BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK COUNTY OF SOMERSET NEW JERSEY

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY DATA AND INFORMATION

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 and 2014

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REGISTERED MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTANTS HIGHLAND PARK, N.J.

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PART I

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Bound Brook County of Somerset, New Jersey

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets – regulatory basis of the various funds and governmental fixed assets of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey as of and for the year ended December 31, 2015, the related statements of operation and changes in fund balance-regulatory basis for the year then ended and the related statement of revenues – regulatory basis and statement of expenditures – regulatory basis of the various funds for the year ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the basic financial statements of the Borough as listed in the table of contents. The financial statements of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, as of December 31, 2014 were audited by other auditors whose opinion, dated August 12, 2015, expressed a modified opinion on the financial statements based upon the other comprehensive basis of accounting utilized by the Borough due to the omission of a schedule of governmental fixed assets, as more fully described in Note 2, and an adverse opinion on the financial statements due to departures from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. Management is also responsible 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 error or fraud.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and the audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

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

Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

As described in Note 2, these financial statements were prepared in conformity with accounting practices prescribed or permitted by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, United States of America, that demonstrate compliance with the modified accrual basis, with certain exceptions, and the budget laws of New Jersey, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These prescribed principles are designed primarily for determining compliance with legal provisions and budgetary restrictions, and as a means of reporting on the stewardship of public officials with respect to public funds. Accordingly, the accompanying financial statements – regulatory basis are not intended to present financial position and results of operations in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effect on the financial statements of the differences between these regulatory accounting practices and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the "Basis for Adverse Opinion on U. S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles" paragraph, the financial statements referred to in the first paragraph do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey as of December 31, 2015, the changes in its financial position, and, where applicable, its cash flows for the years then ended.

Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the financial statements – regulatory basis referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position – regulatory basis of the various funds and governmental fixed assets of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey as of December 31, 2015 and the results of operations and changes in fund balance – regulatory basis of such funds for the year then ended and the revenues – regulatory basis and statement of expenditures – regulatory basis of the various funds for the various funds for the year of the basis of accounting described in Note 2.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 2 to the financial statements, during the year ending December 31, 2015, the provisions of Statement Number 68 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB 68) became applicable to governmental entities reporting under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Under the regulatory basis of accounting, the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey does not present entity-wide financial statements and, accordingly, does not present on the face of its financial statements its proportionate share of the net pension liability of the defined benefit plans in which its employees are enrolled. Information relating to the Borough's participation in cost-sharing, multiple employer defined benefit plans, as defined in GASB 68, including its proportionate share of the net pension liability of such plans based, upon a measurement date of June 30, 2014, is presented in Note 10 to the financial statements.

More current valuations are unavailable at this date. As GASB 68 requires a measurement date no earlier then the end of the Borough's previous fiscal year-end (December 31, 2014), the information contained in Note 10 to the financial statements is not intended to present the disclosures required by GASB 68. Our opinions are not modified with respect to these matters.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Information

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey. The information included in Part II – Fund Financial Statements and Part III - Supplementary Data, as listed in the table of contents, are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey.

The information included in Part III – Fund Financial Statements is the responsibility of management and was derived from and related directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements, or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, and in our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements – regulatory basis, taken as a whole. The information contained in Part V - Supplementary Data have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Other Reporting Required by Regulations

The financial statements referred to above include the assets and liabilities of the Borough's Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP), which, by regulation, is subject to an accountant's review report. The Length of Service Award Program is included in the Trust Fund. The Independent Accountant's Review Report for the LOSAP is included in Part IV – Other Reporting Required by Regulations, as listed in the table of contents.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued a report dated March 8, 2016 on our consideration of the Borough of Bound Brook's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, in considering the Borough of Bound Brook's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Bound Brook Somerset County, New Jersey

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 and audit requirements as prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the financial statements – regulatory basis of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey as of and for the year ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Borough of Bound Brook's financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated March 8, 2016. Our report was modified to reflect the departures from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, as disclosed in Note 2, that are embodied in the Other Comprehensive Basis of Accounting utilized for financial statement presentations, and was unmodified based upon that Other Comprehensive Basis of Accounting.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Borough of Bound Brook's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Bound Brook's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Bound Brook's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Bound Brook's internal control over financial reporting.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over the financial reporting 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 and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not been identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, we did identify certain deficiencies in internal control, identified as items 2015-1 and 2015-2 and described in the accompanying general comments section of this report, that we consider to be significant deficiencies.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

We noted certain matters we have reported to management of the Borough of Bound Brook in the General Comments and Recommendations section of the Report of Audit.

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.

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Highland Park, New Jersey March 8, 2016

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CURRENT FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS <u>DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND DECEMBER 31, 2014</u>

ASSETS Current Fund:	<u>REF.</u>		BALANCE <u>DEC. 31, 2015</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31, 2014	LIABILITIES, RESERVES <u>AND FUND BALANCE</u> Current Fund:	<u>REF.</u>		BALANCE <u>DEC. 31, 2015</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31, 2014
Cash and Investments - Treasurer	A-4	\$	3,389,010.43 \$	3,691,121.57	Liabilities:				
Cash - Change Funds	A-5		400.00	400.00	Appropriation Reserves	A-3, A-15	\$	258,397.46 \$	183,269.89
Due from State of N.J.					Reserve for Encumbrances	A-14		67,463.46	45,922.55
Senior Citizens Deductions	A-6		1,340.00	65,248.10	Special District Taxes Payable	A-16		10,214.62	
					Interfunds Payable	A-12		2,167,662.56	3,304,992.44
			3,390,750.43	3,756,769.67	Tax Overpayments	A-17		28,442.03	37,701.58
Receivables With Offsetting Reserves:					Overpayments-Refuse Disposal Fees	A-20		150.30	150.30
Delinquent Property Taxes Receivable	A-7		526,311.38	484,652.60	Overpayments-Sewer Rents	A-19		1,027.10	1,027.10
Tax Title Liens	A-8		33,828.36	28,208.66	Prepaid Taxes	A-18		54,353.40	72,424.21
Sewer Rent Fees Receivable	A-10		130,910.49	116,200.96	Prepaid Refuse Disposal Fees	A-21		25,919.32	19,245.50
Refuse Disposal Fees Receivable	A-11		54,360.99	46,325.22	Prepaid Sewer Rents	A-22			2,685.95
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-9		26,352.63	22,125.69	Reserve For:				
Interfunds Receivable	A-12		185.26	39,048.01	Deferred Revenue	A-23		200,000.00	24,000.00
					Sale of Municipal Assets	A-23		7,788.00	2,288.00
			771,949.11	736,561.14	Tax Map Preparation	A-23	_	1,806.00	1,806.00
Deferred Charges:									
Emergency Authorization	A-13			150,750.00				2,823,224.25	3,695,513.52
Overexpend. Of Budget Appropriations	A-13		7,060.00						
					Reserve for Receivables	Reserve		771,949.11	736,561.14
			7,060.00	150,750.00	Fund Balance	A-1	_	574,586.18	212,006.15
Total Current Fund		\$	4,169,759.54 \$	4,644,080.81	Total Current Fund		\$_	4,169,759.54 \$	4,644,080.81
State and Federal Grant Fund:					State and Federal Grant Fund:				
Grants Receivable	A-24	\$	616,855.62	616,855.62	Reserve for Encumbrances	A-25		5,425.01	16,590.38
Due Current Fund	A-27	•	274,831.86	312,889.73	Reserve for Grants Appropriated	A-25		884,583.75	882,285.99
			2		Grants-Unappropriated	A-26	-	1,678.72	30,868.98
Total State and Federal Grant Fund		\$	891,687.48 \$	929,745.35	Total State and Federal Grant Fund		\$_	891,687.48 \$	929,745.35
Grand Total		\$	<u>5,061,447.02</u> \$	5,573,826.16	Grand Total		^{\$} =	<u>5,061,447.02</u> \$	5,573,826.16

Note: See Notes to Financial Statements.

Exhibit - A

CURRENT FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED	<u>REF.</u>	YEAR 2015	YEAR 2014
Fund Balance Utilized	A-1, A-2 \$	\$	325,000.00
Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated	A-2	5,160,748.02	4,270,453.37
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	A-2	491,098.41	486,413.83
Receipts from Current Taxes	A-2	23,138,203.98	22,835,835.79
Non-Budget Revenue	A-2	115,265.46	160,503.87
Other Credits to Income:			
Unexpended Balance of Approp. Reserves	A-10	20,887.27	21,932.60
Interfunds Returned	A-12	38,862.84	5,550.15
Total Revenues	_	28,965,065.98	28,105,689.61
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHARGES			
Budget and Emergency Appropriations: Within "CAPS":			
Operations	A-3	8,378,982.00	8,102,943.00
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures	A-3	1,094,822.81	1,019,324.92
Excluded from "CAPS":			
Other Operations	A-3	1,171,057.42	1,182,922.63
Capital Improvements	A-3	25,000.00	75,000.00
Municipal Debt Service	A-3	1,518,397.01	1,519,525.17
Deferred Charges	A-3	150,750.00	73,334.00
Transferred to Board of Education	A-3	144,921.00	141,666.00
County Taxes	A-16	2,863,232.28	2,771,698.96
Local District School Tax	A-16	13,127,270.00	13,191,580.00
Special District Taxes	A-16	61,417.62	
Interfunds Advanced			15,002.62
Refund of Prior Year Revenue	A-4	8,447.71	25,107.54
Uncollectible Receivable Cancelled	A-6	65,248.10	
Total Expenditures	-	28,609,545.95	28,118,104.84
Excess in Revenue		355,520.03	(12,415.23)
Adjustments to Income before Surplus:			
Expenditures Included above Which are by Statute			
Deferred Charges to Budget of Succeeding Year	A-14 _	7,060.00	150,750.00
Statutory Excess to Surplus		362,580.03	138,334.77
Balance - January 1	Α	212,006.15	398,671.38
Decreased by:		574,586.18	537,006.15
Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	A-1 _		325,000.00
Balance - December 31	A \$_	<u> </u>	212,006.15

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BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>	ANTICIPATED 2015 <u>BUDGET</u>	APPROP. N.J.S.A. <u>40A:4-87</u>	TOTAL 2015 <u>BUDGET</u>	<u>REALIZED</u>	EXCESS OR (DEFICIT)
Miscellaneous Revenues:						
Licenses:					-	
Alcoholic Beverages	A-9	42,500.00		42,500.00	40,688.00	(1,812.00)
Other	A-9	38,664.04		38,664.04	34,520.00	(4,144.04)
Fees and Permits				-		
Other	A-2	42,000.00		42,000.00	35,111.00	(6,889.00)
Fines and Costs:				-		
Municipal Court	A-9	360,000.00		360,000.00	300,115.29	(59,884.71)
Interest and Costs on Taxes	A-9	136,000.00		136,000.00	164,288.20	28,288.20
Parking Meter - Municipal	A-9	39,000.00		39,000.00	38,108.57	(891.43)
Interest on Investments and Deposits	A-2	13,000.00		13,000.00	12,013.38	(986.62)
Parking Lot Fees	A-9	130,000.00		130,000.00	141,671.66	11,671.66
Cable TV Franchise Fee	A-9	115,516.00		115,516.00	115,516.79	0.79
Refuse Disposal Fees	A-2	457,000.00		457,000.00	441,741.89	(15,258.11)
Sewer Charges	A-2	1,240,000.00		1,240,000.00	1,068,241.74	(171,758.26)
Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Act	A-9	196,505.00		196,505.00	169,132.30	(27,372.70)
Energy Receipts Tax	A-9	922,205.00		922,205.00	938,673.29	16,468.29
Uniform Construction Code Fees	A-9	206,000.00		206,000.00	288,832.00	82,832.00
Recycling Tonnage Program	A-12	8,919.55		8,919.55	8,919.55	-
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation Fund	A-12	4,243.19		4,243.19	4,243.19	-
Clean Communities Program	A-12	17,337.38		17,337.38	17,337.38	-
Click It or Ticket	A-12	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00	-
Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over	A-12	5,300.00	4,400.00	9,700.00	9,700.00	-
Somerset County Youth Services	A-12	15,000.00	7,500.00	22,500.00	22,500.00	-
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	A-12	4,425.00	10,016.87	14,441.87	14,441.87	-
Distracted Driving Program	A-12	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00	-
CERT Trailer Uplift	A-12		700.00	700.00	700.00	-
Body Armor Replacement Fund	A-12	2,524.43		2,524.43	2,524.43	-
General Capital Fund Balance	A-9	58,000.00		58,000.00	58,000.00	-
Administrative Fees-Off Duty Police	A-9	70,000.00		70,000.00	126,379.83	56,379.83
M.C.U.A Refund	A-9	15,000.00		15,000.00	15,011.32	11.32
Resident Impact Fees	A-23	72,000.00		72,000.00	72,000.00	-

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BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	REF.	ANTICIPATED 2015 BUDGET	APPROP. N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87	TOTAL 2015 BUDGET	REALIZED	EXCESS OR (DEFICIT)
Miscellaneous Revenues (Cont'd.):						
County Library	A-9	20,897.00		20,897.00	20,897.00	-
Uniform Fire Safety Act - LEA Rebates	A-9	12,000.00		12,000.00	12,784.20	784.20
Inspection Fees	A-9	36,000.00		36,000.00	102,929.31	66,929.31
Rent from South Bound Brook Court	A-9	4,900.00		4,900.00	5,967.17	1,067.17
Train Station Rent	A-9	24,140.00		24,140.00	23,940.00	(200.00)
PILOT Payment	A-9	80,000.00		80,000.00	94,818.66	14,818.66
Bolmer-Sewer Charges	A-9	120,000.00		120,000.00	120,000.00	-
Meridia Payment	A-9	30,000.00		30,000.00	30,000.00	-
Meridia Agreement	A-9	600,000.00		600,000.00	600,000.00	
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	A-1	5,150,091.59	22,616.87	5,170,693.46	5,160,748.02	(9,945.44)
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	A-1, A-7	490,000.00		490,000.00	491,098.41	1,098.41
Subtotal General Revenues		5,640,091.59	22,616.87	5,660,693.46	5,651,846.43	(8,847.03)
Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Muni	cipal Budget:					
Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	A-2, A-7	\$7,618,204.77		<u>7,618,204.77</u>	7,836,284.08	\$218,079.31
Budget Totals		13,258,296.36	22,616.87	13,278,898.23	13,488,130.51	\$209,232.28
Non-Budget Revenues	A-4				115,265.46	
Total		\$ <u>13,258,296.36</u> \$	22,616.87	5 <u>13,278,898.23</u>	13,603,395.97	
	<u>Ref.</u>	A-3	A-3		A-1	
Adopted Budget	A-3		5	5 13,258,296.36		
Approp. By N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87	A-3			22,616.87		
			9	5 13,280,913.23		

CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

ANALYSIS OF REALIZED REVENUES	REF.				
Allocation of Current Tax Collections:					
2015 Collections Prepaid Taxes Applied Tax Overpayments Applied State Share of Sr. Citizen's and Veteran's Deductions Allowed	A-7 A-7, A-18 A-7, A-17 A-6, A-7	\$	22,987,922.74 72,424.21 10,982.03 66,875.00		
	A-1	•==•	00,075.00	- \$	22 128 202 08
Allocated to: Local District School Tax and County Taxes	A-16			ф —	23,138,203.98 <u>16,051,919.90</u> 7,086,284.08
Add: Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	A-3			_	750,000.00
Amount for Support of Municipal Budget	A-2			\$ <u>_</u>	7,836,284.08
Delinquent Tax Revenue:					
Delinquent Tax Collections Tax Title Lien Collections	A-7 A-8		481,369.14 9,729.27	_	
	A-2			-	491,098.41
Fees and Permits - Other: Clerk Registrar Rental Inspection Fees Planning Fees Zoning Fees Resale Fees Misc.	A-9 A-9 A-9 A-9 A-9 A-9 A-9 A-9			\$ 	8,162.00 5,054.00 5,400.00 2,050.00 5,850.00 8,190.00 405.00 35,111.00
Interest on Investments: Revenue Accounts Receivable Interfund Interest Earned	A-9 Reserve A-2			\$ - \$	11,973.89 39.49 12,013.38
Sewer Rents Revenue Accounts Receivable Prepaid Rents Applied	A-4 A-			″= \$	1,065,555.79 2,685.95
repaid tono rippilou	A-2			\$_	1,068,241.74

CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

				EXPENDED		UNEXPENDED	
		BUDGET AFTER	PAID OR			BALANCE	OVEREXP-
	2015 BUDGET	<u>MODIFICATION</u>	CHARGED	ENCUMBERED	RESERVED	CANCELLED	<u>ENDITURE</u>
OPERATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	•						
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:							
Administrative & Executive							
Salaries and Wages	\$ 98,960.00	\$ 91,760.00 \$	90,659.00	\$ - \$		\$	
Other Expenses	38,513.00	41,013.00	40,003.80	15.00	994.20		
Codification	5,630.00	5,630.00	12,690.00		-		7,060.00
Municipal Clerk							
Salaries and Wages	113,185.00	116,135.00	116,028.58		106.42		
Other Expenses	10,850.00	10,850.00	10,255.85	491.46	102.69		
Elections							
Salaries and Wages	600.00	600.00	500.00		100.00		
Other Expenses	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,616.33		383.67		
Financial Administration							
Salaries and Wages	124,700.00	112,700.00	111,199.88		1,500.12		
Other Expenses	31,340.00	30,340.00	27,843.54	347.03	2,149.43		
Assessment of Taxes							
Salaries and Wages	20,220.00	21,320.00	21,282.00		38.00		
Other Expenses	22,500.00	18,500.00	17,724.78	608.36	166.86		
Collection of Taxes							
Salaries and Wages	88,160.00		111,199.90		60.10		
Other Expenses	15,375.00	18,175.00	18,031.19	120.35	23.46		
Audit Services							
Other Expenses	24,500.00	24,500.00	24,500.00		-		
Legal Services and Costs							
Other Expenses	250,000.00	250,000.00	212,345.71		37,654.29		
Engineering Services and Costs							
Other Expenses	100,000.00	100,000.00	79,324.66		20,675.34		
Public Buildings and Grounds					101 55		
Salaries and Wages	20,610.00		20,578.25		181.75		
Other Expenses	49,220.00	55,320.00	52,416.52	2,892.85	10.63		
Inspection Department			~~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~		100.50		
Salaries and Wages	101,940.00		83,051.48		138.52		
Other Expenses	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,873.58		126.42		
Planning Board					0 501 55		
Salaries and Wages	15,535.00	,	14,133.45		2,501.55		
Other Expenses	5,000.00	5,000.00	2,955.30	1,832.00	212.70		
Shade Tree Commission					1 60 00		
Other Expenses	11,000.00	11,000.00	3,200.00	7,650.00	150.00		
Economic Development Program			15 000 00		500.00		
Other Expenses	22,500.00	15,500.00	15,000.00		500.00		Page 1 of 6

CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

				EXPENDED		UNEXPENDED	
		BUDGET AFTER	PAID OR			BALANCE	OVEREXP-
	2015 BUDGET	MODIFICATION	<u>CHARGED</u>	ENCUMBERED	RESERVED	CANCELLED	ENDITURE
PUBLIC SAFETY:							
Fire							
Other Expenses	86,000.00	88,000.00	73,501.20	13,655.90	842.90		
Fire Safety Bureau							
Salaries and Wages	45,335.00	32,335.00	31,237.84		1,097.16		
Other Expenses	4,475.00	3,475.00	2,696.61		778.39		
Police							
Salaries and Wages	2,890,415.00	2,870,165.00	2,805,123.39		65,041.61		
Other Expenses	146,384.00	146,384.00	122,400.80	16,882.62	7,100.58		
Municipal Court							
Salaries and Wages	169,170.00	147,870.00	143,744.30		4,125.70		
Other Expenses	20,000.00	21,500.00	19,973.52	1,397.29	129.19		
Public Defender							
Other Expenses	10,000.00	3,150.00	3,150.00		-		
Insurance							
Other Insurance	416,529.00	422,489.00	422,488.40		0.60		
Health Benefits	1,453,839.00	1,453,839.00	1,425,716.05		28,122.95		
Parking Meter Maintenance		-	-		-		
Salaries and Wages	24,630.00	20,130.00	19,238.31		891.69		
Other Expenses	3,500.00	3,800.00	3,784.07		15.93		
First Aid Organization							
Other Expenses	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00		-		
Emergency Management Services							
Other Expenses	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,640.51		359.49		
STREETS AND ROADS:							
Road Repairs and Maintenance			_				
Salaries and Wages	476,500.00	496,500.00	493,959.77		2,540,23		
Other Expenses	73,535.00	81,535.00	78,360.46	2,255.06	919.48		
Garbage and Trash	15,555.00	01,000.00	70,000110	_,			
Salaries and Wages	-						
Other Expenses	345,000.00	349,000.00	347,481.13		1,518.87		
Recycling Contingency Fund	2.0,000		,		-		
Other Expenses	84,450.00	99,200.00	98,536.46	625.00	38.54		
Salet Expenses	5.,		,				

CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

				EXPENDED		UNEXPENDED	
		BUDGET AFTER	PAID OR			BALANCE	OVEREXP-
	2015 BUDGET	MODIFICATION	CHARGED	ENCUMBERED	<u>RESERVED</u>	CANCELLED	ENDITURE
HEALTH AND WELFARE:							
Board of Health	04 022 00	06 022 00	06 022 00				
Other Expenses	96,032.00	96,032.00	96,032.00		-		
Dog Regulation	20,000,00	20.000.00	30,000.00				
Other Expenses	30,000.00	30,000.00	30,000.00		-		
Senior Citizens	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00		-		
Other Expenses Peosha Act - Board of Health	5,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00				
	500.00	500.00	105.00		395.00		
Other Expenses	500.00	500.00	105.00		270.00		
RECREATION AND EDUCATION:							
Parks and Playgrounds							
Other Expenses	47,715.00	47,715.00	32,945.97	11,993.01	2,776.02		
Board of Recreation Commissioners							
Salaries and Wages	54,900.00	54,900.00	54,827.00		73.00		
Other Expenses	20,500.00	20,500.00	10,367.71	3,014.56	7,117.73		
Celebration of Public Events, Anniversaries, or Holiday							
Other Expenses	1,000.00	-	-		-		
UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE -							
APPROPRIATIONS OFFSET BY DEDICATED							
<u>REVENUES (N.J.A.C. 5:23-4.17):</u>							
State Uniform Construction Code							
Construction Official	90.575.00	90,575.00	90,152.27		422.73		
Salaries and Wages	6,500.00	6,500.00	4,885.46		1.614.54		
Other Expenses OPERATIONS WITHIN <u>"CAPS"</u>	0,500.00	0,500.00	4,005.40		1,011.01		
UNCLASSIFIED:							
Utilities:							
Gasoline	62,500.00	59,000.00	49,798.05	3,601.63	5,600.32		
Telephones	51,000.00	57,640.00	56,591.27		1,048.73		
Street Lighting	161,500.00	161,500.00	149,777.99		11,722.01		
Fire Hydrant Services	108,000.00	108,000.00	98,738.75		9,261.25		
Heating/Electric	158,000.00	172,000.00	159,816.25		12,183.75		
Water	22,500.00	26,000.00	25,737.75	81.34	180.91		
Total Operations Within "CAPS"	8,372,322.00	8,371,422.00	8,076,222.09	67,463.46	234,796.45	-	7,060.00
Contingent	500.00	500.00			500.00		
Total Operations Including Contingent Within "CAPS"	8,372,822.00	8,371,922.00	8,076,222.09	67,463.46	235,296.45		7,060.00
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CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

				EXPENDED		UNEXPENDED	
	AA15 DUDCET	BUDGET AFTER	PAID OR	ENCLUMENTE	DECEDUED	BALANCE	OVEREXP-
DETAIL:	<u>2015 BUDGET</u>	MODIFICATION	CHARGED	ENCUMBERED	<u>RESERVED</u>	<u>CANCELLED</u>	<u>ENDITURE</u>
Salaries and Wages	4,335,435.00	4,286,835.00	4,206,915.42	-	79,919.58	-	-
Other Expenses (Including Contingent)	4,027,387.00	4,085,087.00	3,869,306.67	67,463.46	155,376.87		7,060.00
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures- Municipal Within "CAPS":							
DEFERRED CHARGES							
Prior Year Bills	47,936.21	47,936.21	47,936.21		-		
Deficit in Animal Control Trust Reserve	19,120.60	19,120.60	19,120.60		-		
STATUTORY EXPENDITURES:							
Contribution to:							
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)	167,000.00	177,900.00	177,146.67		753.33		
Public Employee's Retirement System	177,321.00	177,321.00	177,320.22		0.78		
Police and Firemen's Retirement System of NJ	652,545.00	652,545.00	652,545.00		-		
State Unemployment Insurance	30,000.00	20,000.00	17,552.08	<u> </u>	2,447.92		
Total Def. Charges and Statutory Expend. Municipal Within	n 1,093,922.81	1,094,822.81	1,091,620.78		3,202.03		<u> </u>
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes With	ii <u>9,466,744.81</u>	9,466,744.81	9,167,842.87	67,463.46	238,498.48		7,060.00
OPERATIONS EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"							
Length of Service Award Program- (LOSAP)	5,000.00	5,000.00	-		5,000.00		
Sewerage Authority (40: 14A-8) Share of Costs	1.043,500.00	1,043,500.00	1.028.601.02		14,898.98		
Insurance - Health Benefits	33,191.00	33,191.00	33,191.00		14,090.90		
	·	55,191.00	55,171.00				
PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROGRAMS OFFSET BY REV		17 777 78	17 777 70		-		
Clean Communities Program Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation Fund	17,337.38 4,243.19	17,337.38 4,243.19	17,337.38 4,243.19		-		
Body Armor Replacement Fund	2,524.43	2,524.43	2,524.43		-		
Somerset County Youth Services	15,000.00	22,500.00	22,500.00		_		
Recycling Tonnage Program	8,919.55	8,919.55	8,919.55		-		
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	4,425.00	14,441.87	14,441.87		-		
Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over	5,300.00	9,700.00	9,700.00		-		
CERT Trailer Uplift	-,	700.00	700.00		-		
Distracted Driving	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		-		
Click It or Ticket Grant	4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00				
Total Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	1,148,440.55	1,171,057.42	1,151,158.44		19,898.98	-	-

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CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

			EXPENDED			UNEXPENDED	
	2015 BUDGET	BUDGET AFTER MODIFICATION	PAID OR CHARGED	ENCUMBERED	RESERVED	BALANCE CANCELLED	OVEREXP- ENDITURE
DETAIL:	<u>2015 DUDGE1</u>	MODIFICATION	CHARGED	ENCUMBERED	<u>NESERVED</u>	CANCELLED	ENDITURE
Other Expenses	1,148,440.55	1,171,057.42	1,151,158.44	*	19,898.98	<u> </u>	
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS - EXCLUDED FROM "C/	<u>APS"</u>						
Capital Improvement Fund	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00		<u> </u>		
Total Capital Improvements Excl. from "CAPS"	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00		<u> </u>		
MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE - EXCLUDED FROM "C	APS"						
Payment of Bond Principal	805,000.00	805,000.00	805,000.00		-		
Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes and Capital Notes	200,000.00	200,000.00	168,600.71		-	31,399.29	
Interest on Bonds	313,182.00	313,182.00	313,181.25		-	0.75	
Interest on Notes	168,660.00	168,660.00	149,000.00		-	19,660.00	
Somerset County Improvement Authority:		-			-		
Capital Lease Program - After 7/1/07:	69,375.00	69.375.00	68,459.03		-	915.97	
Principal Interest	3,208.00	3,208.00	3,165.64		-	42.36	
Interest	5,208.00	5,208.00	5,105.04		-	42.50	
NJ Enviromental Infrastructure Trust							
Principal	10,140.00	10,140.00	10,131.13		-	8.87	
Interest	860.00	860.00	859.25			0.75	
Total Municipal Debt Service - Excl. from "CAPS"	1,570,425.00	1,570,425.00	1,518,397.01	-	-	52,027.99	-
DEFERRED CHARGES - MUNICIPAL - EXCLUDED F	ROM "CAPS"						
Special Emergency Authorizations - 5 Years	150,750.00	150,750.00	150,750.00				
Total Deferred Charges - Municipal - Excluded from "CAPS"	150,750.00	150,750.00	150,750.00				
Transferred to Board of Education for Use of Local Schools (N.J.S.A. 40:48-17.1 & 17.3)	144,921.00	144,921.00_	144,921.00	<u></u>		<u> </u>	
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes Excluded from "CAPS"	3,039,536.55	3,062,153.42	2,990,226.45		19,898.98	52,027.99	<u> </u>
Subtotal General Appropriations	12,506,281.36	12,528,898.23	12,158,069.32	67,463.46	258,397.46	52,027.99	7,060.00

CURRENT FUND STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

				EXPENDED		UNEXPENDED	
	2015 BUDGET	BUDGET AFTER MODIFICATION	PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>	ENCUMBERED	<u>RESERVED</u>	BALANCE <u>CANCELLED</u>	OVEREXP- ENDITURE
Balance Carried Forward	12,506,281.36	12,528,898.23	12,158,069.32	67,463.46	258,397.46	52,027.99	7,060.00
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	750,000.00	750,000.00	750,000.00	<u> </u>	-		
Total General Appropriations	\$ <u>13,256,281.36</u>	\$ <u>13,278,898.23</u> \$	12,908,069.32	\$ <u>67,463.46</u> \$	258,397.46	\$ <u> </u>	57,060.00
	<u>Ref.</u>		A-1	A,A-1	A,A-1		A-13
Adopted Budget Approp. by N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87	A-2 A-2	\$ 13,256,281.36 22,616.87					
		\$13,278,898.23_					
Disbursed	A-4	\$					
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes Deferred Charges	A-7 A-13		750,000.00 150,750.00				
Reserve for State & Federal Grants - Appropriated							
Due to Grant Fund	A-12		89,366.42				
		\$	12,908,069.32				
Note: See Notes to Financial Statements.							

TRUST FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND DECEMBER 31, 2014

ASSETS	<u>REF.</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31,2015	BALANCE DEC. 31,2014	LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>REF.</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31,2015	BALANCE DEC. 31,2014
Assessment Trust Fund:				Assessment Trust Fund:			
Cash and Investments - Treasurer	B-2, B-5 \$	15,785.90 \$	15,786.12	Due Current Fund	B-5 \$	174.44 \$	174.66
Assessments Receivable	B-3	3.641.64	3,641,64	Overpayments	B-5	2,254.06	2,254.06
	20			Reserve for Assessments	B-4	445.74	445,74
Total Assessment Trust Fund		19,427.54	19,427.76	Fund Balance	B-1	16,553.30	16,553.30
Animal Control Fund:				Total Assessment Trust Fund		19,427.54	19,427.76
Cash and Investments - Treasurer	B-5	2,382.72	20,714.75		_		
Deficit in Reserve for Expenditures	B-5	6,272.60	19,086.60	Animal Control Fund:			
·				Accounts Payable	B-5	8,644.50	902.00
Total Animal Control Fund		8,655.32	39,801.35	Due Current Fund	B-5	10.82	38,873.35
				Due to State of N.J.	B-5		26.00
Other Funds:					_		
Cash and Investments - Treasurer	B-5	1,553,979.61	1,688,274.76	Total Animal Control Fund	-	8,655.32	39,801.35
Accounts Receivable - Police Outside Duty	B-5	22,333.47	79,925.67		-		
Due Current Fund	B-5	495,152.23	294,467.94	Other Funds:			
				Reserve for:			
				Miscellaneous Trust	B-5	2,066,348.10	2,043,318.37
				Accounts Payable	B-5	2,617.21	16,850.00
Total Trust-Other Funds		2,071,465.31	2,062,668.37	Due General Capital Fund	B-5 -	2,500.00	2,500.00
				Total Other Funds	=	2,071,465.31	2,062,668.37
Length of Service Awards Program Fund (Unaudited):				Length of Service Awards Program Fund (I	Unaudited):		
Amounts Held By Trustee	В	426,687.32	444,427.65	Reserve for LOSAP Funds	в_	426,687.32	444,427.65
		426,687.32	444,427.65		_	426,687.32	444,427.65
Grand Total	\$	2,526,235.49 \$	2,566,325.13		\$_	\$	2,566,325.13

GENERAL CAPITAL FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND DECEMBER 31, 2014

ASSETS	<u>REF.</u>	BALANCE <u>DEC. 31, 2015</u>	BALANCE <u>DEC. 31, 2014</u>
Cash and Investments - Treasurer	C-2	\$ 1,204,748.58	\$ 537,869.01
Grants Receivable	C-4	577,085.50	677,085.50
Developer Contribution Receivable	C-5	200,000.00	
Interfund Loans Receivable	C-8	1,400,178.48	2,700,134.77
Deferred Charges to Future Taxation:			
Funded	C-6	7,293,370.06	8,108,386.72
Unfunded	C-7	14,412,651.42	14,084,986.42
Total		\$ 25,088,034.04	\$ 26,108,462.42
LIABILITIES, RESERVES <u>AND FUND BALANCE</u>			
General Serial Bonds Payable	C-9	\$ 7,200,000.00	\$ 8,005,000.00
Bond Anticipation Notes	C-11	14,401,000.00	13,250,000.00
Infrastructure Loan Payble	C-10	93,370.06	103,386.72
Reserve for Encumbrances	C-11	77,885.33	448,554.02
Improvement Authorizations:			
Funded	C-12	234,925.71	510,239.64
Unfunded	C-12	2,722,726.41	3,383,429.51
Capital Improvement Fund	C-13	50,524.74	28,859.74
Fund Balance	C-1	307,601.79	378,992.79
Total		\$ 25,088,034.04	\$ 26,108,462.42
Authorized But Not Issued	C-14	\$ 2,246,520.51	\$ 3,069,855.51

GENERAL CAPITAL FUND STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE- REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>			
Balance - December 31, 2014	С		\$	378,992.79
Increased by:				
Refunds of Prior Year Expended	C-2	2,381.00		
Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes	C-2	2,728.00	_	
			-	5,109.00
Decreased by:				384,101.79
Appropriated as Current Fund Revenue Appropriated to Finance Improvement	C-2	58,000.00		
Authorizations	C-12	18,500.00		
			-	76,500.00
Balance - December 31, 2015	С		\$_	307,601.79

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENTAL FIXED ASSETS-REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

Governmental Fixed Assets	DECEMBER 31, 2015
Building Land Equipment Furniture & fixtures Vehicles	\$ 4,535,600.00 \$ 6,425,300.00 1,133,907.65 208,113.00 3,007,787.85
Total Governmental Fixed Assets	\$\$
Investments in Governmental Fixed Assets	\$

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – REGULATORY BASIS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

Note 1: FORM OF GOVERNMENT

The Borough of Bound Brook operates under the legislative authority of N.J.S.A. 40A: 60-1 et seq., which provides for the election of a mayor to serve a term of four years and a council of six members serving staggered three-year terms. At its annual reorganization meeting, the council elects a president of the council who shall preside at all its meetings when the mayor is not present. The mayor is the head of the municipal government and the council is the legislative body. The Borough has adopted an administrative code that provides for the delegation of a portion of executive responsibilities to an administrator and the organization of the council into standing committees to oversee various Borough activities.

Note 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. <u>Reporting Entity</u>

Except as noted below, the financial statements of the Borough of Bound Brook include every board, body, officer or commission supported and maintained wholly or in part by funds appropriated by the Borough of Bound Brook, as required by N.J.S.A. 40A: 5-5. Accordingly, the financial statements of the Borough of Bound Brook do not include the operations of the library, first aid organization or volunteer fire company.

B. Description of Funds

The accounting policies of the Borough of Bound Brook conform to the accounting principles applicable to municipalities, which have been prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, and State of New Jersey (the "Division"). Such principles and practices are designed primarily for determining compliance with legal provisions and budgetary restrictions and as a means of reporting on the stewardship of public officials with respect to public funds. Under this method of accounting, the Borough of Bound Brook accounts for its financial transactions through the following separate funds:

<u>Current Fund</u> - resources and expenditures for governmental operations of a general nature, including Federal and State grant funds, except as otherwise noted.

<u>Trust Fund</u> - receipts, custodianship and disbursement of funds in accordance with the purpose for which each reserve was created. The Borough's Assessment Trust Fund, Animal Control Trust Fund, and Length of Service Awards Program (LOSAP) are accounted for within the Trust Fund pursuant to statutory and regulatory requirements. In addition, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-39, the Borough has requested and received regulatory approval to account for the financial transactions of a variety of restricted revenues, escrow funds and donations within its Trust-Other Fund. Expenditures of these dedicated funds are limited to amounts collected.

<u>General Capital Fund</u> - resources, including Federal and State Grants in aid of construction, and expenditures for the acquisition of general capital facilities, other than those acquired through the Current Fund, including the status of bonds and notes authorized for said purposes.

<u>Public Assistance Trust Fund</u> – receipts and disbursement of funds that provide assistance to certain residents of the Borough pursuant to Title 44 of New Jersey statutes, unless responsibility has been transferred to Somerset County.

B. Description of Funds (Cont'd.)

<u>Governmental Fixed Assets</u> - the Governmental Fixed Assets System is used to account for fixed assets used in governmental fund type operations for control purposes. All fixed assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available or any other reasonable basis, provided such basis is adequately disclosed in the financial statements. Donated fixed assets are valued at their estimated fair value on the date of donation. No depreciation is recorded on governmental fixed assets.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standards-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. GASB's Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards and subsequent GASB pronouncements are recognized as U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) for state and local governments. GAAP provides for the issuance of entity-wide financial statements along with the presentation of separate fund financial statements that are organized into three broad fund categories. The regulatory basis of accounting utilized by the Borough does not require the presentation of entity-wide financial statements. Furthermore, the prescribed form of the fund financial statements does not conform to the organization of funds as prescribed by GAAP. The resultant presentation of financial position and results of operations in the form of basic financial statements is not intended to, and does not present the basic financial statements required by GAAP.

C. Basis of Accounting

Basis of Accounting and Measurement Focus – The basis of accounting as prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services for its operating funds is generally a modified cash basis for revenue recognition and a modified accrual basis for expenditures. The operating funds utilize a "current financial resources" measurement focus. The accounting principles and practices prescribed for municipalities by the Division differ in certain respects, which in some cases could be material, from generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America (GAAP) applicable to local government units. The most significant is the GAAP basis reporting of entity-wide, full-accrual financial statements, which are not presented in the basic financial statements prescribed by the Division. The other more significant differences are as follows:

<u>Revenues</u> - Revenues are recorded as received in cash except for statutory reimbursements and grant funds, which are due from other governmental units. State and Federal grants, entitlements and shared revenues received for operating purposes are realized as revenues when anticipated in the Borough's budget. Receivables for property taxes are recorded with offsetting reserves within the Current Fund Other amounts that are due to the Borough, which are susceptible to accrual are recorded as receivables with offsetting reserves. These reserves are liquidated and revenues are recorded as realized upon receipt of cash. GAAP requires the recognition of revenues for general operations in the accounting period in which they become available and measurable, with the exception of water and sewer charges, which should be recognized in the period they are earned and become measurable.

C. Basis of Accounting (Cont'd.)

Expenditures - For purposes of financial reporting, expenditures are recorded as "paid or charged" or "appropriation reserves". Paid or charged refers to the Borough's "budgetary" basis of accounting. Generally, these expenditures are recorded when an amount is encumbered for goods or services through the issuance of a purchase order in conjunction with the encumbrance accounting system. Reserves for unliquidated encumbrances at the close of the year are reported as a cash liability. Encumbrances do not constitute expenditures under GAAP. An appropriation reserve refers to unexpended appropriation balances at the close of the year. Appropriation reserves are automatically created and recorded as a cash liability, except for amounts, which may be cancelled by the governing body. Appropriation reserves are available until lapsed at the close of the succeeding year, to meet specific claims, commitments or contracts incurred and not recorded in the preceding fiscal year. Lapsed appropriation reserves are recorded as income. Generally, unexpended balances of budget appropriations are not recorded as expenditures under GAAP. Expenditures for compensated absences, i.e. accumulations of earned but unused vacations, sick leave and other paid time off, are recorded in the accounting period in which the payments are made. GAAP requires that expenditures be recorded in the governmental (Current) fund in an amount that would normally be liquidated with available financial resources, and that expenditures be recorded in an enterprise (Utility) fund on a full accrual basis.

For the purpose of calculating the results of Current Fund operations, the regulatory basis of accounting utilized by the Borough requires that certain expenditures be deferred, and raised as items of appropriation in budgets of succeeding years. These deferred charges include the two general categories of over-expenditures and emergency appropriations. Over-expenditures occur when expenditures recorded as "paid or charged" exceed available appropriation balances. Emergency appropriations occur when, subsequent to the adoption of a balanced budget, the governing body authorizes the establishment of additional appropriations based on unforeseen circumstances or for other special purposes as defined by statute. Over-expenditures and emergency appropriations are deducted from total expenditures in the calculation of operating results and are established as assets for Deferred Charges on the Current Fund balance sheet. GAAP does not permit the deferral of over-expenditures to succeeding budgets. In addition, GAAP does not recognize expenditures based on the authorization of an appropriation. Instead, the authorization of special purpose expenditures, such as the preparation of tax maps or revaluation of assessable real property, would represent the designation of fund balance.

The Local Budget Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-1 et seq.) requires that certain operating transfers between funds, such as transfers from the Current Fund to a trust fund to finance an actual or anticipated deficit, and transfers from the Current Fund to the Trust Funds or General Capital Fund to fund reserves for future expenditures are required to be included in the Borough's annual budgets as budget appropriations. Expenditures are recorded upon the adoption of the budget for any legally required transfers, and upon the determination of availability of funds for any discretionary transfers. Similarly, transfers of fund balances from other funds to the Current Fund to finance operating costs are required to be included in the Borough's annual budgets as anticipated revenues. Revenues are realized upon receipt or as a reduction to amounts (net) otherwise due to the originating fund. Under GAAP, operating transfers are not recognized as expenditures.

New Jersey statutes require municipalities to provide annual funding to Free Public Libraries through the Current Fund Budget. Amounts paid on behalf of the Free Public Library or transferred to the custody of the Library's management are recorded as budgetary expenditures of the Borough, notwithstanding the fact that the Library is recognized as a separate entity for financial reporting purposes. Under GAAP, the Library would be recognized, as a "component unit" of the Borough, and discrete reporting of the Library's financial position and operating results would be incorporated in the Borough's financial statements.

C. Basis of Accounting (Cont'd.)

<u>Property Acquired for Taxes</u> - Foreclosed property is recorded in the Current Fund at the assessed valuation when such property was acquired and is fully reserved. GAAP requires such property to be recorded in the general fixed asset account group at the lower of cost or fair market value.

<u>Sale of Municipal Assets</u> - Cash proceeds from the sale of Borough owned property are reserved until utilized as an item of anticipated revenue in a subsequent year budget. Year-end balances of such proceeds are reported as a cash liability in the Current Fund. GAAP requires that revenue be recognized in the accounting period that the terms of sales contracts become legally enforceable.

<u>Interfunds</u> - Interfund receivables in the Current Fund are recorded with offsetting reserves, which are created by charges to operations. Income is recognized in the accounting period the receivables are liquidated. Interfund receivables in the other funds are not offset by reserves. GAAP does not require the establishment of an offsetting reserve, or require a reduction to fund balance, upon the advancement of interfund loans by governmental funds.

<u>Inventories of Supplies</u> - The cost of inventories of supplies for all funds are recorded as expenditures at the time individual items are purchased. The costs of inventories are not included on the various balance sheets. Although the expenditure method of accounting for purchases of supplies is in accordance with GAAP, the cost of inventory on hand at the close of the year should be reported on the balance sheet with an offsetting reserve for conformity with GAAP.

<u>Governmental Fixed Assets</u> - Property and equipment purchased by the Current and General Capital Funds are recorded as expenditures at the time of purchase and are not capitalized. GAAP would require the capitalization and depreciation of governmental fixed assets in the entity-wide financial statements only.

N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.6 established a mandate for fixed accounting by municipalities, effective December 31, 1985. The Borough performed a physical inventory and assessment of fixed assets for the year ended December 31, 20015. Assets acquired through December 31, 2015 were valued based on actual costs, where available, and other methods, including current replacement values and estimated historical costs. Note 4 to the financial statements sets forth the status of the Borough's general fixed assets as of December 31, 2015. As general fixed asset records were not available for as of December 31, 2014, schedules of changes in governmental fixed assets for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2015 are not presented in Note 4.

<u>Grants Programs</u> – Federal and State Grants, entitlements or shared revenues received for purposes normally financed through the Current Fund are recognized when anticipated in the Borough's Budget. GAAP requires such revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual, reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

Disclosures About Pension Liabilities – The Borough has included information relating to its allocated shares of the net pension liabilities of the state sponsored, cost-sharing, multiple employer defined benefit pension plans in which it participates in Note 9 and the accompanying required supplementary information. As the Borough does not present entity-wide financial statements, it does not present on the face of its financial statements its proportionate share of the net pension liability of the defined benefit plans in which its employees are enrolled. GAAP requires the recognition of the net pension liability and associated deferred inflows and deferred outflows of financial resources in the entity-wide financial statements.

C. Basis of Accounting (Cont'd.)

<u>Disclosures About Fair Value of Financial Instruments</u> - The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair value of each class of financial instruments for which it is practicable to estimate that value:

<u>Cash and Cash Equivalents and Short-term Investments</u> - The carrying amount approximates fair value because of the short maturity of those instruments.

<u>Long-term Debt</u> - The Borough's long-term debt is stated at face value. The debt is not traded and it is not practicable to determine its fair value without incurring excessive cost. Additional information pertinent to the Borough's long-term debt is provided in Note 3 to the financial statements.

Recent Accounting Standards

GASB issued Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions – an amendment of GASB Statement No.27" in June 2012. The objective of this Statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for pensions. It also improves information provided by state and local government employers about financial support for pension that is provided by other entities.

GASB issued Statement No. 69, "Government Combinations and Disposals of Government Operations" in January 2013. The objective of this Statement is to establish accounting and financial standards related to government combinations and disposals of government operations.

GASB issued Statement No. 70, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Non-exchange Financial Guarantees" in April 2013. The objective of this Statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments that extend and receive non-exchange financial guarantees.

GASB issued Statement No. 71, "Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date – an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68" in November 2013. The objective of this Statement is to address the issue regarding application of the transition provisions of Statement No. 68 *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*. The issue relates to amounts associated with contributions, if any, made by a state or local government employer or non-employer contributing entity to a defined benefit pension plan after the measurement date of the government's beginning net pension liability.

GASB issued Statement No. 72, "Fair Value Measurement and Application" in February 2015. The objective of this Statement is to enhance financial statement comparability among governments by requiring measurement of certain assets and liabilities at fair value using accepted valuation techniques.

GASB issued Statement No. 73 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions and Related Assets That Are Not within the Scope of GASB Statement 68, and Amendments to Certain Provisions of GASB Statements 67 and 68" in June, 2015. The objective of this Statement is to improve the usefulness of information about pensions included in the general purpose external financial reports of state and local governments for making decisions and assessing accountability. This Statement establishes requirements for defined benefit pensions that are not within the scope of Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, as well as for the assets accumulated for purposes of providing those pensions.

C. Basis of Accounting (Cont'd.)

Recent Accounting Standards

GASB issued Statement No. 74 "Financial Reporting For Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans" in June 2015. This Statement replaces Statements No. 43, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans, as amended, and No. 57, OPEB Measurements by Agent Employers and Agent Multiple-Employer Plans. It also includes requirements for defined contribution OPEB plans that replace the requirements for those OPEB plans in Statement No. 25, Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Note Disclosures for Defined Contribution Plans, as amended, Statement 43, and Statement No. 50, Pension Disclosures.

GASB issued Statement No. 75 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions" in June 2015. This Statement replaces the requirements of Statements No. 45, Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions, as amended, and No. 57, OPEB Measurements by Agent Employers and Agent Multiple-Employer Plans, for OPEB.

GASB issued Statement No. 76 "The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments" in June 2015. The objective of this Statement is to identify—in the context of the current governmental financial reporting environment—the hierarchy of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). This Statement supersedes Statement No. 55, The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments.

GASB issued Statement No. 77 "Tax Abatement Disclosures" in August 2015. The requirements of this Statement improve financial reporting by giving users of financial statements essential information that is not consistently or comprehensively reported to the public at present. Disclosure of information about the nature and magnitude of tax abatements will make these transactions more transparent to financial statement users.

GASB issued Statement No. 78 "Pensions Provided through Certain Multiple-Employer Defined Benefit Pension Plans" in December 2015. The objective of this Statement is to address a practice issue regarding the scope and applicability of Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions. This issue is associated with pensions provided through certain multiple-employer defined benefit pension plans and to state or local governmental employers whose employees are provided with such pensions.

GASB issued Statement No. 79 "Certain External Investment Pools and Pool Participants" in December 2015. This Statement will enhance comparability of financial statements among governments by establishing specific criteria used to determine whether a qualifying external investment pool may elect to use an amortized cost exception to fair value measurement.

The Borough does not prepare its financial statements in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles. The adoption of these new standards will not adversely affect the reporting of the Borough's financial condition.

<u>Use of Estimates</u> – The preparation of financial statements requires management of Borough to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

C. Basis of Accounting (Cont'd.)

Recent Accounting Standards

<u>Comparative Data</u> - Comparative data for the prior year has been presented in order to provide an understanding of changes on the Borough's financial position and operations. However, comparative data has not been presented in each of the statements since their inclusion would make the statements unduly complex and difficult to read. Certain reclassifications have been made to the fiscal year 2014 financial statements to conform with classifications used in fiscal year 2015.

Note 3: DEBT, DEBT SERVICE AND STATUTORY DEBT CONDITION

A. Summary of Municipal Debt for Capital Projects

Environmental Infrastructure Fund Loan

	-	YEAR 2015		YEAR 2014
Issued:				
General: Serial Bonds Bond Anticipation Notes Environmental Infrastructure Trust & Fund Loans	\$	7,200,000.00 14,401,000.00 93,370.06	\$	8,005,000.00 13,250,000.00 103,386.72
Total Debt Issued	-	21,694,370.06		21,358,386.72
Authorized but not Issued:				
General: Bonds & Notes	-	2,246,520.51		3,069,855.51
Total Authorized but not Issued		2,246,520.51		3,069,855.51
Net Bonds & Notes Issued and Authorized but not Issued	\$	23,940,890.57	\$	24,428,242.23
Summarized below are the Borough's ind	ivić	lual bond issues whic	h w	ere outstanding
at December 31, 2015 and 2014: General Improvement Debt		YEAR 2015		YEAR 2014
\$4,513,000 General Improvement Bonds, date of issuance July 15, 2001	, \$	328,000.00	\$	658,000.00
\$9,672,000 General Improvement Bonds date of issuance February 15, 2008	,	6,872,000.00		7,347,000.00
Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loan 2.0% Interest, Final Maturity 2024		25,857.11		28,372.35

0.0% Interest, Final Maturity 2024 67,512.95 75,014.37 Bond Anticpation Notes, Due April 22, 2016 4,700,000.00 1.500% Rate of Interest Bond Anticpation Notes, Due April 22, 2016 9,701,000.00 0.62% Rate of Interest Bond Anticpation Notes, Due April 23, 2015 9,850,000.00 1.500% Rate of Interest Bond Anticpation Notes, Due Dec. 18, 2015 3,400,000.00 0.615% Rate of Interest Total General Improvement \$ 21,694,370.06 \$ 21,358,386.72

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 3: DEBT, DEBT SERVICE AND STATUTORY DEBT CONDITION (CONT'D.)

Β. Summary of Statutory Debt Condition - Annual Debt Statement

The summarized statement of debt condition which follows is prepared in accordance with the required method of presenting the Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of:

<u>2015</u>	Gross Debt	Deductions	Net Debt
Local School District Debt General Debt	\$ 28,010,000.00 23,940,890.57	\$ 28,010,000.00 2,234,869.09	\$ 21,706,021.48
	\$ 51,950,890.57	\$ 30,244,869.09	 21,706,021.48

Net Debt \$21,940,108.10 Divided by Equalized Valuation Basis per N.J.S.A. 40A:2-2 as amended \$ 730,046,066.33 = 2.97%

2014	 Gross Debt	Deductions	Net Debt
Local School District Debt General Debt	\$ 1,140,000.00 24,428,242.23	\$ 1,140,000.00 2,234,869.09	\$ 22,193,373.14
	 25,568,242.23	\$ 3,374,869.09	 22,193,373.14

Net Debt \$22,981,051.14 Divided by Equalized Valuation Basis per N.J.S.A. 40A:2-2 as amended \$ 748,767,071.33 = 2.96%

The Borough's borrowing Power Under 40A: 2-6 as amended, at December 31, was as follows:

	 2015		2014
3 1/2% of Equalized Valuation Basis Municipal Net Debt	\$ 25,551,612.32	\$	26,206,847.50
	21,706,021.48		22,193,373.14
Remaining Borrowing Power	\$ 3,845,590.84	\$	4,013,474.36

Calendar Year		General				Total
<u></u>		Principal		Interest	-	
2016	\$	828,000.00	\$	279,737.50	\$	1,107,737.50
2017		600,000.00		242,880.00		842,880.00
2018		625,000.00		218,380.00		843,380.00
2019		625,000.00		193,380.00		818,380.00
2020		625,000.00		168,380.00		793,380.00
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Subtotal		3,303,000.00		1,102,757.50		4,405,757.50
2021		650,000.00		142,880.00		792,880.00
2022		650,000.00		116,880.00		766,880.00
2023		650,000.00		90,880.00		740,880.00
2024		650,000.00		64,880.00		714,880.00
2025		650,000.00	_	38,880.00		688,880.00
Subtotal		3,250,000.00		454,400.00		3,704,400.00
2026		647,000.00		12,940.00		659,940.00
Subtotal	_	647,000.00		12,940.00		659,940.00
Total	<u> </u>	7,200,000.00	_ \$ _	1,570,097.50	\$	8,770,097.50

C. Schedule of Annual Debt Service for Principal and Interest for Bonded Debt Issued and Outstanding at December 31, 2015

D. Bond Anticipation Notes

The Borough had outstanding Bond Anticipation Notes at December 31, 2015 as follows:

Issue	Maturity	Amount of	Interest
Date	<u>Date</u>	Notes	<u>Rate</u>
4/22/15	4/22/16	\$ 9,701,000.00	0.62%
12/18/15	4/22/16	4,700,000.00	1.50%
		\$ 14,401,000.00	

Note 4: GOVERNMENTAL FIXED ASSETS

At December 31, 2015, the Borough's governmental fixed assets consisted of:

Land & Land Improivements	\$ 6,425,300.00
Buildings and Building Improvements	4,535,600.00
Furniture and Fixtures	208,113.00
Equipment	1,133,907.65
Vehicles and Equipment	 3,007,787.85
	\$ 15,310,708.50

Note 5: DEFERRED COMPENSATION TRUST FUND

The Borough of Bound Brook Deferred Compensation Plan was established pursuant to Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code and the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15B-1. The Plan is an arrangement whereby a public employer may establish a plan and permit its employees to voluntarily authorize a portion of their current salary to be withheld and invested in one or more the types of investments permitted under the governing regulations. The Borough is the administrator of the plan and the Borough has contracted with Equitable Life and VALIC to manage the plan assets.

Note 6: FUND BALANCES APPROPRIATED

Fund Balances at December 31, 2015 and 20104 which were appropriated and included as anticipated revenue in their respective funds for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2016 and 2015 were as follows:

Fund	Fund Balance December 31, 2015	Utilized in Succeeding Budget
Current Fund	\$574,586.18	\$300,000.00
Fund	Fund Balance December 31, 2014	Utilized in Succeeding Budget
Current Fund	\$212,006.15	\$0.00

Note 7: DEFERRED CHARGES TO BE RAISED IN FUTURE BUDGETS

Certain expenditures are required to be deferred to budgets of succeeding years. At December 31, 2015 and 2014, the following deferred charges are shown on the balance sheets of the various funds:

	Balance December 31, 2015	Raised in 2016 Budget	Balance to Succeeding Years
Current Fund: Overexpenditure of Approp. Animal Control Fund:	\$7,060.00	\$7,060.00	None
Deficit in Reserve	6,409.10	6,409.10	None
_	Balance December 31, 2014	Raised in 2015 Budget	Balance to Succeeding Years
Current Fund: Emergency Authorization	\$150,750.00	\$150,750.00	None
Animal Control Fund: Deficit in Reserve	19,086.60	19,086.60	None

Note 8: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

State statutes set forth deposit requirements and investments that may be purchased by local units and the Borough deposits and invests its funds pursuant to its policies and an adopted cash management plan.

Deposits

New Jersey statutes permit the deposit of public funds in institutions located in New Jersey, which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) or by any other agencies of the United States that insures deposits, or the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund. New Jersey statutes require public depositories to maintain collateral for deposit of public funds that exceed insurance limits to protect deposits from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"). GUDPA was enacted in 1970 to protect Governmental Units from a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey.

N.J.S.A. 17:9-41 et. Seq. establishes the requirements for the security of deposits of governmental units. The statute requires that no governmental unit shall deposit public funds in a public depository unless such funds are secured in accordance with the Act. Public depositories include Savings and Loan institutions, banks (both state and national banks) and savings banks the deposits of which are federally insured. All public depositories must pledge collateral, having a market value at least equal to five (5) percent of the average daily balance of collected public funds; or if the public funds deposited exceed 75 percent of the capital funds of the depository, the depository must provide collateral having a market value equal to 100 percent of the amount exceeding 75 percent, to secure the deposits of governmental units.

All collateral must be deposited with the Federal Reserve Bank, the Federal Home Loan Bank Board or a banking institution that is a member of the Federal Reserve System and has capital funds of not less that \$25,000,000. If a public depository fails, the collateral it has pledged, plus the collateral of all other public depositories, is available to pay the full amount of their deposits to the Governmental Units.

As of December 31, 2015, cash and cash equivalents and investments of the Borough on deposit and onhand consisted of the following:

2015

Demand Accounts	\$5,835,996.72
Change Funds (On Hand)	400.00
NJCMF	<u>39,295.99</u>
Total	\$ <u>6,165,879.01</u>

Based upon GASB criteria, the Borough considers change funds; cash in banks, investments in certificates of deposit and State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund as cash and cash equivalents. At December 31, 2015, the carrying amount of the Borough's deposits was \$6,165,879.01, and the bank balance was \$6,241,280.63. Of the bank balance, \$500,000.00 was covered by federal depository insurance, \$5,701,984.64 was covered under the provisions of NJGUDPA and \$39,295.99 was held in cash management funds. In addition, \$426,687.32 was held by the Plan Administrator for the LOSAP Program (Unaudited).

Note 8: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Cont'd.)

The Borough has adopted the disclosure provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 40 "Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures" (GASB 40) an accordingly the Borough has assessed the Custodial Risk, the Concentration of Credit Risk and Interest Risk of its cash and investments, as follows:

- (a) Custodial Credit Risk The Borough's deposits are exposed to custodial credit risk if they are not covered by depository insurance and the deposits are: uncollateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent but not in the depositor-government's name. The deposit risk is that, in the event of the failure of a depository financial institution, the Borough will not be able to recover deposits or will not be able to recover collateral securities that are in possession of an outside party. The Borough's investment securities are exposed to custodial credit risk if the securities are uninsured, are not registered in the name of the Borough and are held by either: the counterparty or the counterparty's trust department or agent but not in the Borough's name. The investment risk is that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty to a transaction, the Borough will not be able to recover the value of the investment or collateral securities that are in possession of an outside party. Based upon the insured balances provided by FDIC and NJGUDPA coverages, none of the Borough's investments during the year and at year-end consisted of amount held in the New Jersey Cash Management Fund.
- (b) Concentration of Credit Risk This is the risk associated with the amount of investments that the Borough has with any one issuer that exceeds 5 percent or more of its total investments. Investments issued or explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government and investments in mutual funds, external investment pools, and other pooled investments are excluded from this requirement.
- (c) Credit Risk GASB 40 requires that disclosure be made as to the credit rating of all debt security investments except for obligations of the U.S. government or obligations explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government. This is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligation. In general, the Borough does not have an investment policy regarding Credit Risk except to the extent outlined under the Borough's investment policy.
- (d) Interest Rate Risk This is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The Borough does not have a formal policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from interest rate fluctuations.

As of December 31, the Borough was subject to Custodial Credit Risk in the following amounts:

Depository Account	Bank Balance
Insured—FDIC	\$500,000.00
Insured—NJGUDPA (N.J.S.A. 17:941)	5,701,984.64
Held by Trustee (LOSAP - unaudited)	426,687.32
Total	\$6,628,671.96

The Borough does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. Based upon existing deposit and investment strategies, the Borough's exposure is mitigated to credit risk, concentration of credit risk, interest rate and foreign currency risk and associated credit risk.

Note 8: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Cont'd.)

Investments

New Jersey statutes establish the following securities as eligible for the investment of Borough funds:

- 1. Bonds or other obligations of the United States of America or obligations guaranteed by the United States;
- 2. Government money market mutual funds;
- 3. Any obligation that a federal agency or a federal instrumentality has issued in accordance with an act of Congress, which security has a maturity date not greater than 397 days from the date of purchase, provided such obligation bear a fixed rate of interest not dependent on any index or other external factor;
- 4. Bonds or other obligations of the Township or bonds or other obligations of school districts of which the Township is a part and within which the school district is located;
- 5. Bonds or other obligations having a maturity date of not more than 397 days from the date of purchase that are approved by the Division of Investment of the Department of Treasury for investment by local units;
- 6. Local government investment pools;
- 7. Deposits with the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund established pursuant to section 1 of P.L. 1997, c. 281 (C.52:18A-90.4); or
- 8. Agreements for the repurchase of fully collateralized securities, if:
 - a. the underlying securities are permitted investments pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (3);
 - b. the custody of collateral is transferred to a third party;
 - c. the maturity of the agreement is more than 30 days; and
 - d. the underlying securities are purchased through a public depository as defined in section 1 of P.L. 1970, c.236 (C.19:9-41) and for which a master repurchase agreement providing for the custody and security of the collateral is executed.

<u>New Jersey Cash Management Fund</u> – All investments in the Fund are governed by the regulations of the Investment Council, which prescribe specific standards designed to insure the quality of investments and to minimize the risks related to investments. In all the years of the Division of Investment's existence, the Division has never suffered a default of principal or interest on any short-term security held by it due to the bankruptcy of a securities issuer; nevertheless, the possibility always exists, and for this reason a reserve is being accumulated as additional protection for the "Other Than State" participants. In addition to the Council regulations, the Division sets further standards for specific investments and monitors the credit of all eligible securities issuers on a regular basis. The Borough had \$39,295.99 invested in the New Jersey Cash Management Fund as at December 31, 2015.

Note 9: ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF PROPERTY TAXES

New Jersey statutes require that taxable valuation of real property be prepared by the Borough Tax Assessor as of October 1 in each year and filed with the County Board of Taxation by January 10 of the following year. Upon the filing of certified adopted budgets by the Borough, Local School District, County and Fire Districts, the tax rate is struck by the board based on the certified amounts in each of the taxing districts for collection to fund the budgets.Pursuant to statute, this process is to be completed on or before May 3, with a completed duplicate of the tax rolls to be delivered to the Borough Tax Collector on or before May 13th.

Tax bills are prepared and mailed by the Collector of Taxes of the Borough annually and set forth the final tax for the tax year. The bill contains a credit for preliminary amounts billed previously with the balance payable in equal installments on August 1st and November 1st of the tax year. In addition, the property owner receives a preliminary bill for the succeeding year based on one half of the prior year's tax. The preliminary payments are due and payable on February 1st and May 1st. The New Jersey Statutes allow a grace period of 10 days for each payment period and the Borough granted this option to taxpayers. Taxes become delinquent if not paid on the installment dates and become subject to interest penalties of 8% to 18% of the amount delinquent, and if a delinquency (including interest) is in excess of \$10,000.00 and remains in arrears after December 31, an additional flat penalty of 6% shall be charged against the delinquency. If taxes are delinquent on or after April 1st of the succeeding year, the delinquent amount is subject to "Tax Sale" which places a tax lien on the property allowing the holder to enforce the tax lien by collection or foreclosure. New Jersey property tax laws establish a tax lien on real estate as of January 1st of the current tax year even though the amount due is not known.

NOTE 10. PENSION PLANS

Description of Plans – The State of New Jersey, Division of Pension and Benefits (the Division) was created and exists pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:18A to oversee and administer the pension trust and other postemployment benefit plans sponsored by the State of New Jersey (the State). According to the State of New Jersey Administrative Code, all obligations of the Systems will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should the plans terminate. Each defined benefit pension plan's designated purpose is to provide retirement, death and disability benefits to its members. The authority to amend the provision of plan rests with new legislation passed by the State of New Jersey. Pension reforms enacted pursuant to Chapter 78, P.L. 2011 included provisions creating special Pension Plan Design Committees for the public Employees Retirement System (PERS) and the Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS), once a Target Funded Ratio (TFR) is met, that will have the discretionary authority to modify certain plan design features, including member contribution rate; formula for calculation of final compensation or final salary; fraction used to calculate a retirement allowance; age at which a member may be eligible and the benefits for service or early retirement; and benefits provided for disability retirement. The committee will also have the authority to reactivate the cost of living adjustment (COLA) on pensions.

However, modifications can only be made to the extent that the resulting impact does not cause the funded ratio to drop below the TFR in any one year of a 30 year projection period. The Division issues a publicly available financial report that includes the financial statements and required supplementary information for each of the plans. This report may be accessed via the Division of Pensions and Benefits website, at <u>www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions</u>, or may be obtained by writing to the Division of Pensions and Benefits, PO Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey, 08625.

A. PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Public Employee Retirement System is a cost-sharing, multiple employer defined benefit pension plan as defined in GASB Statement No. 68. The Plan is administered by The New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits (Division). The more significant aspects of the PERS Plan are as follows:

Plan Membership and Contributing Employers- Substantially all full-time employees of the State of New Jersey or any county, municipality, school district or public agency are enrolled in PERS, provided the employee is not required to be a member of another state-administered retirement system or other state pension fund or other jurisdiction's pension fund. Membership and contributing employers of the defined benefit pension plans consisted of the following at June 30, 2014:

Inactive plan members or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	160,716
Inactive plan members entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	730
Active plan members	<u>266,526</u>
Total	<u>427,972</u>

Contributing Employers – 1,707

Significant Legislation – For State of New Jersey contributions to PERS, Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, required the State to resume making actuarially recommended contributions to the pension plan on a phased-in basis over a seven year period beginning in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012. For State fiscal year 2014, the State was required to make a minimum contribution representing 3/7th of the actuarially determined contribution amount based on the July 1, 2012 actuarial valuation.

Chapter 19, P.L. 2009, effective March 17, 2009, provided an option for local employers of PERS to contribute 50% of the normal and accrued liability contribution amounts certified for payments due in State Fiscal Year 2009. Such an employer will be credited with the full payment and any such amounts will not be included in their unfunded liability. The actuaries will determine the unfunded liability of PERS, by employer, for the reduced normal and accrued liability contributions provided under this law. This unfunded liability will be paid by the employer in level annual payments over a period of 15 years beginning with the payments due in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012 and will be adjusted by the rate of return on the actuarial value of assets.

Pursuant to the provision of Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, COLA increases were suspended for all current and future retirees of PERS.

For the year ended December 31, 2015 the Borough's total payroll for all employees was \$4,840,011.17. Total PERS covered payroll was \$1,258,125.00. Due to payroll system limitations, covered payroll refers to pensionable compensation, rather than total compensation, paid by the Borough to active employees covered by the Plan.

A. PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CONT'D.)

Specific Contribution Requirements and benefit provisions – The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A 43:15 and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Members contribute at a uniform rate. Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, the active member contribution rate increased from 5.5% of annual compensation to 6.5% plus an additional 1% phased-in over 7 years beginning in July 2012. The member contribution rate was 6.78% in State fiscal year 2014 and increased to 6.92 for State fiscal year 2015, commencing July 1, 2015. The phase-in of the additional incremental member contribution rate will take place in July of each subsequent State fiscal year. Employers contribution amounts are based on an actuarially determined rate. The annual employer contributions include funding for basic retirement allowances and noncontributory death benefits. The Borough's cash basis contributions to the Plan for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2015 were \$170,562 and \$175,828, respectively. Borough contributions are due and payable on April 1st in the second fiscal period subsequent to plan year for which the contributions requirements were calculated. Borough payments to PERS for the years ending December 31, 2014 and 2015 consisted of the following:

	2014	2015
Normal Cost Amortization of Accrued Liability	\$ 26,062 <u>114,584</u>	\$ 24,563 <u>113,622</u>
Total Pension NCGI Premiums	140,646 <u>2,392</u>	138,185 <u>9,359</u>
Total Regular Billing Additional Billings:	143,038	147,544
Ch. 19, P.L. 2009	9,513	9,732
ERI #1	10,617	10,936
ERI #2	7,394	7,616
Total PERS Payment	<u>\$170,562</u>	<u>\$175,828</u>

Ch. 19, P.L. 2009 billings reflect the recoupment of the 50% deferral of normal and accrued liability costs due on April 1, 2009. The law set a fifteen year repayment schedule for the deferred amount, with additional annual adjustments to reflect the return on investment of actuarial net assets of the plan on deferred principal balances.

ERI #1 billings reflect the recoupment of the additional costs of pensions and health benefits, plus interest, resulting from the Borough's participation in the 1991 early retirement program. The repayment term is 27 years, commencing with bills due on April 1, 1995.

ERI #2 billings reflect the recoupment of the additional costs of pensions and health benefits, plus interest, resulting from the Borough's participation in the 1993 early retirement program. A variety of repayment terms were offered as pert of this retirement incentive program.

The Borough recognizes liabilities to PERS and records expenditures for same in the fiscal period that bills become due.

A. PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CONT'D.)

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15. PERS provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of PERS.

The following represents the membership tiers for PERS:

<u>Tier</u>

Definition

- 1 Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007.
- 2 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 8, 2008
- 3 Members who were eligible on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010
- 4 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
- 5 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

A service retirement benefit of 1/55th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reaching age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tier 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, to tier 3 and 4 members before age 62 and tier 5 members with 30 or more years of service credit before age 65. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the retirement age of his/her respective tier. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least 10 years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions – The regulatory basis of accounting which is basis for the preparation of the Borough's basic financial statements does not require or permit the inclusion of entity-wide, full accrual basis financial statements. Accordingly, the Borough does not recognize pension liabilities for any current or prior period until the fiscal period in which such payments will become due and payable.

At June 30, 2014, the PERS reported a net pension liability of \$18,722,735,003 for its Non-State Employer Member Group. The Borough's proportionate share of the net pension liability for the Non-State Employer Member Group that is attributable to the Borough was \$3,350,892 or 0.017897%. At June 30, 2013, the PERS reported a net pension liability of \$19,111,986,911 for its Non-State Employer Member Group. The proportionate share of the State of New Jersey's the net pension liability for the Non-State Employer Member Group that is attributable to the Borough was \$3,628,155 or 0.018983%.

Actuarial Assumptions- The total pension liability in the June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	3.01%
Salary Increases (2012-2021)	2.15-4.40% Based on age
Thereafter Investment rate of return	3.15-5.40% Based on age 7.90%

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Table for Males or Females, as appropriate with adjustments for mortality improvements based on Scale AA.

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A. PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CONT'D.)

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 rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2014 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class

Cash	0.08%
Core Bonds	2.49%
Intermediate-Term Bonds	2.26%
Mortgages	2.17%
High Yield Bonds	4.82%
Inflation-Indexed Bonds	3.51%
Broad US Equities	8.22%
Developed Foreign Equities	8.12%
Emerging Market Equities	9.91%
Private Equity	13.02%
Hedge Funds/Absolute Return	4.92%
Private Equity Hedge Funds/Absolute Return Real Estate (Property) Commodities	

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the pension liabilities of PERS was 5.39%

Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability – the following presents the net pension liability of PERS calculated using the discount rates as disclosed above as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower or 1 percentage rate higher than the current rate:

At 1% Decrease	At current discount rate	At 1% increase
\$47,326,289,075	\$38,849,838,953	\$31,735,758,503

Plan Fiduciary Net Position – The plan fiduciary net position for PERS, including the State of New Jersey, at June 30, 2014 was \$28,999,581,773. Information regarding the portion of the Plan Fiduciary Net Position that was allocable to the Local (Non-State) Group was not available.

B. POLICE AND FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Police and Firemen's Retirement System is a cost-sharing, multiple employer defined benefit pension plan as defined in GASB Statement No. 68. The Plan is administered by The New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits (Division). The more significant aspects of the PFRS Plan are as follows:

Plan Membership and Contributing Employers- Substantially all full-time county and municipal police and firemen and state firemen or officer employees with police powers appointed after June 30, 1944 are enrolled in PFRS Membership and contributing employers of the defined benefit pension plans consisted of the following at June 30, 2014:

Inactive plan members or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	42,576
Inactive plan members entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	55
Active plan members	<u>40,106</u>
Total	<u>82,737</u>

Contributing Employers – 585

In addition to the State, who is the sole payer of regular employer contributions to the fund, PFRS's contributing employers include boards of education who elected to participate in the Early Retirement Incentive Program (ERIP) and are legally responsible to continue to pay towards their incurred liability. The current number of ERIP Contributing Employers is 26.

Significant Legislation – For State of New Jersey contributions to PFRS, Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, required the State to resume making actuarially recommended contributions to the pension plan on a phased-in basis over a seven year period beginning in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012. For State fiscal year 2014, the State was required to make a minimum contribution representing 3/7th of the actuarially determined contribution amount based on the July 1, 2012 actuarial valuation.

Pursuant to the provision of Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, COLA increases were suspended for all current and future retirees of PFRS.

For the year ended December 31, 2015 the Borough's total payroll for all employees was \$4,840,011.17.. Total PFRS covered payroll was \$2,325,819.00. Due to payroll system limitations, covered payroll refers to pensionable compensation, rather than total compensation, paid by the Borough to active employees covered by the Plan.

Specific Contribution Requirements and benefit provisions – The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 43:16A and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, the active member contributions rate increased from 8.5% of annual compensation to 10.0% in October 2011. Employer contribution amounts are based on an actuarially determined rate. The annual employer contributions include funding for basic retirement allowances and noncontributory death benefits. The Borough's cash basis contributions to the Plan for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2015 were \$602,987 and \$652,545, respectively. Borough contributions are due and payable on April 1st in the second fiscal period subsequent to plan year for which the contributions requirements were calculated. Borough payments to PFRS made in the years ending December 31, 2014 and 2015 consisted of the following:

B. POLICE AND FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CONT'D.)

	2014	<u>2015</u>
Normal Cost Amortization of Accrued Liability	\$196,726 <u>323,842</u>	\$ 201,851 <u>360,200</u>
Total Pension NCGI Premiums	520,568 <u>19,867</u>	562,051 <u>26,395</u>
Total Regular Billing	540,435	588,446
Additional Billings: Ch. 19, P.L. 2009 ERI #1	32,741 29,811	33,394 <u>30,705</u>
Total PFRS Payment	<u>\$602,987</u>	<u>\$652,545</u>

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:16A. PFRS provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for disability benefits, which vest after 4 years of service.

The following represents the membership tiers for PFRS:

<u>Tier</u>

Definition

- 1 Members who were enrolled prior to May 22, 2010
- 2 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
- 3 Members who were eligible on or after June 28, 2011

Service retirement benefits are available at age 55 and are generally determined to be 2% of final compensation for each year of creditable service, as defined, up to 30 years plus 1% for each year of service in excess of 30 years. Members may seek special retirement after achieving 25 years of creditable service, in which benefits would equal 65% (tiers 1 and 2 members) and 60% (tier 3 members) of final compensation plus 1% for each year of creditable service over 25 years but not to exceed 30 years. Members may elect deferred retirement benefits after achieving ten years of service, in which case benefits would begin at age 55 equal to 2% of final compensation for each year of service.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions – The regulatory basis of accounting which is basis for the preparation of the Borough's basic financial statements does not require or permit the inclusion of entity-wide, full accrual basis financial statements. Accordingly, the Borough does not recognize pension liabilities for any current or prior period until the fiscal period in which such payments will become due and payable.

At June 30, 2014, the PFRS reported a net pension liability of \$12,579,072,492 for its Non-State, Non-Special Funding Situation Employer Member Group. The Borough's proportionate share of the net pension liability for the Non-State Non-Special Funding Situation Employer Member Group was \$9,637,291, or 0.076613%. At June 30, 2013, the PFRS reported a net pension liability of \$13,294,097,604 for its Non-State, Non-Special Funding Situation Employer Member Group. The Borough's proportionate share of the net pension liability for the Non-State, Non-Special Funding Situation Employer Member Group. The Borough's proportionate share of the net pension liability for the Non-State Non-Special Funding Situation Employer Member Group.

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B. POLICE AND FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CONT'D.)

Actuarial Assumptions- The total pension liability in the June 30, 2014 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	3.01%
Salary Increases (2012-2021)	3.95-8.62% based on age
Thereafter	4.95-9.62% based on age
Investment rate of return	7.90%

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Table for Males or Females, as appropriate with adjustments for mortality improvements based on Scale AA.

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 rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2014 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class

Discount Rate – The discount rate used to measure the pension liabilities of PFRS was 6.32%

Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability – the following presents the net pension liability of PFRS calculated using the discount rates as disclosed above as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower or 1 percentage rate higher than the current rate:

At 1% Decrease	At current discount rate	At 1% increase
\$23,072,855,582	\$17,486,678,618	\$12,872,088,327

Plan Fiduciary Net Position – The plan fiduciary net position for PFRS at June 30, 2014 was \$25,020,485,785.

C: DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN

The Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (DCRP) is a multiple employer defined contribution plan as defined in GASB Statement No. 68. The Plan is administered by The New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits (Division). The more significant aspects of the DCRP are as follows:

Plan Membership and Contributing Employers- Enrollment in the DCRP is required for state or local officials, elected or appointed on or after July 1, 2007; employees enrolled in PFRS or PERS on or after July 1, 2007, who earn salary in excess of established "maximum compensation" limits; employees otherwise eligible to enroll in PFRS or PERS on or after November 2, 2008, who do not earn the minimum annual salary for tier 3 enrollment but who earn salary of at least \$5,000 annually; and employees otherwise eligible to enroll in PFRS or PERS or PERS after May 21, 2010, who do not work the minimum number of hours per week required for tier 4 or tier 5 enrollment, but who earn salary of at least \$5,000 annually. At June 30, 2014, the membership in the DCRP, based on the information within the Division's database, was 28,270.

Contribution Requirement and Benefit Provisions - State and local government employers contribute 3% of the employees base salary. Active members contribute 5.5% of base salary.

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

For the year ended December 31, 2015 the Borough had no employees eligible for enrollment in the DCRP.

Note 11: POST EMPLOYMENT HEALTH BENEFITS

Plan Description: The Borough of Bound Brook contributes to the State Health Benefits Program (SHBP), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit post-employment healthcare plan administered by the State of New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits. SHBP was established in 1961 under N.J.S.A. 52:14-17.25 et seq., to provide health benefits to State employees, retirees, and their dependents. Rules governing the operation and administration of the program are found in Title 17, Chapter 9 of the New Jersey Administrative Code. SHBP provides medical, prescription drugs, mental health/substance abuse, and Medicare Part B reimbursement to retirees and their covered dependents.

The SHBP was extended to employees, retirees, and dependents of participating local public employers in 1964. The Borough of Bound Brook provides postretirement health benefits to retirees of the PBA, SOA and AFSCME only. All active full time employees are covered by the SHBP.

The State Health Benefits Commission is the executive body established by statute to be responsible for the operation of the SHBP. The State of New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the SHBP. That report may be obtained by writing to: State of New Jersey Division of Pensions and by 08625-0295 visiting website NJ or their Box 295. Trenton. Benefits. P.O. www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

Note 11: POST EMPLOYMENT HEALTH BENEFITS (CONT'D.)

Funding Policy: Participating employers are contractually required to be contributed based on the amount of premiums attributable to their retirees. Post-retirement medical benefits under the plan have been funded on a pay-as-you-go basis since 1994. Prior to 1994, medical benefits were funded on an actuarial basis.

All employees of the Borough are entitled to post employment health benefits, excluding dental coverage, at existing pre-retirement levels, upon retirement with twenty-five years of service as an employee of the Borough, pursuant to the provisions of C.78, P.L. 2011. The Borough's share of premiums to pay for the health premiums of participating retirees in the SHBP are billed to the Borough of Bound Brook on a monthly basis. Employees with less than 20 years of creditable service as of June 28, 2011 are, upon qualified retirement, required to contribute to the costs of post employment health insurance. Contributions are calculated on a sliding scale and are based upon the amount of the retirement allowance provided by the pension system. No contribution is required for retirees and active employees with 20 or more years of creditable service as of June 28, 2011.

Note 12: COMPENSATED ABSENCES

Under existing collective bargaining agreements and personnel policies of the Borough, employees are allowed to accumulate unused compensatory, vacation and sick pay over the life of their working careers, which may be taken as time off, additional annual pay, or as termination payments upon retirement, at agreed upon rates. At December 31, 2015, the estimated value of accumulated and unused compensated absences, was \$536,616.17.

Under accounting principles and practices prescribed by the Division of local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the accumulated cost of such unpaid compensation is not required to be recorded and/or reported in the Borough's financial statements. Any required payments are recorded as expenditures in the year of projected disbursement and accordingly, no liability has been accrued as at December 31, 2015.

Note 13: LEASES

The Borough has acquired vehicles and equipment through a leasing program sponsored by the Somerset County Improvement Authority and financed by TD Equipment Finance, Inc. Significant terms and minimum payments relating to the leases are as follows:

2013 Lease Pro	ogram:		2014 Lease Program:			
Date: Amount: Interest Rate:	October 11, 2013 \$103,304.67 1.90%		Date: Amount: Interest Rate:		y 1, 2014 93,883.65 0%	
and the second s	t Schedule: <u>yment Principal</u> <u>707.76</u> <u>\$35,059.15</u>	<u>Interest</u> <u>\$648.61</u>	Lease Paymen <u>Date Paym</u> 5/1/16 \$35,91 5/1/17 <u>35,91</u> Totals <u>\$71,82</u>	ent 6.91 6.91	dule: <u>Principal</u> \$34,623.97 <u>35,264.52</u> <u>\$69,888.49</u>	<u>Interest</u> \$1,292.94 <u>652.39</u> <u>\$1,945.33</u>

Note 14: LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM (LOSAP) - UNAUDITED

The Borough has instituted a Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) pursuant to section 457(e) of the Internal Revenue Code and P.L. 1997, C. 388 as amended by P.L. 2001, C. 272 of the Statutes of New Jersey. The program provides for fixed annual contributions to a deferred income account for volunteer firefighters and first aid and rescue squad members who meet specified service criteria. In accordance with State of New Jersey regulations, LOSAP is subject to an accountant's review report and is unaudited. The unaudited LOSAP balances are included within the Trust Fund.

Note 15: RISK MANAGEMENT

The Borough, together with other governmental units, is a member of the Middlesex County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (the Fund). The Fund, which is organized and operated pursuant to the regulatory authority of the Departments of Insurance and Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, provides for a pooling of risks, subject to established limits and deductibles. The Fund's governing board based upon actuarial and budgetary requirements calculates payments to the Fund. Each participant in the Fund is jointly and severably obligated for any deficiency in the amount available to pay all claims. Lines of coverage provided by the Fund include property; boiler and machinery; equipment floater; auto physical; blanket bond; auto liability; general liability; law enforcement liability; public official liability and worker compensation and employer liability. Information relating to coverage levels, deductibles, budgets and audited financial statements may be obtained by contacting the fund at:

MCMJIF 1 Jocama Blvd., Suite 2B Old Bridge, NJ 08857

Note 16: INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

The following interfund balances remained on the balance sheets as of December 31, 2015:

Fund	Interfund <u>Receivable</u>	Interfund Payable
Current Fund S & F Grant Fund Assessment Trust Fund Animal Control Fund Other Trust Fund	\$ 185.26 274,831.86 495,152.23	\$2,167,662.56 174.44 10.82 2,500.00
General Capital Fund	1,400,178.48	
Total	\$2,170,347.83	\$2,170,347.83

Note 17: COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Federal and State Assistance Programs

The Borough participates in several federal and state financial assistance grant programs. Entitlement to the funds is generally conditioned upon compliance with terms and conditions of the grant agreements and applicable regulations, including the expenditures of funds for eligible purposes. These programs are also subject to compliance and financial audits by the grantors or their representatives. As of December 31, 2015, the Borough does not believe that any material liabilities will result from such audits.

Contingencies-Pending Litigation

As at the date of this report, Management indicates that the Borough was not involved in any pending or threatened litigation nor any unasserted claims or assessments requiring disclosure in the financial statements.

Note 18: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Bond Sale

The Borough authorized the issuance of General Improvement Bonds on March 8, 2016. The Bonds will refund and permanently finance existing Bond Anticipation Notes maturing April 22, 2016.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK

SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

PART II

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Schedule - 1

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY <u>PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (Local Group)</u>

	Last 10 Fiscal Years*		
	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	
Borough's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.000189837	0.000178974	
Borough's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$3,628,155	\$3,350,892	
Borough's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$1,197,161	\$1,217,865	
Borough's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a percentage of the Covered-Employee Payroll	303.06%	275.14%	
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability	48.72%	52.08%	

* Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of June 30.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S CONTRIBUTIONS <u>PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (Local Group)</u>

	Last 10 Fiscal Years*			
		<u>2014</u>		<u>2015</u>
Contractually Required Contribution	\$	55,191	\$	57,276
Contribution in Relation to Contractually Required Contribution	\$	(55,191)	\$	(57,276)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$	-	\$	-
Borough's Proportionate Share of the Payroll	\$	1,217,865	\$	1,258,125
Contributions as a percentage of Covered Employee Payroll		4.53%		4.55%

* Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of June 30.

Note: Due to limitations within the system, payroll for Covered Employees as reported reflects "Pensionable Salaries" only. Specifically not included are overtime pay and special duty pay funded by third parties.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY POLICE AND FIREMENS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (Non-State, Non Special Funding Employer Group)

	Last 10 Fiscal Years*				
	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>			
Proportion of the Non-State Employer Group Net Pension Liability attributable to the District	0.00074075	0.00076614			
Share of the Liability of the State of New Jersey for the Net Pension Liability of the Non-State Employer Group	\$9,847,608	\$9,637,291			
District's Covered-Employee Payroll	\$2,172,315	\$2,256,044			
Share of the Liability of the State of New Jersey for the Net Pension Liability of the Non-State Employer Group as a percentage of the District's Covered-Employee Payroll	453.32%	427.18%			
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a percentage of the Total Pension Liability (See Note Below)	55.71%	58.86%			

* Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of June 30.

Note: Due to limitations within the system, payroll for Covered Employees as reported reflects "Pensionable Salaries" only. Specifically not included are overtime pay and special duty pay funded by third parties.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S CONTRIBUTIONS POLICE AND FIREMENS RETIREMENT SYSTEM (Non-State, Non Special Funding Employer Group)

	Last 10 Fiscal Years*						
	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>					
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 602,987	\$ 652,545					
Contribution in Relation to Contractually Required Contribution	\$ (602,987)	\$ (652,545)					
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$-	\$-					
Borough's Proportionate Share of the Payroll	\$ 2,256,044	\$ 2,325,819					
Contributions as a percentage of Covered Employee Payroll	26.73%	28.06%					

* Amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of June 30.

Note: Due to limitations within the system, payroll for Covered Employees as reported reflects "Pensionable Salaries" only. Specifically not included are overtime pay and special duty pay funded by third parties.

Note: Contractually required contributions include mandated annual payments resulting from the Borough's participation in authorized ERI and pension deferral programs. See Note 9.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK

SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

PART III

SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES

Current Fund

CURRENT FUND SCHEDULE OF CASH TRANSACTIONS

<u>Ref.</u>

Cash Balance - December 31, 2014	А		\$	3,691,121.57
Increased by Cash Receipts				
Petty Cash Returned	A-5	200.00		
Due NJ Sr Citizens and Veterans Deductions	A-6	65,535.00		
Taxes Receivable	A- 7	23,469,291.88		
Tax Title Liens	A-8	9,729.27		
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-9	3,604,623.94		
Sewer Rents Receivable	A-10	1,065,555.79		
Refuse Disposal Fees	A-11	422,533.86		
Grant Funds Received	A-12	60,176.15		
Interfunds	A-12	248,509.86		
Tax Overpayments	A-17	85,503.63		
Prepaid 2016 Property Taxes	A-18	54,353.40		
Prepaid Refuse Disposal Fees	A-21	25,919.32		
Other Reserves	A-23	253,500.00		
Refunds-Contra	Contra	808,200.43		
Total Cash Receipts				30,173,632.53
				33,864,754.10
Decreased by Disbursements				
Refunds Prior Year Revenues	A-1	8,447.71		
Budget Appropriations	A-3, A-10	11,917,869.90		
Petty Cash Advanced	A- 5	200.00		
		200.00		
	A-12	98,234.03		
Grant Fund Expenditures				
Grant Fund Expenditures Interfunds	A-12	98,234.03		
Grant Fund Expenditures Interfunds Appropriation Reserves	A-12 A-12	98,234.03 1,309,000.00		
Grant Fund Expenditures Interfunds Appropriation Reserves Non-Municipal Taxes Payable	A-12 A-12 A- 15	98,234.03 1,309,000.00 208,305.17		
Grant Fund Expenditures Interfunds Appropriation Reserves Non-Municipal Taxes Payable Tax Overpayment Refunds	A-12 A-12 A- 15 A-16	98,234.03 1,309,000.00 208,305.17 16,041,705.28		
Grant Fund Expenditures Interfunds Appropriation Reserves Non-Municipal Taxes Payable	A-12 A-12 A- 15 A-16 A-17	98,234.03 1,309,000.00 208,305.17 16,041,705.28 83,781.15	-	
Grant Fund Expenditures Interfunds Appropriation Reserves Non-Municipal Taxes Payable Tax Overpayment Refunds	A-12 A-12 A- 15 A-16 A-17	98,234.03 1,309,000.00 208,305.17 16,041,705.28 83,781.15	-	30,475,743.67
Grant Fund Expenditures Interfunds Appropriation Reserves Non-Municipal Taxes Payable Tax Overpayment Refunds Refunds-Contra	A-12 A-12 A- 15 A-16 A-17	98,234.03 1,309,000.00 208,305.17 16,041,705.28 83,781.15	- 	30,475,743.67 3,389,010.43

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Exhibit A-5

CURRENT FUND SCHEDULE OF CHANGE PETTY CASH AND CHANGE FUNDS

		BALANCE DECEMBER 31 2014	-	ADVANCED		RETURNED	-	BALANCE DECEMBER 31 2015
Change Funds: Tax Collector Municipal Court Borough Clerk	\$	150.00 200.00 50.00	\$		\$		\$	150.00 200.00 50.00
Petty Cash Funds				200.00	-	200.00	-	
	\$	400.00	=\$	200.00	-\$	200.00	=\$	<u> </u>
	Ref.	А		A-4		A-4		А

Exhibit - A-6

SCHEDULE OF DUE FROM STATE OF NEW JERSEY -FOR ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS PER CHAPTER 20, P.L. 1976 <u>CURRENT FUND</u>

REF.

Balance - December 31, 2014		\$	65,248.10
Increased by: Allowable Deductions per Tax Billings	67,750.00		
2015 Sr. Citizens and Vet. Ded. Allowed by Collector	1,625.00		<u>69,375.00</u> 134,623.10
Decreased by: Collected 2015 Sr. Citizens and Vet.	65,535.00		
Ded. Disallowed by Collector Uncollectible Prior Year	2,500.00		
Balance Cancelled	65,248.10		133,283.10
Balance - December 31, 2015		\$_	1,340.00
Analysis of Sr. Citizens & Veterans Deductions Allowed - 2015 Taxes			
Per Tax Billings Allowed (Disallowed) by Tax Collector (Net)			67,750.00 (875.00)
		\$	66,875.00

Exhibit - A-7

SCHEDULE OF TAXES RECEIVABLE AND ANALYSIS OF PROPERTY TAX LEVY CURRENT FUND

YEAR		BALANCE <u>DEC. 31,2014</u>	<u>2015 LEVY</u>	<u>COLLECTI</u> 2014	IONS BY CASH 2015	STATE SHARE OF SR. CIT & VET. DEDUCTIONS	REMITTED OR <u>CANCELLED</u>	TRANSFER <u>TO TTL</u>	OVERPAYMENT <u>APPLIED</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31,2015
2014	\$	484,652.60 \$	\$_	\$\$	481,369.14	§	\$ <u>2,210.04</u> \$	1,073.42	\$\$	
		484,652.60	-	-	481,369.14	-	2,210.04	1,073.42		-
2015			23,720,518.71	72,424.21	22,987,922.74	66,875.00	41,727.80	14,275.55	10,982.03	526,311.38
	\$	484,652.60_\$	<u>23,720,518.71</u> \$	<u>72,424.21</u> \$	23,469,291.88	§ <u> </u>	\$ <u>43,937.84</u> \$	15,348.97	\$ <u>10,982.03</u> \$	526,311.38
Re	<u>ef.</u>	A	Reserve	A-2, A-15	A-2, A-4	A-2, A-8	Reserve	A-10	A-2, A-15	Α
Analysis of 2015	Pror	perty Tax Levy:								
Tax Yield:			<u>Ref.</u>							
General Purpose Special District T				23,659,101.09 61,417.62						
				:	23,720,518.71					
Tax Levy:										
Local School Tay Special District T County Tax (Abs County Library T County Open Sp Added County Tay	Fax stract) Fax (A ace Ta) Abstract)	A-12 A-12 A-12 A-12 A-12	13,127,270.00 61,417.62 2,301,357.90 337,998.45 217,450.01 6,425.92						
Local Tax for Mi Add: Additional		urposes (Abstract) Levied	A-2	7,618,204.77 50,394.04	16,051,919.90					
					7,668,598.81 23,720,518.71					

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SCHEDULE OF TAX TITLE LIENS CURRENT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance - December 31, 2014	А	\$	28,208.66
Increased by: Transfer from Taxes Receivable	A - 7	_	15,348.97
			43,557.63
Decreased by: Collections	A-4		9,729.27
Balance - December 31, 2013	Α	\$ _	33,828.36

SCHEDULE OF REVENUE ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE <u>CURRENT FUND</u>

	<u>REF.</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	2015 <u>ACCRUED</u>	2015 <u>COLLECTED</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Alcoholic Beverage Licenses	A-2	\$	\$40,688.00	\$40,688.00	\$
Other Licenses		·	34,520.00	34,520.00	
Fees and Permits:	A-2				
Clerk	A-2		8,162.00	8,162.00	
Registrar	A-2		5,054.00	5,054.00	
Rental Inspection Fees	A-2		5,400.00	5,400.00	
Planning Fees	A-2		2,050.00	2,050.00	
Zoning Fees	A-2		5,850.00	5,850.00	
Resale Fees	A-2		8,190.00	8,190.00	
Misc.	A-2		405.00	405.00	
Interest and Costs on Taxes	A-2		164,288.20	164,288.20	
Parking Meter - Municipal	A-2		38,108.57	38,108.57	
Interest on Investments and Deposits	A-2		11,973.89	11,973.89	
Parking Lot Fees	A-2		141,671.66	141,671.66	
Cable TV Franchise Fee	A-2		115,516.79	115,516.79	
Uniform Construction Code Fees	A-2		288,832.00	288,832.00	
General Capital Fund Balance	A-2		58,000.00	58,000.00	
Administrative Fees-Off Duty Police	A-2		126,379.83	126,379.83	
MCUA Refund	A-2		15,011.32	15,011.32	
County Library Payment	A-2		20,897.00	20,897.00	
Uniform Fire Safety Act - LEA Rebates	A-2		12,784.20	12,784.20	
Inspection Fees	A-2		102,929.31	102,929.31	
Rent from South Bound Brook Court	A-2		5,967.17	5,967.17	
Train Station Rent	A-2		23,940.00	23,940.00	
PILOT Payment	A-2		94,818.66	94,818.66	
Bolmer-Sewer Charges	A-2		120,000.00	120,000.00	
Meridia Payment	A-2		30,000.00	30,000.00	
Meridia Agreement	A-2		600,000.00	600,000.00	
Energy Receipts Tax	A-2		938,673.29	938,673.29	
Consolidated Municipal Property Tax	A-2		169,132.30	169,132.30	
Relief Act		22,125.69	304,342.23	300,115.29	
Municipal Court - Fines & Costs	A-2	22,125.09	304,342.23		20,332.03
		22,125.69	3,493,585.42	3,489,358.48	26,352.63
Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated:					
FEMA Reimbursements			72,048.62	72,048.62	
Property Maintenance			25,269.25	25,269.25	
Alarm Registration			395.00	395.00	
Fire Prevention Bureau			1,360.00	1,360.00	
Sr. Cit. & Vet. Admin. Fee			1,285.00		
Miscellaneous			14,907.59	14,907.59	-
	A-2		115,265.46	115,265.46	
		\$22,125.69	\$3,608,850.88	\$3,604,623.94	\$26,352.63
<u>Ref.</u>		Α	Reserve	A-4	Α

SCHEDULE OF SEWER RENTS RECEIVABLE <u>CURRENT FUND</u>

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance - December 31, 2014	А	\$	116,200.96
Increased by: Sewer Rent Billings	Reserve	-	1,082,951.27
Decreased by: Collected Prepaid Rents Applied	A-2, A-4 1,0 A-2 , A-22)65,555.79 2,685.95	1,199,152.23
		-	1,068,241.74
Balance - December 31, 2015	Α	\$ =	130,910.49

Exhibit - A-11

SCHEDULE OF REFUSE DISPOSAL FEES RECEIVABLE <u>CURRENT FUND</u>

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance - December 31, 2014	А	\$	46,325.22
Increased by: Refuse Disposal Fee Billings and Sticker Sales	Reserve		450,699.16
Decreased by: Collected Prepaid Fees Applied Remitted & Cancelled	A-2, A-4 A-2, A-21 Reserve	422,533.86 19,245.50 884.03	497,024.38
			442,663.39
Balance - December 31, 2015	Α	\$	54,360.99

CURRENT FUND SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	INCREASES	DECREASES	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Interfunds Loans Due From or (To):					
Assessment Trust Fund	\$	174.66 \$	-	\$ 0.22	\$ 174.44
Animal Control Trust Fund		38,873.35	9,006.23	47,868.76	10.82
Trust Other Fund		(294,467.94)	200,684.29		(495,152.23)
Grant Fund		(312,889.73)	149,542.57	187,600.45	(274,831.85)
General Capital Fund		(2,697,634.77)	43.71	1,300,000.00	(1,397,678.48)
Total	9	<u>(3,265,944.43)</u>	5 359,276.80	\$ <u>1,535,469.43</u>	\$ (2,167,477.30)
	<u>Ref.</u>	Α			Α
Receivables Payables		39,048.01 (3,304,992.44)			185.26 (2,167,662.56)
Total	9	\$ (3,265,944.43)			\$ <u>(2,167,477.30)</u>
Grant Revenues Realized Grant Appropriations Charged Grants Deposited to Current Fund Grant Expenditures Paid by Current Cash Received Cash Disbursed Interest Earnings Total	A-2 A-3 A-4 A-4 A-4 A-4 Reserve		89,366.42 60,176.15 200,641.10 9,000.00 93.13 \$ <u>359,276.80</u>	89,366.42 98,234.03 47,868.76 1,300,000.00 0.22 \$ 1,535,469.43	

SCHEDULE OF DEFERRED CHARGES

	<u>Ref.</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	F	SULTING ROM <u>Y 2014</u>		RAISED IN 2015 <u>BUDGET</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
Emergency Authorization	A-3	\$ 150,750.00	\$		\$	150,750.00	\$	-
Overexpenditure of 2015 Appropriations	A-3			7,060.00				7,060.00
	:	\$		7,060.00	\$	-	. *_	7,060.00
	<u>Ref.</u>	A	A	A-1, A-3		A-3		А
								Exhibit - A-14
	<u>SCHE</u>	DULE OF RESER	<u>VE FOR E</u>	NCUMBRA	NCES			
				<u>REF.</u>				
Balance - December 31, 2014				A				45,922.55
Increased by: 2015 Budget Encumbrances				A-3				67,463.46
2015 Buuget Encumbrances								113,386.01
Decreased by: Tranferred to 2014 Appropriation Reserves				A-15				45,922.55
Balance - December 31, 2015				Α			=	67,463.46

Exhibit - A-13

SCHEDULE OF 2014 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

Exhibit - A	1-15
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		BALANCE- APPROP. <u>RESERVES</u>	DEC. 31, 2014 RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES	AMOUNT AFTER <u>MODIFICATION</u>	PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>	BALANCE <u>LAPSED</u>
OPERATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"						
GENERAL GOVERNMENT						
Administrative and Executive:	\$	0.82	\$	\$ 0.82	\$	
Salaries and Wages	Ψ	61.68	99.50	2,784.18	2,783.19	0.99
Other Expenses						
Municipal Clerk:		0.30		0.30		0.30
Salaries and Wages		4.11		657.11	656.26	0.85
Other Expenses						
Elections:		0.43		0.43		0.43
Other Expenses Financial Administration:						
		0.90		0.90		0.90
Salaries and Wages		2,613.49		247.49	247.27	0.22
Other Expenses Assessment of Taxes:						
Salaries and Wages		0.05		0.05		0.05
Other Expenses		0.40	556.94	562.34	562.12	0.22
Collection of Taxes:						0.70
Salaries and Wages		0.69		0.69		0.69
Other Expenses		57.88	115.40	2,973.28	2,972.50	0.78
Legal Services and Costs:						0.41
Other Expenses		16,685.38		23,950.38	23,949.97	0.41
Engineering Services and Costs:					12 520 41	1,035.62
Other Expenses		14,565.03		14,565.03	13,529.41	1,055.02
Public Buildings and Grounds:				1.00		1.00
Salaries and Wages		1.00		1.00	2 656 26	0.72
Other Expenses		40.94	341.04	3,656.98	3,656.26	0.72
Inspection Department:				0.25		0.35
Salaries and Wages		255.35		0.35 274.32	274.18	0.14
Other Expenses		0.32		274.32	2/4.10	0.11
Planning Board:				0.09		0.09
Salaries and Wages		1,384.09		122.74	121.82	0.92
Other Expenses		0.74		122.74	121.02	0.72

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SCHEDULE OF 2014 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

Exhibit - A-15

	BALANCE-DEC. 31, 2014 APPROP. RESERVE FOR		AMOUNT AFTER MODIFICATION	PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>	BALANCE LAPSED
	RESERVES	ENCUMBRANCES	MODIFICATION	CHARGED	LAISED
GENERAL GOVERNMENT (Cont'd.)					
Shade Tree Commission:					
	3,570.00	495.00	4,065.00	4,065.00	
Other Expenses Public Defender:	5,070100		,		
Other Expenses	1,350.00	1,050.00	1,050.00	1,050.00	
PUBLIC SAFETY	.,	,			
Municipal Court:					
Salaries and Wages	1,092.64		1,092.64		1,092.64
-	50.65	450.00	1,514.65	1,513.95	0.70
Other Expenses Fire:					
Other Expenses	1,811.51	5,541.00	6,640.51	6,098.89	541.62
Fire Bureau Safety:	-,	,			
Salaries and Wages	152.69		0.69		0.69
Other Expenses	890.98	500.00	544.98	44.80	500.18
Police:					
Salaries and Wages	33,518.98		10,878.98	10,878.36	0.62
Other Expenses	4,167.69	26,848.70	26,667.39	23,526.50	3,140.89
Insurance:	· , - · · · ·	· · · · · ·			
Other Insurance	0.60		0.60		0.60
Health Benefits	5,471.12		0.12		0.12
Parking Meter Maintenance:	,				
Salaries and Wages	454.99		0.99		0.99
Other Expenses	0.25		1,516.25	1,516.08	0.17
Emergency Management Services:					
Other Expenses	464.19		226.19	226.14	0.05
STREET AND ROADS					
Road Repairs and Maintenance:					
Salaries and Wages	273.29		273.29		273.29
Other Expenses	2,858.59	2,215.15	3,047.47	2,967.40	80.07
Garbage and Trash Removal:		,			
Salaries and Wages					
-	201.29		2,100.29	2,100.00	0.29
Other Expenses					
Recycling Contingency Fund: Other Expenses	17,266.55	496.00	23,455.55	23,455.15	0.40
Outer Expenses					

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SCHEDULE OF 2014 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

Exhibit - A-15

		DEC. 31, 2014	AMOUNT AFTER	PAID OR	BALANCE
	APPROP.	RESERVE FOR	MODIFICATION	CHARGED	LAPSED
	RESERVES	ENCUMBRANCES	MODIFICATION	CIMROLD	
HEALTH AND WELFARE					
Board of Health:	121.82	73.50	74.32	73.50	0.82
Other Expenses	500.00		500.00		500.00
PEOSHA Act - Bd of Health	500.00				
RECREATION AND EDUCATION					
Parks and Playgrounds:	0.93		0.93		0.93
Other Expenses	0.05				
Board of Recreation Commissioners (R.S. 40:12-1):	120.26		0.26		0.26
Salaries and Wages:	3,297.18	1,000.00	1,000.18	500.00	500.18
Other Expenses	5,277.10				
Celebration of Public Event, Anniv. Or Holid. (40:58-5.4):	72.75		0.75		0.75
Other Expenses	12.10				
Construction Official:	2.28		2.28		2.28
Salaries and Wages:	668.00		204.00	203.68	0.32
Other Expenses	000.00				
Unclassified:	4,303.61	6,140.32	11,390.93	11,390.17	0.76
Gasoline	2,781.17	v, 1 · · · · ·	3,031.17	3,030.98	0.19
Telephone and Telegraph	7,939.78		7,939.78	7,939.78	
Street Lighting	8,976.25		8,976.25	8,976.25	
Fire Hydrant Service	1,774.75		16,963.75	16,963.00	0.75
Electric/Heating	0.86		2,830.86	2,830.29	0.57
Water	500.00		500.00		500.00
Contingent	500.00				
Contribution To:	2,328.07		0.07		0.07
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)	611.73		1,819.00	1,819.00	
State Unemloyment Insurance	011110				
OPERATIONS EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"					
Sewerage Authority (40:14A-8):	0.84		1,083.84	1,083.27	0.57
Share of Costs	40,000.00		40,000.00	27,300.00	12,700.00
Length of Service Award Program - (LOSAP)					
Total	\$ 183,269.89	\$\$\$	\$ 229,192.44	\$ <u>208,305.17</u> \$	20,887.27
		=A		A-4	A-1
Re	<u>f.</u> A	A			

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CURRENT FUND SCHEDULE OF TAXES PAYABLE

		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		TAXES <u>LEVIED</u>	TAXES <u>PAID</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
County - General	S	5 -	\$	2,301,357.90 \$	2,301,357.90 \$	-
County - Open Space		-		217,450.01	217,450.01	-
County - Library		-		337,998.45	337,998.45	-
County - Added & Omitted		-		6,425.92	6,425.92	-
Local School District Taxes		-		13,127,270.00	13,127,270.00	-
Special District Taxes				61,417.62	51,203.00	10,214.62
Total		\$	\$_	16,051,919.90 \$	16,041,705.28_\$_	10,214.62
	<u>Ref.</u>	A		A-1, A-7	A-4	Α

SCHEDULE OF TAX OVERPAYMENTS CURRENT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance - December 31, 2014	Α	\$	37,701.58
Increased by: Tax Overpayments Received	A-4		<u>85,503.63</u> 123,205.21
Decreased by: Refunded Applied to 2015 Taxes	A-4 A-7	83,781.15 10,982.03	
			94,763.18
Balance - December 31, 2015	Α	\$	28,442.03

Exhibit - A-18

SCHEDULE OF PREPAID TAXES CURRENT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance - December 31, 2014	Α	\$ 72,424.21	
Increased by: Prepaid 2016 Taxes Received	A-4	54,353.40	-
		126,777.61	
Decreased by: Applied to 2015 Taxes	A-7	72,424.21	-
Balance - December 31, 2015	Α	\$54,353.40	=

SCHEDULE OF SEWER RENTS OVERPAYMENTS CURRENT FUND

Balance - December 31, 2015	Å	\$ 1,027.10
Balance - December 31, 2014	<u>REF.</u> A	\$ 1,027.10

Exhibit - A-20

SCHEDULE OF REFUSE DISPOSAL FEE OVERPAYMENTS CURRENT FUND

Balance - December 31, 2015		\$ 150.30
Balance - December 31, 2014REAA	<u>EF.</u>	\$ 150.30

Exhibit - A-21

SCHEDULE OF PREPAID REFUSE DISPOSAL FEES CURRENT FUND

Balance - December 31, 2014	<u>REF.</u> A	\$	9,245.50
Increased by: Prepayments Received in 2015	A-4		25,919.32
			45,164.82
Decreased by: Prepayments Applied in 2015	A-11		19,245.50
Balance - December 31, 2015	Α	\$	25,919.32

Exhibit - A-22

SCHEDULE OF PREPAID SEWER RENTS CURRENT FUND

Balance - December 31, 2014	<u>REF.</u> A	2,685.95
Decreased by: Prepayments Applied in 2015	A-10	2,685.95

CURRENT FUND SCHEDULE OF OTHER RESERVES

		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		<u>INCREASES</u>	Ī	DECREASES	DE	ALANCE CEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Reserve for: Deferred Revenue: Impact Fees PILOT Extension	\$	24,000.00	\$	48,000.00 200,000.00	\$	(72,000.00)		- 200,000.00
Proceeds from Asset Sales Tax Map Preparation		2,288.00		5,500.00		_		7,788.00 1,806.00
Total	\$ <u>Ref</u>	28,094.00	= \$:	253,500.00 A-4	= ^{\$} =	(72,000.00) A-2	\$	<u>209,594.00</u> A

Exhibit - A-24

SCHEDULE OF STATE AND FEDERAL GRANTS RECEIVABLE <u>GRANT FUND</u>

GRANTS		BALANCE DEC. 31, <u>2014</u>	2015 BUDGET REVENUE <u>REALIZED</u>	COLLECTED 2015	TRANS. FROM STATE & FED. GRANTS <u>UNAPPROP.</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31, <u>2015</u>
Business Stimulus Fund	\$	6,489.48 \$		\$	\$	\$ 6,489.48
Transportation Enhancement Grant-Main St		27,290.00				27,290.00
Transportation Enhancement Grant-West Maple St.		50,000.00				50,000.00 250,000.00
Transportation Grant-Train Station		250,000.00				250,000.00
Transportation Grant-Train Station		250,000.00 4,030.14				4,030.14
EDIP-West Main St. EDIP-Downtown Improvements		29,046.00				29,046.00
Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over		2,010100	9,700.00	9,700.00		-
Municipal Youth Service Grant			22,500.00		15,000.00	-
CERT Trailer Uplift Grant			700.00	700.00		-
DDEF			14,441.87	10,016.87	4,425.00	-
Alcohol Ed. & Rehab.			4,243.19	4,243.19		-
Clean Communities Program			17,337.38	17,337.38		-
Body Armor Fund			2,524.43		2,524.43	-
Recycling Tonnage Grant			8,919.55		8,919.55	-
Click it or Ticket			4,000.00			-
Districted Driver Program			5,000.00	5,000.00		-
	\$	616,855.62	89,366.42	\$ 58,497.44	\$ 30,868.98	\$ 616,855.62
	<u>Ref.</u>	А	A-2,A-25	A-27	A-26	Α

SCHEDULE OF STATE AND FEDERAL GRANTS APPROPRIATED GRANT FUND

		BALANCE DEC. 31 <u>2014</u>	TRANSF. FROM 2015 <u>BUDGET</u>	F	RESERVE OR ENCUMB. <u>2014</u>	PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>	F	RESERVE OR ENCUMB. <u>2015</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31 <u>2015</u>
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	\$	4,610.12 \$	14,441.87	\$	\$	6,077.50	\$	\$	12,974.49
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation		2,967.77	4,243.19			5,800.00			1,410.96
U.S. Dept. of Justice - COPS Technology Grant		50.00							50.00
Clean Communities Program		24,266.38	17,337.38			22,365.26			19,238.50
Body Armor Fund		12,071.99	2,524.43			14,596.42			-
Recycling Tonnage Grant		15,521.01	8,919.55			18,791.50			5,649.06
Somerst Cty Youth Athletic Grant		15,245.90	-						15,245.90
Emergenncy Mgmt Grant		5,000.00				1,805.38			3,194.62
Domestic Violence		4,422.64							4,422.64
Somerst Cty Youth Services Grant		1,000.00	15,000.00						16,000.00
Public Works Grant-Match		208,910.23		·	16,590.38	14,894.97		5,425.01	205,180.63
Safe Corridors Program		6,673.41				103.00			6,570.41
Business Stimulus Fund-2010		2,023.00							2,023.00
Business Stimulus Fund-2011		4,505.00							4,505.00
EDIP-West Main Street		13,225.69							13,225.69
Transportation Enhancement-Train Station		250,000.00							250,000.00
Transportation Enhancement-Train Station		250,000.00							250,000.00
Downtown Improvements-Somerset Cty. EDIP		61,792.85							61,792.85
Click it or Ticket			4,000.00			4,000.00			-
Distracterd Driver Program			5,000.00	I		5,000.00			-
Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over			9,700.00			4,800.00			4,900.00
Somerset County Youth Service Grant			7,500.00	ł					7,500.00
CERT Trailer Uplift Grant			700.00)					700.00
	5	<u>882,285.99</u> \$	89,366.42	_s_	16,590.38	98,234.03		5,425.01 \$	884,583.75
<u>Ref.</u>		A	A-3,A-24		А	A-27		Α	А

Exhibit - A-25

Exhibit - A-27

SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS <u>UNAPPROPRIATED</u>

		BALANCE DEC. 31 <u>2014</u>	GRANTS ECEIVED <u>2015</u>		APPROP. IN 2015 <u>BUDGET</u>		BALANCE DEC 31 <u>2015</u>
Recycling Tonnage Program Body Armor Replacement Fund Drunk Driving Enforement Fund Somerset County Youth Services	\$	8,919.55 2,524.43 4,425.00 15,000.00	\$ 1,678.72	\$	8,919.55 2,524.43 4,425.00 15,000.00	\$	1,678.72 -
Total	\$_	30,868.98	\$ 1,678.72	_\$_	30,868.98	- * -	1,678.72
		А	A-27		A-25		А

SCHEDULE OF INTERFUND LOANS RECEIVABLE GRANT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance - December 31, 2014	Α	\$	312,889.73
Increased by: Grant Receipts Deposited to Current Fund: Grants Receivable	A-24 A-26	58,497.44 1,678.72	
Unappropriated Grants	A-20		60,176.16
			373,065.89
Decreased by: Grant Expenditures Paid by Current Fund	A-25		98,234.03
Balance - December 31, 2015	Α		274,831.86

Trust Fund

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance - December 31, 2014	В	\$ 16,553.30
Balance - December 31, 2015	В	\$ 16,553.30

Note: See Notes to Financial Statements.

Exhibit - B-2

ANALYSIS OF ASSESSMENT TRUST CASH AND INVESTMENTS

		BALANCE DEC. 31, 2014	RECEIPTS ASSESSMENTS AND LIENS		URSEMENTS ELLANEOUS		BALANCE <u>DEC. 31, 2015</u>
Fund Balance Assessments Receivable	\$	16,553.30 (3,641.64) 2,254.06	\$	\$		\$	16,553.30 (3,641.64) 2,254.06
Overpayments Due Current Fund Reserve for Assessments		174.66 445.74	40.03		40.25	-	174.44 445.74
Total	\$	15,786.12	\$40.03	<u> </u>	40.25	\$_	15,785.90
	<u>Ref.</u>	B, B-5	B-5		B-5		B, B-5

() Denotes Deficit or Deduction

Exhibit B-3

SCHEDULE OF ASSESSMENTS RECEIVABLE ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND

ORD <u>NO.</u>	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	CONFIRMATION DATE	<u>DUE DATES</u>	DECE	LANCE EMBER 31, 4 & 2015	PL Gl	ALANCE JEDGED ENERAL <u>ITAL FUND</u>	PL	LANCE EDGED TO ESERVE	
98-21	Curbs, Sidewalks & Driveways-Fairview Ave.	09/12/00	11/13/00-09	\$	445.74	\$	-	\$	445.74	
99-19	Reconstruction of Winsor	02/13/01	04/13/01-10		2,551.02		2,551.02			
01-21	Reconstruction of Cherry Street	04/08/03	06/01/03-12		644.88		644.88		-	
	Total				3,641.64	\$	3,195.90		445.74	
			<u>Ref.</u>		В					

Exhibit - B-4

SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR ASSESSMENTS AND LIENS ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND

ORD. <u>NO.</u>	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	BALANCE <u>DEC. 31,2014</u>			BALANCE EC. 31,2015
	Assessments:				
98-21	Curbs, Sidewalks & Driveways-Fairview Ave.		\$	445.74	\$ 445.74
	Total		\$	445.74	\$ 445.74
		<u>Ref.</u>		В	В

TRUST FUNDS SCHEDULE OF CASH AND RESERVE ACTIVITY

	Balance <u>12/31/14</u>	Casl <u>Receipts</u>	h Disbursements	<u>Adjustments</u>	Balance <u>12/31/15</u>
Assessment Trust:					
Assessments Receivable \$				\$	(3,641.64)
Overpayments	2,254.06				2,254.06
Due to Current Fund	174.66	40.03	40.25		174.44
Reserve for Assessments Receivable	445.74				445.74 16,553.30
Fund Balance	16,553.30				10,555.50
Fotal	15,786.12	40.03	40.25	-	15,785.90
Animal Control:					
Prepaid Licenses	902,00			(902.00)	-
Accounts Payable				8,644.50	8,644.50
Interfund Loan - Current Fund	38,873.35	9,041.74	(47,904.27)		10.82
Due NJ - State License Fees	26.00	618.60	(644.60)		-
Animal Control Reserves	(19,086.60)	55,573.00	(35,016.50)	(7,742.50)	(6,272.60
Total	20,714.75	65,233.34	(83,565.37)	-	2,382.72
Other Trust Funds:					
Due (from)/to Current Fund	(294,467.94)	2,844.14	203,439.42	(89.01)	(495,152.23
Accounts Payable	16,850.00		1,350.00	(12,882.79)	2,617.21
Due (from)/to General Capital	2,500.00				2,500.00
Accts. Receivable - Police Outside Duty	(79,925.67)	57,592.20	0.040.00		(22,333.47
POAA	10,507.23	676.00	3,060.00		8,123.23 4,871.00
Public Defender Due St. of NJ:	735.00	15,936.00	11,800.00		-
DCA State Trainng Fees	3,695.00	6,985.00	8,376.00		2,304.0
Marriage/Civil Union Licenses	750.00	3,000.00	3,050.00		700.0
Fire Department Penalties (Dedicated)	2,267.32	2,400.00	100.00		4,567.3
Riverfest Donations	2,857.51		316.79	0 000 00	2,540.7
Police Outside Employment	87,976.73	400,804.24	495,336.29	9,892.00	3,336.6
Police Outside Employment Escrow	9,892.00	7 000 00	16 796 09	(9,892.00) 14,500.00	19,099.2
Police Donations	13,385.33	7,000.00	15,786.08	14,500.00	6,751.0
Street Opening Permits	6,051.00	700.00			10,030.0
Reserve for Escrow Deposits	10,030.00 134.47				134.4
Reserve for Unemployment Shade Tree Commission	3,637.50			(1,575.00)	2,062.5
	801.45			(-, ,	801.4
RV Sewer Rehab Review Housing/Property Maintenance	001.45				-
Penalties	52,010.57	75,756.00	27,529.69		100,236.8
UCC Inspections-Chase	1,356.25	,			1,356.2
Billian Trust	3,620.84		1,613.82		2,007.0
OEM Donation	5,794.24				5,794.2
Flood Donation	11,167.72			9,257.76	20,425.4
Advanced Surety Bond	3,850.00				3,850.0
Pfizer Review	7,794.50				7,794.5
Redevelopment - Meredia Property	2,500.00	30,000.00	32,500.00		-
UCC Inspections-Meridia		1,671.14	4,747.95	591.80	(2,485.0
UCC-Queensgate		12,798.81	12,764.04		34.7
Public Assistance	2,653.63			74 000 00	2,653.0 (1,526.4
Outside Lien Redemptions	56,702.96	661,503.21	793,732.62	74,000.00 (74,000.00)	723,300.0
Tax Lien Premiums	680,500.00	654,600.00	537,800.00	(74,000.00)	9,482.4
Police Forfeiture	1,935.16	7,547.27	103,169.96	(634.01)	172,103.
Recreation Commission	141,634.25	134,273.10	103,109.96	(034.01)	70.0
American Legion Trust Developer's Deposits	70.63 294,104.25	113,591.11	117,280.29	89.01	290,504.0

Exhibit B-5

TRUST FUNDS SCHEDULE OF CASH AND RESERVE ACTIVITY

	Balance <u>12/31/14</u>	Cas <u>Receipts</u>	h Disbursements	Adjustments	Balance <u>12/31/15</u>
Housing Rehabilitation	609,817.44	290,10	27,189.60		582,917.94
Net Payroll	,	3,212,657.92	3,212,657.92		-
Payroll Deductions Payable		1,805,992.42	1,773,175.58		32,816.84
Reserve for Redevelopment -					-
Media Property		45,000.00	41,082.78		3,917.22
Meridia II 1-11 E Main		27,500.00	21,938.52		5,561.48
Meridia Downtown Hospitality		32,000.00	23,914.77		8,085.23
Reynolds Asset Mgmt		15,000.00	5,471.90		9,528.10
Queensgate Sewer Obligation		10,725.10			10,725.10
MERCCREM-BB Hotel		5,000.00			5,000.00
Flood Relief	14,457.76		1,099.88	(9,257.76)	4,100.12
OEM Donation					-
Unallocated Receipts - Net					-
Police Body Armor Fund		17,457.27	15,312.27		2,145.0
Reserve for Encumbrances -					-
General Trust					-
Newsletter	627.63				627.6
otal	1,688,274.76	7,361,301.03	7,495,596.17	-	1,553,979.6
otal	\$ 1,724,775.63 \$	7,426,574.40	\$ 7,412,071.05	<u>s - s</u>	1,572,148.2
ef.	В				В

General Capital Fund

SCHEDULE OF GENERAL CAPITAL FUND CASH AND INVESTMENTS - TREASURER

	<u>REF.</u>			
Balance - December 31, 2014	С		\$	537,869.01
Increased by Receipts:		0.700.00		
Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes	C-1	2,728.00		
Refunds of Prior Year Expendeitures	C-1	2,381.00		
Grant Received-Ord. 14-11	C-7	40,000.00		
Grants Receivable	C-5	100,000.00		
Interfund Loans	C-8	1,300,449.55		
Capital Improvement Fund Appropriation	C-13	25,000.00		
Bond Anticipation Notes Issued	C-11	14,401,000.00	_	
				15,871,558.55
				16,409,427.56
Decreased by Disbursements:				
Fund Balance Appropriated as Current Revenue	C-1	58,000.00		
Improvement Authorizations	C-12	2,045,185.72		
Interfund Loans	C-8	493.26		
Bond Anticipation Notes Redeemed	C-11	13,101,000.00		
2011			-	15,204,678.98
Balance - December 31, 2015	C,C-3		\$	1,204,758.58

GENERAL CAPITAL FUND ANALYSIS OF CASH AND INVESTMENTS

			BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2015
Fund Balar	(CP		\$ 307,601.79
Due Currer			(1,597,678.48)
Due Other			(2,500.00)
	leral Grants Receivable		(637,085.50)
	Encumbrances		77,885.33
	provement Fund		50,524.74
Excess Not			2,234,869.09
Improveme	ent Authorizations:		
90-8	Filter for Codrington Park Swimming Pool		(34,904.00)
90-13	Acquisition of Vehicles and Various Public Improvements		(37,100.00)
91-7	Reconstruction of Second Avenue		(22,731.50)
94-15	Acquisition of Buildings		(5.00)
94-16	Various Acquisitions and Improvements		(36.00)
94-23	Acquisition of Fire Equipment		(25.28)
95-3	Improvements to Sanitary Sewer System		(75.00)
96-5	Various Public Improvements		(70.00) (10,222.68)
97-7	Reconstruction of Longwood Avenue		(250.00)
98-8	Various Public Improvements		(40.00)
99-3	Various Public Improvements		(20.69)
99-19	Reconstruction of Winsor Street		(713.00)
00-12 01-1	Various Public Improvements Reconstruction of Chestnut Street		(164.84)
	Various Public Improvements		(58.00)
01-11/02-15	Various Public Improvements		(50.00)
01-14	Various Public Improvements		(84.00)
02-07	Various Public Improvements		1,500.00
05-19	Various Improvements to Public Library		15,578.30
06-10	Acquisition of Lighting - Tea Street Ballfield		(131,755.00)
06-18	Various Improvements for Sanitary - Talmadge & Vosseller		(71.00)
07-13	Improvements to Highland Place		(36,576.51)
09-02	Various Public Improvements		5,600.34
09-05	Improvements to Livingston Street		(25,941.14)
09-06	Improvement of Watchung Rd./Demolition		
	of Public Works Building		3.00
09-09	Improvement of Train Station/Replacement		
	of Signs		12,374.12
09-20	Acquisition of Two Fire Engine Trucks		4,763.49
10-12	Improvements to Church Street		(10,000.00)
10-23	Rehabilitation of Sanitary Sewers		8,253.27 6,182.05
11-03	Road Improvements 2010 Program		405,989.26
11-08	Purch. Of Prop. Union Ave.		5,667.60
11-16	2011 Road Program		72,325.37
12-13	Various Public Improvements		(73,332.00)
12-14	Various Improvements - Hurricane Irene		32,651.22
12-19	Various Road Improvements Repair of Church Street Culvert		(22,500.00)
12-20 13-09	Repair of Church Street Culvert		(135,494.88)
13-09	Various Road Improvements		327,780.72
13-13	Repair of Recreation Bldg & Acquis. Of Equip.		2,968.65
14-10	Various Public Improvements		209,213.10
15-08	Various Improvements to Train Station		199,582.44
15-08	Acquis. Of Property		2,919.20
/	Total	C, C-2	\$ <u>1,204,748.58</u>

Exhibit - C-4

SCHEDULE OF GRANTS RECEIVABLE

Ord. <u>No.</u>	Capital Project/Program	I -	BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2014	DECREASES		BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2015
	East Main Street Streetscape Project	\$	265,950.00	\$	\$	265,950.00
	Improvements to Church Street		56,310.55			56,310.55
11-16	Various Road Improvements		14,824.95			14,824.95
13-15	Various Road Improvements		50,000.00			50,000.00
14-11	Rehabilitation of Sanitary Sewers (CDBG)		100,000.00	100,000.00		
14-11	Various Road Improvements	-	190,000.00		•	190,000.00
	Total	\$ _	677,085.50	\$ 100,000.00	\$	577,085.50
	<u>Ref.</u>		С	C-2		С

Exhibit - C-5

SCHEDULE OF DEVELOPER CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE

Ord. <u>No.</u>	Capital Project/Program	INCREA	BALANCE DECEMBER 31, SES 2015
15-08	Various Improvements to Train Station	\$200,000	0.00 \$200,000.00
	Total	\$200,000	0.00 \$
	Re	<u>f.</u> C-12	C

SCHEDULE OF DEFERRED CHARGES - FUNDED

	<u>Ref.</u>	TOTAL	SERIAL BONDS	INFRASTRUCTURE LOANS
Balance - December 31, 2014	С	\$ 8,108,386.72	\$ 8,005,000.00	\$ 103,386.72
Decreased by: Serial Bonds & Loans Paid From Budget Appropriation	C-9,C-10	815,016.66	805,000.00	10,016.66
Balance - December 31, 2015	С	\$ 7,293,370.06	\$ 7,200,000.00	\$ 93,370.06

Exhibit - C-7

SCHEDULE OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - UNFUNDED GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

				<u>GENERAL C</u>	APHAL FUND	-	ANALYSIS OF BALANCE DEC. 31, 2015			
ORD. <u>NO.</u>	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	BALANCE DEC. 31, <u>2014</u>	2015 AUTHORI- <u>ZATIONS</u>	OTHER <u>FUNDING</u>	BUDGET <u>APPROP.</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31, <u>2015</u>	BOND ANTIC. <u>NOTES</u>	EXPENDED	UNEXPEND. BAL. OF IMPROV. <u>AUTHOR.</u>	EXCESS <u>FUNDING</u>
	General Improvements									
90-8	Filter for Codrington Park Swimming Pool	\$ 34,904.00 \$:	\$	\$\$	34,904.00 \$	\$	34,904.00 \$	\$	
90-13	Acquisition of Vehicles and Various					27 100 00		27 100 00		
	Public Improvements	37,100.00				37,100.00		37,100.00		
91-7	Reconstruction of Second Avenue	22,731.50				22,731.50		22,731.50		
94-15	Acquisition of Buildings	5.00				5.00		5.00		
94-16	Various Acquisitions and Improvements	36.00				36.00		36.00		
94-23	Acquisition of Fire Equipment	25.28				25.28		25.28		
95-3	Improvements to Sanitary Sewer System	75.00				75.00		75.00		
96-5	Various Public Improvements	70.00				70.00		70.00		
97-7	Reconstruction of Longwood Avenue	10,222.68				10,222.68		10,222.68		
98-8	Various Public Improvements	250.00				250.00		250.00		
99-3	Various Public Improvements	40.00				40.00		40.00		
99-19	Reconstruction of Winsor Street	20.69				20.69		20.69		
00-12	Various Public Improvements	713.00				713.00		713.00		
01-1	Reconstruction of Chestnut Street	164.84				164.84		164.84		
01-11/02-1:	5 Various Public Improvements	58.00				58.00		58.00		
01-14	Various Public Improvements	50.00				50.00		50.00		
01-17	Various Public Improvements	84.00				84.00		84.00		
02-07	Various Public Improvements	500.00				500.00			500.00	
06-10	Acquisition of Lighting -									
	Tea Street Ballfield	131,755.00				131,755.00		131,755.00		
06-18	Various Improvements for Sanitary -	,								
00 10	- Taimadge & Vosseller	71.00				71.00		71.00		
07-13	Improvements to Highland Place	36,576.51				36,576.51		36,576.51		
07-13	Various Public Improvements	1,087,569.96			48,600.00	1,038,969.96	1,303,256.00			(264,286.04)
08-18	Various Public Improvements	1,989,334.34			100,400.00	1,888,934.34	2,495,650.00			(606,715.66)
09-02	Improvements to Livingston Street	34,441.14			100,00000	34,441.14	_,,.	25,941.14	8,500.00	
09-03	Acquisition of Two Fire Engine Trucks	619,526.00				619,526.00	619,526.00	,		
10-12	Improvements to Church Street	10,000.00				10,000.00		10,000.00		
10-12	Rehabilitation of Sanitary Sewers	181,364.98				181,364.98	230,000.00	,	-48,635.02	(48,635.02)
11-02	Constr. Of Recreation Facility	332,500.00				332,500.00	332,500.00			
11-02	Road Improvements 2010 Program	1,604,768.84				1,604,768.84	1,760,000.00		-155,231.16	(155,231.16)
11-03	Purch. Of Prop. Union Ave.	427,500.00				427,500.00	427,500.00			
11-08	2011 Road Program	1,322,998.79				1,322,998.79	2,483,000.00		-1,160,001.21	(1,160,001.21)
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Exhibit - C-7

SCHEDULE OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - UNFUNDED GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

				<u>u</u>	<u>ENEKAL CA</u>	<u>FIIAL FUND</u>	_	ANALYSIS OF BALANCE DEC. 31, 2015			
ORD. <u>NO.</u>	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION		BALANCE DEC. 31, <u>2014</u>	2015 AUTHORI- <u>ZATIONS</u>	OTHER <u>FUNDING</u>	BUDGET <u>APPROP.</u>	BALANCE DEC. 31, <u>2015</u>	BOND ANTIC. <u>NOTES</u>	EXPENDED	UNEXPEND. BAL. OF IMPROV. <u>AUTHOR.</u>	EXCESS <u>FUNDING</u>
12-13 12-14 12-19 12-20 13-09 13-15 14-11 15-08 15-09	General Improvements Various Public Improvements Various Improvements - Hurricane Irene Various Road Improvements Repair of Church Street Culvert Repair of Church Street Culvert Various Road Improvements Various Public Improvements Various Improvements to Train Station Acquis. Of Property		920,000.00 73,332.00 1,196,947.87 237,500.00 213,750.00 1,710,000.00 1,848,000.00	450,000.00 66,665.00	40,000.00		920,000.00 73,332.00 1,196,947.87 237,500.00 213,750.00 1,710,000.00 1,808,000.00 450,000.00 66,665.00	920,000.00 1,119,568.00 215,000.00 1,195,000.00 1,300,000.00	73,332.00 22,500.00 135,494.88	77,379.87 78,255.12 515,000.00 508,000.00 450,000.00 66,665.00	
	Total	\$	<u>14,084,986.42</u> \$	<u>516,665.00</u> \$	<u>40,000.00</u> \$	<u>149,000.00</u> \$	\$ <u>14,412,651.42</u> \$	<u>14,401,000.00</u> \$	<u> </u>	<u>340,432.60</u> \$	(2,234,869.09)
	I	<u>Ref.</u>	С	C- 11	C-2	C-11	С				

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GENERAL CAPITAL FUND SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

	D 	BALANCE DECEMBER 31 2014	INCREASES	DECREASES	BALANCE DECEMBER 31 2015
Interfund Loand Due From o	r (To):				
Trust Other Fund	\$	2,500.00 \$	\$ \$; \$	2,500.00
Current Fund		2,697,634.77	493.26	1,300,449.55	1,397,678.48
Total	\$	2,700,134.77	§ <u>493.26</u> §	<u>1,300,449.55</u> \$	<u> </u>
Ref.		С	C-2	C-2	С
Receivables Payables	\$	2,700,134.77		S	5 1,400,178.48
Total	\$	2,700,134.77		9	§ <u>1,400,178.48</u>

Exhibit - C-9

SCHEDULE OF GENERAL SERIAL BONDS

MATURITIES OF BONDS											
	DATE OF	ORIGINAL	OUTSTANDING	- DEC. 31,2015 1	NTEREST		BALANCE				BALANCE
ISSUE	ISSUE	ISSUE	DATE	AMOUNT	RATE	Ţ	DEC. 31, 2014		DECREASE		DEC. 31, 2015
General Improvement	7/15/01	\$4,513,000.00	7/15/16	328,000.00	4.625%	\$	658,000.00	\$	330,000.00	\$	328,000.00
General Improvement	2/15/08	\$9,672,000.00	2/15/16	500,000.00	3.875%						
General improvement		•••	2/15/17	600,000.00	4.000%						
			2/15/18-20	625,000.00	4.000%						
			2/15/21-25	650,000.00	4.000%						
			2/15/26	647,000.00	4.000%	_	7,347,000.00		475,000.00		6,872,000.00
						\$	8,005,000.00	\$	805,000.00	.*.	7,200,000.00
-				<u>Ref.</u>			С		C-6		С

SCHEDULE OF ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE LOANS PAYABLE

	REF.	
Balance - December 31, 2014	С	\$ 103,386.72
Decreased by: Paid by Budget Appropriation	C-6	 10,016.66
Balance - December 31, 2015	С	\$ 93,370.06

Maturity Schedule-Loans Outstanding December 31, 2015:

	Trust	Fund	
Year	Loan	Loan	Total
2016	2,564.29	7,501.42	10,065.71
2016 2017	2,623.27	7,501.42	10,124.69
2018	2,691.21	7,501.42	10,192.63
2019	2,765.49	7,501.42	10,266.91
2020	2,847.62	7,501.42	10,349.04
2021	2,937.61	7,501.42	10,439.03
2022	3,034.26	7,501.42	10,535.68
2023	3,139.85	7,501.42	10,641.27
2024	3,253.51	7,501.59	10,755.10
	\$\$\$	67,512.95 \$	93,370.06

Exhibit - C-11

SCHEDULE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES PAYABLE

ORD. <u>NUMBER</u>	PURPOSE	ORIGINA DATE	AL ISSUE AMOUNT	DATE OF <u>ISSUE</u>	DATE OF <u>MATURITY</u>	INTEREST <u>RATE</u>	BALANCE <u>DEC. 31, 2014</u>	INCREASED	DECREASED	BALANCE <u>DEC. 31, 2015</u>
08-18 09-02 09-20 10-23 11-02 11-03 11-08 11-16 12-13 12-19 12-20 13-15 14-11	Various Public Improvements Various Public Improvements Acquisition of Two Fire Engines Rehabilitation of Sanitary Sewers Constr. Of Recreation Facility Road Improvements 2010 Program Purch. Of Prop. Union Ave. 2011 Road Program Various Public Improvements Various Road Improvements Repair of Church Street Culvert Various Road Improvements Various Public Improvements Various Public Improvements Various Public Improvements	6/8/10 6/8/11 12/19/13 4/23/13 12/19/13 4/23/13 4/23/13 4/23/13 4/23/14 12/19/13 12/19/13 12/18/15	$\begin{array}{c} 1,400,000.00\\ 2,800,000.00\\ 750,000.00\\ 230,000.00\\ 332,500.00\\ 1,760,000.00\\ 427,500.00\\ 2,483,000.00\\ 920,000.00\\ 1,119,568.00\\ 215,000.00\\ 1,195,000.00\\ 1,300,000.00\end{array}$	12/18/15 12/18/15	4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16 4/22/16	0.62% 0.62% 1.50% 0.62% 1.50% 0.62% 0.62% 0.62% 0.62% 1.50% 1.50%	\$1,351,856.00 2,596,050.00 619,526.00 230,000.00 332,500.00 1,760,000.00 427,500.00 2,483,000.00 920,000.00 1,119,568.00 215,000.00	\$1,303,256.00 2,495,650.00 619,526.00 230,000.00 332,500.00 1,760,000.00 427,500.00 2,483,000.00 920,000.00 1,119,568.00 215,000.00 1,300,000.00	(\$1,351,856.00) (2,596,050.00) (619,526.00) (230,000.00) (332,500.00) (1,760,000.00) (427,500.00) (2,483,000.00) (2,483,000.00) (1,119,568.00) (215,000.00) (1,195,000.00)	\$1,303,256.00 2,495,650.00 619,526.00 230,000.00 332,500.00 1,760,000.00 427,500.00 2,483,000.00 920,000.00 1,119,568.00 215,000.00 1,300,000.00
	Total Disbursed Paid by Budget Appropriation					<u>Ref.</u> C-2 C-7	<u>\$ 13,250,000.00</u> C	<u>\$ 14,401,000.00</u> C-2	\$(13,250,000.00) \$(13,101,000.00) (149,000.00) \$(13,250,000.00)	<u>\$14,401,000.00</u> C

Exhibit - C-12

SCHEDULE OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

ORD. <u>NO.</u>	IMPROVEMENT <u>DESCRIPTION</u>	ORIGINAL AMOUNT <u>AUTHORIZED</u>	BALAI DECEMBE FUNDED		2015 <u>AUTHOR.</u>	RESERVE FOR 2014	<u>R ENCUMB</u> . <u>2015</u>	PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>	BALA DECEMBE <u>FUNDED</u>	
	General Improvements:									
02-07 05-19 08-09 09-02 09-05	Various Public Improvements Various Improvements to Public Library Rehabilitation of Train Station Various Public Improvements Improvements to Livingston Street	\$ 2,510,000.00 \$ 1,000,000.00 625,000.00 3,362,875.00 324,000.00	1,500.00 \$ 24,786.55 6,271.00	500.00 \$ 7,134.10 8,500.00	S	\$\$	\$	\$ 9,208.25 6,271.00 1,533.76	1,500.00 \$ 15,578.30	500.00 5,600.34 8,500.00
09-06	Improvement of Watchung Rd./Demolition of Public Works Building	485,000.00	3.00						3.00	
09-09 09-20 10-23 11-03 11-08 11-16 12-13 12-19 13-09 13-15 14-10 14-11 15-05 15-08 15-09	Improvement of Train Station/Replacement of Signs Acquisition of Two Fire Engine Trucks Rehabilitation of Sanitary Sewers Road Improvements 2010 Program Purch. Of Prop. Union Ave. 2011 Road Program Various Public Improvements Various Road Improvements Repair of Church Street Culvert Various Road Improvements Repair of Recreation Bldg & Acquis. Of Equip Various Public Improvements Acquis. Of Computer Equip. Various Improvements to Train Station Acquis. Of Property	850,000.00 348,200.00 2,327,000.00 450,000.00 2,813,700.00 1,000,000.00 1,480,425.00 225,000.00 2,000,000.00	12,374.12 88,304.97 377,000.00	5,144.26 8,484.31 8,204.97 406,251.99 7,193.58 78,386.72 111,231.47 78,255.12 816,142.99 1,848,000.00	18,500.00 650,000.00 70,000.00	399,002.87 49,551.15	17,370.65 58,887.46 1,627.22	$\begin{array}{r} 380.77\\ 231.04\\ 2,022.92\\ 262.73\\ 1,525.98\\ 6,061.35\\ 1,200.38\\ 372,365.14\\ 117,516.82\\ 1,508,899.44\\ 16,872.78\\ 417.56\\ 415.80\\ \end{array}$	12,374.12 2,968.65 199,582.44 2,919.20	4,763.49 8,253.27 6,182.05 405,989.26 5,667.60 72,325.37 110,031.09 78,255.12 842,780.72 657,213.10 450,000.00 66,665.00
10 07	Total	\$	510,239.64	5 <u>3,383,429.51</u> 5	738,500.00	\$ <u>448,554.02</u> \$	77,885.33	\$ <u>_2,045,185.72</u> \$	<u>234,925.71</u>	<u>2,722,726.41</u>
		<u>Ref.</u>	С	C		С	С	C-2	C	С
Develope Reserve f	s. to Future Taxation - Unfunded r Contributions Receivable for Capital Improvement Fund und Balance	C-7 C-5 C-13 C-1 C-11		S	516,665.00 200,000.00 3,335.00 18,500.00 5 738,500.00					

SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance - December 31, 2014	С	\$ 28,859.74
Increased by: Budget Appropriation	C - 2	<u> 25,000.00</u> 53, 8 59.74
Decreased by: Funding for Improvement Authorizations	C-12	3,335.00
Balance - December 31, 2015	С	\$ 50,524.74

SCHEDULE OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED

ORD. <u>NO.</u>	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION		BALANCE CEMBER 31, 2014	BA	GINNING LANCE USTMENT	B	DJUSTED ALANCE CEMBER 31, 2014	2015 AUTHORI- ZATIONS	2015 FUNDING	BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES ISSUED		ALANCE EMBER 31, 2015
00.0	Filter for Codrington Park Swimming Pool	\$	34,904.00			\$	34,904.00				\$	34,904.00
90-8	Acquisition of Vehicles and Various Public Improvements	÷	37,100.00				37,100.00					37,100.00
90-13 91-7	Reconstruction of Second Avenue		22,731.50				22,731.50					22,731.50
91-7 94-15	Acquisition of Buildings		5.00				5.00					5.00
94-15 94-16	Various Acquisitions and Improvements		36.00				36.00					36.00
94-10 94-23	Acquisition of Fire Equipment		25.28				25.28					25.28
94-23 95-3	Improvements to Sanitary Sewer System		75.00				75.00					75.00
95-5 96-5	Various Public Improvements		70.00				70.00					70.00
97-7	Reconstruction of Longwood Avenue		10,222.68				10,222.68					10,222.68 250.00
98-8	Various Public Improvements		250.00				250.00					40.00
99-3	Various Public Improvements		40.00				40.00					20.69
99-19	Reconstruction of Winsor Street		20.69				20.69					713.00
00-12	Various Public Improvements		713.00				713.00					164.84
01-1	Reconstruction of Chestnut Street		164.84				164.84					58.00
	Various Public Improvements		58.00				58.00					50.00
01-14	Various Public Improvements		50.00				50.00					84.00
01-17	Various Public Improvements		84.00				84.00					500.00
02-07	Various Public Improvements		500.00				500.00					131,755.00
06-10	Acquisition of Lighting - Tea Street Ballfield		131,755.00				131,755.00 71.00					71.00
06-18	Various Improvements for Sanitary - Talmadge & Vosseller	r	71.00									36,576.51
07-13	Improvements to Highland Place		36,576.51		(77.000.00)		36,576.51					-
08-18	Various Public Improvements		77,250.00		(77,250.00)		-					-
09-02	Various Public Improvements		258,278.00		(258,278.00)		- 34,441.14					34,441.14
09-05	Improvements to Livingston Street		35,941.14		(1,500.00)		10,000.00					10,000.00
10-12	Improvements to Church Street		10,000.00		(450 (50 00)		10,000.00					-
11-03	Road Improvements 2010 Program		450,650.00		(450,650.00)		73,332.00					73,332.00
12-14	Various Improvements - Hurricane Irene		73,332.00		75 422 00		77,379.87					77,379.87
12-19	Various Road Improvements		1,947.87		75,432.00		22,500.00					22,500.00
12-20	Repair of Church Street Culvert		22,500.00				213,750.00					213,750.00
13-09	Repair of Church Street Culvert		213,750.00		(75,432.00)		515,000.00					515,000.00
13-15	Various Road Improvements		590,432.00		(73,432.00)		1,848,000.00		(40,000.00)	(1,300,000.00)		508,000.00
14-11	Various Public Improvements		1,848,000.00				1,040,000.00	450,000.00	(450,000.00
15-08	Various Improvements to Train Station						-	66,665.00				66,665.00
15-09	Acquis. Of Property			<u></u>							<u></u>	
	Total	\$	3,857,533.51	\$	(787,678.00)	<u> </u>	3,069,855.51	\$ 516,665.00	\$ (40,000.00)	<u>\$ (1,300,000.00)</u>	\$ 2	2,246,520.51
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<u>Ref.</u>

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Footnote C

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK

SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

PART IV

OTHER REPORTING REQUIRED BY REGULATIONS

Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) (Unaudited)

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REVIEW REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Bound Brook County of Somerset, New Jersey

We have reviewed the accompanying statement of assets, liabilities and net assets of the Borough of Bound Brook Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) as of December 31, 2015, and the related statement of revenues, expenses and other changes in net assets for the year then ended. A review includes primarily applying analytical procedures to management's financial data and making inquiries of the administration of the Borough. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

The Borough's management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with the accounting principles and practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles and for designing, implementing, and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements.

Our responsibility is to conduct the review in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require us to perform procedures to obtain limited assurance that there are no material modifications that should be made to the financial statements. We believe that the results of our procedures provide a reasonable basis for our report.

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in conformity with the basis of accounting described in the Note 1.

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HODULIK & MORRISON, P.A. Certified Public Accountants Registered Municipal Accountants Public School Accountants

Highland Park, New Jersey March 8, 2016

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK COUNTY OF SOMERSET, NEW JERSEY LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM (LOSAP) - UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2015

	-	2015
Assets Investments, at fair value	\$_	426,687.32
Total Assets	\$	426,687.32
Net Assets		
Restricted	\$	426,687.32
Total Net Assets	\$	426,687.32

See Acompanying Notes and Independent Accountant's Review Report.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK COUNTY OF SOMERSET, NEW JERSEY LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM (LOSAP) - UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	 2015
Restricted Net Assets Contributions Earnings (Losses) Withdrawals Service Charges	\$ 27,300.00 7,126.91 (49,699.92) (2,467.32)
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	(17,740.33)
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	 444,427.65
Net Assets - End of Year	\$ 426,687.32

See Acompanying Notes and Independent Accountant's Review Report.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM (LOSAP)

NOTES TO UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 20115

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Nature of Activities

The Borough of Bound Brook Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) is a qualified plan under Internal Revenue Code Section 457(e) and pursuant to P.L. 1997, c.388. The Borough established the LOSAP Program for the applicable Borough nonprofit organizations during CY 2001. LOSAP provides for fixed annual contributions to a deferred income account for volunteer firefighters and first aid and rescue squad members who meet specified service criteria. LOSAP shall provide for annual contribution to each eligible member that meets the criteria as provided in the LOSAP Point System. The Borough of Bound Brook sponsors LOSAP through an annual award appropriated through the municipal budget.

B. Basis of Presentation

The accounting policies of the Borough of Bound Brook (the "Borough"), Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) (the "Program") conform to the accounting principles and practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey.

C. Description of Program

The Program was created in accordance with the Internal Revenue Code Section 457. The Program is offered to all volunteer members that meet the criteria set by the Borough, and provides for fixed annual contributions for all eligible members. The deferred compensation is not available to volunteer members until termination, retirement, death, or unforeseeable emergency. Earnings of the Program and contributions by the Borough are subject to vesting provisions of the plan and are exempt from income taxes until distribution to the participating volunteers.

The Program is offered by the Borough to the participants through the Lincoln Financial Group, Plan Administrator.

All amounts of compensation deferred under the Program, all property and rights purchased with those amounts, and all income attributable to those amounts, property, or rights, are (until paid or made available to the volunteer or other beneficiary) solely the property and rights of the Borough (without being restricted to the provisions of benefits under the Program), subject only to the claims of the Borough's general creditors. Participant's rights under the Program are equal to those of general creditors of the Borough in an amount equal to the fair market value of the deferred account for each participant.

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

C. Description of Program (Cont'd.)

In accordance with standards established by the Governmental Accounting standards Board, the Program balances are displayed in the Trust Fund of the Borough. The Program is exempt from federal taxation pursuant to Internal Revenue Code Section 457.

D. Amount of Contribution

The Borough will contribute to the plan for an active volunteer who thereafter annually attains the minimum point score as provided below shall receive an annual contributions in accordance with the plan regulations.

An active volunteer member will qualify for contribution to a LOSAP deferred account if they earn a cumulative total minimum of 100 points based on the point system below for each service year. For each service year during which a volunteer member is determined to be eligible to receive a LOSAP contribution, he/she will be credited with a year of service for purposes of vesting in accordance with this Plan. All members must be an active volunteer member in good standing throughout the year in order to be considered an eligible "qualified participant" in the Program and must be a qualified participant in the Program for five (5) years in order to be vested.

E. Qualifications

Each active volunteer member shall be credited with points for volunteer services provided to the applicable Borough nonprofit organization pursuant to the requirements stated in the organizing plan document.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

PART V

SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

Other Supplementary Data

BOROUYGH OF BOUND BROOK SOMERSERT COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

COMBINED BALANCE SHEET - ALL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2015

				GENERAL	GENERAL	MEMORANDUM	ONLY TOTALS
		CURRENT	TRUST	CAPITAL	FIXED	BALANCE	BALANCE
ASSETS		<u>FUND</u>	FUND	FUND	<u>ASSETS</u>	DEC. 31,2015	DEC. 31,2014
Cash and Investments	\$	3,389,410.43	1,572,148.23	1,204,748.58	\$	6,166,307.24 \$	5,954,166.21
Cash Held by Agents			426,687.32			426,687.32	444,427.65
Accounts Receivable: State & Federal Grants Receivable		616,855.62		577,085.50		1,193,941.12	1,293,941.12
Due from State of New Jersey Taxes, Assessments, Liens, Sewer		1,340.00				1,340.00	65,248.10
& Refuse Charges		745,411.22	3.641.64			749,052.86	679,029.08
Interfund Loans		275,017.12	495,152.23	1,400,178.48		2,170,347.83	3,346,540.45
Other Accounts Receivable		26,352.63	22,333.47	200,000.00		248,686.10	102,051.36
General Fixed Assets					15,310,708.50	15,310,708.50	
Deferred Charges to Revenue of Succeeding Years		7,060.00	6,272.60			13,332.60	169,836.60
Deferred Charges to Future Taxation: General Capital Fund				21,706,021.48		21,706,021.48	22,193,373.14
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	\$ -	5,061,447.02 \$	2,526,235.49 \$	\$	15,310,708.50 \$	47,986,425.05 \$	34,248,613.71
				GENERAL	GENERAL	MEMORANDUM	ONLY TOTALS
LIABILITIES, RESERVES		CURRENT	TRUST	CAPITAL	FIXED	BALANCE	BALANCE
AND FUND BALANCE		FUND	<u>FUND</u>	FUND	<u>ASSETS</u>	DEC. 31,2015	DEC. 31,2014
Bonds, Notes and Loans Payable Prepaid Taxes, Assessments,	\$			21,694,370.06	\$	21,694,370.06 \$	21,358,386.72
Utility Charges and Licenses		80,272.72				80,272.72	94,355.66
Appropriation Reserves Reserve for Encumbrances/		258,397.46				258,397.46	183,269.89
Accounts Payable		72,888.47	11,261.71	77,885.33		162,035.51	528,818.95
Other Liabilities		29,619.43	2,254.06			31,873.49	41,159.04
Special District Tax Payable		10,214.62				10,214.62	
Amts. Pledged to Specific Purposes		1,095,856.47	2,493,035.42	50,524.74		3,639,416.63	3,457,854.73
Improvement Authorizations				2,957,652.12		2,957,652.12	3,893,669.15
Interfund Loans		2,167,662.56	2,685.26			2,170,347.82	3,346,540.45
Investments in General Fixed Assets Reserve for Certain Assets Acquired					15,310,708.50	15,310,708.50	
or Receivables & Inventories		771,949.11	445.74			772,394.85	737,006.88
Fund Balance	-	574,586.18	16,553.30	307,601.79	. <u> </u>	898,741.27	607,552.24
	\$_	5,061,447.02 \$	2,526,235.49 \$	25,088,034.04 \$	15,310,708.50 \$	47,986,425.05 \$	34,248,613.71

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - CURRENT FUND

Revenue and Other	Year 201	5	Year 2014		
Income Realized	Amount	<u>%</u>	Amount	<u>%</u>	
Fund Balance Utilized Miscellaneous - From Other Than	\$-		\$325,000.00	1.16	
Local Property Tax Levies Collection of Delinquent Taxes	5,335,763.59	18.42	4,458,439.99	15.86	
and Tax Title Liens Collection of Current Tax Levy	491,098.41 23,138,203.98	1.70 79.88	486,413.83 22,835,835.79	1.73 81.25	
Total Income	28,965,065.98	100.00	28,105,689.61	100.00	
Expenditures					
Budget Expenditures:					
Municipal Purposes	12,483,930.24	43.64	12,114,715.72	43.09	
County Taxes	2,863,232.28	10.01	2,771,698.96	9.86	
Local School Taxes	13,127,270.00	45.88	13,191,580.00	46.91	
Othar Charges	135,113.43	0.47	40,110.16	0.14	
Total Expenditures	28,609,545.95	100.00	28,118,104.84	100.00	
Excess (Deficit) in Revenue	355,520.03		(12,415.23)		
Less: Expenditures to be Raised					
by Future Taxes	7,060.00		150,750.00		
Statutory Excess to Surplus	362,580.03		138,334.77		
Fund Balance January 1	212,006.15		398,671.38		
Ţ	574,586.18		537,006.15		
Less: Utilization as Anticipated Revenue			325,000.00		
Fund Balance December 31	\$574,586.18		\$212,006.15		

COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF TAX RATE INFORMATION

	2015	<u>2014</u>	2013
Tax Rate:	<u>\$3.311</u>	<u>\$3.428</u>	<u>\$2.779</u>
Apportionment of Tax Rate:			
Municipal	<u>1.068</u>	<u>1.083</u>	<u>0.880</u>
County	0.402	<u>0.408</u>	<u>0.364</u>
Local School	<u>1.841</u>	1.937	<u>1.535</u>
Assessed Valuation:			
2015	<u>\$712,960,985.00</u>		
2014		<u>\$681,010,252.00</u>	
2013			<u>\$834,359,117.00</u>

Note: Under the provisions of Chapter 73, L. 1976 (R.S. 54:4-46.1), the Somerset County Board of Taxation estimated the amount of approved Veterans' and Senior Citizens' tax deductions, etc. to be \$67,750.00 for the year 2015.

COMPARISON OF TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTION CURRENTLY

A study of this tabulation could indicate a possible trend in future tax levies. A decrease in the percentage of current collection could be an indication of a probable increase in future tax levies.

		<u>C U R R E N T L Y</u> Cash	Percentage of
Year	Tax Levy	Collections	Collection
2015	\$ 23,720,518.71	\$ 23,138,203.98	97.55%
2014	23,354,494.82	22,835,835.79	97.78%
2013	23,212,717.95	22,587,664.98	97.31%

DELINQUENT TAXES AND TAX TITLE LIENS

This tabulation includes a comparison, expressed in percentage, of the total of delinquent taxes and tax title liens, in relation to the tax levies of the last three years.

Dec. 31 <u>Year</u>	mount of <u>Title Liens</u>	Amount of inquent Taxes	Total <u>Delinquent</u>	Percentage of <u>Tax Levy</u>
2015	\$ 33,828.36	\$ 526,311.38	\$ 560,139.74	2.36%
2014	28,208.66	484,652.60	512,861.26	2.20%
2013	8,714.39	508,834.17	517,548.56	2.23%

PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY TAX TITLE LIEN LIQUIDATION

No Properties have been acquired, reported or recorded in CY 2015 or as at December 31, 2014 by foreclosure or deed.

COMPARISON OF SEWER BILLINGS AND COLLECTIONS (Componenet of Current Fund)

Year	Billings	Collections
2015	\$1,082,951.27	\$1,065,555.79
2014	988,179.95	872,083.29
2013	1,016,565.71	856,752.82

COMPARISON OF REFUSE BILLINGS AND COLLECTIONS (Componenet of Current Fund)

Year	Billings	Collections
2015	\$450,699.16	\$441,779.36
2014	430,387.50	374,357.23
2013	428,825.24	381,467.97

COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF FUND BALANCE

			Utilized in
		Balance	Budget of
	Year	December 31	Succeeding Year
	2015	\$574,586.18	(1)
	2014	212,006.15	-
Current Fund	2013	398,671.38	325,000.00
	2012	237,354.79	225,000.00
	2011	67,018.27	47,576.00

(1) The 2016 Municipal Budget had not been adopted at the date of the relaese of this report.

OFFICIALS IN OFFICE AND SURETY BONDS

AMOUNT

The following officials were in office at December 31, 2015:

		OF
NAME	TITLE	BOND
Robert razen	Mayor	
Beverly Pranzatelli	President of Council	
John Buckley	Councilperson	
Philip Fiadino	Councilperson	
Abel Gomez	Councilperson	
Vinnie Petti	Councilperson	
Peter Lazzaro	Councilperson	
Gary Strathearn	Administrator	
Randy Bahr	Chief Financial Officer/Tax Collector	\$1,000,000.00 (A)
Donna Marie Godleski	Borough Clerk	
Michael Imbriaco	Tax Assessor	
Michael Jannone	Chief of Police	
Michael Fedun, Eaq.	Borough Magistrate	\$1,000,000.00 (A)
Valarie Vasquez	Court Administrator	\$1,000,000.00 (A)
Louis N. Rainone	Borough Attorney	

(A) Blanket Bond \$1,000,000.00 Middlesex County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK

SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

PART VI

GENERAL COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK COUNTY OF SOMERSET, NEW JERSEY YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

GENERAL COMMENTS

An audit of the financial accounts and transactions of the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey, for the year ended December 31, 2015, has been completed. The General Comments are herewith set forth:

Scope of Audit

The audit covered the financial transactions of the Finance Department and the other various offices and departments collecting fees within the Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey.

The audit did not and could not determine the character of services rendered for which payment had been made or for which reserves had been set up, nor could it determine the character, proper price or quantity of materials supplied for which claims had been passed. These details were necessarily covered by the internal review and control before approval of such claims by the Governing Body. Cash on hand was counted and cash and investment balances were reconciled with independent certifications obtained directly from the depositories. Revenues and receipts were established and verified as to source and amount insofar as the records permitted.

INTERNAL CONTROL MATTERS

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Borough of Bound Brook, County of Somerset, New Jersey as of and for the year ended December 31, 2015, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Borough's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.

A control deficiency 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 misstatements on a timely basis.

A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

INTERNAL CONTROL MATTERS (Cont'd.)

With respect to the reporting of internal control matters, standards require that only a significant deficiency and/or a material weakness need be reported in writing to management and those charged with governance.

The following control deficiencies were considered to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting:

2015-1 Timely Payroll and Agency Account Reconciliations

During 2015, the monthly cash reconciliations and associated proof procedures for the Borough's Payroll and Agency account were not always performed timely. The performance of timely cash reconciliations, including the identification by agency or purpose of any ending account balance is an essential component of controls over payroll processing and the recording of expenditures for employee compensation. While no significant adjustments to the financial records were required based upon the audit results, the absence of monthly proofs exposes the Borough to the risk that an error could occur and not be identified for correction in a timely manner.

2015-2 General Ledger Proofs to Subsidiary Records

The Borough maintains computerized subsidiary records for tax, sewer rents, garbage disposal fees and Borough held liens utilizing software from a third party service provider. During 2015, the General Ledger control accounts were not always reconciled to the activity recorded in these subsidiary records on a monthly basis, and the audit revealed that non-cash entries to record billing adjustments, cancellations, and transfers to lien status were often omitted from the general ledger record. One of the objectives of a general ledger is to provide a summarized control over subsidiary records. The absence of periodic proofs of summarized general ledger balances to the detailed balances in the subsidiary records weakens the reliability of the general ledger as a basis for financial reporting.

The control deficiencies reported below are not considered to be significant deficiencies nor material weaknesses. In addition, these control deficiencies are not required to be reported in writing, however, control deficiencies are presented to management and those charged with governance in this report as a means to present those matters identified in review of the Borough's internal controls and as a means to inform management and those charged with governance as to the auditing standards requirements with respect to internal controls.

Control Deficiencies:

Segregation of Duties - Outside Offices & Departments

Conditions exist whereby the same person may collect, record (if a record is maintained) and deposit cash receipts in the following offices - Clerk, Police, Construction Code, Fire Prevention/Housing Inspection, Recreation, and Municipal Court.

This condition is the result of multiple tasks performed by the same individual within the respective offices.

Segregation of Duties - Finance & Tax Office

Conditions exist whereby the same person may collect, record and deposit cash receipts in the following: Finance and Tax Office, respectively.

INTERNAL CONTROL MATTERS (Cont'd.)

This condition is the result of multiple tasks performed by the same individual within the respective offices.

The reporting of theses deficiencies does not affect our report dated March 8, 2016 on the financial statements of the Borough of Bound Brook. Our comments and recommendations, which have been discussed with appropriate members of management, are intended to improve the internal control or result in other operating efficiencies.

Other Matters

Contracts and Agreements Required to be Advertised Per N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4

N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 states "Every contract or agreement, for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the cost or the contract price whereof is to be paid with or out of public funds not included within the terms of Section 3, of this act, shall be made or awarded only after public advertising for bids and bidding therefor, except as is provided otherwise in this act or specifically by any other law. No work, materials or supplies shall be undertaken, acquired or furnished for a sum exceeding in the aggregate \$17,500.00 except by contract or agreement."

On June 9, 2010, the Local Public Contracts Law was amended, effective on January 1, 2011. The amendments address the bid threshold (Section 7, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-3), thereby increasing the amount from \$21,000.00 to \$26,000.00 under which a contract may be awarded without public advertising. Furthermore, if the Borough's Purchasing Agent is "Qualified" the Committee may increase the bid threshold from \$29,000.00 to \$36,000.00. On May 5, 2011, a revised Local Finance Notice was issued which reduced the threshold for Non-QPA municipalities from \$26,000.00 to \$17,500.00.

The governing body of the Municipality has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed the limits described above within the fiscal year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of the statute, the Borough Counsel's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

A test of the Borough's purchasing procedures indicates bids were requested by public advertising for the following items as disclosed in the official minutes:

Road Reconstruction Program

Inasmuch as the system of records did not provide for an accumulation of payments for categories for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the results of such an accumulation could not reasonably be ascertained. Disbursements were reviewed, however, to determine whether any clear cut violations existed.

Our examination of expenditures revealed that no individual payments, contracts or agreements in excess \$17,500.00 thereafter "for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies," other than those where bids had been previously sought by public advertisement.

The minutes indicate that resolutions were adopted authorizing the awarding of contracts or agreements for "Professional Services" per N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5. No evidence of the inclusion of not-to-exceed amounts was noted, however, contract documents on file did include the cost data required by the CFO to certify availability of funds.

Contracts and Agreements Required to be Advertised Per N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 (Cont'd.)

While not observed in excessive numbers, our tests did reveal the use of confirming orders during the period ended December 31, 2015. A confirming order is indicative of a failure to follow the state mandated encumbrance accounting process wherein a requisition is submitted and reviewed and approved by administrative and finance officials prior to the granting of authority to order goods and services. Encumbrance accounting is a key component of the controls to assure compliance with the Public Contracts and Budget laws. While no noncompliance was noted as a result of the use of confirming orders, we suggest that the importance of adherence to encumbrance accounting be communicated to departmental officials and additional training be provided in the event of the continuing use of confirming orders.

Any interpretations as to possible violation of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 and N.J.A.C. 5:30-14 would be in the province of the municipal solicitor.

Compliance with P.L. 2005, c.271

The threshold for Pay-to-Play is set at \$17,500, with no escalator provision. "Pay-to-Play" laws cover all contracts (not just professional services as some believe). Any contract (or aggregation of purchases of similar goods or services) that does not meet "fair and open" standards requires the Borough to obtain the necessary c. 271 documents. The provisions of c. 271 became effective on January 1, 2006.

A non- compliance would result with the issuance of purchase orders exceeding \$17,500 during the fiscal period without a "fair and open" process, and without obtaining the requisite disclosures. It is important to note that the laws and regulations implementing "Pay-to-Play" focus on vendors rather than categories of goods and services. While this change may appear subtle, it greatly expands the monitoring required to assure continuing compliance.

The Borough was unable to provide evidence of compliance with the "Pay-to-Play" statutes for two (2) vendor for the items tested.

We suggest that all required documentation be maintained for compliance with the "Pay-to-Play" statutes.

Collection of Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Assessments

The statute provides the method for authorizing interest and the maximum rates to be charged for the nonpayment of taxes or assessments on or before the date when they would become delinquent.

The governing body, on January 1, 2015, adopted the following resolution authorizing interest to be charged on delinquent taxes:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Committee of the Borough of Bound Brook, that in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 54:4-67, the Tax Collector of the Borough of Bound Brook be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to charge interest on delinquent taxes or assessments at the rate of 8% per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of the delinquency and 18% per annum on any amount in excess of \$1,500.00 provided, however, that no interest be charged if payment of any installment is made within ten days after the time within the same became payable.

Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens

The last tax sale was held in 2015 and complete.

The following comparison is made of the number of tax title liens receivable for the last three years:

Year	Number of Liens
2015	2
2014	2
2013	2

Interfund Balances

Interfund balances appear on the various balance sheets of the Borough's financial statements at December 31, 2015.

These interfunds, in some cases, resulted from 2015 operations. In other instances, the balances resulted from transfers based upon cash flow requirements. However. Some interfund balances remained unchanged from the prior period. As the existence of these interfund balances did not result in a material distortion of income, and they are not indicative of an inability of any fund to meet its annual cash flow requirements from its own respective cash receipts, no recommendation is made as part of this report. Interfund balances should be reviewed periodically and cleared by cash transfer whenever feasible.

Investments

The Treasurer has the idle funds of the Borough invested in interest-bearing accounts for the year under review. Earnings from the investments and deposits are shown in the various funds of the Borough as of December 31, 2015.

The Borough did not adopt a formal cash management plan policy in compliance with N.J.S.A. 40A:5-14 of the Local Fiscal Affairs Law, which requires that "each local unit shall adopt a cash management plan and shall deposit its funds pursuant to that plan". However, all depositories and accounts were approved, and no investments in certificates of deposit or repurchase agreements were made during the year.

Cash and investments held by the Borough were confirmed as of December 31, 2015.

Payment of Claims

Claims were examined on a test basis for the year under review. Supporting documentation was on file as part of voucher packages for items tested.

We noted that the Borough Council approves bill lists by motion, and that the dollar value of the bill lists approved and a listing of the bills approved is included in the official minutes.

Other Matters (Cont'd.)

Municipal Court

The financial records maintained by the Municipal Court during the period were reviewed. The examination of the general account indicated that deposits were recorded and spread by receipt category and cash was reconciled monthly. The examination of the bail account's financial and supporting records maintained by the Municipal Court indicated that the analysis of outstanding bail was reconciled to the book balance.

The processing of traffic and criminal cases entered on the State's on-line computer system indicated no exceptions with respect to items tested.

Condition of Records - Other Officials Collecting Fees

Our reviews of the records maintained for other officials collecting fees, which were designed to determine that minimum levels of internal control and accountability were met, and that cash receipts were deposited or turned over to the Borough's Treasurer's accounts within a 48 hour period as required by N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15, revealed the following:

We noted that all Outside Offices & Departments do not maintain a standardized formal cash receipt journal, do not issue duplicate receipts for all cash collections, and do not prepare and submit formalized monthly reports to the Finance Department. In addition, it is essential that the reports are reviewed and reconciled the records maintained in the Finance Department. The recording of cash receipts by date of deposit does not allow for the review of the 48-hour deposit requirement.

We suggest that the Borough a standardized formal control policies and procedures for all Outside Offices & Departments that collect Borough funds.

Surety Bonds

The "List of Officials", included as part of the Supplementary Data section of this report, discloses the status of surety bond coverage's in effect at December 31, 2011, disclosed compliance with requirements, as promulgated by the Local Finance Board, State of New Jersey, for the Municipal Court and the Tax/Utility Collector.

In addition to mandatory minimums, the provisions of N.J.A.C 5:30-8.3 and 8.4, also include higher suggested coverage levels that local units are encouraged to utilize in order to provide a higher level of security of public funds. The Borough's coverages comply with the suggested coverages.

Condition of the Records – Office of Tax Collector

The records maintained by the Tax Collector were reviewed, and were found to be in generally good condition. We noted the following:

Our review of sewer billings and collections indicated that two facilities are billed manually and this billing data is not recorded on the computerized subsidiary accounting and reporting system. This further complicates the monthly reconciliation process to the general ledger control account that we have recommended for initiation. Manual billing should either be entered into the subsidiary records or a separate control account should be established in the general ledger.

Other Matters (Cont'd.)

Condition of the Records – Finance Office

The records maintained by the Finance Department during the period were reviewed. A general ledger was maintained for each fund, with the exception of Payroll/Agency Fund. The completeness and accuracy of the general ledger records was significantly improved since our previous engagement as auditors, and the general ledgers were found to be generally reliable. Our audit identified the following matters:

As previously noted, the effectiveness of the general ledger as a control over subsidiary records was weakened by the absence of monthly proof procedures and the omission of postings of necessary adjusting entries for non-cash transactions. A recommendation has previously been made within these General Comments.

During 2015, the CFO cancelled an unsubstantiated and uncollectible receivable balance from the State of New Jersey that had accumulated over time and was causing an overstatement of current fund balance.

At December 31, 2015, the general ledger continues to carry small overpayment balances for sewer rents and refuse disposal fees, from prior years, that are no longer supported by identifiable balances in the subsidiary records. These items should be reviewed for cancellation.

A review of the status of grant accounts indicated that there are several grants receivable and grant appropriation balances being reported for which there has been no receipt or disbursement activity for several years. In instances where receivable balances equal unspent appropriation balances, cancellation of the grant programs will have no impact on Borough finances. However, there are several receivable balances for which some unreimbursed expenditures have been recorded. These items should be reviewed and followed up with collection efforts wherever possible. Should collection efforts fail, the Borough will be required to absorb the unreimbursed expenditures through its tax supported budgets.

Due to an apparent miscommunication, an overexpenditure of \$7,060.00 was reported for 2015 budgetary results. Specifically, an approval to expend funds for ordinance codification services was approved with an understanding that a special emergency appropriation resolution would be presented to the governing body to fund the costs. The resolution was never presented for approval, and the payment of the associated bill resulted in an overexpenditure.

It is recommended that overexpenditures of budget appropriations be avoided.

A review of the status of individual account activity and balances for the use of off-duty police officers indicated that this record, maintained by the police department, could not be reconciled to the activity contained in the general ledger. To assure that all amounts due from third parties are billed, collected and properly accounted for, it is essential that the detailed record of receipts billings and account balances be proved to general ledger account activity and ending balances on a monthly basis.

It is recommended that police outside-employment account activity and ending balances be reconciled to the general ledger on a monthly basis.

Other Matters (Cont'd.)

Condition of the Records – Finance Office (Cont'd.)

A review of the status of amounts reported in the General Capital Fund as grants receivable indicated that balances have been carried for several years for the East Main Street Streetscape Project (\$265,950.00) and Improvements to Church Street (\$56,310.55). A review of prior audit documents suggests that all expenditures for this project were completed prior to 2011 and no moneys have been collected for at least five years. The Church Street project appears to have been completed in 2012. These projects should be reviewed with the engineers that managed them to determine if all reimbursement vouchers have been filed. Should these amounts prove uncollectible, the balances should be cancelled, with additional debt authorized or budget appropriations made to fund the cancelled grants.

It is recommended that general capital grant balances be reviewed for collectability and appropriate actions taken based upon those reviews.

Administration and Accounting of State & Federal Grants

During 2015, the Borough operated programs, which were funded in whole or in part by state or federal grant awards. As part of the acceptance of these funds, the Borough is required to make assurances to the grantor agency that it will comply, in its general operations as well as in the operation of grant funded programs, with various laws and regulations. In addition, the individual grant contracts impose specific compliance requirements for the operations of each program. Based upon the myriad compliance and reporting requirements for grant awards, it is essential that grant coordinators review financial reports with the CFO before filing to assure that reported expenditures of grant funds match the official financial, records of the Borough.

We suggest the Borough review its system of internal controls and various policies and procedures as they apply to the compliance requirements for State and Federal grants.

The Borough reports, and the records made available to us indicate, that no single audit requirement was in effect for CY 2015.

Compliance with N.J.A.C 5:30:

The Local Finance Board, State of New Jersey, adopted the following requirements, previously identified as "technical accounting directives", as codified in the New Jersey Administration Code as follows:

<u>N.J.A.C. 5:30 - 5.2 - Encumbrance Systems</u>: This directive requires the development and implementation of accounting systems, which can reflect the commitment of funds at the point of commitment. As previously noted, the Borough is generally in compliance with this directive, with some exception noted.

<u>N.J.A.C. 5:30 - 5.6 - Accounting for Governmental Fixed Assets</u>: This directive requires the development and implementation of accounting systems which assign values to covered assets and can track additions, retirements and transfers of inventoried assets. The Borough has established a Governmental Fixed Asset Accounting and Reporting System during the current audit cycle.

<u>N.J.A.C. 5:30 - 5.7 – General Ledger Accounting System</u>: This directive requires the establishment and maintenance of a general ledger for, at least, the Current Fund. The Borough is in compliance with this directive. The Borough is generally in compliance with this directive.

Other Matters (Cont'd.)

Compliance with Local Finance Notices

Local Finance Notice (LFN) No. 92-15 requires that the Borough prepare and file a corrective action plan in accordance with federal and state requirements. A written corrective action plan for 2014 was presented and accepted by the governing body.

Internal Control Documentation

Statement on Auditing Standards 115 sets forth requirements upon the auditee that includes the documentation of its internal controls. We suggest the Borough consider initiation of this process and also consider utilizing the framework established by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO) for its documentation, which includes the five components of internal controls, as follows: Control Environment; Risk Assessment; Control Activities; Information and Communication; and Monitoring. In addition, we suggest the documentation should also include the internal controls that exist over grant compliance. If possible, this documentation should be supplemented by a record of Borough positions and job descriptions, along with descriptions of the tasks that each position is expected to perform and a procedures manual identifying the steps to be taken in performing each task. While these initiatives are not required, the development of operating manuals, job descriptions, and formalized risk assessment policies and procedures would greatly enhance the overall control environment of the Borough.

RECOMMENDATIONS

We recommend the following:

That timely cash reconciliation and balance identification procedures be performed for the Payroll/Agency Fund.

That periodic reconciliations of general ledger control balances to detailed subsidiary records be performed for property tax, sewer user fees, refuse disposal fees and Borough held lien records.

That overexpenditures of budget appropriations be avoided.

That police outside-employment account activity and ending balances be reconciled to the general ledger on a monthly basis.

That general capital grant balances be reviewed for collectability and appropriate actions taken based upon those reviews.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT

During the course of our audit we received the complete cooperation of the various officials of the Borough, and the courtesies extended to us were greatly appreciated.

Should any questions arise as to our comments or recommendations or should you desire assistance in implementing our recommendations, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

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