
(in thousands of dollars)

	Total ( Serv		Net Co Serv	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
General Government	1.636	1.590	1,204	828
Public Safety	7,529	7.760	5,337	2,057
Judicial	1,441	1.417	748	799
Highways, Streets, and Bridges	3.902	3,858	3,181	3,202

The change to the net costs for general government and public safety was because of less ARPA grant funds.

### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE COUNTY'S FUNDS

The County reported fund balance in its governmental funds of approximately \$21.3 million at September 30, 2024, a decrease of \$508 thousand. This balance is composed of the following in thousands

General	13,680
Special revenue	2,953
Debt service	4,705
Capital projects	6
	21,344

The general fund decreased \$11 thousand. Reasons for this are discussed on page 4. The capital project fund balance decreased \$543 million as the 2004 right of way funds were transferred to the general fund. The debt service fund balances decreased \$314 thousand or 6% as compared to \$256 thousand the prior year. Special revenue fund balances increased \$361 thousand.

### General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Several budget amendments were made during the year. Even with these amendments, actual expenditures were less than budgeted by \$4.5 million. Actual revenues were \$175 thousand more than budgeted. \$5.2 million was budgeted as a decrease to fund balance. Actually, the fund balance decreased \$11 thousand from the excess of revenues over expenditures. Not all budgeted capital outlay was not spent.

### CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

### Capital Assets

Table A-4 County's Capital Assets (in thousands of dollars)

	Govern Activ		Business Activi		
	2024	2023	2024	2023	
Land	350	350	-	-	
Construction in progress	598	-	-	-	
Buildings and improvements	12,130	12,130	-	-	
Machinery and equipment	10,397	9,249	310	310	
Roads and bridges	14,945	14,945	<u>-</u>		
Totals at historical cost	38,420	36,674	310	310	
Total accumulated depreciation	27,049	26,283	310	274	
Net capital assets	11,371	10,391	-	36	

Sheriff Department vehicles, and equipment and vehicles for Road & Bridge were purchased. Also the jail roof is being redone and is reflected in construction progress.

### Long-Term Debt

Table A-5 County's Long-Term Debt (in thousands of dollars)

	Governn Activi	
	2024	2023
Bonds payable	88,586	94,641
	88,586	94,641

The County is receiving a guaranteed \$8.43 million each year over twenty years from the State to assist in paying off the debt obtained to build the Loop. No new debt was issued in the current year. Approximately \$5.8 million was paid on principal.

### ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES

Property tax values within the County held strong as evidenced by the reporting from the Titus County Appraisal District. The freeze adjusted taxable value for the year ending September 30. 2022 was \$ 2.931.627.689 while the value for the year ending September 30. 2024 is \$3.068,706,356. This is an increase of \$ 137,078,667. The increase in the prior year was \$ 460.192,605.

In late 2020, SWEPCO notified its employees of the planned closure of the Welsh Power Plant in 2028. Due to the fact that this closure was more than eight years away, the impact of this possible closure was not been reflected in the property values for that year. For the 2021 tax year, the taxable value of the Welsh Power Plant was devalued by \$10M resulting in a taxable value of \$150M. For 2022, the market analysis indicated a value of \$213,290,630 plus a reduction of \$73,290,630 for a pollution control exemption resulting in a taxable value of \$140M. For 2023, the market analysis indicated a value of \$198,160,290 plus a reduction of \$68,160,290 for a pollution control exemption resulting in a taxable value of \$130M. For 2024, the market analysis indicated a value of \$181,280,000 plus a reduction of \$62,354,054 for pollution control exemption resulting in a taxable value of \$118,925,946. The Titus County Appraisal District cannot speculate how the circumstances and market will affect the value moving forward. Their plan is to stay in communication with SWEPCO and to continue to analyze the market. Titus County's long-term plan is to continue with the steady devaluation of this plant in order to limit the impact on tax revenues in keeping with the method followed with the closure of the Luminant Power Plant as directed by the Titus County Appraisal District.

The tax rate for the subsequent year's budget was reduced to \$0.3630 which is reduction of \$0.0060 per \$100 valuation with an M&O rate of \$0.3253 and an I&S rate of \$0.0377. The total tax rate for the year under audit was \$0.3690 per \$100 valuation with an M&O rate of \$0.3295 and an I&S rate of \$0.0395. Over the past five years, the total tax rate has DECREASED by \$0.1112 per \$100 valuation.

The general fund balance at September 30, 2024 is approximately \$ 13 million. The 2024-2025 general fund budgeted expenditures are \$ 802,767 less than the previous year's original budgeted expenditures. The 2024-2025 general fund budgeted revenues are \$ 112,002 more than the previous year's original budgeted revenues. The County's original budget for the year ended September 30, 2024 reflected a slight decrease to fund balance.

The 2023-2024 budget included a salary increase of 5% within each department to be allocated by each elected official based on the duties performed by each employee. The one exception was with the sheriff's department where the salary increases were budgeted at 7.5% and allocated to each position based on the decision of the sheriff. The 2024-2025 budget includes an allowance for county-wide raises of 5% for elected officials and full-time employees with pro-rated amounts for part-time employees. The sheriff's department salary increases were budgeted at 5% and allocated to each position based on the decision of the sheriff. The salaries for the sheriff department continue to follow the step plan as adjusted for the county wide raises and approved by Commissioners' Court.

In May 2006, the citizens of Titus County passed an election to construct a loop around the southern end of Mt. Pleasant and Titus County. The total loop project cost was estimated to be \$168M. This state highway is a State of Texas TxDOT Pass-Through Toll Project whereby the local taxing authorities provide the initial monies, and the state reimburses at a pre-arranged dollar amount. The reimbursement by TxDOT of the costs occurs over the twenty years after completion, and the County bears the interest cost related to the bonds issued. Currently in the eleventh year of reimbursement, the County receives \$ 4.215,500 every six months toward the \$168M total reimbursement. In September 2006, the County issued the first \$1.8M in bonds for this project. In September 2007, the County issued a second series of bonds for \$29.665M. In September 2009, a third series of bonds for \$ 39M was issued. In June 2012, the last two series were issued: Series 2012A for \$ 36.680M and Series 2012B for \$44.345M. The bonds will be paid back over a 20-25 year period. The bonds are refinanced as allowed in an effort to reduce the interest rate. The financial reporting for these funds is reflected in the debt service fund within these financial statements.

### CONTACTING THE COUNTY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of Titus County's finances for all those with an interest in the County's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be directed to the County's Auditor's Office.





	Primary Government					
			В	usiness -		
	Go	overnmental		Туре		
		Activities	A	Activities		Total
ASSETS						
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	15.341.620	\$	254.042	\$	15,595,662
Accounts Receivable (Net)		5,882,789		-		5,882,789
Inventories		<u>.</u>		18.721		18.721
Restricted Cash & Investments		7.664.722		-		7.664.722
Capital Assets:		2.10.780				240,690
Land Purchase and Improvements Infrastructure, Net		349.680		-		349.680 2,099,817
Buildings, Net		2.099.817 4.667.336		-		4.667.336
Furniture and Equipment, Net		3.656.241		-		3.656.241
Construction in Progress		597.575		_		597,575
Receivabele-Texas Department of Transportation		87,321,424		_		87.321,424
Total Assets		127,581,204		272,763		127.853.967
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			<del></del>	<del></del>		
Deferred Outflow Related to Pension Plan		1.475.859		-		1.475.859
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources		1.475.859		_		1.475.859
LIABILITIES						
Accounts Payable		668,229		8.251		676.480
Unearned Revenues		526,796		-		526.796
Noncurrent Liabilities:						
Due Within One Year		7.664.227		•		7.664.227
Due in More Than One Year:						
Bonds Payable - Noncurrent		80.922.129		-		80.922.129
Net Pension Liability		1.634.256				1,634.256
Total Liabilities		91.415.637		8.251		91.423.888
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES						
Unavailable Revenue - Taxes, Fines & Fees		5,322,207		-		5.322.207
Deferred Inflow Related to Pension Plan		28,389		-		28.389
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources		5.350.596		-		5.350.596
NET POSITION						
Net Investment in Capital Assets and Lease Assets Restricted:		10.105.717		-		10.105.717
Restricted for Capital Acquisition		5.874		-		5.874
Restricted for Debt Service		4.705.214		-		4,705,214
Restricted for Other Purposes		2.953.634		-		2.953.634
Unrestricted Net Position		14.520.391		264.512		14.784.903
Total Net Position	\$	32,290,830	\$	264.512	\$	32,555,342

### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30.2024

	Expenses		(	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and ontributions
Primary Government:					
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES:					
General Government Judicial Legal Financial Public Facility Public Safety Health & Welfare Highways, Streets, & Bridges County Extension Miscellaneous Interest on Debt Other Debt Service	\$	1.636.259 1.440.978 729.487 1.502.501 491.786 7.529.130 210.053 3.899.748 117.724 107.534 3.965.666 4.050	\$	431.845 682.902 51.524 354.276 - 461.358 31.240 718.432	\$ 9.706 154.352 - 1.730.636 591 - - - 1.895.285
Total Governmental Activities		21,034.910		2,731.377	 1,075,205
BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES:  Commissary Elections  Total Business-Type Activities		178.532 257.845 436.377		242,499 36,069 278,568	 -
TOTAL PRIMARY GOVERNMENT	\$	22,071,293	\$	3.010.145	\$ 1.895,285

### General Revenues:

Taxes:

Property Taxes. Levied for General Purposes Property Taxes. Levied for Debt Service

Other Taxes

Miscellaneous Revenue

Investment Earnings

Transfers In (Out)

Total General Revenues and Transfers

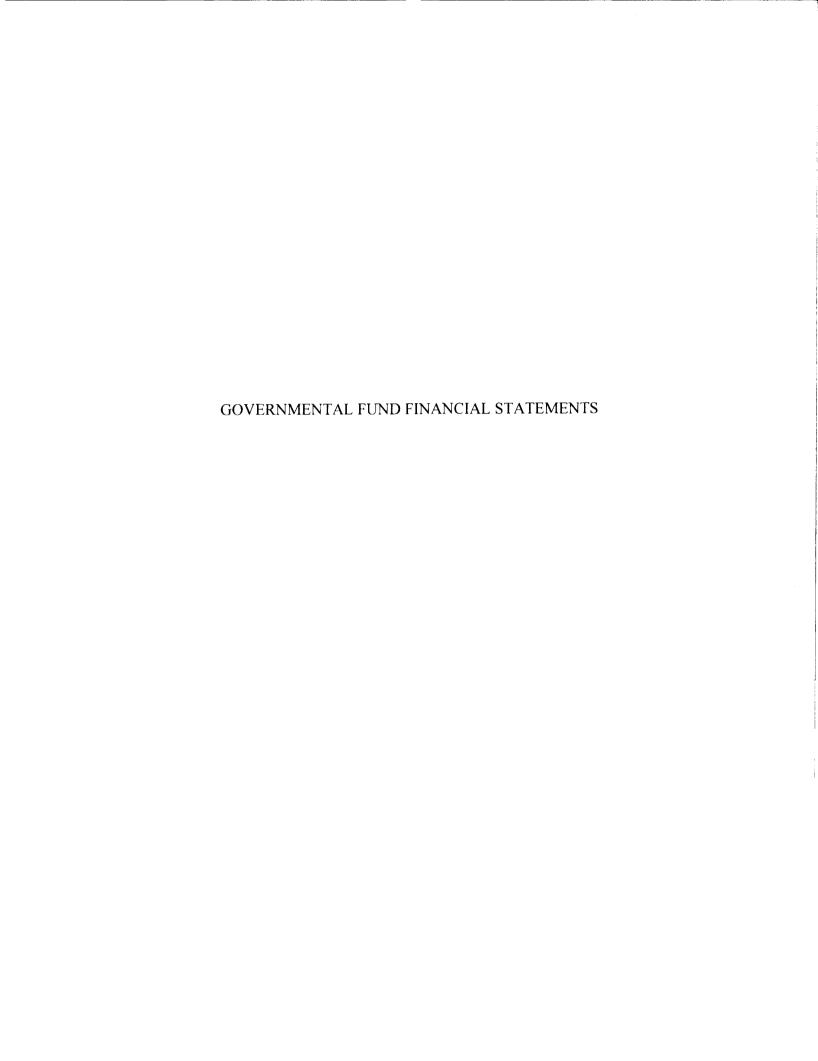
Change in Net Position

Net Position - Beginning

Net Position - Ending

Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position

	Primary Government					
		riiiiai	y Governmen			
C	iovernmental	Bu	siness-Type			
	Activities		Activities		Total	
\$	(1.204.414)	\$	-	\$	(1,204,414)	
Ψ	(748,370)	•	-	•	(748,370)	
	(523.611)		-		(523.611)	
	(1.148,225)		-		(1.148,225)	
	(491.786)		-		(491,786)	
	(5.337.136)		-		(5.337.136)	
	(178.222)		-		(178.222)	
	(3,181,316)		-		(3.181,316)	
	(117,724)		-		(117,724) (107,534)	
	(107,534) (3,965,666)		-		(3.965.666)	
	(4.050)		-		(4.050)	
			<del></del>	_	(17.008.054)	
	(17,008,054)		-		(17.008.034)	
	-		63.967		63.967	
			(221,776)	_	(221.776)	
_			(157,809)	_	(157.809)	
	(17.008.054)		(157.809)		(17.165.863)	
					- · · · ·	
	10.435.434		_		10,435,434	
	1,208,516		_		1,208,516	
	3.746.815		_		3.746.815	
	300.016		286		300.302	
	429,160		-		429,160	
	(135.750)		135.750			
	15.984,191		136.036		16.120.227	
	(1,023,863)		(21.773)		(1.045.636)	
	33.314.693		286.285		33.600.978	
\$	32.290.830	\$	264.512	\$	32.555.342	



### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

		General Fund	S	Major Debt Service Fund	Other Funds	G	Total overnmental Funds
ASSETS							
Cash and Cash Equivalents Accounts Receivable (Net) Notes Receivable	\$	13,661,407 5,590,854 158,000	\$	4,705,214 93,082	\$ 3,848,486 198,853	\$	22,215,107 5,882,789 158,000
Total Assets	\$	19,410,261	\$	4,798,296	\$ 4,047,339	\$	28,255,896
LIABILITIES  Accounts Payable Uneamed Revenues	<u> </u>	130,185	\$	-	\$ 363,877 526,796	\$	494,062 526,796
Total Liabilities		130,185		-	890.673		1,020,858
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable Revenue -Taxes, Fines & Fees Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	_	5,600,324		93.082 93.082	 197,158 197,158	_	5,890,564 5,890,564
FUND BALANCES	_				 	_	****
Capital Projects Retirement of Long-Term Debt Reported in Special Revenue Funds Unassigned Fund Balance		13,679,752		4,705,214 - -	5,874 - 2,953.634 -		5.874 4,705.214 2.953.634 13,679,752
Total Fund Balances		13.679.752		4,705,214	2,959,508	_	21,344,474
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows & Fund Balances	\$	19.410.261	\$	4,798.296	\$ 4,047,339	\$	28,255,896

## TITUS COUNTY. TEXAS RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$.	21,344,474
The County uses internal service funds to charge the costs of certain activities, such as self-insurance and printing, to appropriate functions in other governmental funds. The assets and liabilities of the internal service funds are included in governmental activities in the statement of net assets. The net effect of this consolidation is to Increase (decrease) net position.		755,172
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in governmental funds. In addition, long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period, and, therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds. The net effect of including the beginning balances for capital assets (net of depreciation) and long-term debt in the governmental activities is to increase (decrease) net position. Also, a receivable from TxDOT to help pay debt payments is included.		11,361,624
Current year capital outlays and long-term debt principal payments are expenditures in the fund financial statements, but they should be shown as increases in capital assets and reductions in long-term debt in the government-wide financial statements. The net effect of including the 2024 capital outlays and debt principal payments is to increase (decrease) net position.		8,210,777
Included in the items related to debt is the recognition of the County's proportionate share of the net pension was a Deferred Resource Outflow in the amount of \$1,475,859, a Deferred Resource Inflow in the amount of \$28,389 and a net pension liability in the amount of \$1,634,256. The impact of this on Net Position is (\$186,786). Changes from the current year reporting resulted in an increase in net position in the amount of \$936,800. The combination of the beginning of the year amounts and the changes during the year resulted in a difference between the ending fund balance and the ending net position in the amount of (\$186,786).		(186,786)
The 2024 depreciation expense increases accumulated depreciation. The net effect of the current year's depreciation is to decrease net position.		(1,378,007)
Various other reclassifications and eliminations are necessary to convert from the modified accrual basis of accounting to accrual basis of accounting. These include recognizing deferred revenue as revenue, eliminating interfund transactions, reclassifying the proceeds of bond sales as an increase in bonds payable, and recognizing the liabilities associated with maturing long-term debt and interest. The net effect of these reclassifications and recognitions is to increase (decrease) net position.		(7,816,424)
Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$	32,290,830

## TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

		General Fund		Major Debt Service Fund		Other Funds	G	Total overnmental Funds
REVENUES:		· ·						
Taxes	\$	11.495.750	\$	1,212,671	\$	2,568,555	\$	15,276.976
Licenses and Permits		53.156		<u>.</u>		662.924		716.080
Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants		352.533		8.431.000		1.983.648		10.767.181
Charges for Services		1.376.641		-		201.743		1.578.384
Fines		125 222		66.350		37.610 8.924		37,610
Other Revenue		435,223		66.250	_			510,397
Total Revenues	_	13.713.303	_	9,709,921		5,463,404		28.886.628
EXPENDITURES:								
General Government		1.506,501		-		-		1,506,501
Judicial		1.117.001		-		335.267		1,452,268
Legal		514.608		-		318.888		833.496
Financial		1.477.280		-		-		1,477,280
Public Facility		487.582		-		-		487,582
Public Safety		5.913.929		-		1.551.545		7.465.474
Health & Welfare		210.053		-		-		210,053
Highways, Streets, & Bridges		320.448		-		2.829.472		3.149,920
County Extension		113.520		_		-		113.520
Miscellaneous		-		-		107.534		107.534
Principal on Debt		-		5.850.000		-		5,850,000
Interest on Debt		-		4.169.893		-		4.169.893
Other Debt Service		-		4.050		-		4.050
Capital Outlay		1.889.986				470,791		2,360,777
Total Expenditures		13.550.908	_	10.023,943		5.613.497		29.188.348
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		162.395	_	(314.022)		(150.093)		(301.720)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):								
						158.000		158.000
Loan Proceeds Transfer In		603.067		_		280,000		883,067
Sale of Assets		27,730		_		169,875		197.605
Transfers Out		(804.202)		-		(640.575)		(1.444,777)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		(173.405)		-		(32.700)		(206.105)
Net Change in Fund Balances		(11.010)	_	(314.022)		(182,793)		(507.825)
Fund Balance - October I (Beginning)		13.690.762	_	5.019.236		3,142,301		21.852.299
Fund Balance - September 30 (Ending)			\$	4.705.214	\$	2.959.508		21.344.474

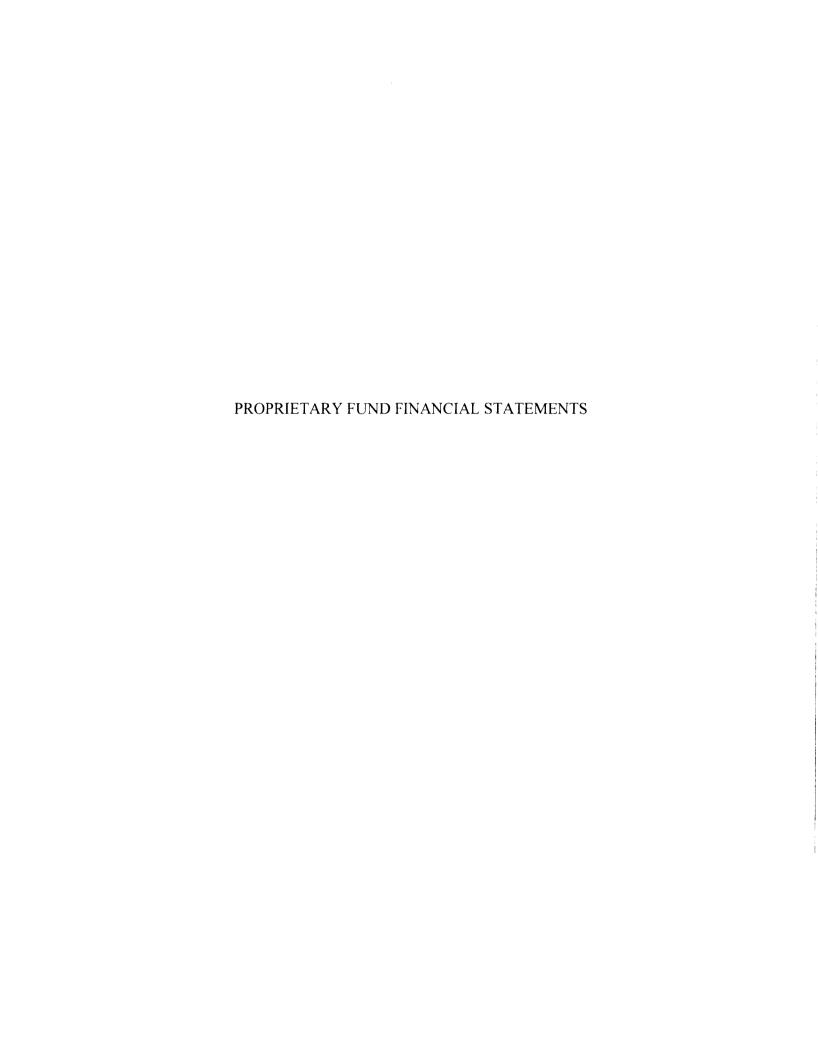
### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS

## RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Total Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$ (507,825)
The County uses some internal service funds to charge the costs of certain activities primarily to the governmental funds. The net income (loss) of these internal service funds are reported with governmental activities. The net effect of this consolidation is to increase (decrease) the change in net position.	5.603
Current year capital outlays and long-term debt principal payments are expenditures in the fund financial statements, but they should be shown as increases in capital assets and reductions in long-term debt in the government-wide financial statements. The net effect of removing the 2024 capital outlays and debt principal payments is to increase (decrease) the change in net position.	8,210,777
The impact of adjusting the net pension liabilities as required by GASB 68 was to decrease expense by \$936,800.	936,800
Depreciation is not recognized as an expense in governmental funds since it does not require the use of current financial resources. The net effect of the current year's depreciation is to decrease the change in net position.	(1,378,007)
Various other reclassifications and eliminations are necessary to convert from the modified accrual basis of accounting to accrual basis of accounting. These include recognizing deferred revenue as revenue, adjusting current year revenue to show the revenue earned from the current year's tax levy, eliminating interfund transactions, reclassifying the proceeds of bond sales, and recognizing the liabilities associated with maturing long-term debt and interest. The net effect of these reclassifications and recognitions is to increase (decrease) the change in net position.	(8,291,211)
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$ (1,023,863)

# TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS SCHEDULE OF REVENUES. EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Budgeted Amounts				Actual Amounts APBASIS)	Fin	ance With al Budget ositive or	
	0	riginal		Final	AD)	Ar DASIS)		legative)
REVENUES:								
Taxes	\$	11,181.072	\$	11.181.072	\$	11,495,750	\$	314,678
Licenses and Permits		44,000		50.400		53,156		2.756
Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants		205,750		228,343		352,533		124,190
Charges for Services		1,313,425		1.313.425		1.376.641		63.216
Other Revenue		209.336		218.279		435,223		216,944
Total Revenues		12.953.583		12,991,519		13.713.303		721,784
EXPENDITURES:								
General Government		5,663,137		3,486,442		1,506,501		1,979,941
Judicial		1,299,101		1.341.485		1.117.001		224.484
Legal		641.583		548,025		514.608		33,417
Financial		1.656.267		1.667,406		1.477.280		190,126
Public Facility		346.194		569,111		487.582		81,529
Public Safety		6,512,909		6.505.733		5.913.929		591.804
Health & Welfare		263,144		258.521		210.053		48,468
Highways, Streets. & Bridges		-		-		320,448		(320,448)
County Extension		123.922		124,722		113,520		11.202
Capital Outlay		1.082.811		3.643.467		1,889,986		1.753.481
Total Expenditures		17.589.068		18,144,912		13,550,908		4.594.004
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		(4.635.485)		(5.153,393)		162.395		5.315.788
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):								
Transfer In		-		558.542		603.067		44,525
Sale of Assets		-		27,730		27,730		-
Transfers Out		(568.750)		(637,115)		(804,202)		(167.087)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		(568,750)		(50.843)		(173,405)		(122,562)
Net Change		(5,204,235)		(5.204.236)		(11,010)		5,193,226
Fund Balance - October 1 (Beginning)		13.690,762		13.690.762		13.690.762		-
Fund Balance - September 30 (Ending)	\$	8.486.527	\$	8.486.526	\$	13,679,752	\$	5,193,226



### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

		Business-Type Activities Total		ernmental crivities
				Total
	Er	nterp rise	1	nternal
		Funds		ice Funds
ASSETS				
Current Assets:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	254.042	\$	791.235
Inventories		18.721		-
Total Current Assets		272.763		791.235
Noncurrent Assets:				
Capital Assets:				
Land Purchase and Improvements		-		79.790
Buildings, net				58,314
Total Noncurrent Assets		-		138.104
Total Assets		272.763		929,339
LIABILITIES				
Current Liabilities:				
Accounts Payable		8.251		174.167
Total Liabilities		8.251		174,167
NET POSITION				
Net Investment in Capital Assets and Lease Assets				138.104
Unrestricted Net Position		264.512		617.068
Total Net Position	\$	264,512	\$	755.172

## TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Business-Type Activities	Governmental Activities	
	Total	Total	
	Enterprise	Internal Service Funds	
	Funds	Service runds	
OPERATING REVENUES:			
Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants	\$ 4,711	•	
Charges for Services	236.933		
Other Revenue	37,210	•	
Total Operating Revenues	278,854	1,886,875	
OPERATING EXPENSES:			
Public Safety	178.532	-	
Highways, Streets & Bridges	<u> </u>	268,410	
Elections	221,455		
Insurance Coverage & Medical Claims Depreciation	36,390	2,035,779 3,043	
Total Operating Expenses	436,377		
Income (Loss) Before Transfers	(157.523	(420,357)	
Transfers In/(Out)	135.750	425,960	
Change in Net Position	(21,773		
Total Net Position - October I (Beginning)	286.285	749,569	
Total Net Position - September 30 (Ending)	\$ 264.512	\$ 755,172	

### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Business-Type Activities	Governmental Activities -	
	Total Enterprise Funds	Total Internal Service Funds	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:  Cash Received from User Charges Cash Received from Assessments - Other Funds Cash Payments to Employees for Services Cash Payments for Suppliers  Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities  Cash Flows from Non-Capital Financing Activities: Operating Transfer In/(Out)	\$ 278.854 	\$ 26.261 1.860.614 (2.275.791) (29.702) (418.618)	
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities: Acquisition of Capital Assets	-	-	
Cash Flows from Investing Activities: Purchase of Investment Securities			
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	55.401 198.640	7.342 783.893	
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	\$ 254.041	\$ 791.235	
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities: Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (157.523)	\$ (420.357)	
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by (Used For) Operating Activities: Depreciation Effect of Increases and Decreases in Current	36.390	3.043	
Assets and Liabilities:  Decrease (Increase) in Inventories Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	37.384 3.400	(1.304)	
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	\$ (80,349)	\$ (418.618) =======	



### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FIDUCIARY FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Custodial Funds	
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,247,476	
Total Assets	2,247,476	
LIABILITIES		
District Court cases payable/pending	1,498.248	
County Clerk cash bonds/ cases payable	523,147	
Bail Bonds Board deposits	226.081	
Total Liabilities	2.247.476	

### Titus County, Texas NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS At September 30, 2024

### I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Titus County, Texas is a county government operating under the applicable laws and regulations of the State of Texas. It is governed by a five member Commissioner's Court elected by registered voters of the County. The County prepares its basic financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board and other authoritative sources identified in *Statement on Auditing Standards No. 69* of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; and it complies with the requirements of the appropriate version of Texas Education Agency's *Financial Accountability System Resource Guide* (the "Resource Guide") and the requirements of contracts and grants of agencies from which it receives funds.

Pensions. The fiduciary net position of the Texas County & County Retirement System (TCDRS) has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. This includes for purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, pension expense, and information about assets, liabilities and additions to/deductions from TCDRS's fiduciary net position. 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.

### A. REPORTING ENTITY

The Commissioner's Court is elected by the public and it has the authority to make decisions and significantly influence operations. It has the primary accountability for fiscal matters. Therefore, the County is a financial reporting entity as defined by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") in its Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity." There are no component units included within the reporting entity.

### B. GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities are government-wide financial statements. They report information on all of Titus County with most of the inter-fund activities removed. *Governmental activities* include programs supported primarily by taxes, charges for services, grants and other intergovernmental revenues. Business type activities include operations that rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates how other people or entities that participate in programs the County operates have shared in the payment of the direct costs. The "charges for services" column includes payments made by parties that purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods or services provided by a given function or segment of the County. Examples include fees of offices. The "grants and contributions" column includes amounts paid by organizations outside the County to help meet the operational or capital requirements of a given function. If a revenue is not a program revenue, it is a general revenue used to support all of the County's functions. Taxes are always general revenues.

Inter-fund activities between governmental funds and between governmental funds and proprietary funds appear as due to/due froms on the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and Proprietary Fund Statement of Net Position and as other resources and other uses on the governmental fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance and on the Proprietary Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position. All inter-fund transactions between governmental funds and between governmental funds and internal service funds are eliminated on the government-wide statements. Inter-fund activities between governmental funds and enterprise funds remain on the government-wide statements and appear on the government-wide Statement of Net Position as internal balances and on the Statement of Activities as inter-fund transfers. Inter-fund activities between governmental funds and fiduciary funds remain as due to/due froms on the government-wide Statement of Activities.

The fund financial statements provide reports on the financial condition and results of operations for three fund categories - governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary. Since the resources in the fiduciary funds cannot be used for County operations, they are not included in the government-wide statements. The County considers some governmental funds major and reports their financial condition and results of operations in a separate column.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues result from providing goods and services in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations; they usually come from exchange or exchange-like transactions. All other revenues are non-operating. Operating expenses can be tied specifically to the production of the goods and services, such as materials and labor and direct overhead. Other expenses are non-operating.

### C. MEASUREMENT FOCUS, BASIS OF ACCOUNTING, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION

The government-wide financial statements use the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as do the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements use the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets, current liabilities and fund balances are included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present net increases and decreases in current assets (i.e., revenues and other financing sources and expenditures and other financing uses).

The modified accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues in the accounting period in which they become both measurable and available, and it recognizes expenditures in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unmatured interest and principal on long-term debt, which is recognized when due. The expenditures related to certain compensated absences and claims and judgments are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources. The County considers all revenues available if they are collectible within 60 days after year end.

Revenues from local sources consist primarily of property taxes. Property tax revenues and revenues received from the State are recognized under the "susceptible to accrual" concept, that is, when they are both measurable and available. The County considers them "available" if they will be collected within 60 days of the end of the fiscal year. Miscellaneous revenues are recorded as revenue when received in cash because they are generally not measurable until actually received. Investment earnings are recorded as earned, since they are both measurable and available.

Grant funds are considered to be earned to the extent of expenditures made under the provisions of the grant. Accordingly, when such funds are received, they are recorded as deferred revenues until related and authorized expenditures have been made. If balances have not been expended by the end of the project period, grantors sometimes require the County to refund all or part of the unused amount.

The Proprietary Fund Types and Fiduciary Funds are accounted for on a flow of <u>economic</u> resources measurement focus and utilize the accrual basis of accounting. This basis of accounting recognizes revenues in the accounting period in which they are earned and become measurable and expenses in the accounting period in which they are incurred and become measurable. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the fund Statement of Net Position. The fund equity is segregated into invested in capital assets net of related debt, restricted net position, and unrestricted net position.

### D. FUND ACCOUNTING

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

- 1. The General Fund -- The general fund is the County's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.
- 2. **Debt Service Fund** -- The County accounts for resources accumulated and payments made for principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt of governmental funds in a debt service fund.

Additionally, the County reports the following fund type(s):

#### Governmental Funds:

- 1. **Special Revenue Funds** -- The County accounts for resources restricted to, or designated for, specific purposes by the County or a grantor in a special revenue fund.
- 2. Capital Project Funds -- The proceeds from long-term debt financing and revenues and expenditures related to authorized construction and other capital asset acquisitions are accounted for in a capital projects fund.

### Proprietary Funds:

- 1. Enterprise Funds -- The County's activities for which outside users are charged a fee roughly equal to the cost of providing the goods or services of those activities are accounted for in an enterprise fund. The County's non-major Enterprise Funds and commissary store at the County Jail and on Election Funds.
- 2. Internal Service Funds -- Revenues and expenses related to services provided to organizations inside the County on a cost reimbursement basis are accounted for in an internal service fund. The County's Internal Service Fund are a maintenance facility and a health insurance fund.

### Fiduciary Funds:

Custodial Fund - The County accounts for resources held for others in a custodial capacity in custodial funds. The
County's Custodial funds contains the County Court Clerk funds for pending cases, the County Clerk cash bond accounts
and the Bail Bond Board fund.

### E. OTHER ACCOUNTING POLICIES

- 1. For purposes of the statement of cash flows for proprietary funds, the County considers highly liquid investments to be cash equivalents if they have a maturity of three months or less when purchased.
- 2. In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities statement of net position.
- 3. Capital assets, which include land, buildings, machinery and equipment and roads and bridges are reported in the applicable governmental activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the County as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized. Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

Buildings, machinery and equipment of the County are depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Assets	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	50
Building Improvements	15-50
Vehicles	4-7
Office Equipment	5-7
Computer Equipment	5-7
Machinery	7
Roads and Bridges	50

- 4. Since Internal Service Funds support the operations of governmental funds, they are consolidated with the governmental funds in the government-wide financial statements. The expenditures of governmental funds that create the revenues of internal service funds are eliminated to avoid "grossing up" the revenues and expenses of the County as a whole.
- 5. Some cash and investments are restricted for future debt payments and for purchase of right of way.
- 6. The County has a self-insurance fund for health insurance.
- 7. In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.
- 8. When the County incurs an expense for which it may use either restricted or unrestricted assets, it uses the restricted assets first whenever they will have to be returned if they are not used.
- 9. Investments are recorded at fair market value.
- 10. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources—The County implemented GASB Statement No. 63, Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position and GASB Statement No. 65, Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities for the year ended September 30, 2013. The County implemented GASB Statement No. 68, as amended by GASB no. 71, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions for the year ended September 30, 2016. In addition to assets, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The County has one type of item that qualifies for reporting in this category, deferred outflows related to TCDRS as per GASB 68 related to pension accounting. This will be recognized as an outflow of resources in the subsequent years as it is amortized.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represent an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The County has one type of item that qualifies for reporting in this category, property taxes, fines, and fees. These amounts will be recognized as an inflow of resources in the subsequent years as collected.

11. Fund balance measures the net financial resources available to finance expenditures of future periods. The County's Unassigned General Fund Balance will be maintained to provide the County with sufficient working capital and a margin of safety to address local and regional emergencies without borrowing. The Unassigned General Fund balance may only be appropriated by resolution of the County Commissioner's Court.

Fund balance of the County may be committed for a specific source by formal action of the County Commissioner's Court.

Amendments or modifications of the committed fund balance must also be approved by formal action of the Commissioner's Court.

When it is appropriate for fund balance to be assigned, the Commissioner's Court delegates authority to the County Judge and Auditor. In circumstances where an expenditure is to be made for a purpose for which amounts are available in multiple fund balance classifications, the order in which resources will be expended is as follows: restricted fund balance, followed by committed fund balance, assigned fund balance, and lastly, unassigned fund balance

### II. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### A. EXPLANATION OF CERTAIN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCE SHEET AND THE GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

Exhibit C-2 provides the reconciliation between the fund balance for total governmental funds on the governmental fund balance sheet and the net position for governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of net position. One element of that reconciliation explains that capital assets are not financial resources and are therefore not reported in governmental funds. In addition, long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and are not reported as liabilities in the funds. Also, a receivable from TxDot to make principal and interest payments on the Loop Construction completed in 2016 is not reflected in the governmental funds. Reimbursements from TxDot are to be received semi-annually as debt payments come due. The details of capital assets, the TxDot receivable, the net pension liability, and long-term debt at the beginning of the year were as follows:

Capital Assets at the Beginning of the year	Historic Cost	Accumulated Depreciation	Net Value at the Beginning of the Year	Change in Net Position
Land Buildings and Improvements Machinery and Equipment County Roads & Bridges	269,890 11,973,529 9,130,752 14,945,000	7.111,327 6,412,383 12,545,678	269.890 4,862.202 2.718,369 2,399,322	
Change in Net Position	36.319,171	26,069,388	10,249,783	10,249,783
Receivable-TxDotBalance at beginning of year				95,752,424
This does not include fixed assets of the internal service funds  Long-term liabilities  at the Beginning of the year			Payable at the Beginning of the <u>Year</u>	
Bonds Payable Change in Net Position			94,640,583	(94.640,583)
Net Adjustment to Net Position				11,361,624

### B. EXPLANATION OF CERTAIN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTAL FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES AND THE GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Exhibit C-4 provides a reconciliation between the net changes in fund balance as shown on the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances and the changes in net position of governmental activities as reported on the government-wide statement of activities. One element of that reconciliation explains that current year capital outlays and debt principal payments are expenditures in the fund financial statements, but should be shown as increases in capital assets and decreases in long-term debt in the government-wide statements. This adjustment affects both the net position balance and the change in net position. The details of this adjustment are as follows:

		Adjustments to	
	<u>Amount</u>	Changes in Net	Adjustments to
		<u>Position</u>	Net Position
Current year Capital Outlay			
Construction in progress	597,575	597,575	597,575
Machinery and equipment	1,763,202	1.763,202	1,763,202
Total Capital Outlay	2.360.777	2,360,777	2,360,777
Book value of land donated		-	-
Debt Principal Payments			
Bond Principal	5,850,000	5,850,000	5,850,000
Total Principal Payments	5.850,000	5,850,000	5,850,000
Total Adjustments to Net Position		8.210,777	8.210,777

Another element of the reconciliation on Exhibit C-4 is described as various other reclassifications and eliminations necessary to convert from the modified accrual basis of accounting to accrual basis of accounting. This adjustment is the result of several items. The details for this element are as follows:

	<u>Amount</u>	Adjustments to	<u>Adjustments</u>
		Change in Net	to Net
		<u>Position</u>	<u>Position</u>
Adjustments to Revenue and Deferred Revenue			
Taxes Collected from PriorYear Levies	395.852	(395.852)	-
Uncollected taxes (assumed collectible) from Current			
Year Levy	356,259	356.259	356.259
Uncollected Taxes (assumed collectible) from Prior			
Year Levy	212,090	-	212,090
Effect of prior year tax entry	133,155	133,155	-
Collection on TxDot receivable	8.431,000	(8,431,000)	(8,431,000)
Reclassify Proceeds of Bonds, Loans, and Capital Leases			
Amortization of Bond Premium	264,227	204,227	204,227
Inter-fund loans	158,000	(158,000)	(158,000)
Total		(8,291,211)	(7,816,424)

#### III. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

#### A. BUDGETARY DATA

The County prepares its appropriated budget on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles using the organization perspective, that is, the budget follows the formal, usually statutory, patterns of authority and responsibility granted to actually carry out the functions of the government. For example, the county judge's office has a separate budget from the county sheriff's office; although, various offices may be subsidized from revenues generated by maintenance and operation ad valorem taxes.

The county auditor and the county judge prepare an estimated budget based on recommendations and requests submitted by each department head. This estimated budget is presented to the commissioners, who then begin the process of reallocating specific items that, in their opinion, need to be modified. The final budget, when approved by the commissioner's court, is filed for public inspection with the county clerk. Public hearings are then held, if required, and the budget is adjusted, if necessary, and approved in its final form by commissioner's court. Each fund's appropriated budget is prepared on a detailed line item basis. Revenues are budgeted by source. Revisions to the budget were made throughout the year.

The County does not record encumbrances as part of its accounting records.

#### IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS AND ACCOUNT GROUPS

#### A. CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND INVESTMENTS

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

County Policies and Legal and Contractual Provisions Governing Deposits

<u>Custodial Credit Risk for Deposits</u> State law requires governmental entities to contract with financial institutions in which funds will be deposited to secure those deposits with insurance or pledged securities with a fair value equaling or exceeding the amount on deposit at the end of each business day. The pledged securities must be in the name of the governmental entity and held by the entity or its agent. Since the County complies with this law, it has no custodial credit risk for deposits.

<u>Foreign Currency Risk</u> The County limits the risk that changes in exchange rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment or a deposit by not investing in foreign currencies.

As of September 30, 2024, the following are the County's cash and cash equivalents with respective maturities and credit rating:

•	•		Maturity in		Maturity in		
Type of Deposit	Fair Value	Percent	Less than 1 year	Maturity in 1-10 Years	Over 10 Years	Credit Rating	
Cash, Money Markets and FDIC Insured Accounts	25,507.860	100.0%	25,507,860			N/A	
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 25,507,860	100.0%	\$ 25,507,860		•		

In addition, the following is disclosed regarding coverage of combined balances on the date of highest deposit:

- a. Depository: Guaranty Bank and Trust
- b. The market value of securities pledged as of September 30, 2024 was \$27,790,782.
- c. The combined balances of cash, savings, and time deposit accounts amounted to \$26,837,018 as of September 30, 2024.
- d. Total amount of FDIC coverage at September 30, 2024 was \$500,000.

#### Investments

County Policies and Legal and Contractual Provisions Governing Investments

#### Compliance with the Public Funds Investment Act

The Public Funds Investment Act (Government Code Chapter 2256) contains specific provisions in the areas of investment practices, management reports, and establishment of appropriate policies. Among other things, it requires a governmental entity to adopt, implement, and publicize an investment policy. That policy must address the following areas: (1) safety of principal and liquidity, (2) portfolio diversification, (3) allowable investments, (4) acceptable risk levels, (5) expected rates of return, (6) maximum allowable stated maturity of portfolio investments, (7) maximum average dollar-weighted maturity allowed based on the stated maturity date for the portfolio, (8) investment staff quality and capabilities, (9) and bid solicitation preferences for certificates of deposit.

Statutes authorize the entity to invest in (1) obligations of the U.S. Treasury, certain U.S. agencies, and the State of Texas and its agencies; (2) guaranteed or secured certificates of deposit issued by state and national banks domiciled in Texas; (3) obligations of states, agencies, counties, cities and other political subdivisions of any state having been rated as to investment quality not less than an "A"; (4) No load money market funds with a weighted average maturity of 90 days or less; (5) fully collateralized repurchase agreements; (6) commercial paper having a stated maturity of 270 days or less from the date of issuance and is not rated less than A-1 or P-1 by two nationally recognized credit rating agencies OR one nationally recognized credit agency and is fully secured by an irrevocable letter of credit; (7) secured corporate bonds rated not lower than "AA-" or the equivalent; (8) public funds investment pools; and (9) guaranteed investment contracts for bond proceeds investment only, with a defined termination date and secured by U.S. Government direct or agency obligations approved by the Texas public Funds Investment Act in an amount equal to the bond proceeds. The Act also requires the entity to have independent auditors perform test procedures related to investment practices as provided by the Act. TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS is in substantial compliance with the requirements of the Act and with local policies.

Additional policies and contractual provisions governing investments for TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS are specified below:

<u>Credit Risk</u> To limit the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations the County limits investments in commercial paper, corporate bonds, mutual bond funds to the top ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations (NRSROs). As of September 30, 2024, the County did not invest in commercial paper.

<u>Custodial Credit Risk for Investments</u> To limit the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty to a transaction, a government will not be able to recover the value of investment or collateral securities that are in possession of an outside party the County requires counterparties to register the securities in the name of the County and hand them over to the County or its designated agent. This includes securities in securities lending transactions.

<u>Concentration of Credit Risk</u> To limit the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of a government's investment in a single issuer, the County limits investments to less than 5% of its total investments. The County further limits investments in a single issuer when they would cause investment risks to be significantly greater in the governmental and business-type activities, individual major funds, aggregate non-major funds and fiduciary fund types than they are in the primary government. Usually this limitation is 20%.

<u>Interest Rate Risk</u> To limit the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of investments, the County requires all of the investment portfolio to have maturities of less than one year.

<u>Foreign Currency Risk for Investments</u> The County limits the risk that changes in exchange rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment by not allowing foreign investments.

The County categorizes its fair value measurements with the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. Investments that are measured at fair value using the net asset value per share (or its equivalent) as a practical expedient are not classified in the fair value hierarchy below. In instances where inputs used to measure fair value fall into different levels in the above fair value hierarchy, fair value measurements in their entirety are categorized based on the lowest level input that is significant to the valuation. The County's assessment of the significance of particular inputs to these fair value measurements requires judgment and considers factors specific to each asset or liability.

In this discussion and in the table below, investments are defined according to GASB 72 as a security or other asset that (a) a government holds primarily for the purpose of income or profit and (b) has a present service capacity based solely on its ability to generate cash or to be sold to generate cash. An asset initially reported as a capital asset and later held for sale would not subsequently be reclassified as an investment.

As of September 30, 2024, TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS had no investments subject to the fair value measurement. TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS has no investments other than at the depository bank.

#### B. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied by October 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1 for all real and business personal property located in the County in conformity with Subtitle E, Texas Property Tax Code. Taxes are due on receipt of the tax bill and are delinquent if not paid before February 1 of the year following the year in which imposed. On January 31 of each year, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all taxes, penalties, and interest ultimately imposed. Property tax revenues are considered available (1) when they become due or past due and receivable within the current period and (2) when they are expected to be collected during a 60-day period after the close of the school fiscal year.

#### C. DELINQUENT TAXES RECEIVABLE

Delinquent taxes are prorated between maintenance and debt service based on rates adopted for the year of the levy Allowances for uncollectible tax receivables within the General and Debt Service Funds are based on historical experience in collecting property taxes. Uncollectible personal property taxes are periodically reviewed and written off, but the County is prohibited from writing off real property taxes without specific statutory authority from the Texas Legislature.

#### D. INTERFUND TRANSFERS & BALANCES

Transfers between funds were as follows:

Transfers to Non-major Governmental Funds from:	
General Fund	185,000
Enterprise Funds	95,000
Non-major Governmental Funds	-
Total	280,000
Transfers to Internal Service Funds from:	
General Fund	387,460
Non-major Governmental Funds	38,500
Total	425,960
Transfers to Enterprise Funds from:	
General Fund	230,750
Total	230,750
Transfers to General Fund from:	
Non-major Governmental Funds	603,067
Internal Service Funds	-
Total	603,067
Total	1,539,777

There were no Due to/from balances at September 30, 2024.

\$158,000 was loaned from the general fund to Road and Bridge #3, a special revenue fund. This will be repaid over four equal annual installments.

#### E. DISAGGREGATION OF RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

Receivables at September 30, 2024, were as follows:

	Property Taxes	Intergover-	Due from Other Funds	Other	Total Receivables	
	Taxes	Fees of Office		- unus		- receivables
Governmental Activities:						
General Fund	662,506	10,270,087	6,064	-	-	10,938,657
Major Debt Service Fund	103,424	-	-	-	-	103,424
Non-major Governmental Funds	219,064	-	1,695	-	-	220,759
Internal Service Funds	-	-	-			
Total-Governmental Activities	984,994	10,270,087	7,759			11,262,840
Amount not scheduled for collection during the subsequent year	98,499	5,281,552	-	-		5,380,051
Proprietary Activities:						
Non-major Proprietary Funds					-	
Amount not scheduled for		-				
collection during the subsequent year						-

Payables at September 30, 2024, were as follows:

	Accounts	Salaries and Benefits	Due to Other Governments	Due to Other Funds	Other	Total Payables
Governmental Activities:						
General Fund	57,000	12,902	-	-	60,283	130,185
Non-major Governmental Funds	1,639	-	-	-	367,238	368,877
Internal Service Funds	3,349	170,808	-	•		174,157
Total-Governmental Activities	61,988	183,710	-	-	427,521	673,219
Amount not scheduled for						
collection during the subsequent year	-	•		•	-	•
Proprietary Activities:						0.251
Non-major Proprietary Funds	8,251				-	8,251
Amount not scheduled for	-					
collection during the subsequent year		-	-	_	-	-

#### F. CAPITAL ASSET ACTIVITY

Capital asset activity for the County for the year ended September 30, 2024, was as follows:

Primary	Government

Governmental Activities:         Balance         Additions         Retirements         Balance           District:         349.680         -         -         349.680           Buildings and Improvements         12.130.381         -         -         597.575           Construction in Progress         -         597.575         -         597.575           Machinery and Equipment         9.249.355         1.763.202         (615.472)         10.397.085           County Roads and Bridges         14.945.000         -         -         -         14.945.000           Totals at Historic Cost         36.674.416         2.360.777         (615.472)         38.419.721           Less Accumulated Depreciation for:         -         -         -         -         (7.463.045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6.530.986)         (825.330)         615.472         (6.740.844)           Roads         (12.545.678)         (299.505)         -         (12.845.183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26.283.494)         (1.381.050)         615.472         (27.049.072)           Governmental Activities Capital         10.390.922         979.727         -         11.370.649           Proprietary:         Election Fund Equipment		Beginning	·		<b>Ending</b>
District:         Land         349.680         -         -         349.680           Buildings and Improvements         12.130.381         -         -         12.130.381           Construction in Progress         -         597.575         -         597.575           Machinery and Equipment         9.249.355         1.763.202         (615.472)         10.397.085           County Roads and Bridges         14.945.000         -         -         -         14.945.000           Totals at Historic Cost         36.674.416         2.360.777         (615.472)         38.419.721           Less Accumulated Depreciation for:         Buildings and Improvements         (7.206.830)         (256.215)         -         (7.463.045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6.530.986)         (825.330)         615.472         (6.740.844)           Roads         (12.545.678)         (299.505)         -         (12.845.183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26.283.494)         (1.381.050)         615.472         (27.049.072)           Governmental Activities Capital         10.390.922         979,727         -         11.370.649           Proprietary:         Election Fund Equipment         310.276         -         -         310.276      <		<b>Balance</b>	<b>Additions</b>	<u>Retirements</u>	<b>Balance</b>
Land         349,680         -         -         349,680           Buildings and Improvements         12,130,381         -         -         12,130,381           Construction in Progress         -         597,575         -         597,575           Machinery and Equipment         9,249,355         1,763,202         (615,472)         10,397,085           County Roads and Bridges         14,945,000         -         -         14,945,000           Totals at Historic Cost         36,674,416         2,360,777         (615,472)         38,419,721           Less Accumulated Depreciation for:         8uildings and Improvements         (7,206,830)         (256,215)         -         (7,463,045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6,530,986)         (825,330)         615,472         (6,740,844)           Roads         (12,545,678)         (299,505)         -         (12,845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital           Assets, Net         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary:           Election Fund Equipment         310,276         -         -<	Governmental Activities:				
Buildings and Improvements   12.130.381   -   -   12.130.381     Construction in Progress   -   597.575   -   597.575     597.575     Machinery and Equipment   9.249.355   1.763.202   (615.472)   10.397.085   County Roads and Bridges   14.945.000   -   -   14.945.000     14.945.000     Totals at Historic Cost   36.674.416   2.360.777   (615.472)   38.419.721   Cess Accumulated Depreciation for:	District:				
Construction in Progress   597.575   597.575   10.397.085	Land	349.680	-	-	
Machinery and Equipment         9.249.355         1.763.202         (615.472)         10.397,085           County Roads and Bridges         14.945.000         -         -         14.945,000           Totals at Historic Cost         36,674.416         2.360,777         (615,472)         38.419,721           Less Accumulated Depreciation for:         Buildings and Improvements         (7.206.830)         (256,215)         -         (7.463.045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6,530.986)         (825.330)         615.472         (6,740.844)           Roads         (12.545.678)         (299.505)         -         (12.845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26.283.494)         (1.381.050)         615.472         (27.049.072)           Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net         10.390.922         979,727         -         11.370.649           Proprietary:         Election Fund Equipment         310.276         -         -         310.276           Less Accumulated Depreciation         (273.886)         (36.390)         -         (310.276)	Buildings and Improvements	12.130.381	-	-	
County Roads and Bridges         14,945,000         -         -         14,945,000           Totals at Historic Cost         36,674,416         2,360,777         (615,472)         38,419,721           Less Accumulated Depreciation for:         (7,206,830)         (256,215)         -         (7,463,045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6,530,986)         (825,330)         615,472         (6,740,844)           Roads         (12,545,678)         (299,505)         -         (12,845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary:         Election Fund Equipment         310,276         -         -         310,276           Less Accumulated Depreciation         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)	Construction in Progress	-	597,575	-	·
County Roads and Bridges         14,945,000         -         -         14,945,000           Totals at Historic Cost         36,674,416         2.360,777         (615,472)         38,419,721           Less Accumulated Depreciation for:         Buildings and Improvements         (7,206,830)         (256,215)         -         (7,463,045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6,530,986)         (825,330)         615,472         (6,740,844)           Roads         (12,545,678)         (299,505)         -         (12,845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary:         Election Fund Equipment         310,276         -         -         310,276           Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)	Machinery and Equipment	9.249.355	1.763,202	(615,472)	10,397,085
Less Accumulated Depreciation for:   Buildings and Improvements   (7,206,830)   (256,215)   - (7,463,045)     Machinery and Equipment   (6,530,986)   (825,330)   615,472   (6,740,844)     Roads   (12,545,678)   (299,505)   - (12,845,183)     Total Accumulated Depreciation   (26,283,494)   (1,381,050)   615,472   (27,049,072)     Governmental Activities Capital   Assets, Net   10,390,922   979,727   - 11,370,649     Proprietary:   Election Fund Equipment   310,276   -   310,276     Less Accumulated Depreciation   (273,886)   (36,390)   - (310,276)     Equipment   (273,886)   (36,390)   - (310,276)     Contact	• • •	14,945,000	<u> </u>		14,945,000
Buildings and Improvements         (7,206,830)         (256,215)         -         (7,463,045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6,530,986)         (825,330)         615,472         (6,740,844)           Roads         (12,545,678)         (299,505)         -         (12,845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary:         Election Fund Equipment         310,276         -         -         310,276           Less Accumulated Depreciation         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)           Equipment         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)	Totals at Historic Cost	36,674,416	2,360,777	(615,472)	38,419,721
Buildings and Improvements         (7,206,830)         (256,215)         -         (7,463,045)           Machinery and Equipment         (6,530,986)         (825,330)         615,472         (6,740,844)           Roads         (12,545,678)         (299,505)         -         (12,845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary:         Election Fund Equipment         310,276         -         -         310,276           Less Accumulated Depreciation         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)           Equipment         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)	Less Accumulated Depreciation for:				
Machinery and Equipment         (6,530,986)         (825,330)         615,472         (6,740,844)           Roads         (12,545,678)         (299,505)         -         (12,845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary: Election Fund Equipment Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment         310,276         -         -         310,276           Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)	•	(7,206,830)	(256,215)	-	(7,463,045)
Roads         (12,545,678)         (299,505)         -         (12,845,183)           Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary: Election Fund Equipment         310,276         -         -         310,276           Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)		(6,530,986)	(825,330)	615,472	(6,740,844)
Total Accumulated Depreciation         (26,283,494)         (1,381,050)         615,472         (27,049,072)           Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net         10,390,922         979,727         -         11,370,649           Proprietary: Election Fund Equipment Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment         310,276         -         -         310,276           Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment         (273,886)         (36,390)         -         (310,276)	• • •	(12,545,678)	(299,505)		(12,845,183)
Assets, Net 10,390,922 979,727 - 11,370,649  Proprietary: Election Fund Equipment 310,276 310,276  Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment (273,886) (36,390) - (310,276)		(26,283,494)	(1,381,050)	615,472	(27,049,072)
Assets, Net 10,390,922 979,727 - 11,370,649  Proprietary: Election Fund Equipment 310,276 310,276  Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment (273,886) (36,390) - (310,276)	Governmental Activities Capital				
Election Fund Equipment       310.276       -       -       310.276         Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment       (273.886)       (36.390)       -       (310.276)		10,390,922	979,727	-	11,370,649
Election Fund Equipment       310.276       -       -       310.276         Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment       (273.886)       (36.390)       -       (310.276)	Proprietary:				
Less Accumulated Depreciation Equipment (273.886) (36.390) - (310.276)	•	310,276	-	-	310,276
Equipment (273.886) (36.390) - (310,276)	· ·				
0.5000	·	(273.886)	(36,390)		(310,276)
		36,390	(36,390)	-	

Depreciation expense was charged to proprietary activities functions as follows:

Elections 36.390

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

General government	288,805
Public Safety	402,107
Highways, streets, and bridges	690,138
Total Depreciation Expense	1,381,050

The above includes internal service funds depreciation of \$3,043.

### G. CHANGES IN LONG-TERM DEBT

The following is a summary of long-term debt transactions for the year ended September 30, 2024.

Description	Interest Rate	Payable at 10/1/2023	Additions (Reductions)	Payable at 9/30/2024	<u>Due</u> within one year
Pass-Through Toll Revenue and Limited Tax Bonds-Series 2012-B	3-5%	4,555,000	(2,070,000)	2,485,000	-
Bond Premium-Series 2012-B		285,590	(57,118)	228,472	57,118
Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds- Series 2016	2%- 5.00%	21,845,000	(1,495,000)	20,350,000	1,560,000
Bond PremiumSeries 2016		223,396	(37,232)	186,164	37,232
Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds- Series 2017	2%- 5.00%	12,655,000	(1,860,000)	10,795,000	1,960,000
Bond PremiumSeries 2017 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds-		584,465	(97,410)	487,055	97,410
Series 2019	3%-3.25%	29,595,000	(60,000)	29,535,000	1,460,000
Bond PremiumSeries 2019		137,132	(12,467)	124,665	12,467
General Obligation Refunding Bonds Series 2020	1%-2.30%	24,760,000	(365,000)	24,395,000	2,480,000
	-	94,640,583	(6,054,227)	88,586,356	7,664,227

The debt service fund long-term debt as of September 30, 2024, follows:

(A) Pass-Through Toll Revenue and Limited Tax Bonds Series 2012-B	2,485,000
Due in annual installments with interest at 3-5%	
(B) Unamortized Bon Premium-Series 2012-B	228,472
(C) Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds	20,350,000
Series 2016 Due in annual installments with interest at 2-5%	
(D) Unamortized Bond Premium- Series 2016	186,164
(E) Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds	10,795,000
Series 2017 Due in annual installments with interest at 2-5%	
(F) Unamorized Bond Premium-Series 2017	487,055
(G) Unamoritzied Tax Refunding Bonds- Series 2019	29,535,000
Due in annual installments with interest at 3-3.25%	
(H) Unamortized Bond Premium-Series 2019	124,665
(I) General Obligation Refunding Bonds- Series 2020	24,395,000
Due in annual installments with interest at 1-2.3%	
	88,586,356

#### G. CHANGES IN LONG-TERM DEBT (cont'd)

The annual requirements to amortize bonded debt and certificates of obligation as of September 30, 2024, follows:

	C	eneral Obligation	S
Year Ended			Total
September 30	<b>Principal</b>	<u>Interest</u>	Requirements
2025	7,460,000	2,564,434	10,024,434
2026	7,675,000	2,343,462	10,018,462
2027	7,920,000	2,099,253	10,019,253
2028	8,195,000	1,826,284	10,021,284
2029	8,465,000	1,550,457	10,015,457
2030-2034	47,845,000	3,599,868	51,444,868
	87,560,000	13,983,758	101,543,758

In November 2016, the County issued the Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2016. Proceeds were used to refund a portion of the Series 2007 and Series 2009 bonds. This transaction resulted in a reduction in future debt service payments of approximately \$3.7 million and an economic gain of approximately \$2.91 million in present value. The principal balance of the refunded bonds at September 30, 2024 is, Series 2007, \$12.64 million and Series 2009, \$19.83 million.

In July 2018, the County issued the Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2016. Proceeds were used to refund a portion of the Series 2009 bonds. This transaction resulted in a reduction in future debt service payments of approximately \$1.76 million and an economic gain of approximately \$1.49 million in present value. The principal balance of the refunded bonds at September 30, 2024 is \$19.83 million.

In November 2019, the County issued the Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2019. Proceeds were used to refund a portion of the Series 2012A bonds. This transaction resulted in a reduction in future debt service payments of approximately \$3.3 million and an economic gain of approximately \$2.58 million in present value. The principal balance of the refunded bonds at September 30, 2024 is, Series 2012A, \$28.38 million.

In September 2020, the County issued the General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2020. Proceeds were used to refund a portion of the Series 2012B bonds. This transaction resulted in a reduction in future debt service payments of approximately \$3.1 million and an economic gain of approximately \$2.7 million in present value. The principal balance of the refunded bonds at September 30, 2024 is \$24.49 million.

The state is repaying the \$168.62 million pass-through reimbursements to the County to assist in paying off the debt. The remaining balance to be received is \$87.32 million.

#### H. RECEIVABLE- TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

The Loop construction was completed in a prior year. In exchange for assuming maintenance and ownership of the completed loop, the state has begun payments on the \$168.62 million pass through reimbursements. This is payable over a maximum of twenty years beginning at a minimum of \$8.431 million per year. The balance is \$87.32 million at September 30, 2024.

#### **DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS** I.

#### Plan Description

The County provides retirement, disability, and death benefits for all of its full-time employees through a nontraditional defined benefit plan in the state-wide Texas County and District Retirement System (TCDRS). The Board of Trustees of TCDRS is responsible for the administration of the statewide agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system consisting of over 600 nontraditional defined benefit pension plans. TCDRS in the aggregate issues a comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) on a calendar year basis. The CAFR is available upon written request from the Board of Trustees at P.O. Box 2034. Austin, Texas 78768-2034.

The plan provisions are adopted by the governing body of the County, within the options available in the Texas state statutes governing TCDRS (TCDRS Act). Members can retire at ages 60 and above with 10 or more years of service or with 30 years of service regardless of age or when the sum of their age and years of service equals 80 or more. A member is vested after 10 years of service but must leave his accumulated contributions in the plan to receive any employer-financed benefit. If a member withdraws his personal contributions in a lump-sum, he is not entitled to any amounts contributed by the employer.

All eligible employees of the County are required to participate in the TCDRS.

#### Benefits Provided

TCDRS provides retirement, disability and death benefits. Benefit provisions are adopted by the governing body of the County, within the options available in the state statutes governing TCDRS.

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

Employees covered by benefit terms.

At December 31, 2022 and 2023 valuation and measurement date, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

	2022	2023
Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	154	156
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	-	-
Active employees	145	155
	299	311

#### Contributions

The employer has elected the annually determined contribution rate (Variable-Rate) plan provisions of the TCDRS Act. The plan is funded by monthly contributions from both employee members and the employer based on the covered payroll of employee members. Under the TCDRS Act, the contribution rate of the employer is actuarially determined annually.

Employees for the County were required to contribute 7% of their annual gross earnings during the fiscal year. The contribution rates for the County were 12.67% and 12.48% in calendar years 2023 and 2024. The County's contributions to TCDRS for the year ended September 30, 2024 was \$944.109 and was equal to the required contributions.

#### Net Pension Liability

The County's Net Pension Liability (NPL) was measured as of December 31, 2023, and the Total Pension Liability (TPL) used to calculate the Net Pension Liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date

#### Actuarial assumptions:

The Total Pension Liability in the December 31, 2023 actuarial valuations were determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Inflation 2.50% per year Overall payroll growth 3.0% per year Investment Rate of Return 7.6% per year

Demographic and economic assumptions are used to estimate employer liabilities and to determine the amount of funding required from employer contributions as opposed to investment earnings. These assumptions reflect a long-term perspective of 30 years or more. Examples of key economic assumptions include long-term investment return, long-term inflation and annual payroll increase.

Demographic assumptions are the actuary's best estimate of what will happen to TCDRS members and retirees. Examples of demographic assumptions are employment termination rates, retirement rates and retiree mortality rates. A complete listing of all actuarial assumptions can be found in the annual system-wide valuation report.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments is 7.6% for 2022 and 7.6% for 2023 measurement dates. The pension plan's policy in regard to the allocation of invested assets is established and may be amended by the TCDRS Board of Trustees. Plan assets are managed on a total return basis with an emphasis on both capital appreciation as well as the production of income, in order to satisfy the short-term and long-term funding needs of TCDRS.

#### I. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS (continued)

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

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Geometric Real Rate of Return
US Equity	11.5%	4.75%
International Equity	11.0%	4.75%
Various	46.5%	.06-7.25
Hedge Funds	6.0%	3.25%
Private Equity	25.0%	7.75%
Total	100.0%	

#### Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the Total Pension Liability was 7.6% for 2022 and 7.6% for 2023. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee and employer contributions will be made at the rates specified in statute. Based on that assumption, the pension plan's Fiduciary Net Position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the Total Pension Liability.

Changes in the Net Pension Liability

··· ··· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Increase (decrease	e)
	Total Pension	Plan Fiduciary	Net Pension
	Liability	Net Position	Liability/(Asset)
	(a)	<u>(b)</u>	(a) - (b)
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$ 38.257.957	\$ 35,625,243	\$ 2,632,714
Changes for the year:			
Service cost	864.213	-	864.213
Interest	2.884.837	-	2,884,837
Effects of plan changes	-	-	-
Effects of economic/demographic gains/losses	483,458	-	483.458
Changes of assumptions	-	889,466	(889,466)
Contributions - employer	-	491.417	(491,417)
Contributions - employee	-		-
Net investment income	-	3,905,456	(3,905,456)
Benefit payments, including refund of contributions	(2.370.988)	(2,370,988)	-
Administrative expense	-	(20,096)	20,096
Other changes	<del>_</del>	(35,277)	35,277
Net changes	\$ 1,861.520	\$ 2,859,978	\$ (998,458)
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$ 40,119,477	\$ 38,485,221	\$ 1,634,256

#### I. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS (continued)

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

The following presents the net pension liability of the County, calculated using the discount rate of 7.6%, as well as what the District's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.6%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.6%) than the current rate:

	1%	Decrease in			19	6 Increase in
Measurement	Di	scount Rate	D	iscount Rate	D	iscount Rate
Date		6.6%		7.6%		8.6%
12/31/2016 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	6,267,969	\$	2.750,950	\$	(184,333)
12/31/2017 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	4,789,840	\$	1,142,267	\$	(1,941,859)
12/31/2018 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	7,466,655	\$	3,721,521	\$	552,806
12/31/2019 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	5,380,499	\$	1,550,003	\$	(1,690,248)
12/31/2020 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	6,933,075	\$	2,605,953	\$	(1,034,896)
12/31/2021 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	2,613,032	\$	(1,929,237)	\$	(5,752,589)
12/31/2022 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	7.366,557	\$	2,632,714	\$	(1,342,270)
12/31/2023 County's net pension liability/(Asset)	\$	6,567,772	\$	1.634,256	\$	(2,517,450)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plan's Fiduciary Net Position is available in a separately-issued TCDRS financial report. That report may be obtained on the Internet at <a href="https://www.tcdrs.com">www.tcdrs.com</a>.

Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions For the year ended September 30, 2024, the County recognized pension expense of \$944,109.

At September 30, 2024, the County reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

202	23
Deferred	Deferred
Outflows	Inflows
of Resources	of Resources
322,305	28.389
-	-
74,285	-
1,079,269	
1,475,859	28,389
	Deferred Outflows of Resources 322,305 - 74,285 1,079,269

Amounts reported as deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions, excluding contributions made subsequent to the measurement date, will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended September 30:	
2025	(166,691)
2026	7,161
2027	775,660
2028	(247.389)
2029	-
Thereafter	-

#### J. FEDERAL GRANTS

In the normal course of operations, the County receives grant funds from various Federal and State agencies. The grant programs are subject to audit by agents of the granting authority, the purpose of which is to ensure compliance precedent to the granting of funds. Any liability for reimbursement which may arise as the result of these audits is not believed to be material.

#### K. RISK MANAGEMENT

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. During fiscal 2024, the County purchased commercial insurance to cover general liabilities. There were no significant reductions in coverage in the past fiscal year, and there were no settlements exceeding insurance coverage for each of the past three fiscal years.

#### L. DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES

In the government wide statements and the governmental fund financial statements the amount of property taxes receivable and fines expected to be collected in the future is reflected as a deferred inflow of resources and will be recognized as such each year as it is collected.

#### M. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The County has no significant commitments or contingencies at September 30, 2024.

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

#### N. LITIGATION

The County periodically is defendant in various lawsuits. As of September 30, 2024, after consultation with the County's attorney, the County is not aware of any pending or threatened litigation which would have a material effect on the financial statements.

#### O. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated subsequent events through November 22, 2024, the financial statement issuance date.



### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS TEXAS COUNTY & DISTRICT RETIREMENT SYSTEM

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Pl	FY 2024 an Year 2023	_Pl	FY 2023 an Year 2022	Pla	FY 2022 an Year 2021
A. Total Pension Liability						
Service Cost	\$	864.213	\$	829.708	\$	856,117
Interest (on the Total Pension Liability)		2.884,837		2.788.782		2.684.912
Changes of Benefit Terms		-		-		-
Difference between Expected and Actual Experience		483,458		(85,167)		208.594
Changes of Assumptions		=		-		(125.818)
Benefit Payments, Including Refunds of Employee Contributions		(2.370,988)		(2.239.304)		(2,222,383)
Net Change in Total Pension Liability	\$	1.861.520	\$	1.294.019	\$	1.401.422
Total Pension Liability - Beginning		38.257.957		36.963.938		35,562.516
Total Pension Liability - Ending	\$	40.119.477	\$	38.257.957	\$	36,963,938
B. Total Fiduciary Net Position						
Contributions - Employer	\$	889.466	\$	835,163	\$	688.212
Contributions - Employee		491.417		439.890		405.515
Net Investment Income		3.905.456		(2.199.218)		7,109.210
Benefit Payments. Including Refunds of Employee Contributions		(2,370,988)		(2,239.304)		(2.222,383)
Administrative Expense		(20,096)		(20.877)		(21,042)
Other		(35.277)		(83.586)		(22.900)
Net Change in Plan Fiduciary Net Position	\$	2.859.978	\$	(3.267.932)	\$	5,936,612
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning		35.625,243		38.893.175		32,956,563
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Ending	<u>-</u> \$	38,485.221	\$	35,625,243	\$	38.893,175
C. Net Pension Liability (Asset)	\$	1.634.256	\$	2.632.714	\$	(1.929,237)
D. Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of Total Pension Liability		95.93%		93.12%		105.22%
E. Covered Payroll	\$	7.020.250	\$	6.863.253	\$	6,069,185
F. Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		23.28%		38.36%		(31.79%)

Note: GASB Codification, Vol. 2, P20.146 requires that the data in this schedule be presented for the time period covered by the measurement date rather than the governmental entity's current fiscal year.

PI	FY 2021 an Year 2020		FY 2020 Plan Year 2019	!	FY 2019 Plan Year 2018		FY 2018 Plan Year 2017	. —	FY 2017 Plan Year 2016	_	FY 2016 Plan Year 2015		FY 2015 Plan Year 2014
\$	756,753	\$	733,222	\$	741,000	\$	741,116	\$	803.722	\$	773.990	\$	775.708
Ψ	2,599,396	Ψ	2.497.852	Ψ	2.402,266	•	2,291,246	•	2,143,517	-	2,086,698	•	1,930,792
	-				_		-		-		(104,759)		-
	68.730		50,119		(122.041)		(147.937)		(30,731)		(988,255)		262.203
	1,885,235		-		-		119,741		-		261,759		-
	(2.122.985)		(1.981.948)		(1,690,475)		(1.578,557)		(1.306.278)		(1,226.425)		(1.017,764)
<u> </u>	3.187.129	\$	1,299,245	\$	1.330.750	\$	1,425,609	\$	1.610.230	<u>-</u>	803,008	<u> </u>	1,950,939
	32.375.387		31,076,142		29,745,392		28,319,783		26,709.553		25,906,546		23.955.607
\$	35,562,516	\$	32.375.387	\$	31.076.142	\$	29,745,392	\$	28.319.783	\$	26.709.554	\$	25,906,546
\$	704.212	\$	617.761	\$	628.913	\$	544.966	\$	488.096	\$	568,251	\$	608,019
J.	418,196	J	394,197	¥	392,371	Ψ.	374.365	•	362.319	*	355.952	•	374.877
	3,182,424		4,493,159		(540,344)		3,721,554		1,790,994		(322,243)		1.566,641
	(2.122.985)		(1,981,948)		(1,690,475)		(1.578.557)		(1.306.278)		(1.226,425)		(1.017.764)
	(24.115)		(23,490)		(21,971)		(19.022)		(19,491)		(17.646)		(18.516)
	(26.553)		(28.916)		(16,998)		(9,014)		7,503		73.199		49,608
<u>s</u>	2.131.179	<u> </u>	3.470.763	<u>\$</u>	(1.248.504)	\$	3.034.292	\$	1.323.143	\$	(568.912)	<u> </u>	1.562.865
	30.825.384		27.354.621		28,603,125		25,568.833		24.245.690		24.814.602		23.251.737
\$	32,956,563	\$	30,825,384	\$	27.354.621	\$	28.603.125	\$	25.568.833	\$	24.245.690	\$	24.814.602
\$	2,605,953	<u>\$</u>	1.550.003	\$	3.721.521	<u>\$</u>	1,142,267	\$	2,750.950	<b>\$</b>	2.463.864	<u>\$</u>	1.091.944
	92.67%		95.21%		88.02%		96.16%		90.29%		90.78%		95.79%
\$	5.765.188	\$	5.664.481	\$	5,682.979	\$	5,533,682	\$	5,287,521	\$	5.161,280	\$	5.262.480
	45.20%		27.36%		65.49%		20.64%		52.03%		47.74%		20.74%

### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS

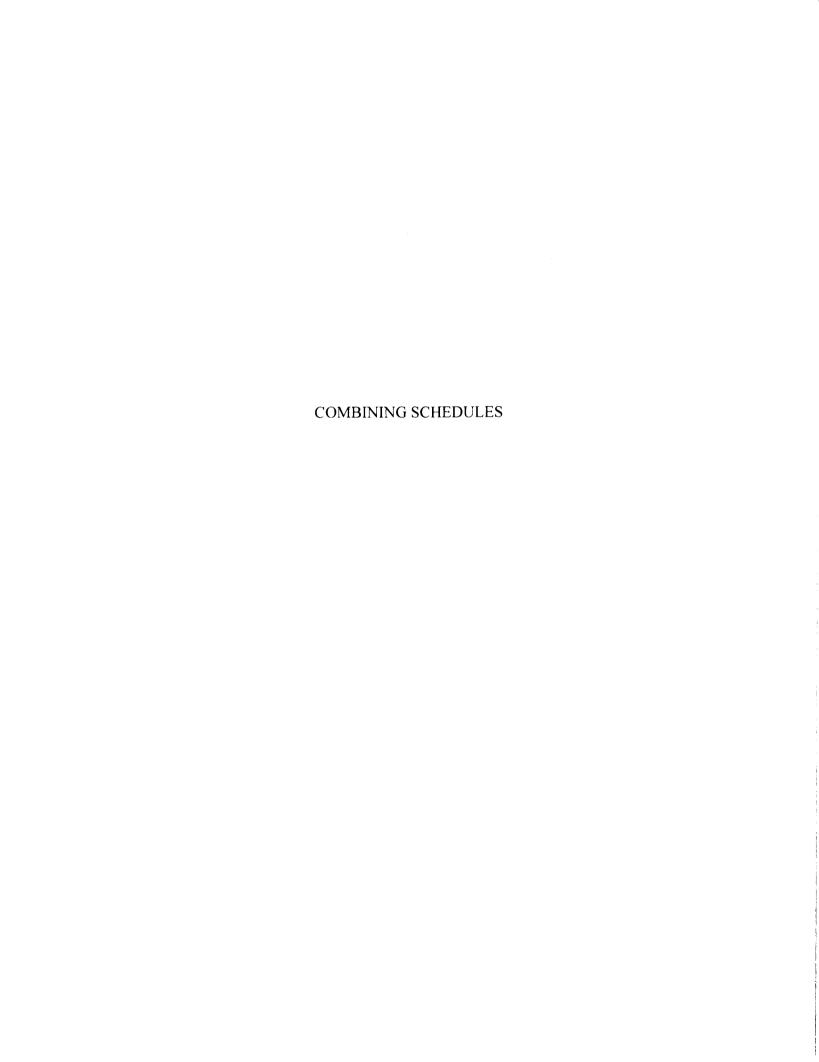
### TEXAS COUNTY & DISTRICT RETIREMENT SYSTEM

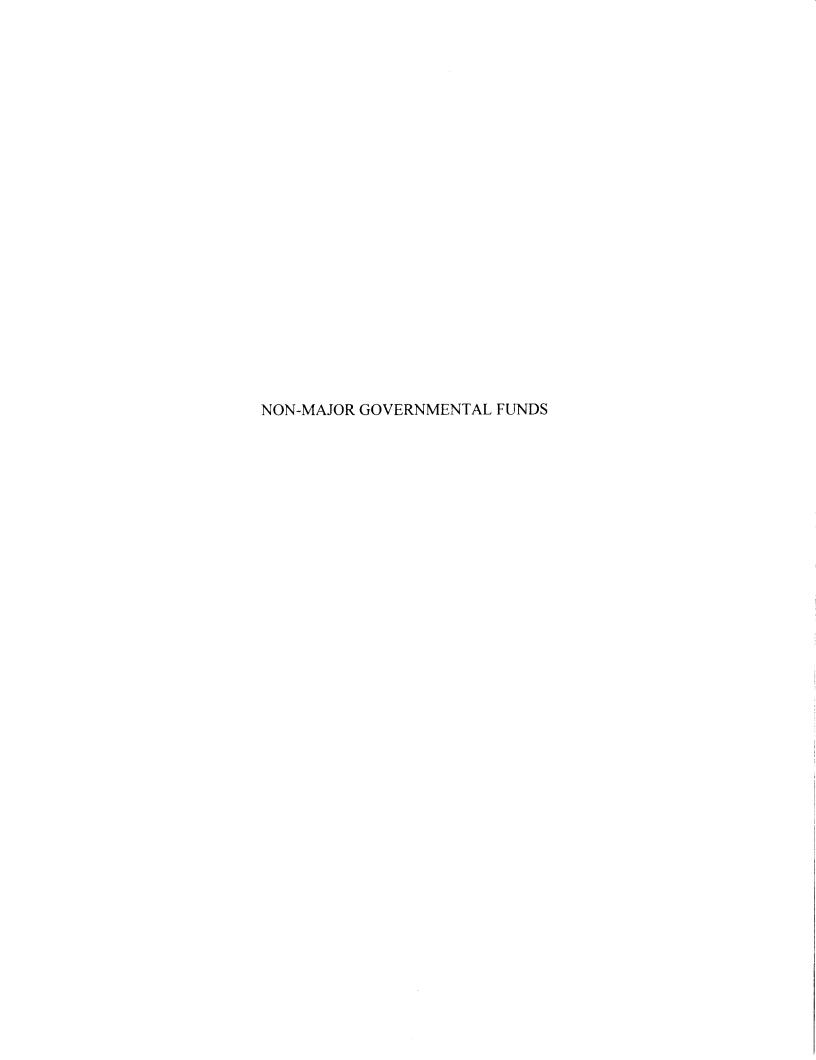
#### FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2024

	 2024		2023	 2022
Actuarially Determined Contribution  Contributions in Relation to the Actuarially Determined Contributions	\$ 889.466 (889.466)	-	880.934 (880.934)	783.793 (783.793)
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
Covered Employee Payroll	\$ 7.020.250	\$	6,863.253	\$ 6.069,185
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Employee Payroll	12.70%		12.84%	12.91%

Note: GASB Codification, Vol. 2, P20.146 requires that the data in this schedule be presented as of the governmental entity's respective fiscal years as opposed to the time periods covered by the measurement dates ending December 31 for the respective fiscal years.

 2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
\$ 683,951 \$	658.525 \$	626.793 \$	607.742 \$	529,564 \$	507.590 \$	588.071
(683.951)	(658.525)	(626.793)	(607.742)	(529,564)	(507,590)	(588.071)
\$ - \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	-
\$ 5.765.188 \$	5.664.481 \$	5.682.979 \$	5.533.682 \$	5,287,521 \$	5.161.280 \$	5.262.480
11.86%	11.63%	11.02%	10.98%	10.01%	9.83%	11.17%





#### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	rity Fees Fund		Jury Fund		Law Library	Opioid Trust
ASSETS						
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 11.330	\$	156,520	\$	26,450	\$ 16,479
Accounts Receivable (Net)	 		15.602		-	 
Total Assets	\$ 11,330	\$	172,122	\$	26,450	\$ 16,479
LIABILITIES						
Accounts Payable	\$ -	\$	-	\$	215	\$ -
Unearned Revenues	 -				-	 16.479
Total Liabilities	 		-	-	215	 16,479
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES						
Unavailable Revenue -Taxes, Fines & Fees	-		15,602			 -
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources		_	15.602			 
FUND BALANCES						
Nonspendable Fund Balance:						
Capital Projects	-		-		-	-
Assigned Fund Balance:						
Reported in Special Revenue Funds	 11.330	_	156,520		26.235	 
Total Fund Balances	 11,330		156.520		26,235	 -
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows & Fund Balances	\$ 11,330	\$	172,122	\$	26,450	\$ 16,479

	R&B#I		R&B#2		<b>R&amp;B</b> #3		R&B#4	LAT	C Fund		AVNS Grant		Justice Court Tech	Justice Court Fech#2
\$	427,624 45,389	\$	433,611 45,389	\$	270,217 45,389	\$	542,856 45,389	\$	-	\$	(1,695) 1,695	\$	30,167	\$ 7.908
\$	473,013	\$	479,000	\$	315,606	\$	588,245	\$	-	\$	_	\$	30,167	\$ 7,908
\$	179	\$	219	\$	660	\$	366	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -
	179		219	_	660		366			_	<u>-</u>	_	-	 <u>-</u>
	45,389 45,389		45,389 45,389	_	45,389 45,389		45,389 45,389		-		-		-	 <u>-</u>
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	427,445		433,392		269.557		542,490		-		-		30,167	7.908
	427,445		433,392		269,557	_	542,490		-		-		30.167	7,908
<u>\$</u>	473,013	\$	479,000	\$	315,606	\$	588,245	\$	-	<u>\$</u>	-	<u>\$</u>	30,167	\$ 7,908

#### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR COVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

		District Clerk Tech	State Fees Fund	·-	County Clerk R&M		District Clerk R&M
ASSETS							
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	12,139	\$ 97,268	\$	258,680	\$	13,371
Accounts Receivable (Net)			 				
Total Assets	\$	12,139	\$ 97,268	<u>\$</u>	258,680	<u>\$</u>	13,371
LIABILITIES							
Accounts Payable	\$	-	\$ 42,504	\$	-	\$	-
Uneamed Revenues		-	 54.764				-
Total Liabilities			 97.268		-		
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES							
Unavailable Revenue -Taxes, Fines & Fees	_		 		-		-
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources		-	 -		-		
FUND BALANCES							
Nonspendable Fund Balance:							
Capital Projects		-	-		-		-
Assigned Fund Balance:							
Reported in Special Revenue Funds		12,139	 		258,680		13,371
Total Fund Balances		12,139	 		258,680		13,371
Total Liabilities. Deferred Inflows & Fund Balances	\$	12,139	\$ 97,268	\$	258.680	\$	13,371

listrict torney		ounty	District Clerk RPF		Vehicle nventory Tax	ory Through Sheriff Attorney		Α	District Attorney rug Forf.				
\$ 1,376	\$	5,524	\$ 50.281	\$	261,135	\$	-	\$	23,904	\$	38.387	\$	114,533
\$ 1,376	\$	5,524	\$ 50,281	\$	261,135	\$		<u>\$</u>	23,904	\$	38,387	\$	114,533
\$ •	\$	948	\$ -	\$	255,284	\$	-	\$	23,904	\$	38.387	\$	-
 		948	 		255,284			_	23.904	-	38,387		-
			 -						-		-		
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-		-	-		-		-		-		-		-
1,376		4,576	50,281		5,851		-		-		-		114.533
1.376		4,576	 50,281	_	5,851		-	_			-		114,533
\$ 1,376	\$	5,524	\$ 50,281	\$	261.135	\$	-	\$	23.904	\$	38,387	\$	114,533

#### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Sheriff Forfeiture			Capital Murder Fund		State Criminal Alien Assist.		Sheriff Commissary	
ASSETS									
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	30,045	\$	112,618	\$	6.845	\$	136,735	
Accounts Receivable (Net)						-		-	
Total Assets	\$	30,045	\$	112,618	\$	6.845	\$	136.735	
LIABILITIES									
Accounts Payable	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	733	
Unearned Revenues		-						-	
Total Liabilities		-						733	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES									
Unavailable Revenue -Taxes, Fines & Fees						-			
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources			_	_				-	
FUND BALANCES									
Nonspendable Fund Balance:									
Capital Projects		-		-		-		-	
Assigned Fund Balance:									
Reported in Special Revenue Funds		30.045		112.618		6.845		136,002	
Total Fund Balances		30,045		112,618		6,845		136,002	
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows & Fund Balances	\$	30.045	\$	112,618	\$	6.845	\$	136,735	

	enile oard	re-Trial ervention	nty & Dist Court Tech		Pre-Trial Class C Misd.	ARPA	A Grant	Vital atistics		Co. Clerk Archive	Cor	ustice urthouse ecurity
\$	478	\$ 17.689	\$ 18,210	\$	16.266	\$	-	\$ 11,056	\$	224.763	\$	14,289
\$	478	\$ 17.689	\$ 18.210	\$	16,266	\$	-	\$ 11,056	\$	224,763	\$	14,289
\$	478	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-
	478	 -	 -	_			-	 -		-		-
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	-	-	-		-		-	-		-		-
	_	17.689	18,210		16,266		-	11,056		224,763		14,289
		17.689	 18.210		16.266		-	11.056	_	224,763		14,289
\$	478	\$ 17,689	\$ 18,210	\$	16,266	\$	-	\$ 11.056	\$	224,763	\$	14.289

#### TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	SB22		Total Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds		Bell Tower		2004 ROW	
ASSETS								
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	455,553	\$	3.842.612	\$	5,874	\$	-
Accounts Receivable (Net)		-		198.853				
Total Assets	\$	455,553	\$	4.041.465	<u>\$</u>	5,874	\$	-
LIABILITIES								
Accounts Payable	\$	-	\$	363,877	\$	-	\$	-
Unearned Revenues		455,553	_	526,796		<u> </u>		
Total Liabilities		455,553	<del></del>	890,673				
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES								
Unavailable Revenue -Taxes, Fines & Fees				197,158		-	_	
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources			_	197,158				-
FUND BALANCES								
Nonspendable Fund Balance:								
Capital Projects		-		-		5.874		-
Assigned Fund Balance:								
Reported in Special Revenue Funds				2,953,634				
Total Fund Balances			_	2,953,634		5.874		-
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows & Fund Balances	\$	455,553	\$	4.041,465	\$	5,874	\$	

Т	otal		Total
Nor	ımajor	1	Nonmajor
Ca	apital	Go	vernmental
Proje	ct Funds		Funds
***************************************			
\$	5,874	\$	3.848.486
	-		198.853
\$	5,874	\$	4,047.339
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\$	-	\$	363.877
	-		526,796
	-		890.673
			197,158
	-		197,158
	5.874		5.874
			2.953,634
	5,874		2,959,508
\$	5.874	\$	4,047,339

	Security Fees Fund	Jury Fund	Law Library	Opioid Trust
REVENUES:				
Taxes	\$ -	\$ 203,267	\$ -	\$
Licenses and Permits Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants Charges for Services	6.842	9.706 15,505	14,385	
Fines	•	_	_	
Other Revenue Total Revenues	6,842	228,478	14,385	
EXPENDITURES:				
Judicial	-	309,979	23,606	
Legal	8,500	-	-	
Public Safety Highways, Streets, & Bridges Public Safety:	-	-	-	
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	
Capital Outlay				
Total Expenditures	8,500	309,979	23,606	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(1.658)	(81,501)	(9.221)	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):				
Loan Proceeds Transfer In	-	85,000	16,000	
Sale of Assets Transfers Out	-	-	-	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	85,000	16,000	
Net Change in Fund Balance	(1.658)	3,499	6,779	
Fund Balance - October 1 (Beginning)	12.988	153,021	19,456	
Fund Balance - September 30 (Ending)	\$ 11,330	\$ 156.520	\$ 26.235	\$

R&B#1	R&B#2	R&B#3	R&B#4	LATC Fund	SAVNS Grant	Justice Court Tech	Justice Court Tech#2
\$ 591,322	\$ 591.322	\$ 591,322		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
165,731	165,731	165,731	165,731	-	-	-	-
13,877	34,877	13,877	13.877	100,000	6.778	245	188
-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-
1,692	21	21	21	<u> </u>			
772,622	791,951	770,951	770,951	100,000	6,778	245	188
731.027 -	- - 725,789 - 81,000	- - 681,840 - 158,000	- - 690.816 - 2.835	- - - - 100,000	- - - 6.778	1.208	- - - 359
795,255	806.789	839.840	693,651	100,000	6,778	1.208	359
(22.633)	(14,838)	(68,889)	77,300		-	(963)	(171)
-	-	158,000	-	-	-	-	-
-	30.000	10.000	42,000	-	-	-	-
62,542 (9,627)	1.831 (9.627)	48,060 (9,627)	55.206 (9.627)	-	-	-	-
52.915	22,204	196,433	87.579				-
30,282	7,366	127,544	164.879			(963)	(171)
397.163	426,026	142.013	377,611	<u>-</u>		31,130	8,079
\$ 427.445	\$ 433,392	\$ 269,557	\$ 542,490	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 30,167	\$ 7,908

	District Clerk Tech	State Fees Fund	County Clerk R&M	District Clerk R&M
REVENUES:				
Taxes	\$ -	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
Licenses and Permits	-		-	-
Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants	-			3,570
Charges for Services	165		- 54,290	3.370
Fines	-		-	_
Other Revenue	165		54,290	3,570
Total Revenues	165		- 34.290	3.570
EXPENDITURES:				
Judicial	-			-
Legal	-			-
Public Safety	-		-	-
Highways, Streets, & Bridges	-		- 46,176	1,439
Miscellaneous	-		- 40,170	1,137
Capital Outlay			<u>-</u> 46.176	1,439
Total Expenditures			- 40.170	1,437
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)	165		- 8.114	2,131
Expenditures				
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):				
Loan Proceeds	-		-	-
Transfer In	=		•	-
Sale of Assets	-		- (11,881)	(3.150)
Transfers Out			- (11.881)	(3.150)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)			- (11.661)	(5.150)
Net Change in Fund Balance	165		- (3,767)	(1.019)
Fund Balance - October I (Beginning)	11,974		- 262.447	14.390
Fund Balance - September 30 (Ending)	\$ 12,139	\$	- \$ 258.680	\$ 13.371

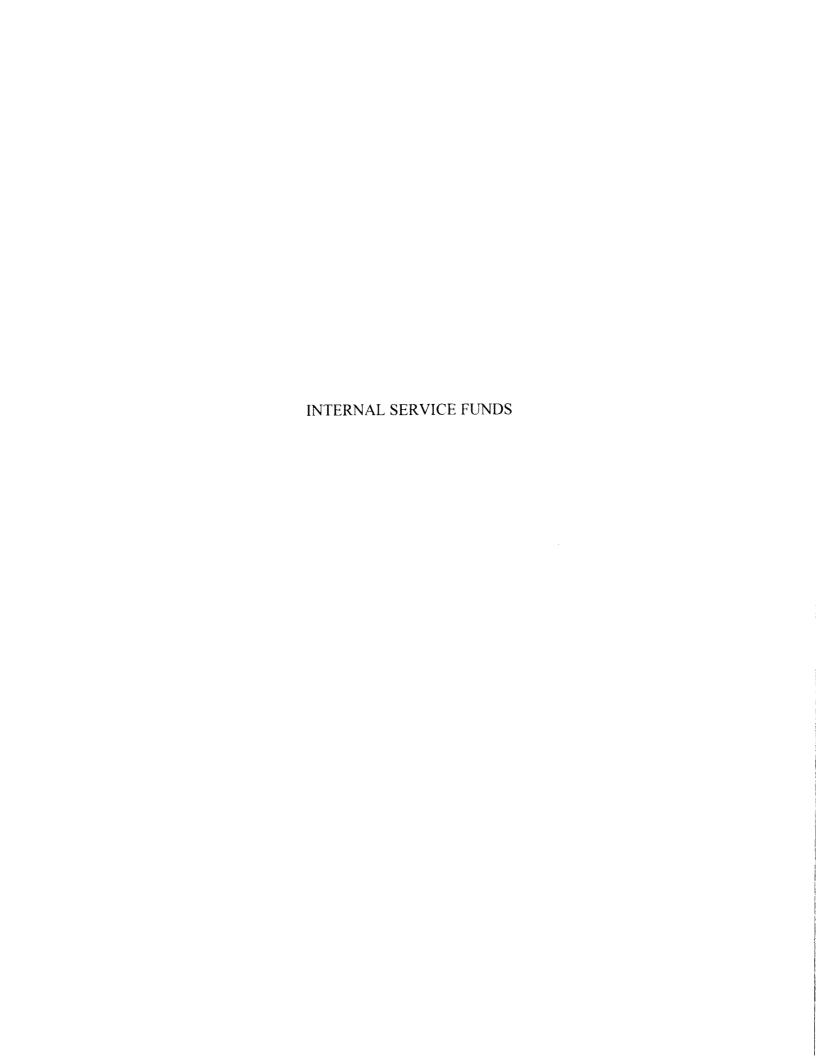
District Attorney	County Attorney	District Clerk RPF	Vehicle Inventory Tax	Pass Through Grants	Sheriff Seized	District Attorney Seized	District Attorney Drug Forf.
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	- \$	- \$ -
-	-	-	-	1,581		-	- -
30.357	1,099	9.530	-	-		-	- 21,167
-	-	-	1,557	-		-	- 21.167 - 879
30,357	1,099	9,530	1,557	1,581		-	- 22.046
-	-		-	-		-	
29,907	-	-	-	1,581		-	- 4,341
-		-	-	1,501		-	
-	-	-	-	-		-	<u> </u>
		•				<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
29,907				1.581		<u>-</u>	4,341
450	1,099	9.530	1,557	-			17.705
-	-	-	-	-		-	
-	-	-	-	-		-	- -
<u>-</u>			-				- (22,875)
-		-	-			<u> </u>	(22.875)
450	1,099	9,530	1.557	-		-	- (5,170)
926	3.477	40,751	4,294			-	119,703
\$ 1,376	\$ 4,576	\$ 50,281	\$ 5,851	\$ -	\$	- \$	- \$ 114,533

	Sheriff Forfeiture	Capital Murder Fund	State Criminal Alien Assist.	Sheriff Commissary
REVENUES:				
Taxes Licenses and Permits Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants Charges for Services Fines Other Revenue	\$ - - - 16.443	\$ - - - - -	\$ - - - -	\$ - - - - -
Total Revenues	16,556			-
EXPENDITURES:				
Judicial Legal Public Safety Highways, Streets, & Bridges Public Safety: Miscellaneous	8.257 -	7.382	- - - -	104,099
Capital Outlay  Total Expenditures	8.257	7,382		104.099
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	8,299	(7.382)		(104,099)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Loan Proceeds Transfer In Sale of Assets	2,236	12.000	- - -	95,000 - -
Transfers Out  Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	2.236	12.000	-	95,000
Net Change in Fund Balance Fund Balance - October I (Beginning)	10.535 19.510	4.618 108.000	6,845	(9.099) 145,101
Fund Balance - September 30 (Ending)	\$ 30.045	\$ 112.618	\$ 6,845	\$ 136,002

Juvenile Board	Pre-Trial Intervention	County & Dist Court Tech	Pre-Trial Class C Misd.	ARPA Grant	Vital Statistics	Co. Clerk Archive	Justice Courthouse Security
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
129,358	- 12,796	1.093	20.270	1.395.000	- 4,184	47,380	- - 114
129.358	12,796	1.093	20.270	1,395,000	4,184	47,380	
	1.682					_	_
129,358	1,002	-	-	-	-	-	
-	-	-	-	1,395,000	-	-	-
•	-	-	-	-	-	-	
-	-	935	-	-	4,802	45.785	-
	<u>.</u>						
129,358	1.682	935		1,395,000	4.802	45.785	
-	11,114	158	20,270		(618)	1.595	114
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>-</u>	(10.000)		(8.500)				-
	(10,000)		(8.500)	-			
-	1.114	158	11,770	-	(618)	1,595	114
	16,575	18,052	4,496		11.674	223,168	14,175
\$ -	\$ 17,689	\$ 18,210	\$ 16,266	\$ -	\$ 11.056	\$ 224,763	\$ 14,289

		SB22 R		Total onmajor Special enue Funds	Bell Tower		2004 ROW	
REVENUES:	-							
Taxes	\$	-	\$	2,568,555	\$	-	\$	-
Licenses and Permits		-		662,924		•		-
Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants		244,447		1,983,648		-		-
Charges for Services		-		201,743 37,610		_		_
Fines		2 200		6,593		_		2.331
Other Revenue		2,289					-	2,331
Total Revenues		246,736		5,461,073			_	2,331
EXPENDITURES:								
Judicial		-		335,267		-		-
Legal		147,900		318.888		-		-
Public Safety		34,108		1,551,545		-		-
Highways, Streets, & Bridges		-		2.829.472		-		-
Public Safety:								
Miscellaneous		-		107.482		-		52
		(4.730		470,791		_		_
Capital Outlay		64.728	_					52
Total Expenditures		246,736		5,613,445				
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)		-		(152.372)		-		2,279
Expenditures			-					
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):								
Loan Proceeds		-		158,000		-		•
Transfer In		-		280,000		-		-
Sale of Assets		-		169,875		-		(545.661)
Transfers Out	_			(94.914)		<u> </u>		
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	_	<del>-</del>		512,961			_	(545,661)
Net Change in Fund Balance		-		360,589		-		(543,382)
Fund Balance - October 1 (Beginning)			-	2,593,045		5.874		543,382
Fund Balance - September 30 (Ending)	\$	_	<u>\$</u>	2,953,634	\$	5,874	\$	

Total	Total
Nonmajor	Nonmajor
Capital	Governmental
Project Funds	Funds
-	
\$ -	\$ 2,568.555
-	662,924
-	1,983,648 201,743
-	37,610
2.331	8,924
2,331	5,463,404
-	335,267
-	318,888
-	1,551,545 2,829,472
-	2.029.472
52	107.534
-	470,791
52	5,613,497
2,279	(150.093)
-	158.000
-	280,000
-	169.875
(545,661)	(640,575)
(545.661)	(32,700)
(543,382)	(182,793)
549,256	3,142,301
\$ 5.874	\$ 2,959,508



# TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET POSITION INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Maintenance Building		Insurance Fund	Total Internal Service Funds	
ASSETS				
Current Assets:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	126,095	665.140	\$ 791.235
Total Current Assets		126.095	665,140	791.235
Noncurrent Assets:				
Capital Assets:  Land Purchase and Improvements Buildings, net Improvements other than Buildings, net Furniture and Equipment, net		79,790 58,314 -	- - -	79.790 58.314 -
Total Noncurrent Assets	_	138,104		138,104
Total Assets	- <del>-</del>	264.199	665,140	929,339
LIABILITIES Current Liabilities: Accounts Pavable		3.349	170.818	174.167
Total Liabilities		3.349	170.818	174.167
NET POSITION  Net Investment in Capital Assets and Lease Assets Unrestricted Net Position		138.104 122.746	494.322	138,104 617,068
Total Net Position	\$	260,850	494.322	\$ 755.172

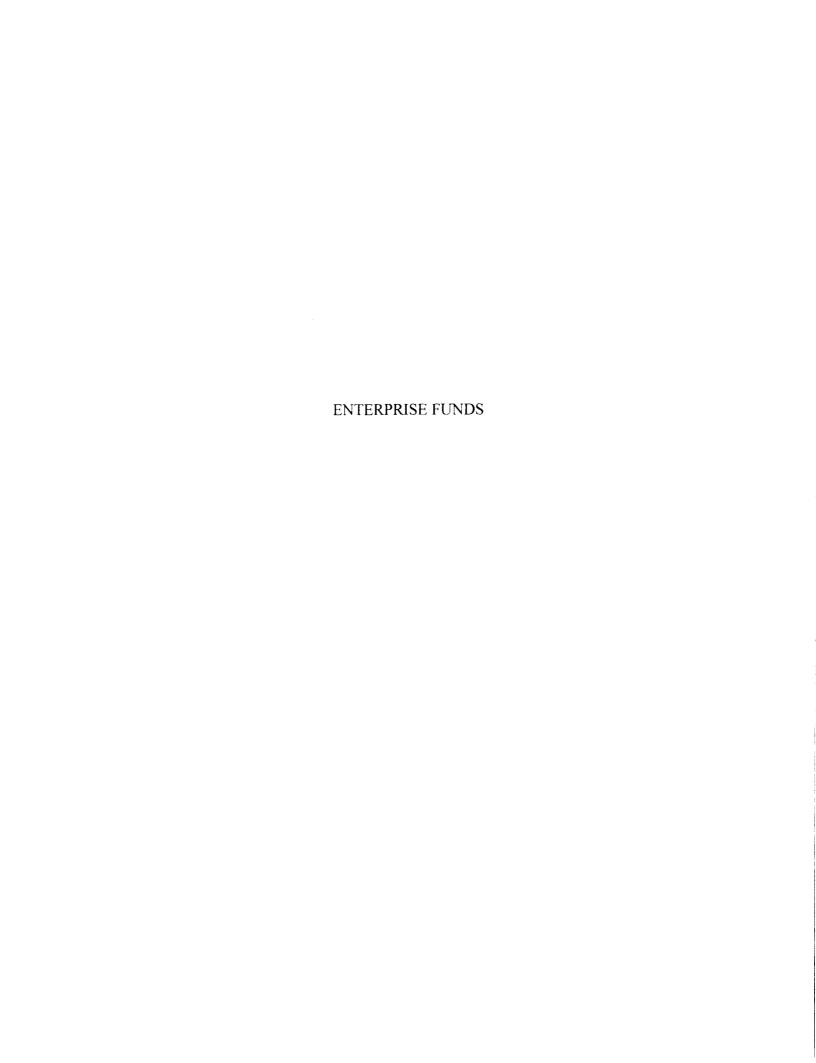
### TITUS COUNTY. TEXAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES. EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	 uintenance Building		Insurance Fund		Total Internal vice Funds
OPERATING REVENUES:					
Charges for Services Other Revenue	\$ 668	\$	1.886.207	\$	1.886.207 668
Total Operating Revenues	 668		1.886.207		1.886,875
OPERATING EXPENSES:					
Highways, Streets & Bridges Insurance Coverage & Medical Claims Depreciation	268.410 3.043		2.035.779		268,410 2,035,779 3,043
Total Operating Expenses	271.453		2.035,779		2,307,232
Income (Loss) Before Transfers	 (270,785)		(149.572)		(420.357)
Transfers In/(Out)	259.873		166.087		425.960
Change in Net Position	 (10.912)		16,515		5.603
Total Net Position - October I (Beginning)	 271.762	_	477,807		749,569
Total Net Position - September 30 (Ending)	\$ 260.850	\$	494,322	\$	755.172

## TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	M	aintenance Building		Insurance Fund	Se	Total Internal rvice Funds
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:						
Cash Received from User Charges Cash Received from Assessments - Other Funds Cash Pay ments to Employ ees for Services Cash Pay ments for Suppliers	\$	668 - (238.399) (29.702)	\$	25,593 1,860,614 (2,037,392)	\$	26.261 1.860.614 (2.275.791) (29.702)
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities		(267,433)		(151,185)		(418,618)
<u>Cash Flows from Non-Capital Financing Activities:</u> Operating Transfer In/(Out)		259,873	_	166.087		425.960
<u>Cash Flows from Capital &amp; Related Financing Activities:</u> Acquisition of Capital Assets	_	-		-		-
Cash Flows from Investing Activities: Purchase of Investment Securities		-	_	-		_
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of the Period	_	(7.560) 133.655	_	14,902 650.238		7.342 783.893
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of the Period	<u>\$</u>	126.095	\$	665.140	\$	791,235
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities: Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(270.785)	\$	(149.572)	\$	(420.357)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by (Used For) Operating Activities: Depreciation  Effect of Increases and Decreases in Current		3.043		-		3.043
Assets and Liabilities: Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable		309		(1.613)		(1.304)
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities	<u>\$</u>	(267.433)	<u>\$</u>	(151,185)	<u>\$</u>	(418.618)



# TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET POSITION NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

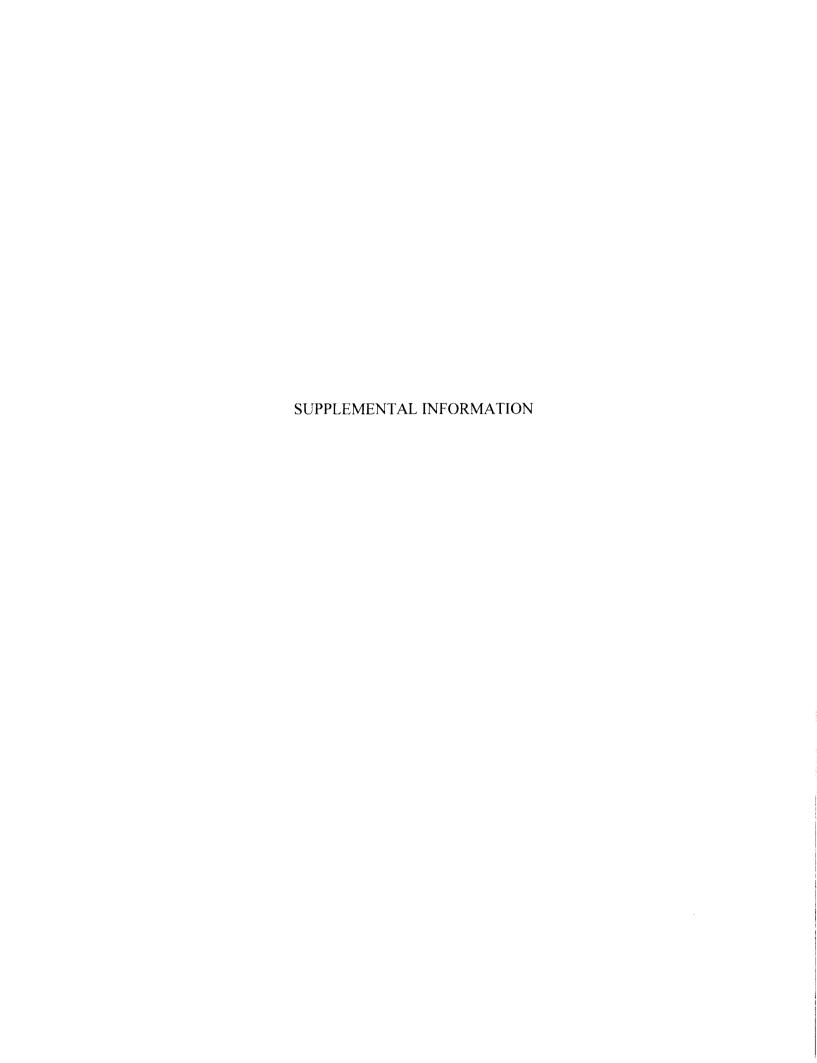
	Sheriff nmissary	Election Fund		Total Nonmajor Enterprise Funds
ASSETS				
Current Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents Inventories	\$ 47.522 18.721	\$ 206,520	) \$ 	254.042 18.721
Total Assets	66,243	206.520	)	272.763
LIABILITIES  Current Liabilities:  Accounts Pav able	<u>-</u>	8.25		8.251
Total Liabilities	 	8.251		8,251
NET POSITION Unrestricted Net Position	66.243	198.269	)	264,512
Total Net Position	\$ 66,243	\$ 198.269	\$	264.512

## TITUS COUNTY. TEXAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	_	heriff nmissary	Election Fund		Eı	Total Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	
OPERATING REVENUES:							
Intergovernmental Revenue and Grants Charges for Services Other Revenue	\$	205,575 37,210	\$	4.711 31.358	\$	4.711 236.933 37.210	
Total Operating Revenues		242.785		36,069		278.854	
OPERATING EXPENSES:							
Public Safety Elections Depreciation		178.532		221.455 36,390		178.532 221.455 36.390	
Total Operating Expenses		178.532		257.845		436.377	
Income (Loss) Before Transfers		64.253		(221,776)		(157.523)	
Transfers In/(Out)		(95.000)		230,750		135,750	
Change in Net Position		(30.747)		8.974		(21.773)	
Total Net Position - October 1 (Beginning)		96.990		189,295		286.285	
Total Net Position - September 30 (Ending)	\$	66.243	\$	198.269	\$	264,512	

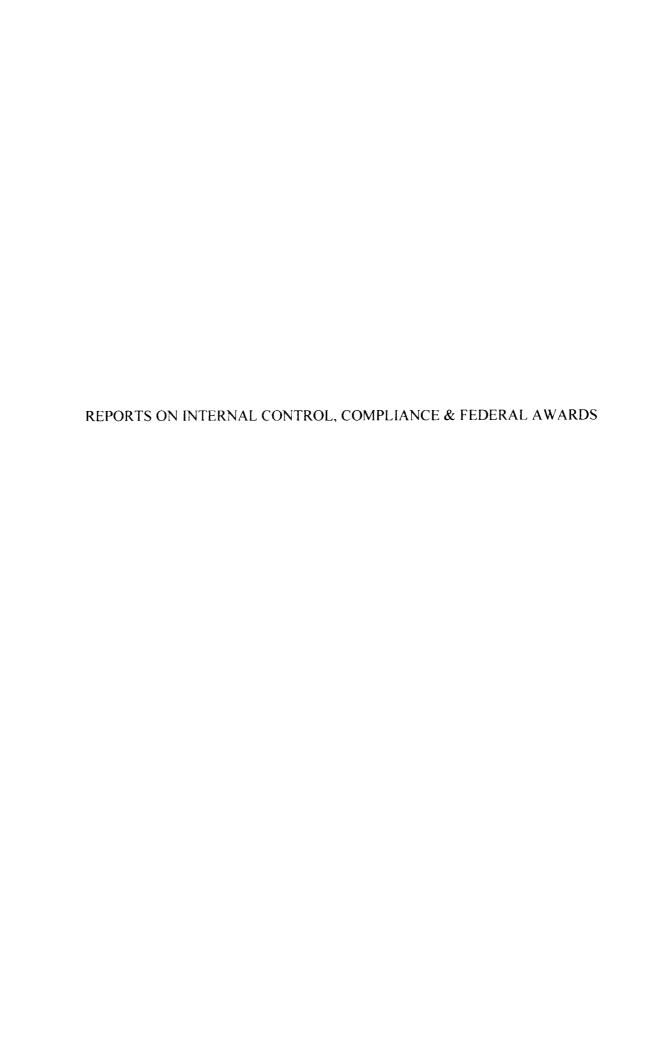
## TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Co	Sheriff ommissary		Election Fund		Total Jonmajor nterprise Funds
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:						
Cash Received from User Charges	\$	242,785	\$	36.069	\$	278.854
Cash Payments to Employees for Services Cash Payments for Suppliers		- (141,147)		(149.738) (68.317)		(149.738) (209.464)
Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities		101.638	-	(181,986)		(80.348)
Cash Flows from Non-Capital Financing Activities:						
Operating Transfer In/(Out)		(95,000)	_	230,750	_	135,750
<u>Cash Flows from Capital &amp; Related Financing Activities:</u> Acquisition of Capital Assets		-	_	-		-
<u>Cash Flows from Investing Activities:</u> Purchase of Investment Securities		-	<u></u>			<u> </u>
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents		6,637		48.764		55.401
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of the Period		40.884		157.756	_	198,640
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of the Period	\$	47.521	\$	206,520	\$	254.041
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided by (Used for) Operating Activities:						
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	64.253	\$	(221.776)	\$	(157.523)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by (Used For) Operating Activities:						
Depreciation		_		36,390		36,390
Effect of Increases and Decreases in Current Assets and Liabilities:						
Decrease (Increase) in Inventories		37.384		-		37.384
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable Net Cash Provided by (Used for)		-		3.400		3.400
Operating Activities	\$	101.637	\$	(181.986)	\$	(80.349)



# Titus County, Texas BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE Debt Service Fund for the year ended September 30, 2024

			Actual	Variance with Final Budget
	Budgeted .	Amounts	Amounts	Positive or
	Original	Final	<b>GAAP Basis</b>	(Negative)
REVENUES				
Taxes	1,247,893	1,247,893	1,212,671	(35,222)
Intergovernmental	8,431,000	8,431,000	8,431,000	-
Miscellaneous			66,250	66,250
Total revenues	9,678,893	9,678,893	9,709,921	31,028
EXPENDITURES				
Debt service-principal	5,850,000	5,850,000	5,850,000	-
Debt service-interest	4,169,893	4,169,893	4,169,893	-
Other debt service	9,000	9,000	4,050	4,950
Total expenditures	10,028,893	10,028,893	10,023,943	4,950
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	(350,000)	(350,000)	(314,022)	35,978
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Premium on issuance of debt	-	-	-	-
Proceeds from refunding bonds	-	-	-	-
Payment to bond refunding escrow agent				_
Total other sources (uses)				-
Excess of revenues and other sources over				
(under) expenditures and other uses	(350,000)	(350,000)	(314,022)	35,978
FUND BALANCE				
Beginning of year	5,019,236	5,019,236	5,019,236	-
End of year	4,669,236	4,669,236	4,705,214	35,978





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

The Honorable Judge and County Commissioners Titus County. Texas Mount Pleasant. Texas

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Titus County. Texas, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated November 22, 2024.

#### Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

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

#### Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the County'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 determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### Purpose of this Report

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

Arnold, Walker, Arnold & Co., P.C.

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November 22, 2024

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

The Honorable Judge and County Commissioners Titus County, Texas Mount Pleasant, Texas

#### Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Titus County. Texas's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the County's major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2024. The County's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the County complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2024.

#### Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance 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 the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

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

#### Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

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

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Government Auditing Standards. and the Uniform Guidance, we:

• Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

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

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

#### Report on Internal Control over Compliance

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

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

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

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

Arnold, Walker, Arnold & Co., P.C.

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November 22, 2024

### Titus County, Texas SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS For the year ended September 30, 2024

#### I. Summary of the Auditor's Results:

The type of report issued on the financial statements of the County of Titus, Texas was an unmodified opinion.

- a. Where applicable, a statement that control deficiencies in internal control were disclosed by the audit of the financial statements and whether they were material weaknesses. See II below, no material weaknesses.
- b. A statement as to whether the audit disclosed any noncompliance which is material to the financial statements of the auditee.

  NONE
- c. Where applicable, a statement that control deficiencies in internal control over major programs were disclosed by the audit and whether any such conditions were material weaknesses. N/A
- d. The type of report the auditor issued on compliance for major programs. Unmodified opinion
- e. A statement as to whether the audit disclosed any audit findings which the auditor is required to report under "Uniform Guidance under section 200.516 Audit Findings paragraph (a)" as required by Title 2 U.S. code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards ("Uniform Guidance"). : NONE
- f. An identification of major programs: Department of the Treasury, Corona-virus Recovery Funds Federal Assistance Listing No. 21.027 and Department of Transportation Federal Assistance Listing No. 20.205
- g. The dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs. \$750,000
- h. A statement as to whether the auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee. Yes

II.	Findings Relating to the Financial Statements Which Are Required To Be Reported in Accordance with C	Generally
Acc	cepted Government Auditing Standards.	

None

III. Findings and Questioned Costs for Federal Awards Including Audit Findings as Described in I.f Above

**NONE** 

#### Titus County, Texas SCHEDULE OF STATUS OF PRIOR FINDINGS For the year ended September 30, 2024

PRIOR YEAR'S FINDINGS/ NONCOMPLIANCE	
N/A	

STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR'S FINDINGS/ NONCOMPLIANCE

N/A

#### Titus County, Texas CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN For the year ended September 30, 2024

VIEWS AND PLANNED CORRECTIVE ACTIONS

N/A

## Titus County, Texas SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL/STATE AWARDS For the year ended September 30, 2024

FEDERAL GRANTOR/	Federal	Pass-Through	
PASS-THROUGH GRANTOR/	Assistance	Entity Identifying	Federal
PROGRAM or CLUSTER TITLE	Listing No.	Number	Expenditures
FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION			
Passed Through Texas Department of Transportation			
Pass through Toll Reimbursement	20.205	2006-004-01	8,431,000
Total Passed Through TXDOT			8,431,000
TOTAL FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION			8,431,000
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE			
Passed Through Texas Office of Attorney General			
Texas VINE (SAVNS)	16.036	20222344900-505-01	6,778
Indigent Defense	16.036	212-23-225	7,498
Total Passed Through Texas OAG			14,276
TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE			14,276
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY			
Direct Program			
Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal			
Recovery Funds	21.027	JJYKJ6K67Y35	1,395,000
Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund	21.032	JJYKJ6K67Y35	100,000
TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY			1,495,000
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES			
Passed Through Texas Department of Family & Protective Services			
Title IV-E Child Welfare Services	93.658	HHS000285000025	591
Total Passed Through DFPS			591
TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES			591
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			9,940,867
STATE AWARDS			
Rural Law Enforcement Salary Assistance Program	SB22		
Law Enforcement-Sheriff	N/A	IA-0000000526	97,592
County Attorney	N/A	IA-0000000517	76,080
District Attorney	N/A	IA-0000000460	70,774
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF STATE AWARDS			244,446
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL/STATE AWA	RDS		10,185,313

### Titus County. Texas NOTES ON ACCOUNTING POLICIES FOR FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

- Special revenue funds are normally used to account for resources restricted to, or designated for, specific
  purposes by a grantor. Federal and state financial assistance generally is accounted for in a Special
  Revenue Fund. The sewer grant was accounted for in the proprietary fund.
- 2. The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. The Governmental Fund types are accounted for using a current financial resources measurement focus. Some federal grant funds were accounted for in a Special Revenue Fund which is a Governmental Fund type. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities and the fund balance are included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases and decreases in net current assets.

The modified accrual basis of accounting is used for the Governmental Fund types and Agency Funds. This basis of accounting recognizes revenues in the accounting period in which they become susceptible to accrual, i.e., both measurable and available, and expenditures in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unmatured interest on Long-Term Debt, which is recognized when due.

The Proprietary Fund Type is accounted for on a flow of <u>economic</u> resources measurement focus and utilizes the accrual basis of accounting. This basis of accounting recognizes revenues in the accounting period in which they are earned and become measurable and expenses in the accounting period in which they are incurred and become measurable. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the fund Statement of Net Assets. The fund equity is segregated into invested in capital assets net of related debt, restricted net assets, and unrestricted net assets.

Federal grant funds are considered to be earned to the extent of expenditures made under the provisions of the grant, and, accordingly, when such funds are received, they are recorded as deferred revenues until earned.

- 3. The period of performance for federal grant funds for the purpose of liquidation of outstanding obligations made on or before the ending date of the federal project period extended 90 days after the end date of the period of performance as specified in the terms and conditions of the federal award under 2 CFR Section 200.343b (Uniform Guidance).
- Indirect cost reimbursement for federal programs for this fiscal year was received in the amount of \$0.
- The County did not use the 10% deminimis indirect cost rate.