CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Year Ended June 30, 2016



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CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA PRINCIPAL OFFICIALS For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

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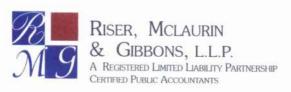
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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council City of Hanahan, South Carolina

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Hanahan, South Carolina, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions 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 and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of

the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Hanahan, South Carolina, as of June 30, 2016, and the respective changes in financial position and where applicable, cash flows thereof, and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and GASB Statement No. 68 net pension liability and related information on pages 41-42 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. Management has omitted management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, as stated above. Our opinion on the basic financial statements is not affected by this missing information. We have applied certain limited procedures to the GASB Statement No. 68 required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Hanahan, South Carolina's basic financial statements. The Supplemental Schedule of Fines, Assessments and Surcharges – General Fund is

presented for purposes of additional analysis, as required by the State of South Carolina, but it is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management, and the data was derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the Supplemental Schedule of Fines, Assessments and Surcharges – General Fund is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 7, 2017, on our consideration of the City of Hanahan, South Carolina's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, 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 *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City of Hanahan, South Carolina's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

March 7, 2017

Riser, McLaurin & Gilbons, L.L.P.

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION June 30, 2016

Exhibit A-1

	Governmental Activities
ASSETS	THEN IN THE STREET STATE OF SEC.
Non-pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$ 107,528
Pooled cash and cash equivalents	8,917,338
Cash with fiscal agents	171,906
Taxes receivable, net	2,274,951
Due from other entities	1,550,043
Other assets	19,319
Restricted assets:	
Non-pooled cash and cash equivalents	283,646
Pooled cash and cash equivalents	2,005,873
Capital assets (Note IV.E):	
Nondepreciable capital assets	1,116,198
Other capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	11,684,023
Total capital assets	12,800,221
Total assets	28,130,825
DEFFERED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Deferred pension contributions	513,902
Deferred pension actuarial experience differences	165,538
Deferred investment differences	65,003
Total deferred outflows of resources	744,443
LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable	240.065
Accrued compensation and related liabilities	249,065
Unearned revenues	187,699
Net pension liability	65,000 7,099,457
Compensated absences:	7,099,457
Expected to be paid within one year	116 222
Expected to be paid within one year	116,223
General obligation bonds payable:	113,259
Portion due within one year	175,000
Portion due after one year	
Capital lease obligation:	975,000
Portion due within one year	21 127
Portion due after one year	21,127 82,392
Total liabilities	
Total habilities	9,084,222
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Unavailable property tax revenues – current	2,200,000
Total deferred inflows of resources	2,200,000
NET POSITION	
Net investment in capital assets	11,650,221
Restricted for capital projects	2,822,421
Restricted for property tax rollback	556,257
Restricted for other specific purposes	198,102
Unrestricted	2,364,045
Total net position	\$ 17,591,046

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

Exhibit A-2

			Prog	gran	n Revenu	ıes		Net (Expense) Revenue –
	Expenses		arges for ervices	Op	erating Grants	(Capital Grants	Governmental Activities
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS								
Governmental activities:								
General government Public safety:	\$ 2,183,676	\$	20,950	\$	-	\$	=	\$ (2,162,726)
Police	2,425,925		816,334		1,973		9	(1,607,618)
Fire	1,974,964		191,757		898		_	(1,782,309)
Public works	763,385		11,582		-		S	(751,803)
Code enforcement	225,436	1	537,802		-		-	1,312,366
Recreation and parks	899,126		325,473		2		202,511	(371,142)
Depreciation	875,633		-		-		_	(875,633)
Interest on long-term debt	33,839		-		-		-	(33,839)
Total governmental activities	9,381,984	2	,903,898		2,871	- 1	202,511	(6,272,704)
GENERAL REVENUES								
Property taxes								2,561,257
Intergovernmental revenue	s - local option	sales	tax					1,724,248
Intergovernmental revenue	s - other							741,068
Franchise fees								1,701,895
Gain on sale of capital asse	ets							1,155,000
Miscellaneous revenues								70,061
Interest earnings								52,724
Total general revenues								8,006,253
Change in net position	า							1,733,549
Net position - beginning								15,857,497
Net position - ending								\$17,591,046

Exhibit B-1

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS June 30, 2016

June 3	0, 2	.016				
				Capital		Total
		General		Projects	G	overnmental
		Fund		Fund		Funds
ASSETS						
Non-pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$	107,528	\$	-	\$	107,528
Pooled cash and cash equivalents		6,016,009		2,226,769		8,242,778
Cash with fiscal agents		68,387		-		68,387
Cash with escrow agent		103,519		-		103,519
Property taxes receivable (net of allowance						
for uncollectible taxes)		2,274,951		-		2,274,951
Due from other entities		1,550,043		-		1,550,043
Due from other funds		1,468,472		121,959		1,590,431
Other assets		19,319		-		19,319
Restricted assets:						
Non-pooled cash and cash equivalents		283,646				283,646
Pooled cash and cash equivalents		1,541,408		464,465		2,005,873
Total assets	\$	13,433,282	\$	2,813,193	\$	16,246,475
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF						
RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$	249,065	\$	-	\$	249,065
Accrued compensation	3800	187,699		-		187,699
Due to other funds		// <u>-</u> -		988,835		988,835
Total liabilities		436,764		988,835		1,425,599
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES						1, 120,000
Unavailable property tax revenues - current		2,200,000		-		2,200,000
Unavailable property tax revenues – delinquent		9,911		-		9,911
Total deferred inflows of resources	-	2,209,911		_		2,209,911
FUND BALANCES		2,200,011				2,200,011
Restricted for: capital projects/development		998,063		1,824,358		2,822,421
drug/police enforcement		107,496		1,024,330		107,496
capital lease		103,519				103,519
Committed for property tax rollback		556,257				556,257
Assigned for subsequent years' appropriation		374,625				374,625
Unassigned		8,646,647		-		8,646,647
Total fund balances		10,786,607		1,824,358	_	12,610,965
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources,	-	10,700,007		1,024,330	-	12,010,905
and fund balances	2	13 433 383	•	2 912 102		
and fully balances	Ψ_	13,433,202	φ	2,813,193	_	
A				namawaki mari sawi		
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the state	emen	it of net position	n (E	xhibit A-1)		
are different because (see Note II for more detailed info				100101000000000000000000000000000000000		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are no	t fina	incial resource	s an	d therefore		
are not reported in the funds.		at a resignation of a second contract of the second		war south and the same		11,600,971
Some of the City's property taxes receivable will be c	ollec	ted after year-	end,	but are not		
available soon enough to pay for current period exp	endit	tures, and ther	efore	are reported		
as deferred inflows of resources in the funds.						9,911
Long-term liabilities, including general obligation bond	ds, c	apital lease ob	ligat	ons, and		
compensated absences are not due and payable in	the c	current period,	and	therefore		Table 1 and
are not reported in the funds.			_			(7,903,015)
Internal service funds are used by management to ch						
activities to individual fund departments. Net positio						
\$1,272,214 is included in governmental activities in	the s	statement of ne	et po	sition.		1,272,214
Not position of governmental authorities						47 504 645
Net position of governmental activities					\$	17,591,046

Exhibit B-2

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

DEVENUE		General Fund		Capital Projects Fund	G	Total overnmental Funds
REVENUES	•	0.440.404	•	107.050		0 == 1 0 1 1
Property taxes	\$	2,143,191	\$	427,853	\$	2,571,044
Intergovernmental revenues – local option sales tax		4 704 040				4 70 4 0 40
		1,724,248		-		1,724,248
Intergovernmental revenues – other		741,068		-		741,068
Intergovernmental revenues – grants		16,871		188,511		205,382
Franchise fees		1,701,895		-		1,701,895
Licenses and permits		1,537,802		-		1,537,802
Court fines		570,011		-		570,011
Impact fees		-		33,664		33,664
Recreational program fees		265,941		-		265,941
911 revenues		179,931		-		179,931
EMS fees received		181,974		-		181,974
Miscellaneous revenues		185,168		-		185,168
Interest earnings		37,582		11,143		48,725
Total revenues	\$ _\$	9,285,682	\$	661,171	\$	9,946,853
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Public works Police Fire Code enforcement Recreation and parks Grant expenditures Debt Service: Principal payments Interest payments Capital outlay	\$	1,926,603 763,875 2,407,413 1,947,144 225,436 918,312 5,350	\$	382,041 170,000 33,839	\$	1,926,603 763,875 2,407,413 1,947,144 225,436 918,312 387,391 170,000 33,839 323,315
Total expenditures		8,517,448	-	585,880		9,103,328
Excess of expenditures over revenues		768,234		75,291		843,525
OTHER FINANCIAL SOURCES						
Proceeds from sale of real estate		-		1,155,000		1,155,000
Capital lease proceeds		103,519		-		103,519
Total other financing sources		103,519		1,155,000		1,258,519
Net change in fund balances Fund balances, beginning		871,753 9,914,854		1,230,291 594,067		2,102,044 10,508,921
Fund balances, ending	\$	10,786,607	\$	1,824,358	\$	12,610,965

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA Exhibit B-3 RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

Net change in fund balances – total governmental funds (from Exhibit B-2) Amounts reported for <i>governmental activities</i> in the statement of activities (Exhibit A-2) are different because (see Note II for more detailed information on the more significant reconciling items.) Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period.	\$ 2,102,044 75,743
Delinquent property taxes receivable will be collected this year, but are reported as deferred inflows of resources in the governmental funds because they are not available soon enough to pay for the current period's expenditures	(9,787)
Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of fleet service activities to individual fund departments. Net loss of internal service funds of \$222,553 is reported with governmental activities.	(222,553)
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items.	(131,270)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.	(80,628)
Change in net position of governmental activities (see Exhibit (A-2)	\$1,733,549

Exhibit C-1

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE – BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND

For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance with Final Budget
	Original	Fir1	Actual	Positive
REVENUES	Original	Final	Amounts	(Negative)
Property Taxes	\$ 2,290,000	\$ 2,290,000	\$ 2,143,191	\$ (146,809)
Intergovernmental revenues – local option	Ψ 2,200,000	Ψ 2,230,000	Ψ 2,145,151	Ψ (140,009)
sales tax	1,400,000	1,400,000	1,724,248	324,248
Intergovernmental revenues - other	725,892	725,892	741,068	15,176
Intergovernmental revenues – grants	2,850	2,850	16,871	14,021
Franchise fees	1,432,000	1,432,000	1,701,895	269,895
Licenses and permits	1,475,000	1,475,000	1,537,802	62,802
Court fines	502,500	502,500	570,011	67,511
Recreational program fees	226,700	226,700	265,941	39,241
911 revenues	85,000	85,000	179,931	94,931
EMS fees received	175,000	175,000	181,974	6,974
Miscellaneous revenues	171,850	195,250	185,168	(10,082)
Interest earnings	9,000	9,000	37,582	28,582
Total revenues	8,495,792	8,519,192	9,285,682	766,490
EXPENDITURES Current:				
General government	1,890,490	1,914,850	1,926,603	(11,753)
Public works	863,491	863,491	763,875	99,616
Police	2,605,614	2,605,614	2,407,413	198,201
Fire	2,000,495	2,007,795	1,947,144	60,651
Code enforcement	253,088	253,088	225,436	27,652
Recreation and parks	948,662	961,862	918,312	43,550
Grant expenditures	5,500	5,500	5,350	150
Capital outlay	241,343	293,398	323,315	(29,917)
Total expenditures	8,808,683	8,905,598	8,517,448	388,150
Excess of expenditures (over) under revenues	(312,891)	(386,406)	768,234	1,154,640
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES:				
Capital lease proceeds	-	-	103,519	103,519
Total other financing sources	-	-	103,519	103,519
Net change in fund balance	(312,891)	(386,406)	871,753	1,258,159
Fund balance - beginning	9,914,854	9,914,854	9,914,854	1,200,100
Fund balance – ending	\$ 9,601,963	\$ 9,528,448	\$ 10,786,607	\$ 1,258,159

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND June 30, 2016

Exhibit D-1

	Internal Service Fund
ASSETS Pooled cash and cash equivalents Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	\$ 674,560 1,199,250
Total assets	1,873,810
LIABILITIES Due to other funds Total liabilities	601,596 601,596
NET POSITION Net investment in capital assets Unrestricted	1,199,250 72,964
Total net position	\$ 1,272,214

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN

Exhibit D-2

FUND NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND

For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

	Int	ernal Service Fund
OPERATING REVENUES Internal service charges Total operating revenues	\$	
OPERATING EXPENSES Depreciation Total operating expenses Operating income (loss)	_	246,020 246,020 (246,020)
NON-OPERATING REVENUES Investment income Other revenues Total non-operating revenues		3,999 19,468 23,467
Income (loss) before operating transfers		(222,553)
Change in net position		(222,553)
Total net position, beginning of year		1,494,767
Total net position, end of year	\$	1,272,214

Exhibit D-3

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS – PROPRIETARY FUND For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

	Int	ernal Service Fund
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Cash paid to other funds for fleet reimbursements Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Operating Activities	\$	(32,270)
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Sales proceeds from disposal of capital assets Insurance proceeds received from damage to capital assets Acquisition of capital assets Net Cash Used In Capital and Related Financing Activities	_	4,373 15,095 (179,300) (159,832)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Interest earned on investments Net Cash Provided By Investing Activities		3,999
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(188,103)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of year	_	862,663
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of year	\$	674,560
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Operating Income (Loss) Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net net cash provided by operating activities: Depreciation Decrease in inventories Increase in amounts due to other funds	\$	(246,020) 246,020 5,887 (38,157)
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	(32,270)

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Introduction

The financial statements of the City of Hanahan (hereinafter referred to as the City) are prepared in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), as applied to local government entities. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the standard-setting body for governmental accounting and financial reporting. The City applies all relevant GASB pronouncements.

The accounting and reporting framework and the more significant accounting principles and practices of the City of Hanahan (hereinafter referred to as the City) are discussed in subsequent sections of this Note. The remainder of the Notes is organized to provide explanations, including required disclosures, of the City's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016.

B. Financial Reporting Entity

The City of Hanahan was incorporated September 21, 1973, under the laws of the State of South Carolina. Section 47-26 of the 1962 Code of Laws, as amended (Home Rule Act), requires that municipalities adopt a specific form of government. Accordingly, the City has adopted the Council form of government. The City Council is composed of the mayor and six council members. The City provides a full range of services to its citizens including Police and Fire Protection, EMS, Recreation and Parks, Code Enforcement, and General Administrative Services.

In evaluating how to define the City, for financial reporting purposes, management has considered any potential component units over which the City exercises significant influence. Significant influence or accountability is based primarily on operational or financial relationships with the City (as distinct from legal relationships). Based on the application of the criteria set forth in GAAP, management has considered any potential component units over which the City exercises significant influence and has determined that the City has no component units for financial reporting purposes.

C. Basis of Accounting / Measurement Focus

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the City's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business. These statements report financial information for the City as a whole. Individual funds are not displayed but the statements reflect governmental activities generally supported by taxes and City general revenues. Fiduciary activities of the City are not included in these statements.

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The statement of net position presents information on all of the City's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two presented as net position.

Net position is reported as one of three categories: Net investment in capital assets; restricted; or unrestricted. Restricted net position is further classified as either net position restricted by enabling legislation or net position that is otherwise restricted.

The statement of activities presents information showing how the net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event gives rise to the change that occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., uncollected taxes and earned but unused vacation leave).

These statements are presented on an "economic resources" measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, all of the City's assets and liabilities, including capital assets as well as infrastructure assets and long-term liabilities, are included in the accompanying statement of net position. The statement of activities presents changes in net position. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the period in which they are earned while expenses are recognized in the period in which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Certain eliminations have been made as prescribed by GASB Statement No. 34 in regards to interfund activities, payables, and receivables. All internal balances in the statement of net position have been eliminated. In the statement of activities, internal service fund transactions have also been eliminated.

Governmental Fund Financial Statements

Governmental Fund Financial Statements include a balance sheet and a statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for all major governmental funds, which consists of the general fund and the capital projects fund. An accompanying schedule is presented to reconcile and explain the differences in fund balances and changes in fund balances as presented in these statements to the net position and changes in net position presented in the government-wide financial statements. The City has presented all major funds that meet those qualifications.

All governmental funds are accounted for on a spending or "current financial resources" measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, only current assets and current liabilities are included on the balance

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund net position presents increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net position. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. Accordingly, revenues are recorded when received in cash, except that revenues subject to accrual (generally sixty days after year-end) are recognized when due. The primary revenue sources, which have been treated as susceptible to accrual by the City, are property taxes, franchise fees, intergovernmental revenues, and interest. In general, other revenues are recognized when cash is received. Expenditures are recorded in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences, are recorded only when payment is due.

Proprietary Fund Financial Statements

Proprietary Fund Financial Statements include a statement of net position, a statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net position, and a statement of cash flows for each major proprietary fund, which consists of a single internal service fund. However, internal service balances and activities have been combined with the governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements.

Proprietary funds are accounted for using the "economic resources" measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, all assets and liabilities (whether current or non-current) are included on the statement of net position. The statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net position presents increases (revenues) and decreases (expenses) in total net position. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the period in which they are earned while expenses are recognized in the period in which the liability is incurred.

Operating income reported in proprietary fund financial statements includes revenues and expenses related to the primary, continuing operations of the fleet service fund. Principal operating revenues for this proprietary fund, when applicable, are charges to various departments of the City on a cost reimbursement basis for providing these services. Principal operating expenses are the costs of providing goods or services and include administrative expenses and depreciation of capital assets.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the City's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

D. Fund Types and Major Funds

Governmental Funds:

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

<u>General Fund</u> – The general fund is the primary operating fund of the City. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

<u>Capital Projects Fund</u> – The capital projects fund is used to account for financial resources to be used for the construction of major capital projects not being financed by proprietary fund types. The City's routine purchases of capitalizable items are budgeted and reported in the general fund or in the proprietary fund types as appropriate.

Proprietary Funds:

The City reports the following fund type:

Internal Service Fund – The fleet service fund accounts for the financing of goods and services provided by one department to other departments within the City on a cost reimbursement basis. The fleet service fund was established in order to improve efficiency and productivity through the scheduled maintenance and replacement of vehicles. Up until June 30, 2014, all vehicle operating costs were accounted for in this fund. However, beginning July 1, 2014 all vehicle operating costs except depreciation are budgeted, paid from, and accounted for in the General Fund. The proprietary fund activity is reported with governmental activities in the government-wide statements.

E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position

Cash and Investments

The City maintains non-pooled cash and investment accounts, which are separately held, and reflected in their respective funds as "non-pooled cash and cash equivalents" and "cash and investments with fiscal agents," some of which are restricted assets. In addition, the City maintains or participates in cash and investment pools. Each fund's portion of a pool is presented on its respective balance sheet as "pooled cash and cash equivalents."

Cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments. For purposes of the proprietary fund's statement of cash flows, all short-term highly liquid investments, including restricted assets, with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition are considered to be cash equivalents.

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The City has a number of financial instruments, none of which are held for trading purposes. Except for non-participating interest earning investment contracts, investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market prices. Non-participating investment contracts such as non-negotiable certificates of deposits and repurchase agreements are reported at cost. Cash deposits are reported at carrying amount, which reasonable estimates fair value. Additional cash and investment information and fair values are presented in Note IV.A.

Concentration of Credit Risk and Taxes Receivable

The Berkeley County Treasurer collects property taxes for all of the governmental units located in Berkeley County, including the City of Hanahan, under a unified collection system. Current tax collections are made through the office of the County Treasurer and delinquent tax collections are made through the Delinquent Tax Collector of Berkeley County.

The City recognizes property taxes in the period in which they are levied and available for financing current expenditures. Property taxes receivable represent delinquent real and personal taxes for the past ten years, less an allowance for amounts estimated to be uncollectible, plus taxes levied on the assessed value of real and personal property, excluding vehicles, as of January 1, 2016. All net property taxes receivable at year end, except those collected within sixty days, are recorded as deferred inflows of resources, and thus not recognized as revenue until collected.

Taxes on real property and certain personal property attach as an enforceable lien on the property as of January 1. Taxes are levied and billed the following September on all property other than vehicles and are payable without penalty until January 15 of the following year. Penalties are assessed on unpaid taxes beginning January 16 – three percent (3%), February 2 – an additional seven percent (7%), March 16 – an additional five percent (5%). On March 16, the property tax bills are turned over to the delinquent tax office and if not paid by October 1, the properties are subject to sale. Taxes on licensed motor vehicles are levied during the month when the taxpayer's license registration is due for renewal. The taxpayer must provide proof of payment to the Highway Department before that agency will renew the vehicle license.

All property taxes receivable are shown net of an allowance for uncollectible amounts. The allowance for property taxes receivable is based upon a composite average of each delinquent tax year's collections to the outstanding balance at the beginning of the fiscal year.

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Inventories

Inventories in proprietary funds are recorded at the lower of cost or market on the first-in, first-out basis. The cost of inventories is recorded as an expense when consumed rather than when purchased.

Capital Assets and Depreciation

The City's property, plant, and equipment of all funds are stated at historical cost and comprehensively reported in the government-wide financial statements. Proprietary capital assets are also reported in its respective fund financial statements. Donated assets are stated at fair value on the date donated. All public domain or "infrastructure" fixed assets such as water, sewer, and drainage improvements, street signs and lighting are capitalized and are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method. When capital assets are disposed, the cost and applicable accumulated depreciation are removed from the respective accounts, and the resulting gain or loss is recorded in operations.

The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the assets' lives are not included as capital assets. Repairs and maintenance are recorded as expenditures or expenses; renewals and betterments are capitalized.

Estimated useful lives, in years, for depreciable capital assets are as follows:

10 to 50 years
5 to 10 years
20 years
20 to 25 years
20 years
5 years
10 years
3 to 5 years

Restricted Assets

Certain cash accounts in the City's governmental fund types are earmarked for specific purposes such as property tax rollback, land development, capital projects, and Police Department programs. Certain cash and investments held by fiscal agents are classified as restricted assets on the balance sheet because their use is limited to specific purposes based on the source of the funds received.

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities. Bond discounts or premiums, if applicable, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount.

The governmental fund financial statements recognize the proceeds of debt and premiums as other financing sources of the current period. Issuance costs and principal payments on long-term obligations are reported as expenditures.

Compensated Absences

It is the City's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation and sick pay benefits. There is no liability for unpaid accumulated sick leave since it is the City's policy to record the cost of sick leave only when it is paid, and no benefits vest upon termination. All vacation pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide financial statements.

Expenditures for compensated absences are recorded in the governmental fund types when employees use leave. In accordance therewith, these amounts are charged against the current budget when paid.

Restricted Assets and Restricted Net Position

Some assets restricted for capital projects (including tax increment financing projects and capital lease expenditures), special police grants and other funding, and other specific projects are restricted due to requirements placed upon them from the funding sources. Amounts that should be accumulated in restricted assets, including excess cash and investments accumulated, are reported as restricted assets.

Fund Balances

The City has adopted GASB Statement No. 54, which redefined how fund balances of governmental funds are presented in the financial statements. Fund balances are classified as follows:

Nonspendable – Amounts that cannot be spent either because they are not in a spendable form or because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Restricted – Amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes because of the City charter, state or federal laws, or externally imposed conditions by grantors or other funding sources. A portion of the June 30, 2016 fund balance has been restricted for the City's capital projects, police/drug enforcement, and capital lease.

<u>Committed</u> – Amounts that can be used only for specific purposes determined by a formal action by City ordinance or resolution. A portion of the June 30, 2016 fund balance has been committed for property tax rollbacks.

<u>Assigned</u> – Amounts that are designated by the City for a specific purpose but are neither restricted nor committed. A portion of the June 30, 2016 fund balance has been assigned for the City's subsequent year's appropriation.

<u>Unassigned</u> – All amounts not included in other spendable classifications.

The details of the fund balances are included in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet (page 6). The City would typically use Restricted fund balances first, followed by Committed resources, and then Assigned resources, as appropriate opportunities arise, but reserves the right to selectively spend Unassigned resources first to defer the use of these other classified funds.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles requires the City's management to make estimates and assumptions. These estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses/expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

II. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

A. Explanation of Certain Differences Between the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet and the Government-Wide Statement of Net Position

The governmental funds balance sheet (Exhibit B-1) includes a reconciliation between fund balances – total governmental funds and net position of governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of net position. One element of that reconciliation explains that "capital assets used in governmental

II. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds." The details of this \$11,600,971 difference are as follows:

Cost of nondepreciable capital assets	\$ 1,116,198
Cost of other capital assets	17,453,928
Subtotal	18,570,126
Less accumulated depreciation	6,969,155
Net adjustment to increase fund balances – total governmental funds to arrive at net position	
of governmental activities	\$11,600,971

Another element of that reconciliation explains that "some of the City's property taxes receivable will be collected after year end, but are not available soon enough to pay for current period expenditures, and therefore are reported as deferred inflows of resources in the funds." The details of this \$9,911 difference are as follows:

Property taxes receivable	\$	9,911
Net adjustment to increase fund balances – total governmental funds to arrive at net position	÷	
of governmental activities	\$	9,911

Another element of that reconciliation explains that "long-term liabilities, including general obligation bonds, capital lease obligations, and compensated absences are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds." The details of this \$7,903,015 difference are as follows:

Net pension liability Deferred outflows of resources – pension contributions Deferred outflows of resources – investment	\$ 7,099,457 (513,902)
differences	(65,003)
Deferred outflows of resources – actuarial differences	(165,538)
Net pension differences	6,355,014
General obligation bonds payable	1,150,000
Capital lease obligation	103,519
Accrued compensated absences	229,482
Unearned revenues to be received in the future for development; provided by the City as consideration for real estate donated by a developer	65,000
Net adjustment to decrease fund balances – total governmental funds to arrive at net position of governmental activities	\$ 7,903,015

- II. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)
- B. Explanation of Certain Differences Between the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances and the Government-Wide Statement of Activities

The governmental funds statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances, includes a reconciliation (Exhibit B-3) between *net change in fund balances – total governmental funds* and *change in net position of governmental activities* as reported in the government-wide statement of activities. One element of that reconciliation explains that "governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense." The details of this \$75,743 difference are as follows:

balances – total governmental funds to arrive at change in net position of governmental activities	\$	75,743
Net adjustment to increase net change in fund	2.00	
Depreciation expense		(629,613)
Capital outlay included in grant expenditures		382,041
Capital outlay	\$	323,315

Another element of that reconciliation states that "delinquent property taxes receivable will be collected this year, but are reported as deferred inflows of resources in the governmental funds because they are not available soon enough to pay for the current period's expenditures." The details of this \$9,787 difference are as follows:

Unavailable property tax revenues, June 30, 2016	\$ 9,911
Unavailable property tax revenues, June 30, 2015	(19,698)
Net adjustment to decrease net change in fund	
balances - total governmental funds to arrive at	
change in net position of governmental activities	\$ (9,787)
	- American Comment

Another element of that reconciliation states that "the issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has an effect on net position." The details of this \$131,270 difference are as follows:

II. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

Principal repayments of long-term debt	\$ 170,000
Capital lease proceeds	(103,519)
Net pension expense differences – current	(197,751)
Net adjustment to decrease net change in fund	
balances - total governmental funds to arrive at	
changes in net position of governmental activities	\$ (131,270)

Another element of that reconciliation states that "some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds." The details of this \$80,628 difference are as follows:

Compensated absences	\$ 3,132
Expenditures treated as capital outlay in fund	
financial statements which do not meet the criteria	
for capitalization for the statement of activities and	
thus, are reflected as expenditures	(83,760)
Net adjustment to decrease net change in fund	
balances - total governmental funds to arrive at	
change in net position of governmental activities	\$ (80,628)

III. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A. Budgetary Information

In May of each year the City Administrator submits to the City Council a proposed annual budget for the City for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. The proposed operating budget is derived from estimates of revenues and proposed expenditures for all City funds as determined by City department heads. During June, the proposed budget is formally introduced and has a first and second reading prior to legal enactment through passage of a budget ordinance by City Council.

The annual budget is adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) for the general fund, the capital projects fund, and the internal service fund, except that principal bond proceeds received are reflected as other financing sources.

III. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control devise during the year. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them for the upcoming year. The budget is submitted to City Council for approval in summary form with a more detailed line item budget included for administrative control. Revenues are budgeted by source. Expenditures are budgeted by department and category.

The legal level of budgetary control is determined by City Council at the individual fund level. Expenditures by department and major category, i.e. personnel, non-personnel and capital outlay, are further defined in the budget document and are subject to City Administrator approval. The City Administrator is authorized to make transfers between major expenditure categories within departments and between departments within the same fund. The budget ordinance must be amended by Council to effect changes in fund totals.

Budgets, as reported in the financial statements, are as originally passed by ordinance and subsequently amended. During the year, supplementary appropriations may be approved by Council. In addition, reappropriations may be approved resulting in transfers between major expenditure categories within departments and between departments within the same fund. This would result in increases and decreases within individual departments within the funds.

Appropriations which have not been expended or encumbered lapse at the end of each fiscal year. Capital outlay appropriations do not lapse until the purpose for which the appropriation was made is accomplished or abandoned.

Encumbrance accounting is used for the general fund. Encumbrances are recorded when purchase orders are issued, but they are not considered expenditures until liabilities for payments are incurred. Encumbrances are reported as a commitment of fund balance on the governmental fund balance sheet. Encumbrances do not lapse at the close of the fiscal year, but are carried forward as committed fund balance until liquidated. There were no encumbrances at June 30, 2016.

III. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

B. Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations

As of June 30, 2016, the City had no deficit balance in net position in its proprietary fund.

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

A. Deposits and Investments

Deposits

Deposits consist of demand deposits maintained in one financial institution. As of June 30, 2016, the carrying amount of the City's deposits was \$492,843 and the bank balances totaled \$547,119. Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the City's deposits may not be returned to it. As of June 30, 2016, none of the City's bank balance of \$547,119 was exposed to custodial credit risk as a result of it being uninsured and uncollateralized by the financial institution.

Investments

At June 30, 2016, the City had total investments of \$10,923,211 with the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool. As required by South Carolina law, investments on hand with the Investment Pool are fully collateralized. The City has no regulatory oversight for the pool, which is governed and administered by the South Carolina Office of the State Treasurer. The pool is audited annually by the State Auditor's Office.

Interest Rate Risk

As a means of limiting its exposure to interest rate risk, the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool diversifies its investments by security type and institution, and limits holdings in any one type of investment with any one issuer. It is the policy of the State Treasurer's Office that the weighted average maturity of the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool portfolio not exceed 60 days.

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

Credit Risk

State law and City policy limit investments to those authorized by South Carolina Code of Laws Section 6-5-10. These state statues authorize investments in the following:

- Obligations of the United States and agencies thereof;
- b. General obligations of the State of South Carolina or any of its political units;
- c. Cash and time deposits to the extent insured by the FDIC;
- d. Certificates of deposit and repurchase agreements collateralized by securities of the type described in (a) and (b) above held by a third party as escrow agent or custodian, of a market value not less than the amount of certificates of deposit and repurchase agreements so secured including interest; and
- e. No load open and closed end management type investment companies registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, where the investment is made by a financial institution when acting as trustee or agent for a bond or other debt issue of that local government unit.

In addition, South Carolina State Statutes authorize the City to invest in the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool (the Pool), which is duly chartered and administered by the State Treasurer's Office. The Pool is a 2a7-like pool, which is not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) as an investment company, but has a policy that it will operate in a manner consistent with the SEC's Rule 2a7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. The Pool was created by state legislation, which restricts the types of securities the Pool can purchase. Funds deposited into the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool by legally qualified entities are used to purchase investment securities as follows:

- a. U.S. Government Securities (direct obligations)
- b. Federal Agency Securities
- Repurchase Agreements secured by U.S. Government Securities and/or Federal Agency Securities
- d. A1/P1 Commercial Paper (Moody's/S&P highest rating)

Funds belonging to any entity that are on deposit with the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool represent participation units in a portfolio comprised of the above referenced securities.

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

It is the policy of the State Treasurer's Office that no derivatives of U.S. Government Securities, Federal Agency Securities, or A1/P1 Commercial Paper be purchased by or for the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool.

The Pool is an external investment pool. In accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 31, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Investments and for External Investment Pools, investments are carried at fair value determined annually based upon quoted market prices. The total fair value of the Pool is apportioned to the entities with funds invested on an equal basis for each share owned, which are acquired at a cost of \$1.00. The fair value of the City's position in the Pool is the same as the value of its Pool shares.

At June 30, 2016, the City's investments consisted solely of funds invested in the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool. These investments, which totaled \$10,923,211, are specifically excluded from the categorization described above since the City has not issued securities, but rather it owns an undivided beneficial interest in the assets of the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool. These amounts are presented on the combined balance sheet as "pooled cash and cash equivalents."

The City's balance sheet also includes cash and investments with fiscal agents in the amount of \$171,906, which is specifically excluded from collateralization.

Concentration of Credit Risk

State laws limit the type of investments as stated above. The City has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

A reconciliation of cash and investments as shown on the statement of net position for the City of Hanahan at June 30, 2016 follows:

Cash on hand	\$ 1,850
Carrying amount of non-pooled cash and cash equivalents	281,796
Carrying amount of pooled cash and cash equivalents	8,917,338
Carrying amount of cash with fiscal agents	171,906
Carrying amount of restricted non-pooled cash and	47
cash equivalents	107,528
Carrying amount of restricted pooled cash and cash	
equivalents	2,005,873
Carrying amount of restricted non-pooled cash and cash equivalents Carrying amount of restricted pooled cash and cash	107,528

Total carrying amount of cash and investments \$ 11,486,291

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

B. Receivables and Deferred Inflows of Resources

Property Taxes Receivable and Deferred Inflows of Resources

With the previous implementation of GASB 33, the 2016 levy for real and personal property is included in taxes receivable at June 30, 2016 since it has an enforceable lien date of January 1, 2016. Because it does not meet the criteria for being "available", the entire amount has been deferred at June 30, 2016.

In the government-wide financial statements, property taxes receivable and related revenue include all amounts due the City regardless of when cash is received. Over time, substantially all property taxes are collected.

Taxes receivable as of June 30, 2016, including the applicable allowance for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

		_G	eneral Fund
Taxes receivable Less: Allowance for uncollectibles		\$	2,355,904 80,953
	Net taxes receivable	\$	2,274,951

Deferred Inflows or Resources

The City reports deferred inflows of resources on its governmental fund balance sheet. Deferred inflows of resources arise when a potential revenue does not meet both the "measurable" and "available" criteria for recognition in the current period. In subsequent periods, when both revenue recognition criteria are met, the liability for deferred inflows of resources is removed from the balance sheet and revenue is recognized. Deferred inflows of resources as of June 30, 2016 consist of the following:

	-	General Fund
Unavailable 2016 property tax revenues - current Unavailable 2015 property tax revenues - delinquent	\$	2,200,000 (a) 9,911 (b)
Total deferred inflows of resources	\$	2,209,911

- (a) Consists of 2016 tax assessments having an enforceable lien date of January 1, 2016.
- (b) Consists of all back taxes receivable (net of allowance for uncollectible amounts) not collected within sixty days of June 30, 2016.

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

C. Due from Other Entities

The balance at June 30, 2016 consists of amounts due from:		
State of South Carolina / local government agencies	\$ 276,850	
Utilities and insurance companies	1,270,220	
Employees	774	
Various other entities	2,199	
Total due from other entities	\$ 1,550,043	-

D. Interfund Receivables and Payables

The composition of interfund balances reflected in the fund financial statements at June 30, 2016, is as follows:

	Receivable Fund		Payable Fund		
General fund		\$	1,468,472	\$	-
Fleet service fund			-		601,596
Capital projects fund			121,959		988,835
	Total	\$	1,590,431	\$	1,590,431

On the statement of net position all interfund balances have been eliminated.

E. Unearned Revenues

During February 2014 the City bought a 1.6 acre tract of land from a real estate developer in consideration of a \$65,000 reduction of future building fees that will be incurred by the developer, or its successor, on land adjacent to the parcel that was purchased. The \$65,000 property value corresponds to the amount of unearned future building fees that will be discounted once construction of a 395,000 s.f. building on the adjacent parcel begins. The contract terms state the City (the purchaser) shall reduce future fees due from the seller to the purchaser as follows:

- The reduction of fees shall be for, and limited to, the construction of a building on the seller's remaining property;
- Future building fees shall be reduced by 50%, provided the total amount of reduced fees shall not exceed \$65,000;
- The future building fees due from the seller to the purchaser shall consist of the building cost fee, plan review fee, electrical permit fee, mechanical permit fee, plumbing permit fee, and gas permit fee;
- The reduction agreement is assignable to any successor in interest of the seller.

As a result of the above transaction, the only statement affected at June 30, 2016 is the Statement of Net Position, which reflects both the cost as a capital asset and the unearned revenues as a liability. As these unearned revenues are assessed and collected in the future, the fees will be recognized and the unearned revenues will decrease accordingly.

III. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

F. Capital Assets

Changes in Capital Assets

The following is a summary of the changes in capital assets for the fiscal year:

	Balance June 30, 2015	Additions	Reductions	Balance June 30, 2016
Capital assets, not being depreciated:	\$ 988,676	\$ 11,000	\$ -	\$ 999,676
Construction in progress	116,460	23,851	(23,789)	116,522
Total capital assets not being depreciated	1,105,136	34,851	(23,789)	1,116,198
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	13,670,193	333,630	÷	14,003,823
Machinery and equipment	1,329,044	178,155	(148,621)	1,358,578
Vehicles and related equipment	4,677,700	179,300	(175,005)	4,681,995
Office furnishings and equipment	505,220	23,707	(140,573)	388,354
Other assets	1,651,370	62,211	(10,408)	1,703,173
Total capital assets being depreciated	21,833,527	777,003	(474,607)	22,135,923
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and improvements	(3,987,273)	(420,455)	-	(4,407,728)
Machinery and equipment	(944,380)	(112,302)	148,621	(908,061)
Vehicles and related equipment	(3,411,730)	(246,020)	175,005	(3,482,745)
Office furnishings and equipment	(352,837)	(43,857)	140,573	(256, 121)
Other assets	(1,354,654)	(52,999)	10,408	(1,397,245)
Total accumulated depreciation	(10,050,874)	(875,633)	474,607	(10,451,900)
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	11,782,653	(98,630)	-	11,684,023
Total capital assets, net	\$ 12,887,789	\$ (63,779)	\$ (23,789)	\$ 12,800,221

G. Long-Term Liabilities

Long-term liability activity for the year ended June 30, 2016 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance		Additions		Reductions		Ending Balance		Due Within One Year	
General Obligation Bonds Capital Lease Obligation Compensated Absences		,320,000	\$	103,519 160,384	\$	170,000 - 163,516	\$	1,150,000 103,519 229,482	\$	175,000 21,127 116,223
	\$ 1,	,552,614	\$	263,903	\$	333,516	\$	1,483,001	\$	312,350

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

All long-term debt payments are paid from the general fund. Compensated absences liabilities will also be paid by the general fund.

General Obligation Bonds of 2011, due September 2026

On October 6, 2011, the City issued General Obligation Bonds of 2011 dated October 6, 2011 in the total amount of \$1,800,000 to defray the cost of (i) designing, acquiring, constructing and expending various capital improvements within the City, including without limitation recreational facilities and a public works building, and (ii) redeeming and retiring the City's outstanding 2003 Tax Increment Bond. Principal payments are due annually for the General Obligation Bonds of 2011 beginning September 1, 2013. Interest is due March 1, and September 1, of each year at an average annual rate of 2.74%.

The annual requirements to amortize the General Obligation Bonds of 2011 as of June 30, 2016 are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending June 30		Bond Principal	Interest on Bonds	Total Principal and Interest		
2017	\$	175,000	\$ 29,112	\$	204,112	
2018		180,000	24,249		204,249	
2019		185,000	19,249		204,249	
2020		70,000	15,755		85,755	
2021		70,000	13,837		83,837	
2022-2026		385,000	38,428		423,428	
2027		85,000	1,165		86,165	
	\$	1,150,000	\$ 141,795	\$	1,291,795	

Capital Lease

During 2016, the City entered into a lease agreement as lessee for financing the acquisition of 40 sets of bunker gear for the fire department. This lease agreement qualifies as a capital lease for accounting purposes and, therefore, has been recorded at the present value of its future minimum lease payments as of the inception date. At the inception of the lease, \$103,519 was deposited into an escrow account maintained by the leasing company. However, only a portion of the bunker gear was received by June 30, 2016, so the entire balance was still in the escrow account and only \$54,299 was capitalized at June 30, 2016. The assets acquired through capital leases as of June 30, 2016 are as follows:

Fire equipment	\$	54,299	
Accumulated depreciation	-		
· ·		54,299	

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS (Continued)

The capital lease obligation outstanding at June 30, 2016, includes the following:

Lease dated April 1, 2016 payable to Community First National Bank in five annual payments of \$22,205 including interest at 3.074% beginning August 1, 2016; secured by bunker gear.

\$ 103,519

Total capital lease obligation outstanding \$ 103,519

The annual debt service requirements to maturity on the capital lease obligation outstanding as of June 30, 2016 are reported in the governmental activities and are as follows:

Year Ended	Capital Lease Payable						
	Principal			Interest	Total		
June 30, 2017	\$	21,127	\$	1,078	\$	22,205	
June 30, 2018		19,672		2,533		22,205	
June 30, 2019		20,277		1,928		22,205	
June 30, 2020		20,900		1,305		22,205	
June 30, 2021		21,543		662		22,205	
	\$	103,519	\$	7,506	\$	111,025	

Capital lease obligations incurred during the current year are reported in the General Fund. Future capital lease payments will be paid by the General Fund.

Other Contractual Obligations – Compensated Absences

Specific years for payment of compensated absences are not determinable. However, the portion of the accrued liability for compensated absences expected to be paid within one year is estimated to be approximately \$116,223. Historically, the amount of compensated absences used by employees during the year has approximated the amount earned in a year.

V. OTHER INFORMATION

A. Risk Management

The City is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters. For all of these risks, the City is a member of the State of South Carolina Insurance Reserve Fund, a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for local governments. The City pays an annual premium to the State Insurance Reserve Fund for its general insurance coverage. The State Insurance Reserve Fund is self-sustaining through member premiums and reinsures through commercial companies for certain claims.

The City is also subject to risks of loss from providing health, life, accident, and other medical benefits to employees, retirees, and their dependents. The City has enrolled substantially all of its employees in health and life insurance plans administered by a commercial insurance company. In addition, the City insures the risk of job related injury or illness to its employees through the South Carolina Worker's Compensation Trust, a public entity risk pool operating for the benefit of local governments. The City pays an annual premium to the Worker's Compensation Trust for its insurance coverage.

Given the lack of coverage available, the City has no coverage for potential losses from environmental damages, although it does have insurance coverage through the State Insurance Reserve Fund with regard to potential liabilities related to underground storage tanks. The coverage limits and the deductibles for all of the above risk management programs have stayed relatively constant for the last several years. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded insurance coverage for the last several years. For each of the insurance programs and the public entity risk pools in which they participate, the City has effectively transferred all risk with no liability for unfunded claims.

B. Contingent Liabilities

<u>Litigation</u> – The City is party to various legal proceedings, which normally occur, in governmental operations. Although the outcomes are not presently determinable, it is the opinion of legal counsel that resolution of these matters, individually or in the aggregate in excess of insurance coverage will not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition of the City.

<u>Grants</u> – Amounts received or receivable from grant agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal and state government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be

V. OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the City expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial. Management has not been informed of any significant matters of noncompliance with grant provisions or planned grantor audits.

<u>Commitments</u> – At year end, the City had construction commitments outstanding for two grants: (1) a comprehensive trails grant with an estimated total cost of approximately \$483,000, with a required 20% match of \$96,606, of which \$66,400 is being provided by the Berkeley County transportation committee, and (2) a revitalization grant of approximately \$245,000 with a 20% required match of approximately \$49,000. Of these total contracts, approximately \$114,000 and \$38,000, respectively, had been completed as of June 30, 2016. Both projects are expected to be completed during the year ending June 30, 2017. In addition, the trails grant estimated costs were discovered to be higher than anticipated during the bidding process, and the City has agreed to fund the additional cost of approximately \$63,000.

C. Deferred Compensation Plan

The City offers its employees a deferred compensation plan under a program administered by the South Carolina Deferred Compensation Commission. The multiple-employer deferred compensation plan offers employees the choice of four plans: The Internal Revenue Code Section 457 plan; the Internal Revenue Service Code Section 401(k) plan; the Roth 401(k) plan; and the Roth 457 plan. The Plan, available to all regular City employees, permits them to defer until future years up to 100% of annual gross earnings not to exceed \$18,000 for both the 457 plan and for the 401(k) plan with an additional \$6,000 catch-up provision for employees over age 50 with pre-tax contributions. The Roth 401(k) and Roth 457 plans offer employees the opportunity to contribute on an after-tax basis. Employee after-tax contributions for Roth 401(k) and Roth 457 participants must be combined with pre-tax contributions and cannot exceed these annual limits. The deferred compensation is not available to an employee until termination, retirement, disability, death, or approved hardship. The City has no obligation to make contributions to these plans and has made no contributions during the year.

D. Other Post-Employment Benefits

In addition to pension benefits, the City provides post-employment benefit options for health care to eligible retirees, terminated employees, and their dependents in accordance with City ordinances and the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (COBRA). Eligible employees are required to pay the full cost of post-employment benefits. The City does not currently provide any additional post-employment benefits for its employees.

V. OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

E. Employee Retirement Systems and Plans

South Carolina Retirement and Police Officers' Retirement Systems

Plan Description

All regular employees of the City must participate in either the South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS) or the Police Officers Retirement System (PORS). Both the SCRS and PORS are cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plans administered by the South Carolina Public Employment Benefit Authority (PEBA), a Division of the State Budget and Control Board. The plan's provisions are established under Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. A Comprehensive Annual Financial Report containing financial statements and required supplementary information for the PEBA is issued and publicly available by writing the South Carolina Public Employment Benefit Authority, P.O. Box 11960, Columbia, SC 29211-1960 or by accessing their website at www.retirement.sc.gov.

An employee member of either the SCRS or PORS system with an effective date of membership prior to July 1, 2012, is a Class Two member. An employee member of either system with an effective date of membership on or after July 1, 2012, is a Class Three member.

Benefits Provided

Benefit terms are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. PEBA does not have the authority to establish or amend benefit terms without a legislative change in the code of laws. Key elements of the benefit calculation include the benefit multiplier, years of service, and average final compensation. A brief summary of the benefit terms for each system is presented below.

SCRS – A Class Two member who has separated from service with at least five or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 65 or with 28 years credited service regardless of age. A member may elect early retirement with reduced pension benefits payable at age 55 with 25 years of service credit. A Class Three member who has separated from service with at least eight or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension upon satisfying the Rule of 90 requirement that the total of the member's age and member's creditable service equals at least 90 years. Both Class Two and Class Three members are eligible to receive a reduced deferred annuity at age 60 if they satisfy the five- or eight-year earned service requirement, respectively. An incidental death benefit is also available to beneficiaries of active and retired members of employers who participate in the death benefit program.

V. OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

The annual retirement allowance of eligible retirees or their surviving annuitants is increased by the lesser of one percent or five hundred dollars every July 1. Only those annuitants in receipt of a benefit on July 1 of the preceding year are eligible to receive the increase. Members who retire under the early retirement provisions at age 55 with 25 years of service are not eligible for the benefit adjustment until the second July 1 after reaching age 60 or the second July 1 after the date they would have had 28 years of service credit had they not retired.

PORS —A Class Two member who has separated from service with at least five or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 55 or with 25 years of service regardless of age. A Class Three member who has separated from service with at least eight or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 55 or with 27 years of service regardless of age. Both Class Two and Class Three members are eligible to receive a deferred annuity at age 55 with five or eight years of earned service, respectively. An incidental death benefit is also available to beneficiaries of active and retired members of employers who participate in the death benefit program. Accidental death benefits are also provided upon the death of an active member working for a covered employer whose death was a natural and proximate result of an injury incurred while in the performance of duty.

The retirement allowance of eligible retirees or their surviving annuitants is increased by the lesser of one percent or five hundred dollars every July 1. Only those annuitants in receipt of a benefit on July 1 of the preceding year are eligible to receive the increase.

Disability benefits: Certain employees with at least 5-8 years of service, depending on the retirement system and class, who are not yet eligible to retire and who have a total or permanent disability, may qualify for various disability benefits, based on the date of disability.

Contributions

Plan members are required to contribute 8.16% (SCRS) and 8.74% (PORS) of their annual covered salary and the City is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate to maintain a thirty-year amortization period for the plans' unfunded liabilities. The SCRS FY2016 rate is 10.91% of annual covered payroll while the PORS FY2016 rate is 13.34% of covered payroll. The contribution requirements of plan members and the City are established under authority of Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. The City's combined contributions to SCRS and PORS for the years ended June 30, 2016, 2015, and 2014 were \$513,902, \$474,490, and \$437,355, respectively, which equal 100% of the required contributions for each year.

V. OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

<u>Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions</u>

At June 30, 2016, the City reported a liability of \$7,099,457 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of July 1, 2014, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The City's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the City's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating entities, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2015, the City's proportion was .015735% (SCRS) and .18882% (PORS) of the total plans' employer contributions for the year ended June 30, 2015.

For the year ended June 30, 2015, the City recognized pension expense of \$216,773 (SCRS) and \$366,402 (PORS). At June 30, 2016, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources.

	Deferred Outflows of Resources				Deferred Inflows of Resources					
		SCRS		PORS	Total		SCRS	F	PORS	Total
Differences between expected and actual results Net differences	\$		\$	211,300	\$ 211,300	\$	45,762	\$		\$ 45,762
between projected and actual earnings on plan investments		19,975		45,028	65,003		_		_	_
City contributions subsequent to the measurement date		174,476		339,426	513,902					-
Total	\$	194,451	\$	595,754	\$ 790,205	\$	45,762	\$	-	\$ 45,762

The \$513,902 of deferred outflows of resources resulting from the City's contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending June 30, 2017. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

V. OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

37	SCRS	PORS	Total
Year ending June 30,			
2016	(16,758)	46,975	30,217
2017	(16,758)	46,975	30,217
2018	(34,969)	43,372	8,403
2019	42,698	119,006	161,704

Actuarial Assumptions

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

Inflation	2.75 percent
Salary increases	3.5 to 12.5 percent, including inflation (SCRS)4.0 to 10.0 percent, including inflation (PORS)
Investment rate of return	7.5 percent, net of Plan investment expense, including inflation

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

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2013 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study performed on data through June 30, 2010. State law requires that an actuarial experience study, performed on data through June 30, 2015, is currently underway. Amounts determined during the valuation process are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments for actuarial purposes is based upon the 30 year capital market outlook at the end of the fourth quarter 2013, as developed by the Retirement System Investment Commission (RSIC) in collaboration with its investment consultant. The actuarial long-term expected rates of return represent assumptions developed using a building block approach, reflecting observable inflation and interest rate information available in the fixed income markets as well as Consensus Economic forecasts. The actuarial

V. OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

long-term assumptions for other asset classes are based on historical results, current market characteristics and professional judgment.

The RSIC has exclusive authority to invest and manage the retirement trust funds' assets. As cofiduciary of the Systems, statutory provisions and governance policies allow the RSIC to operate in a manner consistent with a long-term investment time horizon. The expected real rates of investment return, along with the expected inflation rate, form the basis for the target asset allocation adopted annually by the RSIC. The long-term expected rate of return is produced by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target allocation percentage and then adding expected inflation which is summarized in the table below. For actuarial purposes, the 7.5 percent assumed annual investment rate of return set in statute and used in the calculation of the total pension liability includes a 4.75 percent real rate of return and a 2.75 percent inflation component.

The target allocation and best estimates of long-term expected portfolio real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Asset Allocation	Long-Term Expected Portfolio Real Rate of Return
Cash	2.0 %	0.04
Short Duration	3.0 %	0.06
Domestic Fixed Income	13.0 %	0.42
Global Fixed Income	9.0 %	0.39
Global Public Equity	31.0 %	2.20
Global Tactical Asset Allocation	10.0 %	0.49
Hedge Funds (Low Beta)	8.0 %	0.34
Private Debt	7.0 %	0.69
Private Equity	9.0 %	0.89
Real Estate (Broad Market)	5.0 %	0.30
Commodities	3.0 %	0.18
Total Expected Real Return	100.0 %	6.00
Inflation for Actuarial Purposes		2.75
Total Expected Nominal Return		8.75

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.5 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed the funding policy specified in the South Carolina State Code of Laws will remain unchanged in future years.

V. OTHER INFORMATION (Continued)

Based on those assumptions, each system's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity Analysis

The following table presents the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability of the participating employers calculated using the discount rate of 7.5 percent, as well as what the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1.0 percent lower (6.5 percent) or 1.0 percent higher (8.5 percent) than the current rate.

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

System	1.0	0% Decrease (6.5%)	rrent Discount Rate (7.5%)	1.0	00% Increase (8.5%)
SCRS PORS	\$	3,762,247 5,605,915	\$ 2,984,219 4,115,238	\$	2,332,132 2,782,653

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CITY OF HANAHAN REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Schedule of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability South Carolina Retirement System Plan Last Two Fiscal Years

City's proportion of the net pension liability	City's proportionate share of the net pension liability	City's covered employee payroll	City's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered employee payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability
.015735%	\$ 2,984,219	\$ 1,475,305	202.28%	56.99%
	proportion of the net pension liability	proportion of the proportionate net pension share of the net pension liability	proportion of the proportionate City's covered net pension share of the net employee liability pension liability payroll	City's as a proportion of the net pension liability as a percentage the proportionate city's covered net pension share of the net employee liability pension liability payroll payroll

Schedule of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability Police Officers' Retirement System Plan Last Two Fiscal Years

Year Ended June 30	City's proportion of the net pension liability	City's proportionate share of the net pension liability	City's covered employee payroll	City's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered employee payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability
2015	.18882%	\$ 4,115,238	\$ 2,339,165	175.93%	64.57%
2014	.18092%	\$ 3,463,678	\$ 2,153,890	160.81%	67.55%

CITY OF HANAHAN REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION Schedule of the City's Contributions South Carolina Retirement System Plan Last Three Fiscal Years

Year Ended June 30	Contractually required contribution	Contributions relative to contractually required contribution	Contribution deficiency (excess)	City's covered employee payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered- employee payroll
2016	\$ 174,476	\$ 174,476	\$ -0-	\$ 1,577,542	11.06%
2015	160,808	160,808	-0-	1,475,305	10.90%
2014	160,796	160,796	-0-	1,516,945	10.60%

Schedule of the City's Contributions Police Officers' Retirement System Plan Last Three Fiscal Years

Year Ended June 30	Contractually required contribution	Contributions relative to contractually required contribution	Contribution deficiency (excess)	City's covered employee payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered- employee payroll
2016	\$ 339,426	\$ 339,426	\$ -0-	\$ 2,470,350	13.74%
2015	313,682	313,682	-0-	2,339,165	13.41%
2014	276,559	276,559	-0-	2,153,890	12.84%

SUPPLEMENTARY

INFORMATION

CITY OF HANAHAN, SOUTH CAROLINA SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE OF FINES, ASSESSMENTS AND SURCHARGES GENERAL FUND

Year Ended June 30, 2016

Court Fines Court fines collected Court fines retained by the City	\$ 245,738 (245,738)
Court fines remitted to the State Treasurer	\$
Court Assessments Court assessments collected Court assessments retained by the City	\$ 280,138 (29,318)
Court assessments remitted to the State Treasurer	\$ 250,820
Court Surcharges Court surcharges collected Court surcharges retained by the City	\$ 81,054 (8,568)
Court surcharges remitted to the State Treasurer	\$ 72,486
Victims Services Court assessments allocated to Victim Services Court surcharges allocated to Victim Services	\$ 29,318 8,568
Funds allocated to Victim Services Victims Services funds expended during the year	 37,886 (55,195)
Net Victims Services funds expended during the year	\$ (17,309)



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

Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council City of Hanahan, South Carolina

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Hanahan, South Carolina as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City of Hanahan, South Carolina's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated March 7, 2017.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

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

described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses, that we consider to be a significant deficiency (2016-1).

Compliance and Other Matters

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

City of Hanahan's Response to Findings

The City of Hanahan, South Carolina's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses. The City of Hanahan, South Carolina's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

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.

March 7, 2017

Riser, McLaurin + Gibbons, L.L.P.