## TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE REPORT OF AUDIT FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 2013

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## TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE

## PART I <br> REPORT ON EXAMINATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 2013

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor and<br>Members of Township Committee<br>Township of Middle, New Jersey

## Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets - regulatory basis of the various funds and account group of the Township of Middle, New Jersey, as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, the related statements of operations and changes in fund balance - regulatory basis for the years 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, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Township'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 the basis of accounting prescribed by 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 misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey (the "Division"), 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 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 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.

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

As described in Note 1 of the financial statements, the financial statements are prepared by the Township of Middle on a basis of the financial reporting provisions prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of American, to meet the requirements of New Jersey.

The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 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 above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of each fund of the Township of Middle as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, or changes in financial position for the years the ended.

## Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the regulatory basis balance sheets and account group as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, the regulatory basis statements of operations for the years the ended and the regulatory basis statements of revenues and expenditures for the year ended December 31, 2013 in accordance with the basis of financial reporting prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey as described in Note 1.

## Other Matters

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Township of Middle's basic financial statements. The supplementary information listed in the table of contents and schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations and the letter of comments and recommendations section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The supplemental information listed in the table of contents and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relates 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.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental information listed in the table of contents is presented for the purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Because of the significance of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, it is inappropriate to and we do not express an opinion on the supplementary information referred to above.

The letter of comments and recommendations section has not been subject 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 it.

## Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated June 23, 2014 on our consideration of the Township of Middle's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the Township of Middle's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

# Ford, \&cott \& Associates, LLC <br> FORD, SCOTT \& ASSOCIATES, L.L.C. CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS 

## Glen g. Ontman

Glen J. Ortman
Certified Public Accountant
Registered Municipal Accountant
No. 427
June 23, 2014
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## EXHIBIT - A

CURRENT FUND

## CURRENT FUND

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

 AS OF DECEMBER 31,| ASSETS |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: |
| Regular Fund: |  |  |
| Cash: |  | 2013 |
| Cash Treasurer |  |  |
| Total Cash |  |  |

## CURRENT FUND

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,

|  | 2013 |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE |  |  |  |
| Regular Fund: <br> Liabilities: |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Appropriation Reserves | \$ | 353,143.63 | 435,380.10 |
| Reserve for Encumbrances |  | 315,654.09 | 500,521.81 |
| Accounts Payable |  | 19,728.00 | 92.00 |
| Prepaid Taxes |  | 993,845.89 | 557,085.21 |
| Prepaid Licenses and Fees |  | 35,524.00 | 36,824.00 |
| Overpaid Taxes |  | 1,047.38 | - |
| Local School Tax Payable |  | 2,924,787.75 | 3,598,848.15 |
| Special District Tax Payable |  | 0.80 | 0.80 |
| Deposits on Land Sales |  | 3,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| County Added Tax Payable |  | 33,353.01 | 24,543.24 |
| Due to Water Districts |  | - | 2,903.32 |
| Payroll Deductions Payable |  | 86,947.86 | 43,411.37 |
| Due to State: |  |  |  |
| Senior Citizen/Veterans |  | - | 6,203.68 |
| Reserve for Sale of Municipal Assets |  | 15,550.00 | 296,550.00 |
| Reserve for Revaluation/Reassessment |  | 25,272.10 | 53,605.40 |
| Reserve for State Tax Appeals |  | 100,000.00 | 100,000.00 |
| Reserve for Garden State |  |  |  |
| Preservation Trust Fund |  | - | 47,481.00 |
| Interfund Payable: |  |  |  |
| Sewer Operating Fund |  | 76,340.95 | 57,196.38 |
|  |  | 4,984,195.46 | 5,763,646.46 |
| Reserve for Receivables and Other Assets |  | 4,084,739.77 | 3,739,357.33 |
| Fund Balance |  | 1,698,104.83 | 1,650,543.68 |
| Total Regular Fund |  | 10,767,040.06 | 11,153,547.47 |
| Federal and State Grant Fund: |  |  |  |
| Unappropriated Reserves |  | 67,793.97 | 2,288.72 |
| Appropriated Reserves |  | 1,899,920.90 | 587,881.82 |
| Encumbrances Payable |  | 263,415.18 | 40,382.81 |
| Due to Current Fund |  | - | 6,907.06 |
| Total Federal and State Grant Fund |  | 2,231,130.05 | 637,460.41 |
| Total Current Fund | \$ | 12,998,170.11 | 11,791,007.88 |

## CURRENT FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

|  |  | 2013 | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue and Other Income Realized |  |  |  |
| Fund Balance | \$ | 1,255,000.00 | 1,211,000.00 |
| Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated |  | 7,985,845.50 | 6,328,464.08 |
| Receipts from Delinquent Taxes |  | 768,679.00 | 890,787.02 |
| Receipts from Current Taxes |  | 45,744,909.16 | 43,923,526.98 |
| Non Budget Revenue |  | 682,345.52 | 376,883.99 |
| Other Credits to Income: |  |  |  |
| Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Res. |  | 573,355.15 | 431,508.36 |
| Interfund Returned |  | 7,941.89 | 82,363.51 |
| Accounts Payable Cancelled |  | - | 103,476.23 |
| Total Income |  | 57,018,076.22 | 53,348,010.17 |
| Expenditures |  |  |  |
| Budget and Emergency Appropriations: |  |  |  |
| Appropriations Within "CAPS" |  |  |  |
| Operations: |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | 7,683,100.00 | 8,064,300.00 |
| Other Expenses |  | 7,817,071.00 | 7,240,377.00 |
| Deferred Charges \& Statutory Expenditures |  | 2,009,924.00 | 2,001,905.00 |
| Appropriations Excluded from "CAPS" |  |  |  |
| Operations: |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | 130,000.00 | 130,000.00 |
| Other Expenses |  | 268,562.73 | 334,447.64 |
| Capital Improvements |  | 1,775,161.45 | - |
| Debt Service |  | 1,504,640.91 | 1,554,483.18 |
| Deferred Charges |  | 67,000.00 | - |
| Local District School Tax |  | 25,174,819.00 | 24,232,437.00 |
| Special District Taxes |  | 2,296,985.00 | 2,282,773.00 |
| County Tax |  | 6,931,186.46 | 6,490,086.14 |
| County Share of Added Tax |  | 33,353.01 | 24,543.24 |
| Interfund Created |  | 6,752.31 | 7,941.89 |
| Refund of Prior Year's Revenue |  | 13,019.20 | - |
| Other: |  |  |  |
| Senior Citizen Deduction Disallowed Prior Year |  | 6,750.00 | - |
| Grants Receivable Cancelled |  | 29,190.00 | - |
| Total Expenditures |  | 55,747,515.07 | 52,363,294.09 |
| Excess/(Deficit) in Revenue |  | 1,270,561.15 | 984,716.08 |

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements which are an integral part of this statement

## CURRENT FUND

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

|  |  | 2013 | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance: |  |  |  |
| Expenditures included above which are by |  |  |  |
| Statute Deferred Charges to Budgets of |  |  |  |
| Succeeding Year |  | 32,000.00 | 135,000.00 |
| Total Adjustments |  | 32,000.00 | 135,000.00 |
| Statutory Excess to Fund Balance |  | 1,302,561.15 | 1,119,716.08 |
| Fund Balance January 1 |  | 1,650,543.68 | 1,741,827.60 |
|  |  | 2,953,104.83 | 2,861,543.68 |
| Decreased by: |  |  |  |
| Utilization as Anticipated Revenue |  | 1,255,000.00 | 1,211,000.00 |
| Fund Balance December 31 | \$ | 1,698,104.83 | 1,650,543.68 |

Exhibit A-2





## STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013


CURRENT FUND


See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements which are an integral part of this statement
Exhibit A-2




## STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS <br> FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013

## Budget $\quad$ Anticipated N.J.S. 40A:4-87

 $4,191.59$$48,414.69$
$2,638.73$
$130,000.00$
$10,000.00$
$268,182.00$
$241,000.00$
$803,979.45$
$300,000.00$

Section F: Special Items - Public and Private Programs
Off-Set with Appropriations
Safe and Secure Communities Program
Clean Communities Program
Municipal Court Alcohol Education
Sustainable New Jersey
N.J. Transportation Trust Fund Authority Act
Public Access Grant
Small Cities - ADA Improvements - Phase I
N.J. Transportation Trust Fund Authority Act
Public Access Grant
Small Cities - ADA Improvements - Phase I

FEMA Assistance - Bennys Landing
NJDOT Bike Path - Phase 4
Total Section F: Special Items - Public and Private Programs Off-Set with Appropriations
Section G: Other Special Items
Borough of Woodbine - Municipal Court - Interlocal
Sewer Utility - Indirect Costs
Total Section G: Other Special Items

Total Miscellaneous Revenues:
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes
Exhibit A-2

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| Realized |
| :---: |
| $12,270,196.42$ |
| $12,270,196.42$ |
| $22,279,720.92$ |

682,345.52

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## CURRENT FUND <br> STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS <br> FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013



Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget
Local Tax for Municipal Purposes
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget
Budget Totals
Non- Budget Revenues:
Other Non- Budget Revenues:

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements which are an integral part of this statement

## CURRENT FUND

## STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013

| Analysis of Realized Revenues |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Allocation of Current Tax Collections: |  |  |
| Revenue from Collections |  |  |
| Less: Reserve for Tax Appeals Pending |  |  |
| Net Revenue from Collections |  |  |
| Allocated to: |  |  |
| School, County and Other Taxes |  |  |
| Balance for Support of Municipal Budget Appropriations |  |  |
| Increased by: |  |  |
| Appropriation "Reserved for Uncollected Taxes" |  |  |
| Amount for Support of Municipal Budget Appropriations |  |  |
| Receipts from Delinquent Taxes: |  |  |
| Delinquent Tax Collection | \$ | 698,299.19 |
| Tax Title Lien Collections |  | 70,379.81 |
| Total Receipts from Delinquent Taxes |  |  |
| Analysis of Non-Budget Revenue: |  |  |
| Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated: |  |  |
| Interlocal Agreement - Animal Control |  | 17,430.20 |
| Interlocal - Municipal Court Video |  | 2,400.00 |
| Refunds/Reimbursements |  | 3,828.90 |
| Bounced Check Fee |  | 520.00 |
| Cable Franchise Fee |  | 98,441.62 |
| Police Reports |  | 5,062.76 |
| Raffle Recycling Fee |  | 247.05 |
| 2011 IPF Rebate |  | 167,044.11 |
| Zoning Books, Maps and Copies |  | 1,226.65 |
| FEMA Reimbursement for Sandy |  | 75,353.48 |
| Bulkhead Application Fees |  | 1,787.50 |
| Tax Collector Cost of Sale |  | 14,953.57 |
| Tax Premiums |  | 9,100.00 |
| Note Premium |  | 14,505.23 |
| Inspection Fines DMV |  | 1,700.00 |
| Cape Express Soccer Club |  | 4,000.00 |
| Statutory Excess Animal Control Fund |  | 6,752.31 |
| Trash Removal |  | 11,595.57 |
| Whitesboro Trailer - U.S. Postal |  | 2,400.00 |
| Traffic Reimbursement from Trust |  | 90,750.79 |
| Various Traffic Reimbursements |  | 25,997.43 |
| Payments in Lieu of Taxes |  | 13,436.00 |
| Lorco Petroleum Services |  | 730.00 |
| Miscellaneous |  | 9,095.75 |
| Police Miscellaneous |  | 3,182.09 |
| CMC Recycling Rebate |  | 45,423.18 |
| Board of Chosen Freeholders |  | 3,037.00 |
| Host Community Benefits Settlement |  | 29,540.00 |
| DCA Fees Returned by State |  | 7,376.00 |
| Sale of Township Property |  | 10,790.00 |
| Senior Citizen and Veteran Administration Fee |  | 4,638.33 |


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| Appropriations |  | Expended |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budget | Budget After Modifications | Paid or Charged | Encumbered | Reserved |
| 50,000.00 | 50,000.00 | 49,964.99 |  | 35.01 |
| 29,000.00 | 29,000.00 | 15,109.11 | 10,214.89 | 3,676.00 |
| 750.00 | 750.00 | 489.90 |  | 260.10 |
| 1,250.00 | 1,250.00 |  |  | 1,250.00 |
| 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |  |  | 1,000.00 |
| 30,000.00 | 30,000.00 | 19,850.00 | 150.00 | 10,000.00 |
| 1.00 | 1.00 |  |  | 1.00 |
| 85,000.00 | 86,000.00 | 85,857.13 |  | 142.87 |
| 33,500.00 | 33,500.00 | 4,041.16 | 23,322.38 | 6,136.46 |
| 209,000.00 | 221,000.00 | 221,000.00 |  |  |
| 15,100.00 | 18,100.00 | 13,800.18 | 603.95 | 3,695.87 |
| 19,500.00 | 19,500.00 | 17,500.08 | 0.01 | 1,999.91 |
| 182,000.00 | 182,000.00 | 180,877.00 |  | 1,123.00 |
| 519,000.00 | 519,000.00 | 518,324.00 |  | 676.00 |
| 3,043,620.00 | 3,303,620.00 | 3,303,620.00 |  |  |
| 20,800.00 | 33,800.00 | 29,278.57 |  | 4,521.43 |
| 4,470,000.00 | 4,187,000.00 | 4,119,091.07 |  | 67,908.93 |
| 120,300.00 | 120,300.00 | 91,818.58 | 28,225.51 | 255.91 |
| 420,000.00 | 437,000.00 | 437,000.00 |  |  |
| 7,000.00 | 7,000.00 | 3,406.78 | 3,593.22 |  |
| 70,000.00 | 70,000.00 | 70,000.00 |  |  |
|  | - |  |  |  |
| 425,000.00 | 425,000.00 | 418,850.41 |  | 6,149.59 |
| 39,000.00 | 39,000.00 | 35,100.46 | 2,356.54 | 1,543.00 |
| 4,700.00 | 4,700.00 | 4,471.25 |  | 228.75 |
| 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | 132.47 |  | 867.53 |



See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements which are an integral part of this statement
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| Appropriations |  | Expended |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budget | Budget After Modifications | Paid or Charged | Encumbered | Reserved |
| 30,500.00 | 30,500.00 | 18,791.67 | 11,708.33 |  |
| 855,000.00 | 855,000.00 | 823,838.61 |  | 31,161.39 |
| 100,500.00 | 120,500.00 | 76,340.85 | 40,227.89 | 3,931.26 |
| 181,000.00 | 231,000.00 | 172,343.83 | 58,641.15 | 15.02 |
| 25,000.00 | 25,000.00 | 25,000.00 |  |  |
| 750.00 | 750.00 | 750.00 |  |  |
| 340,000.00 | 340,000.00 | 317,836.71 |  | 22,163.29 |
| 340,000.00 | 340,000.00 | 317,836.75 |  | 22,163.25 |
| 107,000.00 | 61,000.00 | 60,707.17 |  | 292.83 |
| 80,000.00 | 80,000.00 | 69,533.88 | 10,456.88 | 9.24 |
| 850.00 | 850.00 | 850.00 |  |  |
| 500.00 | 500.00 | 357.95 |  | 142.05 |
| 60,000.00 | 71,000.00 | 70,913.71 |  | 86.29 |
| 10,000.00 | 10,000.00 | 9,507.44 | 492.56 |  |
| 66,100.00 | 66,100.00 | 66,074.00 |  | 26.00 |
| 34,000.00 | 34,000.00 | 32,523.27 |  | 1,476.73 |
| 500.00 | 500.00 |  |  | 500.00 |
| 195,000.00 | 218,000.00 | 214,019.26 |  | 3,980.74 |
| 32,000.00 | 32,000.00 | 27,921.47 | 1,629.89 | 2,448.64 |
| 49,000.00 | 51,000.00 | 50,556.67 |  | 443.33 |
| 20,000.00 | 20,000.00 | 16,818.26 | 2,310.71 | 871.03 |
| 500.00 | 500.00 |  |  | 500.00 |

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& \text { Municipal Prosecutor } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { PUBLIC WORKS } \\
& \text { Road Repair and Maintenance } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Motor Pool } \\
& \text { Snow Removal } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Shade Tree Commission } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Garbage and Trash Removal - Contractual } \\
& \text { Recycling Contractual } \\
& \text { Public Buildings and Grounds } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { HEALTH AND WELFARE } \\
& \text { Board of Health } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Animal Control } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Animal Control - Animal Shelter } \\
& \text { Contractual } \\
& \text { CODE ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION } \\
& \text { Code Enforcement Officer } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Demolition of Substandard Buildings } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { RECREATION AND EDUCATION } \\
& \text { Recreation } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Senior Center } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Beach Restoration } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
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[^1]Exhibit A－3


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CURRENT FUND
STATEMENT OF EXPENDTURESS REGLATORY BASIIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,2013

| Appropriations |  | Expended |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Budget | Budget After Modifications | Paid or Charged | Encumbered | Reserved |
| 372，615．00 | 372，615．00 | 372，615．00 |  |  |
| 628，000．00 | 588，000．00 | 576，915．74 |  | 11，084．26 |
| 988，309．00 | 988，309．00 | 988，309．00 |  |  |
| 10，000．00 | 10，000．00 | 7，150．50 | 492.49 | 2，357．01 |
| 45，000．00 | 45，000．00 | 45，000．00 |  |  |
| 2，049，924．00 | 2，009，924．00 | 1，995，990．24 | 492.49 | 13，441．27 |
| 17，510，095．00 | 17，510，095．00 | 16，848，260．87 | 315，654．09 | 346，180．04 |
| 146，380．00 | 146，380．00 | 141，570．41 |  | 4，809．59 |
| 500.00 | 500.00 | 500.00 |  |  |
| 70，000．00 | 70，000．00 | 70，000．00 |  |  |
| 34，212．00 | 34，212．00 | 34，212．00 |  |  |
| 251，092．00 | 251，092．00 | 246，282．41 | － | 4，809．59 |


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| :---: | :---: |


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$2,163.72$
$10,000.00$
$3,500.00$

125.00
$6,437.00$
Statutory Expenditures：
Public Employ Retirement System Social Security System（O．A．S．I．） Police and Firemen＇s Retirement System Defined Contribution Retirement Program Unemployment Compensation Insurance TOTAL DEFERRED CHARGES AND
STATUTORY EXPENDITURES：
TOTAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR
MUNICIPAL PURPOSES WITHIN＂CAPS＂
OPERATIONS－EXCLUDED FROM＂CAPS＂
（A）Operations－Excluded from＂CAPS＂
Public Assistance－Township Share of Costs
Police
Salaries and Wages
Interlocal－Middle Town
Interlocal－Middle Township Fire District \＃2
JIF Insurance
（A）Public and Private Programs Off－Set by
Revenues
Salaries and Wages
Clean Communities Program
Municipal Court Alcohol Education
Sustainable Jliance Grant－Local Match
Drive Sober
Pet Smart Charities Grant
SFSP－District Payments
Public Access Grant
Total Public and Private Programs Off－Set by Revenues
$1,1,1,1,1,1,1$

| Expended |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Paid or Charged | Encumbered | Reserved |
| 393,753.14 | - | 4,809.59 |
| 130,000.00 | - | - |
| 263,753.14 | - | 4,809.59 |
| 14,186.00 |  | 1,814.00 |
| 15,660.00 |  | 340.00 |
| 130,000.00 |  |  |
| 300,000.00 |  |  |
| 268,182.00 |  |  |
| 241,000.00 |  | - |
| 803,979.45 |  |  |
| 1,773,007.45 | - | 2,154.00 |



Exhibit A-3











$\begin{array}{r}1,921,062.72 \\ \hline 19,431,157.72 \\ \hline 961,630.73 \\ \hline \begin{array}{r}20,392,788.45 \\ \hline\end{array}\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{r}3,761,469.18 \\ \hline 21,271,564.18 \\ \hline 961,630.73 \\ \hline 22,233,194.91 \\ \hline\end{array}$


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TOTAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR
MUNICIPAL PURPOSES EXCLUDED
FROM "CAPS"
SUBTOTAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS
(M) Reserve for Uncollected Taxes
TOTAL GENERAL APPRORIATIONS
Budget
Appropria
Appropriations by 40A:4-87
Emergency Appropriations
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes Payroll Deductions Payable

Federal and State
Deferred Charges
Disbursements

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements which are an integral part of this statement
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EXHIBIT - B TRUST FUND

| ASSETS |  | 2013 |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| Animal Control Fund <br> Cash | $\$$ | $17,576.76$ |  |

## TRUST FUND

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,

|  | 2013 |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE |  |  |  |
| Animal Control Fund |  |  |  |
| Reserve for Animal Control Expenditures | \$ | 10,805.85 | 6,450.90 |
| Due to State of New Jersey |  | 18.60 | 3.60 |
| Interfunds: |  |  |  |
| Due to Current Fund |  | 6,752.31 | 1,034.83 |
|  |  | 17,576.76 | 7,489.33 |
| Other Funds |  |  |  |
| Reserve for: |  |  |  |
| Community Development Block Grant |  | 2,676.80 | 2,676.80 |
| Deposits for Redemption of Tax Liens |  | 35,517.89 | 19,918.35 |
| Tax Sale Premiums |  | 62,800.00 | 77,700.00 |
| Unemployment Compensation |  | 137,892.63 | 103,354.66 |
| Escrow Deposits |  | 992,702.64 | 982,935.91 |
| Street Openings |  | 10,770.00 | 10,770.00 |
| Sewer Escrows |  | 140,857.06 | 143,245.37 |
| Smart Growth Plan |  | 38,515.81 | - |
| Housing Rehabilitation |  | 59,830.46 | 82,634.21 |
| Parking Offense Adjudication Act |  | 132.00 | 102.00 |
| Urban Aid |  | 445,842.15 | 397,689.77 |
| Recreation Dedicated Trust |  | 72,623.90 | 73,763.88 |
| Police Forfeiture |  | 5,331.45 | 7,216.92 |
| Special Police Detail |  | 46,128.73 | 93,885.48 |
| Municipal Alliance |  | 782.27 | 5,681.47 |
| Snow Removal |  | 89,262.50 | 64,262.50 |
| Subdivisions - Map Changes |  | 2,657.50 | 1,157.50 |
| Accumulated Absences |  | 18,729.94 | 31.38 |
| Donations - Bus Shelters |  | 836.08 | 9,768.39 |
| Council on Affordable Housing - Fees |  | 1,378,439.72 | 1,376,363.32 |
| Loans Receivable - UDAG |  | 252,366.08 | 293,131.47 |
| Due to State of New Jersey: |  |  |  |
| Construction Code Fees |  | 6,694.00 | 12,713.00 |
| Marriage Licenses/Burial Permits |  | - | 1,598.00 |
|  |  | 3,801,389.61 | 3,760,600.38 |
|  | \$ | 3,818,966.37 | 3,768,089.71 |

## EXHIBIT - C

 GENERAL CAPITAL FUND
## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,

|  |  | 2013 | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ASSETS |  |  |  |
| sh and Investments | \$ | 3,898,104.13 | 4,160,356.84 |
| ants Receivable |  | 55,385.00 | 39,799.43 |
| ferred Charges to Future Taxation - |  |  |  |
| Funded |  | 3,970,536.35 | 4,947,331.36 |
| Unfunded |  | 4,984,993.86 | 5,284,993.86 |
|  |  | 12,909,019.34 | 14,432,481.49 |

## LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE

| Contracts Payable | $649,853.59$ | $728,831.70$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Bond Anticipation Notes Payable | $4,984,993.00$ | $4,353,250.00$ |
| Serial Bonds Payable | $2,772,000.00$ | $3,652,000.00$ |
| Improvement Authorizations: | $949,752.58$ | $759,163.95$ |
| $\quad$ Funded | $363,541.76$ | $1,306,200.42$ |
| $\quad$ Unfunded | $26,192.78$ | $26,192.78$ |
| Reserve to Pay Bonds and Notes | $1,009,395.08$ | $1,086,185.52$ |
| Green Trust Loan Payable | $189,141.27$ | $209,145.84$ |
| New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust | $1,836,784.44$ | $2,184,146.44$ |
| $\quad$ Fund Loan Payable | $127,364.84$ | $127,364.84$ |
| Capital Improvement Fund |  | $12,909,019.34$ |
| Fund Balance | $\$$ | $14,432,481.49$ |

There were bonds and notes authorized but not issued at December 31,

| 2012 | $931,743.86$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2013 | 0.86 |

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

2013 ..... 2012
Beginning Balance January 1\$ 127,364.84$127,364.84$
Increased by:Premiums on sale of Bonds
Decreased by:Surplus budgeted in Current Fund
\$
127,364.84
127,364.84

## EXHIBIT - D

## SEWER UTILITY FUND

## SEWER UTILITY FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,



## SEWER UTILITY FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,



There were bond and notes authorized but not issued at December 31,

| 2013 | $1,166,750.00$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2012 | $1,896,150.00$ |

## SEWER UTILITY FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN OPERATING FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,

|  | 2013 |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue and Other Income Realized |  |  |  |
| Fund Balance Utilized | \$ | 170,000.00 | 190,000.00 |
| Sewer Rents |  | 3,729,728.72 | 3,698,807.82 |
| Miscellaneous |  | 191,777.38 | 180,737.43 |
| Utility Capital Surplus |  | - | 50,000.00 |
| Other Credits to Income: |  |  |  |
| Accounts Payable Cancelled |  | - | 13,980.10 |
| Unexpended Balance of Appropriation |  |  |  |
| Reserves |  | 187,773.63 | 66,413.19 |
| Total Income |  | 4,279,279.73 | 4,199,938.54 |
| Expenditures: |  |  |  |
| Operations: |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | 184,850.00 | 225,000.00 |
| Other Expenses |  | 204,000.00 | 210,500.00 |
| Insurance |  | 170,000.00 | 170,000.00 |
| СMCMUA User Charges |  | 1,702,000.00 | 1,789,813.00 |
| Capital Improvements |  | 50,000.00 | 39,180.00 |
| Debt Service |  | 1,372,458.82 | 1,467,766.91 |
| Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures |  | 110,555.07 | 118,000.00 |
| Total Expenditures |  | 3,793,863.89 | 4,020,259.91 |
| Excess in Revenue |  | 485,415.84 | 179,678.63 |
| Adjustments to Income Before Fund Balance: |  |  |  |
| Expenditures Included Above Which are by |  |  |  |
| Statute Deferred Charges to Budgets of |  |  |  |
| Succeeding Years |  | - | 9,434.07 |
|  |  | 485,415.84 | 189,112.70 |
| Fund Balance January 1 |  | 480,354.83 | 481,242.13 |
|  |  | 965,770.67 | 670,354.83 |
| Decreased By: |  |  |  |
| Utilization as Anticipated Revenue |  | 170,000.00 | 190,000.00 |
| Balance December 31 | \$ | 795,770.67 | 480,354.83 |

## SEWER UTILITY FUND

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CAPITAL FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,

Balance December 31,
Increased By:
Premium on Bonds

Decreased By:
Appropriated to Budget Revenue

Balance December 31,

|  | 2013 | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ | 114,856.65 | 164,856.65 |
|  | - | - |
|  | 114,856.65 | 164,856.65 |
|  | - | 50,000.00 |
| \$ | 114,856.65 | 114,856.65 |

## SEWER UTILITY FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS

|  | Anticipated Budget |  |  | Realized |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Operating Fund Balance Anticipated | \$ | 170,000.00 |  | 170,000.00 |
| Anticipated Revenue: |  |  |  |  |
| Sewer Rents |  | 3,682,624.24 |  | 3,729,728.72 |
| Miscellaneous |  | 154,000.00 |  | 191,777.38 |
|  |  | 3,836,624.24 |  | 3,921,506.10 |
| Total Revenue | \$ | 4,006,624.24 |  | 4,091,506.10 |
| Analysis of Realized Revenue: |  |  |  |  |
| Sewer Rents |  |  |  |  |
| Accounts Receivable | \$ | 3,720,098.96 |  |  |
| Sewer Overpayments Applied |  | 9,629.76 |  |  |
| Total Sewer Rents |  |  | \$ | 3,729,728.72 |
| Miscellaneous Revenue |  |  |  |  |
| Interest on Investments |  | 1,224.34 |  |  |
| Miscellaneous |  | 3,556.95 |  |  |
| Penalties on Delinquent Accounts |  | 56,171.09 |  |  |
| Connection/Disconnection Fee |  | 46,825.00 |  |  |
| Application Fees |  | 84,000.00 |  |  |
| Total Miscellaneous |  |  |  | 191,777.38 |

Exhibit D-4



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| Expended |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Paid or Charged | Reserved |
| 183,381.71 | 1,468.29 |
| 203,941.38 | 58.62 |
| 170,000.00 | - |
| 1,620,704.00 | 81,296.00 |
| 2,178,027.09 | 82,822.91 |
| 49,748.84 | 251.16 |
| 49,748.84 | 251.16 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 601,451.04 \\ & 771,007.78 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | - |
| 1,372,458.82 | - |
| 75,000.00 | - |
| 7,121.00 | - |
| 9,434.07 | - |
| 5,000.00 | - |
| 12,497.97 | 1,502.03 |
| 109,053.04 | 1,502.03 |
| 3,709,287.79 | 84,576.10 |
| 2,840,335.21 |  |
| 9,434.07 |  |
| 771,007.78 |  |
| 88,510.73 |  |
| 3,709,287.79 |  |

SEWER UTILITY FUND
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

| Appropriations |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Budget | Budget After Modification |
| \$ | 178,850.00 | 184,850.00 |
|  | 210,000.00 | 204,000.00 |
|  | 170,000.00 | 170,000.00 |
|  | 1,800,000.00 | 1,702,000.00 |
|  | 2,358,850.00 | 2,260,850.00 |
| 50,000.00 |  | 50,000.00 |
| 50,000.00 |  | 50,000.00 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 503,800.00 \\ & 983,400.00 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | 601,800.00 |
|  |  | 983,400.00 |
| 1,487,200.00 |  | 1,585,200.00 |
| 75,000.00 |  | 75,000.00 |
| 7,121.00 |  | 7,121.00 |
| 9,453.24 |  | 9,453.24 |
| 5,000.00 |  | 5,000.00 |
| 14,000.00 |  | 14,000.00 |
| 110,574.24 |  | 110,574.24 |
| \$ | 4,006,624.24 | 4,006,624.24 |
|  |  | 4,006,624.24 |
|  |  | 4,006,624.24 |



Adopted Budget
Deferred Charges - Emergency Authorizations
Accrued Interest on Bonds and Notes
Encumbered

## EXHIBIT - E

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRUST FUND

# PUBLIC ASSISTANCE FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 

|  | 2013 |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets |  |  |  |
| Cash Trust I | \$ | 20,369.71 | 19,859.27 |
|  |  | 20,369.71 | 19,859.27 |
| Liabilities and Reserves |  |  |  |
| Reserve for Public Assistance |  | 20,369.71 | 19,859.27 |
|  | \$ | 20,369.71 | 19,859.27 |

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## EXHIBIT - F

GENERAL FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT GROUP

## GENERAL FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT GROUP COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS AS OF DECEMBER 31,

|  |  | 2013 | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Assets |  |  |  |
| Land | \$ | 1,048,535.00 | 1,048,535.00 |
| Land Improvements |  | 1,907,773.85 | 1,907,773.85 |
| Building and Building Improvements |  | 7,713,394.58 | 7,663,091.56 |
| Machinery, Equipment and Vehicles |  | 6,149,400.99 | 6,055,201.91 |
| Total General Fixed Assets |  | 16,819,104.42 | 16,674,602.32 |
| Liabilities, Reserves, and Fund Balance |  |  |  |
| Investment in General Fixed Assets | \$ | 16,819,104.42 | 16,674,602.32 |

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012 

## Note 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## A. Reporting Entity

Except as noted below, the financial statements of the Township of Middle include every board, body, office or commission supported and maintained wholly or in part by funds appropriated by the Township of Middle, as required by N.J.S. 40A:5-5.

The Township of Middle is an inland community located in the County of Cape May, State of New Jersey. The population according to the 2010 census is 18,911 . The Township was incorporated in 1798 and operates under a Committee form of government.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the Township is financially accountable. The Township is financially accountable for an organization if the Township appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the Township is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the Township is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; the Township is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of or provide financial support to the organization; or the Township is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the entity in that the entity approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. The Township has no component units.

## B. Description of Funds

The accounting policies of the Township of Middle conform to the accounting principles applicable to municipalities which have been prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. 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 the respect to public funds. Under this method of accounting, the Township of Middle accounts for its financial transactions through the following separate funds:

Current Fund -- resources and expenditures for governmental operations of a general nature, including Federal and State grant funds.

Trust Funds -- receipts, custodianship and disbursement of funds in accordance with the purpose for which each reserve was created.

General Capital Fund -- receipt and disbursement of funds for the acquisition of general facilities, other than those acquired in the Current Fund.

Sewer Operating and Capital Funds -- account for the operations of the sewer utility and acquisition of sewer capital facilities other than those acquired in the Current and General Capital Funds.

General Fixed Assets Account Group -- All fixed assets used in governmental fund type operations (general fixed assets) are accounted for in the general fixed assets account group, rather than in governmental funds.

Public Assistance Fund - accounts for receipts and disbursements of funds that provide assistance to certain residents of the Township pursuant to Title 44 of New Jersey statures.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012 

## C. Basis of Accounting

The accounting principles and practices prescribed for municipalities by the State of New Jersey differ in certain respects from generally accepted accounting principles applicable to local governmental units. The more significant policies in New Jersey follow.

A modified accrual basis of accounting is followed with minor exceptions.
Revenues -- are recorded as received in cash except for certain amounts, which are due from other governmental units. Receipts from Federal and State grants are realized as revenue when anticipated in the Township budget. Receivables for property taxes are recorded with offsetting reserves on the balance sheet of the Township's Current Fund, in addition the receivables for utility billings are recorded with offsetting reserves in the Utility Fund; accordingly, such amounts are not recorded as revenue until collected. Other amounts that are due to the Township which are susceptible to accrual are also recorded as receivables with offsetting reserves and recorded as revenue when received.

Expenditures -- are recorded on the "budgetary" basis of accounting. Generally 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. Outstanding encumbrances at December 31 are reported as a cash liability in the financial statements. Appropriation reserves covering unencumbered appropriation balances are automatically created at December 31st of each year and recorded as liabilities, except for amounts which may be canceled 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 during the preceding fiscal year. Lapsed appropriation reserves are recorded as income. Appropriations for principal payments on outstanding general capital bonds and notes are provided on the cash basis; interest on general capital indebtedness is on the cash basis; interest on utility capital indebtedness is on the accrual basis. Compensated absences are treated on a pay as you go basis with no amount charged to operations in the year incurred.

Foreclosed Property \& Property Deeded to Township -- Foreclosed Property and Property Deeded to Township are recorded in the Current Fund at the assessed valuation when such property was acquired and is fully reserved.

Interfunds -- Interfund receivables in the Current Fund are recorded with offsetting reserves which are created by charges to operations. Income is recognized in the year the receivables are liquidated. Interfund receivables in the other funds are not offset by reserves.

Inventories of Supplies - The cost of inventories of supplies for all funds are recorded as expenditures at the time individual items are purchased. The cost of inventories is not included on the various balance sheets.

General Fixed Assets -- The Township has developed a fixed assets accounting and reporting system, as promulgated by the Division of Local Government Services, which differs in certain respects from generally accepted accounting principles.

As required by New Jersey Statutes, foreclosed property is reported in the current operating fund of the municipality.

Fixed assets used in governmental operations (general fixed assets) are accounted for in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. Public domain ("infrastructure") general fixed assets consisting of certain improvements other than buildings, such as roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, streets and sidewalks and drainage systems are not capitalized.

All fixed assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available except for land which is valued at estimated market value on the date of acquisition. Expenditures for long lived assets with an original cost in excess of $\$ 3,000$ are capitalized.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

No depreciation has been provided for in the financial statements.
Expenditures for construction in progress are recorded in the Capital funds until such time as the construction is completed and put into operation.

Fixed assets acquired through grants in aid or contributed capital have not been accounted for separately.
Property and equipment purchased by the Sewer Utility Fund are recorded in the capital account at cost and are adjusted for disposition and abandonment. The amounts shown do not purport to represent reproduction costs or current value. Contributions in aid of construction are not capitalized. The balance in the Reserve for Amortization and Deferred Reserve for Amortization accounts in the utility capital fund represents charges to operations for the costs of acquisitions of property, equipment and improvements. The utility does not record depreciation on fixed assets.

Levy of Taxes -- The County Board of Taxation certifies the tax levy of the municipality each year. The tax levy is based on the assessed valuation of taxable property within the municipality. Taxes are payable on the first day of February, May, August, and November. Any taxes that have not been paid by 11th day of the 11th month in the fiscal year levied are subject to being included in the tax sale and the lien enforced by selling the property in accordance with NJSA 54:5 et. seq.

The municipality is responsible for remitting $100 \%$ of the school and county taxes to the respective agency. The loss for delinquent or uncollectible accounts is borne by the municipality and not the school district or county.

Interest on Delinquent Taxes - It is the policy of the Township of Middle to collect interest for the nonpayment of taxes or assessments on or before the date when they would become delinquent. The Tax Collector is authorized to charge eight percent (8\%) per annum on the first $\$ 1,500.00$ of taxes becoming delinquent after due date and eighteen percent (18\%) per annum on any amount of taxes in excess of $\$ 1,500.00$ becoming delinquent after due date and if a delinquency is in excess of $\$ 10,000.00$ and remains in arrears beyond December 31st, an additional penalty of six percent ( $6 \%$ ) shall be charged against the delinquency. There is a ten day grace period.

Levy of Utility Charges - The Township operates a sewer utility fund. Rates are determined by ordinance and changed as necessary. Sewer charges are based on flat fees and usage based on the type of entity. Charges are billed semi-annually and due semi-annual installments on March 20 and September 20.

Interest on Delinquent Utility Charges -- It is the policy of the Township to collect interest for the nonpayment of utility charges on or before the date when they would become delinquent. The Utility Collector is authorized to charge eight percent ( $8 \%$ ) per annum on the first $\$ 1,500.00$ of charges becoming delinquent after due date and eighteen percent (18\%) per annum on any amount of charges in excess of $\$ 1,500.00$ becoming delinquent after due date.

Capitalization of Interest -- It is the policy of the Township of Middle to treat interest on projects as a current expense and the interest is included in both the current and utility operating budgets.

Use of Estimates -- The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles or the statutory basis of accounting requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012 

## D. Required Financial Statements

The State of New Jersey requires the following financial statements to be presented for each fund on the regulatory basis of accounting: Balance Sheet, Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balance, Statement of Revenue and Statement of Expenditures. These statements differ from those presented under Generally Accepted Accounting Principles, which requires a Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities in addition to the fund financial statements.

## E. Comparative Data

Comparative total data for the prior year has been presented in the accompanying Balance Sheets and Statement of Operations in order to provide an understanding of changes in the Township's financial position. However, comparative (i.e., presentation of prior year totals by fund type) data have not been presented in the Statement of Revenue-Regulatory Basis and Statement of Expenditures-Regulatory Basis since their inclusion would make the statements unduly complex and difficult to read.

## F. Recent Accounting Pronouncements Not Yet Effective

In June 2012, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 67 "Financial Reporting for Pension Plans - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 25 ". This statement, which is effective for fiscal periods beginning after June 15, 2013, will not have any effect on the entity's financial reporting.

In June 2012, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 68 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 27". This statement, which is effective for fiscal periods beginning after June 15, 2014, will not have any effect on the entity's financial reporting. However, the provisions of this statement will require significant modifications to the disclosure requirements related to the entity's proportionate share of the cost-sharing defined benefit plans reported at the State of New Jersey level.

In January 2013, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 69 "Government Combinations and Disposals of Government Operations". This statement, which is effective for fiscal periods beginning after December 15, 2013, will not have any effect on the entity's financial reporting.

In April 2013, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 70 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Financial Guarantees". This statement, which is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2013, will not have any impact on the entity's financial statements.

In November 2013, Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) issued Statement No. 71 "Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date-an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68". The provisions of this statement are required to be applied simultaneously with the provisions of Statement 68 which is effective for periods beginning after June 15, 2014. The provisions of this statement will require significant modifications to the disclosure requirements related to the entity's proportionate share of the cost-sharing defined benefit plans reported at the State of New Jersey level.

## Note 2: BUDGETARY INFORMATION

Under New Jersey State Statutes, the annual budget is required to be a balanced cash basis document. To accomplish this, the municipality is required to establish a reserve for uncollected taxes. The 2013 and 2012 statutory budgets included a reserve for uncollected taxes in the amount of $\$ 961,631$ and $\$ 1,020,642$. To balance the budget, the municipality is required to show a budgeted fund balance. The amount of fund balance budgeted to balance the 2013 and 2012 statutory budgets was $\$ 1,255,000$ and $\$ 1,211,000$. In addition, the Township operates a self liquidating sewer utility. Under New Jersey Statutes, a separate budget for the utility must be adopted concurrently with the operating budget of the Township. The utility budget must be a balanced cash basis budget with fund balance being used to balance the budget. The amount of fund balance budgeted to balance the 2013 and 2012 statutory budgets was $\$ 170,000$ and \$190,000.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

The Chief Financial Officer has the discretion of approving intra department budgetary transfers throughout the year. Inter department transfers are not permitted prior to November 1. After November 1 these transfers can be made in the form of a resolution and approved by the Township Council. The following significant budget transfers were approved in the 2013 and 2012 calendar years:

| Budget Category |  | 2013 | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Fund: |  |  |  |
| General Administration |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages | \$ | $(35,000)$ |  |
| Assessment of Taxes |  |  |  |
| Other Expenses |  | $(13,000)$ |  |
| Legal Services and Costs |  |  |  |
| Other Expenses |  |  | $(31,400)$ |
| Police |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | $(283,000)$ | $(26,000)$ |
| Other Expenses |  |  | - |
| Police \& Radio Communications |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | - | 21,200 |
| Other Expenses-Hydrants |  | - | - |
| Municipal Court |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | 12,000 | 21,000 |
| Public Buildings and Grounds |  |  | - |
| Salaries and Wages |  | $(46,000)$ | - |
| Electric |  |  | - |
| Group Insurance |  | 260,000 | - |
| Health Benefit Waivers |  | - |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | 13,000 | - |
| Recreation |  |  |  |
| Salaries and Wages |  | 23,000 |  |
| Motor Pool |  | - |  |
| Other Expenses |  | 50,000 |  |
| Social Security |  | $(40,000)$ |  |
| Sewer Operating |  |  |  |
| Capital Outlay |  | - | $(10,820)$ |
| Bond Principal |  | - | 20,507 |

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## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

NJSA 40A:4-87 permits special items of revenue and appropriations to be inserted into the annual budget when the item has been made available by any public or private funding source and the item was not determined at the time of budget adoption. During 2013 and 2012, the following significant budget insertions were approved:

| Budget Category | 2013 | 2012 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over | $\$$ | 4,192 | 4,400 |
| Sustainable Jersey Grant | - | 10,000 |  |
| Alcohol Education | 2,638 | 2,968 |  |
| Clean Communities Program | 48,415 | 41,236 |  |
| Body Armor Grant |  | 4,528 |  |
| Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund |  | 9,994 |  |
| Recycling Tonnage |  | 46,047 |  |
| Bulletproof Vest Partnership |  | 6,308 |  |
| ANJEC |  | 8,000 |  |
| Emergency Management |  | 5,000 |  |
| Public Access Grant |  |  |  |
| NJ DOT - Reconstruction of 2nd St. |  |  |  |
| NJ DOT - Bike Path Phase 4 | 130,000 |  |  |
| Small Cities ADA Phase 1 | 300,000 |  |  |
| Small Cities ADA Phase II | 268,182 |  |  |
| FEMA - Bennys Landing | 241,000 |  |  |

The entity may make emergency appropriations, after the adoption of the budget, for a purpose which was not foreseen at the time the budget was adopted or for which adequate provision was not made therein. This type of appropriation shall be made to meet a pressing need for public expenditure to protect or promote the public health, safety, morals or welfare or to provide temporary housing or public assistance prior to the next succeeding fiscal year. Emergency appropriations, except those classified as a special emergency, must be raised in the budgets of the succeeding year. Special emergency appropriations are permitted to be raised in the budgets of the succeeding three or five years. The Township approved a special emergency appropriation in 2012 for $\$ 85,000$. The emergency was for a reassessment of taxes in the Township. The unfunded balance as of December 31, 2013 was $\$ 68,000$. During 2013, the Township approved two $\$ 16,000$ emergency appropriations totaling $\$ 32,000$ for HVAC and boiler replacements at the Martin Luther King Center. This amount is included in the 2014 budget.

## Note 3: CASH

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits. Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The municipality's policy is based on New Jersey Statutes requiring cash be deposited only in New Jersey based banking institutions that participate in the New Jersey Governmental Depository Protection Act (GUDPA) or in qualified investments established in New Jersey Statutes 40A:5-15.1(a) that are treated as cash equivalents. Under the act, all demand deposits are covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). Public funds owned by the municipality in excess of FDIC insured amounts are protected by GUDPA. However, GUDPA does not protect intermingled trust funds such as salary withholdings, bail funds or funds that may pass to the municipality relative to the happening of a future condition. As of December 31, 2013 and 2012, $\$ 98,451$ and $\$ 58,701$ of the municipality's bank balance of $\$ 16,939,666$ and $\$ 16,276,862$ respectively was exposed to custodial credit risk.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

## Note 4: FIXED ASSETS

The following schedules are a summarization of the changes in general fixed assets for the calendar years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ 12 / 31 / 2011 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | Additions | Retirements/ Adjustments | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ 12 / 31 / 2012 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Land | \$ | 1,048,535 | - | - | 1,048,535 |
| Land Improvements |  | 1,927,239 | 13,915 | $(33,380)$ | 1,907,774 |
| Building |  | 7,774,092 | 10,885 | $(121,885)$ | 7,663,092 |
| Equipment and Machinery |  | 7,202,728 | 96,794 | $(1,244,320)$ | 6,055,202 |
|  | \$ | 17,952,594 | 121,594 | (1,399,585) | 16,674,603 |


|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ 12 / 31 / 2012 \end{gathered}$ |  | Additions | Retirements | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ 12 / 31 / 2013 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Land | \$ | 1,048,535 |  |  | 1,048,535 |
| Land Improvements |  | 1,907,774 |  |  | 1,907,774 |
| Building |  | 7,663,092 | 50,303 |  | 7,713,395 |
| Equipment and Machinery |  | 6,055,202 | 94,199 |  | 6,149,401 |
|  | \$ | 16,674,603 | 144,502 |  | 16,819,105 |

Note 5: SHORT-TERM OBLIGATIONS


The note was issued on $11 / 15 / 13$ and is due and payable on $11 / 16 / 14$ with interest at $1.00 \%$. As of December 31, 2013, the Township has authorized but not issued bonds or notes in the amount of $\$ 1$ and $\$ 1,166,750$ in the General Capital Fund and Utility Capital Fund respectively.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

## Note 6: LONG TERM DEBT

Long-term debt as of December 31, 2013 and 2012 consisted of the following:

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 12 / 31 / 11 \end{aligned}$ |  | Issued | Retired | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 12 / 31 / 12 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Amounts Due Within One Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bonds payable: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General | \$ | 4,847,000 | - | 1,195,000 | 3,652,000 | 880,000 |
| Utility |  | 3,945,000 | - | 180,000 | 3,765,000 | 155,000 |
| Total | \$ | 8,792,000 | - | 1,375,000 | 7,417,000 | 1,035,000 |
| Other liabilities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Loans Payable | \$ | 974,312 | 400,000 | 78,981 | 1,295,331 | 96,795 |
| Utility Loans |  | 20,240,583 | 1,653 | 327,541 | 19,914,695 | 343,201 |
| Compensated |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Absences Payable |  | 1,352,416 |  | 116,603 | 1,235,813 | - |
| Total long-term liabilities | \$ | 31,359,311 | 401,653 | 1,898,125 | 29,862,839 | 1,474,996 |


|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 12 / 31 / 12 \end{aligned}$ |  | Issued | Retired | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 12 / 31 / 13 \end{aligned}$ | Amounts Due Within One Year |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bonds payable: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General | \$ | 3,652,000 |  | 880,000 | 2,772,000 | 890,000 |
| Utility |  | 3,765,000 | 10,350,000 | 380,000 | 13,735,000 | 435,000 |
| Total | \$ | 7,417,000 | 10,350,000 | 1,260,000 | 16,507,000 | 1,325,000 |
| Other liabilities: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Loans Payable | \$ | 1,295,331 |  | 96,795 | 1,198,536 | 19,666 |
| Utility Loans |  | 19,914,695 | 894,400 | 10,530,593 | 10,278,502 |  |
| Compensated |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Absences Payable |  | 1,235,813 | 822,023 | 855,184 | 1,202,652 | - |
| Total long-term liabilities | \$ | 29,862,839 | 12,066,423 | 12,742,572 | 29,186,690 | 1,344,666 |

## Outstanding bonds whose principal and interest are paid from the Current Fund \& Sewer Operating Budgets:

At December 31, 2013 bonds and loans payable in the General Capital Fund consisted of the following individual issues:
$\$ 7,072,000$ General Improvement Bonds dated July 6, 2006, due in annual installments through July 15, 2016, bearing interest at variable rates from $4.00 \%$ to $4.125 \%$ per annum. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013 is $\$ 2,772,000$.
$\$ 215,345$ Green Acres Loan dated November 16, 1999, due in semi-annual installments through August 19, 2019, bearing an interest rate of $2.00 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013 is $\$ 75,357$.
$\$ 340,000$ Green Acres Loan dated November 3, 2004, due in semi-annual installments through August 24, 2024, bearing an interest rate of $2.00 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013 is $\$ 207,833$.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

$\$ 455,700$ Green Acres Loan, $\$ 250,000$ drawn down on December 21, 2004 and $\$ 205,700$ drawn down on December 24, 2006, due in semi-annual installments through July 5, 2024, and December 24, 2025, bearing an interest rate of $2.00 \%$. The balances remaining as of December 31, 2013 are $\$ 163,251$ and $\$ 97,015$ respectively.
$\$ 150,000$ Green Acres Loan dated December 31, 2004, due in semi-annual installments through September 17,2024 , bearing an interest rate of $2.00 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31,2013 , is $\$ 82,897$.
$\$ 400,000$ Green Acres Loan dated June 28, 2012, due in semi-annual installments through April 3, 2032, bearing an interest rate of $2.00 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31,2013 , is $\$ 383,042$.
$\$ 177,597$ New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Fund Loan dated December 7, 2004, due in semiannual installments through August 1, 2022, bearing an interest rate of 0\%. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is $\$ 107,597$.
\$177,597 New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Fund Loan dated December 7, 2004, due in semiannual installments through August 1, 2022, bearing interest at variable rates ranging from $3 \%$ to $5 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is $\$ 81,544$.

At December 31, 2013, bonds payable in the Sewer Utility Fund consisted of the following individual issues:
\$4,365,000 Sewer Refunding Bonds dated February 3, 2010, due in annual installments on December 15 through December 15, 2031, bearing interest at various rates from 1.125\%-2.75\% through 2015 and 3\%$4.375 \%$ thereafter. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013 was \$3,610,000.

The Township issued \$10,350,000 Sewer Refunding Bonds dated April 30, 2013, due in annual installments on August 15 through August 15, 2042, bearing interest at varying rates from $2.00 \%-4.00 \%$. The bonds were used to refinance the Rural Development Administration Bonds noted below. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013 was $\$ 10,125,000$.
$\$ 2,385,000$ Rural Development Loan dated July 16, 1993, due in semi-annual installments through July 16, 2033, bearing an interest rate of $5.00 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is $\$ 0$.
$\$ 1,604,700$ Rural Development Loan dated July 14, 1994, due in semi-annual installments through July 1, 2034, bearing an interest rate of $4.50 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is $\$ 0$.
\$1,375,000 Rural Development Loan dated December 1, 1995, due in semi-annual installments through July 1,2035 , bearing an interest rate of $4.50 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31,2013 , is $\$ 0$.
\$2,374,000 Rural Development Loan dated February 1, 1996, due in semi-annual installments through August 1, 2036, bearing an interest rate of $4.50 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013 , is $\$ 0$.
\$2,080,000 Rural Development Loan dated July 27, 2001, due in semi-annual installments through August 1, 2041, bearing an interest rate of $4.50 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is $\$ 0$.
$\$ 2,408,000$ Rural Development Loan dated February 24, 2006, due in semi-annual installments through August 1, 2036, bearing an interest rate of $4.50 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is $\$ 0$.
$\$ 450,000$ Rural Development Loan dated February 24, 2006, due in semi-annual installments through August 1, 2041, bearing an interest rate of $4.50 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31,2013 , is $\$ 0$.
\$3,039,000 Rural Development Loan dated July 15, 2010, due in semi-annual installments through July 15, 2050, bearing an interest rate of $4.00 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013 , is $\$ 2,939,887$.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

$\$ 1,150,000$ Rural Development Loan dated July 15, 2010, due in semi-annual installments through July 15 , 2050, bearing an interest rate of $4.00 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is $\$ 1,112,492$.
$\$ 1,815,000$ Rural Development Loan dated December 15, 2011, due in semi-annual installments through December 15, 2051, bearing an interest rate of $2.25 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is \$1,757,555.
$\$ 3,663,000$ Rural Development Loan dated December 15, 2011, due in semi-annual installments through December 15, 2051, bearing an interest rate of $3.75 \%$. The balance remaining as of December 31, 2013, is \$3,580,266.

Schedule of Annual Debt Service for Principal and Interest for Serial Bonds and Loans Issued and Outstanding

| Year Ending December 31 |  | General Capital Fund |  |  |  | Utility Capital Fund |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Principal |  | Interest |  | Principal |  | Interest |
| 2014 | \$ | 987,999.90 | \$ | 139,130.69 | \$ | 570,153.28 | \$ | 858,304.28 |
| 2015 |  | 1,044,235.84 |  | 100,318.67 |  | 584,824.96 |  | 843,770.10 |
| 2016 |  | 1,037,519.53 |  | 59,231.26 |  | 599,665.04 |  | 825,980.02 |
| 2017 |  | 101,835.50 |  | 18,441.57 |  | 624,679.76 |  | 807,315.30 |
| 2018 |  | 103,184.41 |  | 16,270.19 |  | 639,875.64 |  | 787,869.42 |
| 2019-2023 |  | 465,028.39 |  | 49,063.51 |  | 3,594,142.79 |  | 3,556,582.51 |
| 2024-2028 |  | 147,056.65 |  | 4,324.59 |  | 4,325,404.44 |  | 2,812,115.86 |
| 2029-2033 |  | 83,676.13 |  | - |  | 4,338,282.59 |  | 2,005,898.89 |
| 2034-2038 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,899,166.06 |  | 1,332,415.34 |
| 2039-2043 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,540,760.83 |  | 830,201.73 |
| 2044-2048 |  | - |  | - |  | 2,052,365.17 |  | 423,034.83 |
| 2049-2053 |  | - |  | - |  | 1,244,181.93 |  | 71,594.78 |
|  | \$ | 3,970,536.35 | \$ | 386,780.48 | \$ | 24,013,502.49 | \$ | 15,155,083.06 |

As of December 31, 2013, the carrying value of the above bonds and notes approximates the fair value of the bonds. No interest was charged to capital projects during the year and the total interest charged to the current budget was $\$ 177,499$ and to the utility budget was $\$ 819,641$.

| Summary of Municipal Debt | Year 2013 |  | Year 2012 | Year 2011 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Issued: |  |  |  |  |
| General - Bonds and Notes | \$ | 7,756,993 | 9,300,581 | 9,945,089 |
| Sewer Utility - Bonds and Notes |  | 25,013,502 | 24,679,695 | 24,185,583 |
| Total Issued |  | 32,770,495 | 33,980,276 | 34,130,672 |
| Less: |  |  |  |  |
| Funds Temporarily Held to |  |  |  |  |
| General |  | 26,193 | 26,193 | 141 |
| Self-Liquidating Debt |  | 248,155 | 248,155 | 134,905 |
| Total Deductions |  | 274,348 | 274,348 | 135,046 |
| Net Debt Issued |  | 32,496,147 | 33,705,928 | 33,995,626 |
| Authorized but not issued: |  |  |  |  |
| General - Bonds and Notes |  | 1 | 931,744 | 1,305,692 |
| Sewer Utility - Bonds and Notes |  | 1,166,750 | 1,896,150 | 1,593,437 |
| Total Authorized But Not Issued |  | 1,166,751 | 2,827,894 | 2,899,129 |
| Total Bonds \& Notes Issued and Authorized But Not Issued | \$ | 33,662,898 | 36,533,822 | 36,894,755 |

## 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 setting up the Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of . 629\%.

Local School District Debt<br>Sewer Utility Debt<br>General Debt

|  | Gross Debt | Deductions | Net Debt |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| $\$$ | $6,655,000$ | $6,655,000$ | - |
|  | $26,180,252$ | $26,180,252$ | - |
|  | $7,756,994$ | 26,193 | $7,730,801$ |
| $\$$ | $40,592,246$ | $32,861,445$ | $7,730,801$ |

Net Debt $\$ 7,730,801 \div$ Equalized Valuation Basis per N.J.S.A. 40A:2-2 as amended, $\$ 2,803,968,926=$ .276\%.

Borrowing Power Under N.J.S.A. 40A:2-6 as Amended

| $31 / 2 \%$ of Equalized Valuation Basis ( Municipal) | $\$$ | $98,138,912$ |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Net Debt |  | $7,730,801$ |
| Remaining Borrowing Power | $\$ \mathbf{~ \$ ~}$ |  |

The above debt information varied from the Township's annual debt statement due to the general debt deduction of $\$ 26,193$ being included above.

The Township of Middle School District, as a K-12 school district, is permitted to borrow up to $4 \%$ of the average equalized valuation for the past three years. State statutes allow a school district to exceed the districts limitation with voter approval. Any amount approved by the voters in excess of the limit is treated as an impairment of the municipal limit.

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## Note 7: FUND BALANCES APPROPRIATED

Fund balances at December 31, 2013 and 2012, which were appropriated and included as anticipated revenue in their own respective funds for the year ending December 31, 2014 and 2013 were as follows:

|  | $\underline{2014}$ |  | $\underline{2013}$ |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Current Fund | $\$$ | $1,377,000$ | $1,255,000$ |
| Sewer Utility |  | 295,119 | 170,000 |

## Note 8: DEFERRED CHARGES TO BE RAISED IN SUCCEEDING BUDGETS

Certain expenditures are required to be deferred to budgets of succeeding years. At December 31, 2013, the following deferred charges are shown on the balance sheets of the various funds:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { December 31, } \\ 2013 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | 2014 Budget Appropriation | Balance to Succeeding |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current fund: |  |  |  |  |
| Emergency Appropriation | \$ | 32,000 | 32,000 | - |
| Overexpenditure of Appropriation Reserves |  | 1,765 | 1,765 | - |
| Special Emergency Appropriation-Reassessment |  | 68,000 | 17,000 | 51,000 |
|  | \$ | 101,765 | 50,765 | 51,000 |

Note 9: SCHOOL TAXES
The Township is responsible for levying, collecting and remitting school taxes for the Middle Township School District.

Local District School Tax in the amounts of $\$ 25,174,819$ and $\$ 24,232,437$ have been raised for the 2013 and 2012 calendar years and remitted or due to the school district. The school tax levy is determined by taking $50 \%$ of the prior year and $50 \%$ of the current year requirements, plus the actual amount needed for debt service.

Fund balance is charged for the full amount required to be raised from taxation to operate the local school district for the period from January 1 to December 31, and for the regional high school district the Township's share of the amount required to be raised by taxation for the period from July 1 to June 30, increased by the amount deferred at December 31, 2012, and decreased by the amount deferred at December 31, 2013. GAAP would require the recording of a deferred revenue. The following schedule illustrates school taxes payable and school taxes deferred at December $31^{41}$ for the last two years.

|  | 12/31/2013 |  | 12/31/2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Balance of Tax | \$ | 12,601,053 | 13,275,113 |
| Deferred |  | 9,676,265 | 9,676,265 |
| Local School Tax Payable | \$ | 2,924,788 | 3,598,848 |

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

## Note 10: TAXES COLLECTED IN ADVANCE

Taxes collected in advance are recorded as cash liabilities in the financial statements. Following is a comparison of the liability for the previous two years:

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 12 / 31 / 13 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & 12 / 31 / 12 \end{aligned}$ |
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| Prepaid Taxes | \$ | 993,845 | 557,085 |
| Cash Liability for Taxes Collected in Advance | \$ | 993,845 | 557,085 |

## Note 11: PENSION FUNDS

## Description of Plans

Substantially all of the Township's employees participate in the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) and Police and Fireman's Retirement System (PFRS) cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plans which have been established by State Statute and are administered by the New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits (Division). According to the State of New Jersey Administrative Code, all obligations of the System will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should the system terminate. The Division issues a publicly available financial report that includes the financial statements and required supplementary information for the systems. This report may be obtained by writing to the Division of Pension and Benefits, PO Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey 08625 or the report can be accessed on the internet at http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrprts.shtml.

## Public Employees' Retirement System

The Public Employees' Retirement System was established in January, 1955 under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide retirement, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The PERS is a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan. Membership is mandatory for substantially all full time employees of the State or any county, municipality, school district or public agency provided the employee is not required to be a member of another State-administered retirement system.

## Police and Fireman's Retirement System

The contribution policy for the Police and Fireman's Retirement System (PFRS) is set by N.J.S.A. 43:16 and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. PFRS provides for employee contributions of $10.0 \%$ of employees' annual compensation, as defined. Employers are required to contribute to an actuarially determined rate.

## Funding Policy

The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A, Chapter 62, P.L. of 1994, Chapter 115, P.L. of 1997 and N.J.S.A. 18:66, and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. PERS provided for employee contributions of $6.64 \%$ through June 30, 2013 and $6.78 \%$ thereafter of employee's annual compensation, as defined. Employers are required to contribute to an actuarially determined rate in PERS. The current PERS rate is $7.87 \%$ of covered payroll. The Township's contributions to PERS for the years ended December 31, 2013, 2012, and 2011 were $\$ 337,271$, $\$ 377,615$ and $\$ 377,800$.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

The contribution policy for the PFRS is set by N.J.S.A. 43:16 and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. PFRS provides for employee contributions of 10.0\% of employees' annual compensation, as defined. Employers are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The Township's contributions to PFRS for the years ended December 31, 2013, 2012, and 2011 were $\$ 923,223, \$ 988,309$ and \$949,105.

The total payroll for the year ended December 31, 2013, 2012 and 2011 was $\$ 7,995,620, \$ 8,346,944$ and $\$ 8,346,579$. Payroll covered by PFRS was $\$ 3,600,409, \$ 3,880,954$ and $\$ 3,950,692$. Payroll covered by PERS was $\$ 2,865,575$, $\$ 2,888,863$ and $\$ 3,169,268$.

## Significant Legislation

Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, effective June 28, 2011 made various changes to the manner in which the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) and the Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS) operate and to the benefit provisions of those systems.

Chapter 78's provisions impacting employee pension and health benefits include:

- New members of the PERS hired on or after June 28, 2011 (Tier 5 members) will need 30 years of creditable service and age 65 for receipt of the early retirement benefit without a reduction of $1 / 4$ of $1 \%$ for each month that the member is under age 65.
- The eligibility age to qualify for a service retirement in the PERS is increased from age 63 to 65 for Tier 5 members.
- The annual benefit under special retirement for new PFRS members enrolled after June 28, 2011 (Tier 3 members), will be $60 \%$ instead of $65 \%$ of the member's final compensation plus $1 \%$ for each year of creditable service over 25 years but not to exceed 30 years.
- Increases in active member contribution rates. PERS active member rates increase from 5.5\% of annual compensation to $6.5 \%$ plus an additional $1 \%$ phased-in over 7 years; PFRS active member rate increase from $8.5 \%$ to $10 \%$. For fiscal year 2013, the member contribution rates increased in October 2011. The phase-in of the additional incremental member contribution rates for PERS members will take place in July of each subsequent fiscal year.
- The payment of automatic cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) additional increases to current and future retirees and beneficiaries is suspended until reactivated as permitted by this law.
- New employee contribution requirements towards the cost of employer-provided health benefit coverage. Employees are required to contribute a certain percentage of the cost of coverage. The rate of contribution is determined based on the employee's annual salary and the selected level of coverage. The increased employee contributions will be phased in over a 4 -year period for those employed prior to Chapter 78's effective date with a minimum contribution required to be at least 1.5\% of salary.
- In addition, this new legislation changes the method for amortizing the pension systems' unfunded accrued liability (from a level percent of pay method to a level dollar of pay).

Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, made a number of changes to the State-administered retirement systems concerning eligibility, the retirement allowance formula, the definition of compensation, the positions eligible for service credit, the non-forfeitable right to a pension, the prosecutor's part of the PERS, special retirement under the PFRS, and employer contributions to the retirement systems.

Also, Chapter 1, P.L. 2010 changed the membership eligibility criteria for new members of PERS from the amount of annual compensation to the number of hours worked weekly. Also, it returned the benefit multiplier for new members of PERS to $1 / 60^{\text {th }}$ from $1 / 55^{\text {th }}$, and it provided that new members of PERS have the retirement allowance calculated using the average annual compensation for the last five years of service instead of the last three years of service. New members of PERS will no longer receive pension service credit from more than one employer. Pension service credit will be earned for the highest paid position only.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

For new members of the PFRS, the law capped the maximum compensation that can be used to calculate a pension from these plans at the annual wage contribution base for social security, and requires the pension to be calculated using a three year average annual compensation instead of the last year's salary. This law also closed the Prosecutors Part of the PERS to new members and repealed the law for new members that provided a non-forfeitable right to receive a pension based on the laws of the retirement system in place at the time 5 years of pension service credit is attained. The law also requires the State to make its full pension contribution, defined a $1 / 7^{\text {th }}$ of the required amount, beginning in fiscal years 2012.

Chapter 3, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, replaced the accidental and ordinary disability retirement for new members of the PERS with disability insurance coverage similar to that provided by the State to individuals enrolled in the State's Defined Contribution Retirement Program.

Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 implemented certain recommendations contained in the December 1, 2006 report of the Joint Legislative Committee on Public Employee Benefits Reform; established a DCRP for elected and certain appointed officials, effective July 1, 2007; the new pension loan interest rate became $4.69 \%$ per year, and an $\$ 8.00$ processing fee per loan was charged, effective January 1, 2008. The legislation also removed language from existing law that permits the State Treasurer to reduce employer pension contributions needed to fund the Funds and Systems when excess assets are available.

## Note 12: POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Plan Description The Township of Middle contributes to the State Health Benefits Program (SHBP) a costsharing, multi-employer defined benefit post-employment healthcare plan administered by the State of New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits. The 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.

The SHBP was extended to employees, retirees, and dependents of participating local public employers in 1964. Local employers must adopt a resolution to participate in the SHBP. 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 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 Benefits, P.O. Box 295, Trenton, NJ 08625-0295 or by visiting their website at to http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/shbp.htm.

## Annual OPEB Cost and Net OPEB Obligation

The Township's annual OPEB cost represents the accrued cost for post-employment benefits under GASB 45. The cumulative difference between the annual OPEB cost and the benefits paid during a year will result in a net OPEB obligation. The annual OPEB cost is equal to the annual required contribution (ARC) less adjustment if a net OPEB obligation exists. The ARC is equal to the normal cost and amortization of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) plus interest.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS <br> YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012 

## Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates and assumptions about the probability of occurrences of events far into the future, including future employment, mortality and healthcare cost trends. Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

In the December 31, 2012 actuarial valuation, the "projected unit credit funding method" was used for all participants. The actuarial assumptions used to project future costs included a discount rate of $4.50 \%$ per annum, compounded annually; medical trend rates starting at $7 \%$ for medical and prescription drug, with a . $5 \%$ annual decline until year 2017 and $5 \%$ thereafter. In addition, the unfunded actuarial accrued liability is being amortized over the maximum acceptable period of 30 years and is calculated assuming a level percentage of projected payroll. $100 \%$ participation is assumed for all active employees, with each member electing to remain in the plan they are currently enrolled in after retirement. Membership of the plan consisted of the following at December 31, 2012:

| Retirees and beneficiaries receiving benefits | 107 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Active Plan Members | 102 |
|  | 209 |

## Other Post-Employment Benefit Costs and Obligations

In the December 31, 2012 actuarial valuation (required to be updated semi-annually), the Annual Required Contribution (ARC) for the year ending December 31, 2012 was projected as follows:

| Unfunded Accrued Liability 12/31/11 | \$ | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Amortization of Unfunded Liability |  | 3,991,633 |
| Normal Cost |  | 640,620 |
| ARC as of 12/31/12 |  | 4,632,253 |
| Interest |  |  |
| Total ARC as of 12/31/12 | \$ | 4,632,253 |

The following reflects the components of the 2012 annual OPEB Costs, amounts paid, and changes to the net accrued OPEB obligation based on the December 31, 2012 actuarial valuation and actual OPEB payments made or accrued during 2012:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { December 31, } \\ 2013 \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Annual required contribution | \$ | 4,632,253 |
| Interest on net OPEB obligation |  |  |
| Adjustment to annual required contribution |  |  |
| Annual OPEB cost (Expense) |  | 4,632,253 |
| Contributions made |  | (1,267,869) |
| Increase/(Decrease)in net OPEB obligation |  | 3,364,384 |
| Net OPEB obligation - beginning of year |  | 65,019,260 |
| Net OPEB obligation - end of year | \$ | 61,654,876 |

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012 

Required Supplementary Information:

|  |  | $12 / 31 / 2013$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Actuarial Value of Plan Assets | $\$$ | - |
| Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) |  | $61,654,876$ |
|  |  |  |
| Total Unfunded AAL (UAAL) | $\$$ | $61,654,876$ |
| Funded ratio |  | $0.00 \%$ |

## Note 13: ACCRUED SICK AND VACATION BENEFITS

The Township has permitted employees to accrue unused sick time, which may be taken as time off or paid at a later date at an agreed upon rate. It is estimated that the cost for the most current calendar year of such unpaid compensation would approximate $\$ 1,202,652$ in 2013 and $\$ 1,235,813$ in 2012 . This amount is not reported either as an expenditure or liability due to the likelihood of all employees terminating in one fiscal year being improbable. Township employees are entitled to fifteen sick leave days each year. Vacation days are earned based on years of service. Employees are entitled to 12 vacation days for the first year of employment, 14 days for 2 through 5 years of service, 17 days for 6 through 10 years of service, 20 days for 11 through 15 years of service, and 25 days for 16 through 20 years or more of service. Over 20 years is 30 days a year. Sick and vacation days accumulated through December 31, 1986 have been credited to the employees and will be reimbursed at $100 \%$ of the employees' daily rate of pay upon retirement. Beginning January 1, 1987, unused sick leave may be accumulated and carried forward to subsequent years, and at retirement the employee will be reimbursed for days not used, not to exceed the amount of $\$ 12,000$ (PBA $\$ 12,500$ ). Vacation days earned may be carried over for one year only, unless extended by the Township Administrator with the recommendation of the department head.

The Township has established a Compensated Absences Trust Fund to set aside funds for future payments of compensated absences. The balance of the fund was $\$ 18,730$ at December 31, 2013, and $\$ 31$ at December 31, 2012.

The policy of not reflecting the accrued benefit is not in agreement with GASB Statement No. 12 but is required by the State of New Jersey. Effective January 1, 2002 the State of New Jersey is allowing municipalities to accrue a compensated absences liability. The Township does not record the liability.

## Note 14: ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY

The Township of Middle is not economically dependent on any one business or industry as a major source of tax revenue.

## Note 15: RISK MANAGEMENT

The Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters.

Property and Liability Insurance - The Township maintains commercial insurance coverage for property and liability. During the year ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, the Township did not incur claims in excess of their coverage and the amount of coverage did not significantly decrease.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012 

## Joint Insurance Fund

The Township of Middle is a member of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund. The Fund provides its members with the following coverages:

Workers' Compensation<br>General Liability, Law Enforcement Liability<br>Employee Benefits Liability<br>Public Official Liability<br>Property, Real and Personal<br>Automobile Liability<br>Boiler and Machinery<br>Crime, Fidelity

Contributions to the Fund, including a reserve for contingencies, are payable in two installments, and are based on actuarial assumptions determined by the Fund's actuary. The Commissioner of Insurance may order additional assessments to supplement the Fund's claim, loss retention or administrative accounts to assure the payment of the Fund's obligations.

## Note 16: DEFERRED COMPENSATION

Employees of the Township of Middle may participate in a deferred compensation plan adopted under the provisions of Internal Revenue Code Section 457 (Deferred Compensation Plans With Respect to Service for State and Local Governments). The deferred compensation plan is available to all employees of the Township. Under the plan, employees may elect to defer a portion of their salaries and avoid paying taxes on the deferred portion until the withdrawal date. The deferred compensation amount is not available for withdrawal by employees until termination, retirement, death, or unforeseeable emergency.

Three unrelated financial institutions administer the deferred compensation plan. Under the terms of an IRC Section 457 deferred compensation plan, all deferred compensation and income attributable to the investment of the deferred compensation amounts held by the financial institutions until paid or made available to the employees or beneficiaries, are the property of the employees.

As part of its fiduciary role, the Township has an obligation of due care in selecting the third party administrators. In the opinion of the Township's legal counsel, the Township has acted in a prudent manner and is not liable for losses that may arise from the administration of the plan.

## Note 17: CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

From time to time, the Township is a defendant in legal proceedings relating to its operations as a municipality. In the best judgment of the Township's management, the outcome of any present legal proceedings will not have any adverse material effect on the accompanying financial statements.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

## Note 18: INTERFUND BALANCES

During the most current calendar year ended December 31, 2013, the following interfunds were included on the balance sheets of the various funds of the Township of Middle and are expected to be returned within one year:

Current Fund: Utility Operating Animal Control Fund

| $\substack{\text { Due } \\ \text { From }}$ |  | Due <br> To |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\$$ - <br> 6,752  | 76,341 |  |

Trust Fund:
Current Fund

$$
6,752
$$

Sewer Operating:
Current Fund


The amounts due to the various funds relate to year end activity from the tax office not transferred over to the appropriate fund as of year end and statutory excess in the Animal Control Fund due to Current Fund.

## Note 19: LEASE OBLIGATIONS

At December 31, 2013, the Township had operating lease agreements for approximately twelve copiers. The following is an analysis of operating leases.

Operating Leases - Future minimum rental payments under operating lease agreements are as follows:

| Year |  | Total | Copiers |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2014 | $\$$ | $6,339.48$ | $6,339.48$ |

Rental payments under the operating leases
for the year 2013 were $\$ \quad 20,292.60$

## Note 20: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Township has evaluated subsequent events through June 23, 2014, the date which the financial statements were available to be issued and identified no events requiring disclosure.

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor and<br>Members of Township Committee<br>Township of Middle, 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, the regulatory basis financial statements of the various funds and account group, of the Township of Middle, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Township's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 23, 2014 which was adverse due to being presented in accordance with the New Jersey regulatory basis of accounting.

## Internal Control over Financial Reporting

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

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

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

## Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Township'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 instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as Finding 2013-1.

## 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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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor and
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## Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Township of Middle's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of Township of Middle's major federal award programs for the year ended December 31, 2013. Township of Middle's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

## Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its federal programs.

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of Township of Middle's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments. Those standards, OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Township of Middle's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of Township of Middle's compliance.

## Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Township of Middle complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2013.

## Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the Township of Middle is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered Township of Middle's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Township of Middle's internal control over compliance.

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

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

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of OMB Circular A-133. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

## Report on Schedules of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by OMB Circular A-133

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets - regulatory basis of the various funds and account group of the Township of Middle, New Jersey, as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, the related statements of operations and changes in fund balance - regulatory basis for the years 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, 2013, and have issued our report thereon dated June 23, 2014, which contained an adverse opinion on those financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards are presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by OMB Circular A-133 and are not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements.

The information has been subjected to the 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. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditure of federal awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

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Federal Grantor／Pass－Through Grantor／
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

U．S．Department of Housing and Urban Dels Development Block Grants－Entitlement Grants Cluster： Urban Development Action Grant
Emergency Housing Rehabilitation Total CDBG Entitlement Grants Cluster 14.228
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Whitesboro Water Grant－Phase I－2002
Whitesboro Water Grant－Phase II－ 2004
Whitesbor Water Gant－Phase III－2011
Whitesboro School Grant－Phase II－ 2006
Whitesboro School Grant－Phase III－2008
ADA Improvements－Municipal BIdg \＆Davies Sports Total CDBG－State Administered CDBG Cluster

Total U．S．Department of Housing and Urban Development

| Federal |
| :---: |
| CFDA |
| Number |

        Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/
    Program Title
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
$\begin{array}{lr}\text { Urban Development Action Grant } & 14.218 \\ \text { Emergency Housing Rehabilitation } & 14.218 \\ \text { Total CDBG Entitlement Grants Cluster } & \\ \text { Community Development Block Grants - State Administered CDB }\end{array}$


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U.S. Department of Transportation
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$20-601$
$20-601$
20-205
16.607
16.710
16.815
16.580
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Total U.S. Department of Justice





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## EDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013

| Period |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| From | To |
|  |  |
| $10 / 1 / 2009$ | $9 / 30 / 2010$ |
| $10 / 1 / 2011$ | $9 / 30 / 2012$ |
| $10 / 1 / 2010$ | $9 / 30 / 2011$ |






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# Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ <br> U.S. Department of Human Services <br> , <br> Emergency Management Assistance Emergency Management Assistance Total U.S. Department of Human Services <br> $\frac{\text { Federal Emergency Management Assistance }}{\text { Disaster Grant-Public Assist-Hurricane Sandy Relief }}$ 

> U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Development Administration: Grant Portion - SSGC Supplement - (1364-10) Grant Portion - Whitesboro/Edgewood Sewer Extension - Phase I (1137-03) Grant Portion - Whitesboro/Edgewood Sewer Extension - Phase I - Suppl (1308-08) Grant Portion - SSGC - (1223-06a) Loan Portion - SSGC - (1223-06a) Grant Portion - Sewer Vac Truck (1427-12) Grant Portion - Grassy Sound (1417-12) Water Reuse Project (1223-06b)- Grant Portion Water Reuse Project (1223-06b)-Township Portion Total U.S. Department of Agriculture Total Federal Assistance

# NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS 

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013

## Note 1: General

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, presents the activity of all Federal financial assistance programs of the Township of Middle. The Township is defined in Note 1 to the Township's financial statements - regulatory basis.

## Note 2: Basis of Accounting

The accompanying schedule of financial assistance is presented using the modified accrual basis of accounting, in accordance with the "Requirements of Audit", as promulgated by the State of New Jersey, Department of Community Affairs, Division of Local Government Services. 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 Township accounts for its financial transactions through separate funds, which differ from the funds required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP).

## Note 3: Relationship to Financial Statements

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedule agree with amounts reported in the Township's financial statements -regulatory basis. The financial statements - regulatory basis present the Grant Fund on a budgetary basis. The Grant Fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the grant accounting budgetary basis, which recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not.

|  | Federal |  |  | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Grant Fund | $\$$ | $335,238.70$ |  | 3 |
| Trust Fund |  | $335,238.70$ |  |  |
| Sewer Capital Fund | $82,713.75$ |  | $82,713.75$ |  |
| Less: Encumbrances ADA |  |  | $391,344.50$ |  |

## Note 4: Relationship to Federal Financial Reports

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedule agree with the amounts reported in the related Federal financial reports.

## I. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

## Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued:

Internal control over financial reporting:

1) Material Weakness identified?
2) Significant deficiencies identified

Non-Compliance material to Financial
Statements - Regulatory Basis noted?

## Federal Awards

Internal control over major programs:

1) Material Weakness identified?
2) Significant deficiencies identified

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs:

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with OMB Circular Letter A-133?

Identification of major program(s):
10.760

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B Programs:

Auditee qualified as low-risk Auditee?

Adverse Opinion in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and Unmodified Opinion issued on the Financial Statements - Regulatory Basis of Accounting dated June 23, 2014.

## NO

NO

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YES
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NO
NONE REPORTED

Unmodified Opinion-Regulatory Basis issued on compliance for major programs, dated June 23, 2014.

NO

## U.S. Rural Development Administration Grant

\$300,000

NO

## TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2013
(CONTINUED)
II. FINDINGS RELATING TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - REGULATORY BASIS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERALLY ACCEPTED GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, our audit disclosed three findings relating to the financial statements - regulatory basis that are required to be reported. These findings are listed in the General Comments and Recommendations section. We have also issued a Management Letter dated June 23, 2014.

## Finding 2013-1:

The Township recorded and utilized a new trust fund reserve without obtaining an approved Dedication by Rider from the State.

## Criteria:

The Township did not ensure that a Dedication by Rider be submitted and approved by the State of New Jersey authorizing related trust fund reserve expenditures.

## Condition:

There was $\$ 11,984$ spent from the Smart Growth reserve without an approved dedication by rider.

## Effect:

Non-compliance with state requirements for utilizing a spending reserve.

## Recommendation:

That the Township obtain a Dedication by Rider from the State prior to incurring trust fund expenditures.
Management Response:
Management agrees with the finding and will address it in a Corrective Action Plan.

## III. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

## None

## STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

## Financial Statement

## Finding \#2012-2; \#2011-02

The Township overpaid three employees in 2012.
Current Year Status:
The condition no longer exists.

## Finding \#2012-03

The Township had overexpenditures of appropriations in the sewer utility fund and current fund appropriation reserves.
Current Year Status:
The condition no longer exists.

## STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

Federal Awards: None

## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CASH - TREASURER

|  | Ref. | Regular Fund |  | Grant Fund |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Balance December 31, 2012 | \$ |  | 7,277,425.08 |  | - |
| Increased by Receipts: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Taxes Receivable |  | 45,646,121.77 |  |  |  |
| Tax Title Liens |  | 70,379.81 |  |  |  |
| Revenue Accounts Receivable |  | 6,415,438.53 |  |  |  |
| Prepaid Taxes |  | 993,845.89 |  |  |  |
| Tax Overpayments |  | 1,047.38 |  |  |  |
| Prepaid Licenses and Fees |  | 35,524.00 |  |  |  |
| Due from State - Senior and Veterans |  | 221,666.39 |  |  |  |
| Due to Water Districts |  | 10,616.01 |  |  |  |
| Due from Dog Trust |  | 1,034.83 |  |  |  |
| Due to Sewer Utility Operating Fund |  | 76,340.95 |  |  |  |
| Due from Current Fund |  |  |  | 22,282.94 |  |
| Federal and State Grant Receivables |  |  |  | 428,824.27 |  |
| Federal and State Grants Unappropriated |  |  |  | 67,793.97 |  |
|  |  |  | 53,472,015.56 |  | 518,901.18 |
|  |  |  | 60,749,440.64 |  | 518,901.18 |
| Decreased by Disbursements: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Current Year Appropriation |  | 14,308,583.72 |  |  |  |
| Prior Year Appropriations |  | 357,818.76 |  |  |  |
| Accounts Payable |  | 92.00 |  |  |  |
| Payroll Deductions Payable |  | 4,286,846.98 |  |  |  |
| County Taxes |  | 6,931,186.46 |  |  |  |
| Due County - Added Taxes |  | 24,543.24 |  |  |  |
| Local District School Taxes |  | 25,848,879.40 |  |  |  |
| Special District Levy |  | 2,296,985.00 |  |  |  |
| Due to Water District |  | 13,519.33 |  |  |  |
| Reserves for Reassessment of Property |  | 13,333.30 |  |  |  |
| Refund of Prior Year Revenue |  | 13,019.20 |  |  |  |
| Due to Sewer Operating Fund |  | 57,196.38 |  |  |  |
| Due to Federal and State Grant Fund |  | 22,282.94 |  |  |  |
| Federal and State Disbursements |  |  |  | 345,623.73 |  |
|  |  |  | 54,174,286.71 |  | 345,623.73 |
| Balance December 31, 2013 | \$ |  | 6,575,153.93 |  | 173,277.45 |

## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CURRENT CASH - COLLECTOR

Balance December 31, 2012
Increased by Receipts:
Prepaid Taxes ..... \$ ..... 993,845.89
Taxes Receivable ..... 45,646,121.77
Revenue Accounts Receivable ..... 202,911.69
Tax Title and Other Liens ..... 70,379.81
Tax Overpayments ..... 1,047.38
Payments to Treasurer


## CURRENT FUND

SCHEDULE OF TAX TITLE AND OTHER LIENS
Balance December 31, 2012 ..... \$ ..... 316,033.23
Increased by:
Transfers from Taxes Receivable ..... \$ 168,890.01 Interest and Costs Accrued by Sale of January 9, 2013 ..... 11,582.81
180,472.82
496,506.05
Decreased by:
Collections ..... 70,379.81
Other ..... 82.92
CURRENT FUND
SCHEDULE OF REVENUE ACCOUNT

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\text { Dec. 31, } 2013 \\
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& \text { 202,911.69 } \\
& \begin{array}{l}
\text { Cash Receipts } \\
\text { Due from Animal Control Fund } \\
\text { Reserve for Municipal Assets } \\
\text { Reserve for Garden State Trust } \\
\text { Prepaid Licenses and Fees Applied }
\end{array} \\
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\text { Accrued } \\
\text { in } 2013
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& \begin{array}{r}
6,055.00 \\
46,379.00 \\
118,342.36
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256,984.14 \\
202,911.69
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150,900.00 \\
42,228.42
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769,407.88 \\
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18,517.24 \\
3,519,743.00 \\
47,481.00
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337,761.00
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71,971.20 \\
34,212.00
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62,424.00 \\
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& \text { 281,000.00 } \\
& \text { 682,345.52 } \\
& \text { 6,791,382.52 } \\
& \text { Due from Animal Control Fund } \\
& \text { Reserve for Municipal Assets } \\
& \text { Prepaid Licenses and Fees Applied } \\
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& \begin{array}{l}
\text { Licenses: } \\
\quad \text { Alcoholic Beverages } \\
\text { Other } \\
\text { Fees and Permits } \\
\text { Fines and Costs: } \\
\quad \text { Municipal Court } \\
\text { Interest and Costs on Taxes } \\
\text { Interest on Investments } \\
\text { Registrar of Vital Statistics - Fees } \\
\text { Trailer Tax } \\
\text { Hotel/Motel Tax } \\
\text { Ambulance Fees } \\
\text { Host Community Benefits } \\
\text { Energy Receipts Tax } \\
\text { Garden State Trust } \\
\text { Uniform Construction Code Fees } \\
\text { Police Officer - Cape May County Technical School } \\
\text { Middle Township Fire District \#2 - JIF Insurance } \\
\text { Borough of Woodbine - Municipal Court - Interlocal } \\
\text { Sewer Utility - Indirect Costs } \\
\text { Reserve for Municipal Assets } \\
\text { Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated } \\
\text { General Revenue }
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| CURRENT FUNDSCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATION RESERVES - PRIOR YEAR |  |  |  |
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|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { Dec. } 31,2012 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balance } \\ & \text { After } \\ & \text { Transfers } \end{aligned}$ | Paid or Charges |
| \$ | 2,311.45 | 2,311.45 | 2,255.56 |
|  | 558.57 | 558.57 | 401.10 |
|  | 366.22 | 366.22 | 350.00 |
|  | 9,289.46 | 9,289.46 | 5,948.97 |
|  | 9,000.38 | 9,000.38 | 7,660.97 |
|  | 386.87 | 386.87 | 92.64 |
|  | 3,760.63 | 3,760.63 | 1,100.00 |
|  | 126,293.94 | 96,293.94 | 31,141.45 |
|  | 9,948.70 | 9,948.70 | 9,355.00 |
|  | 15,471.12 | 15,471.12 | 7,008.00 |
|  | 291.02 | 291.02 | 212.48 |
|  | 15,051.55 | 15,051.55 | 4,419.05 |
|  | 5,169.33 | 5,169.33 | 1,213.20 |
|  | 2,336.54 | 2,336.54 | 2,291.50 |

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& \text { OPERATIONS WITHIN "CAPS" } \\
& \text { GENERAL GOVERNMENT: } \\
& \text { General Administration } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Human Resources - Personnel } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Mayor and Committee } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Township Clerk } \\
& \text { Other Expenses: } \\
& \text { Miscellaneous Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Financial Administration } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Collection of Taxes } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Assessment of Taxes } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Legal Services } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Engineering Services } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Grants Administration } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Public Affairs } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { LAND USE ADMINISTRATION } \\
& \text { Planning Board } \\
& \text { Smart Growth Expense } \\
& \text { Zoning Board of Adjustment } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Municipal Court } \\
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UTILITY EXPENSES AND BULK PURCHASES
Electricity
Telephone
Natural Gas
Gasoline
SANITARY LANDFILL DISPOSAL COSTS：
Sanitary Landfill－Contractual
Contribution to：
Defined Contribution Retirement Plan
Employee Group Health
All Other Accounts－No Change

## CURRENT FUND

 SCHEDULE OF LOCAL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAXBalance December 31, 2012
School Tax Payable
School Tax Deferred ..... \$ 3,598,848.15
9,676,265.00
\$ 13,275,113.15
Increased by:
Levy - School Year July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014
25,174,819.0038,449,932.15
Decreased by:Payments25,848,879.40
Balance December 31, 2013
School Tax Payable ..... 2,924,787.75School Tax Deferred9,676,265.00
12,601,052.75
Current Year Liability for Local School District School Tax:
Tax Paid ..... 25,848,879.40
Tax Payable Ending ..... 2,924,787.75
$28,773,667.15$
Less: Tax Payable Beginning ..... $3,598,848.15$
Amount charged to Current Year Operations ..... \$ 25,174,819.00
Exhibit A－11

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CURRENT FUND
SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS RECEIVABLE

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$130,000.00$
$300,000.00$
$4,191.59$

$4,802.45$
$10,000.00$

STATE GRANTS：
Transportation Trust Fund：

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\begin{array}{r}
24,985.23 \\
3,610.88 \\
32,540.05 \\
88,344.25 \\
95,750.00
\end{array}
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－384，230．00

| Balance |
| :---: |
| Dec．31， 2012 |

$7,684.00$
25.00
$202,375.00$
$24,626.00$
$60,330.00$

$29,190.00$
$60,000.00$

$4,802.45$
$10,000.00$
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Exhibit A-11




Purpose
Petsmart Charities Grant
2012
Clean Communities Grant
2013
Sustainable New Jersey
2013

Total State

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## SCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATED RESERVES FOR FERERAL AND STATE GRANTS



| Appropriated |
| ---: |
| $\$ \quad 9,924.00$ |
| $5,500.00$ |
| $192,675.00$ |
| $6,756.80$ |
| $11,471.72$ |
| $16,110.00$ |
|  |
|  |
| $5,000.00$ |
| $2,262.00$ |
| $5,000.00$ |
| 249.11 |
|  |
| 22.60 |
| 943.58 |
| $24,460.13$ |
| $3,496.59$ |
|  |
| $283,871.53$ |



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\begin{array}{r}
13,499.72 \\
9,993.74 \\
7,453.23 \\
41,236.25 \\
\\
23.19 \\
15.93 \\
37,749.57 \\
56,361.94 \\
46,046.95 \\
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12,537.53 \\
19,260.87 \\
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 3,744.50
$\Leftrightarrow$ Small Cities Grants:
2002 - Whitesboro Water - Phase I
2004 - Whitesboro Water - Phase II
2006 - Whitesboro Sewer Connection Fees
2006 - Whitesboro School - Phase II
2008 - Whitesboro School - Phase III
2011 - Whitesboro School - Phase III
ADA Improvements
ADA Improvements
Emergency Management Assistance 2010
Emergency Management Assistance 2011
Emergency Management Assistance 2012
Justice Advocacy Grant - City of Wildwod
Bullet Proof Vest Partnership 2012
ISTEA Bike Path - 2006 - Goshen-Shellbay
Aggressive Driving Grant 10/1/07-9/30/08
FEMA - Reeds Beach
Over the Limit, Under Arrest 2008
FEMA - Bennys Landing Road 2013
Safe and Secure Communities 2013

Total Federal


## Exhibit A-12



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\begin{aligned}
& \text { New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund } \\
& 2013 \text { - Second Street } \\
& 2013 \text { - Bike Path - Phase } 4 \\
& \text { Statewide Livable Communities Grant (MLK) } \\
& \text { Alcohol Education \& Rehabilitation } 2009 \\
& \text { Alcohol Education \& Rehabilitation } 2010 \\
& \text { Alcohol Education \& Rehabilitation } 2011 \\
& \text { Alcohol Education \& Rehabilitation } 2012 \\
& \text { Alcohol Education \& Rehabilitation } 2013 \\
& \text { Drive Sober } 2012 \\
& \text { Drive Sober } 2013 \\
& \text { Enhanced } 911 \text { Grant - } 2006 \\
& \text { ANJEC } 2012 \\
& \text { County Narcotics Task Force } 2004 \\
& \text { Police Body Armor Grant } 2008 \\
& \text { Police Body Armor Grant } 2009 \\
& \text { Police Body Armor Grant } 2010 \\
& \text { Police Body Armor Grant } 2011 \\
& \text { Police Body Armor Grant } 2012 \\
& \text { Sustainable New Jersey } 2012 \\
& \text { Sustainable New Jersey } 2013 \\
& \text { Stormwater Management } 2006 \\
& \text { Stormwater Management } 2008 \\
& \text { Public Access Grant } 2013 \\
& \text { US Dept of Justice - Body Armor - } 2007
\end{aligned}
$$ Total State


Exhibit A-13




SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL

[^2][^3] Purpose

## SCHEDULE OF ANIMAL CONTROL CASH - TREASURER

| Balance December 31, 2012 |  |  | \$ | 7,489.33 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased By Receipts: |  |  |  |  |
| Dog Licenses Fees | \$ | 5,936.00 |  |  |
| Other |  | 35.50 |  |  |
| State License Fees |  | 1,689.60 |  |  |
| Due to Current Fund |  | 5,128.21 |  |  |
| Interest Earned on Investments |  | 7.55 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12,796.86 |
|  |  |  |  | 20,286.19 |
| Decreased By Disbursements: |  |  |  |  |
| Due to Current Fund |  | 1,034.83 |  |  |
| Due to State of New Jersey |  | 1,674.60 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 2,709.43 |
| Balance December 31, 2013 |  |  | \$ | 17,576.76 |

## TRUST FUND

## SCHEDULE OF OTHER TRUST CASH - TREASURER

Balance December 31, 2012 - Treasurer ..... \$
Balance December 31, 2012 - Collector ..... 97,618.35
Increased By Receipts:
Escrow Deposits ..... \$ ..... 229,507.75
Unemployment ..... 60,413.53
Emergency Housing - State Aid ..... 58,460.00
Emergency Housing - Loan Payments ..... 1,450.00
Street Openings ..... 790.00
Smart Growth Plan ..... 50,500.00
Forfeited Funds ..... 4,576.46
Municipal Alliance Grant Receipts ..... 9,737.16
Dedicated Recreation Receipts ..... 134,526.73
Dedicated Recreation - Drum Fish Tournament ..... 4,090.00
Dedicated Recreation - National Night Out ..... 7,325.00
Dedicated Recreation - Harvest Fest ..... 24,478.69
Dedicated Recreation - Seniors ..... 2,281.00
Dedicated Recreation - Shade Tree ..... 450.00
UDAG - Loan Repayments and Interest Earned ..... 48,152.38
COAH Funds Received \& Interest Earned ..... 30,756.53
Tax Title Lien Premiums ..... 95,000.00
Tax Title Lien Redemptions ..... 793,392.98
Police Special Detail ..... 288,047.23
Subdivisions - Map Changes ..... 1,500.00
Parking Offenses ..... 30.00
Snow Removal ..... 25,000.00
State of New Jersey - Marriage Licenses/Burial Permits ..... 5,602.00
State Training Fees ..... 33,636.00
Accumulated Absences and Interest Earned ..... 70,015.473,368,915.56

1,979,718.91
5,446,252.82

TRUST FUND

## SCHEDULE OF OTHER TRUST CASH - TREASURER

Decreased By Disbursements:
Escrow Disbursements ..... 219,741.02
Emergency Housing ..... 82,713.75
Street Openings ..... 790.00
Smart Growth Plan ..... 11,984.19
Municipal Alliance Expenses ..... 14,636.36
Dedicated Recreation Expenditures ..... 134,251.87
Dedicated Recreation - Drum Fish Tournament ..... 8,011.00
Dedicated Recreation - National Night Out ..... 4,759.60
Dedicated Recreation - Harvest Fest ..... 21,373.82
Dedicated Recreation - Seniors ..... 4,515.11
Dedicated Recreation - Shade Tree ..... 1,380.00
Sewer Escrow Expenditures ..... 2,388.31
COAH Expenses ..... 28,680.13
Tax Title Lien Premiums ..... 109,900.00
Tax Title Lien Redemptions ..... 777,793.44
Police Forfeiture ..... 6,461.93
Donations - Bus Shelters ..... 8,932.31
State of New Jersey - Marriage Licenses/Burial Permits ..... 7,200.00
State of New Jersey - Construction Code ..... 39,655.00
Police Special Detail ..... 335,803.98
Accumulated Absences ..... 51,316.91
Unemployment ..... 25,875.56
Balance December 31, 2013\$3,548,088.53
Balance December 31, 2013 - Treasurer \$ ..... 3,449,770.64
Balance December 31, 2013 - Collector 98,317.89
\$ 3,548,088.53

## SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR ANIMAL CONTROL EXPENDITURES

Balance December 31, 201
Increased By:
Dog Licenses Fees Collected
Other
Interest Earned on Investments

Decreased By Disbursements:
Statutory Excess Due to Current Fund

Balance December 31, 2013

License Fees Collected
Year

| 2011 | $\$$ | $3,565.25$ |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2012 | $7,240.60$ |  |
|  |  | $10,805.85$ |


| Balance December 31, 2012 |  |  | \$ | 1,034.83 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased By: |  |  |  |  |
| Statutory Excess in Reserves for ExpendituresCash Receipts | \$ | 1,624.10 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 5,128.21 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 6,752.31 |
|  |  |  |  | 7,787.14 |
| Decreased By: |  |  |  |  |
| Cash Disbursements |  | 1,034.83 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 1,034.83 |
| Balance December 31, 2013 |  |  |  | 6,752.31 |

## SCHEDULE OF AMOUNT DUE TO STATE OF NEW JERSEY

| Balance December 31, 2012 |  |  | 3.60 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased By: |  |  |  |
| Collected in 2013 | \$ | 1,689.60 |  |
|  |  |  | 1,689.60 |
|  |  |  | 1,693.20 |
| Decreased By: |  |  |  |
| Paid to State of New Jersey |  | 1,674.60 |  |
|  |  |  | 1,674.60 |
| Balance December 31, 2013 |  |  | 18.60 |

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CASH - TREASURER

| Balance December 31, 2012 |  |  | \$ | 4,160,356.84 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased by: |  |  |  |  |
| Bond Anticipation Notes Issued | \$ | 4,984,993.00 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 4,984,993.00 |
|  |  |  |  | 9,145,349.84 |
| Decreased by: |  |  |  |  |
| Improvement Authorizations |  | 1,193,995.71 |  |  |
| Bond Anticipation Notes Paid |  | 4,053,250.00 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 5,247,245.71 |
| Balance December 31, 2013 |  |  |  | 3,898,104.13 |




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$7,834.50$

65.87
$71,745.30$

$153,440.67$
$7,671.17$
$8,186.68$
$45,000.00$



Fund Balance
Capital Improvement Fund
Contracts Payable
Reserve for Payment of Bonds and Notes
 1180－05 Various Improvements at
Fort Apache Recreation Area Various Capital Improvements
a）Recreational Improvements
b）Renovations \＆Improvements to $\begin{array}{ll} & \text { b）Renovations \＆Improvements to } \\ \text { Maintenance Building／Restrooms }\end{array}$

1340－10 Police Radio Communications Equipment $\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1340－10 } & \text { Police Radio Communications Equipment } \\ 1359-10 & \text { Road and Drainage Improvements } \\ 1360-10 & \text { Various Capital Improvements }\end{array}$ a）E Ticket Hardware \＆Software
c）Purchase Ballistic Helmets


b）Recreation HVAC and Floors
c）Public Works GPS Units
d）Fingerprint Scanners
e）Zoning and Clerk Scanners
1409－12 Various Capital Improvements



$\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1429－12 } & \text { Repair and Acquisition of HVAC Units } \\ \text { 1443－13 } & \text { Direct Install MLK HVAC }\end{array}$
Exhibit C - 3



$\left.\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1451-13 } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Various Capital Improvements } \\ \text { a) Bike Path Phase IV }\end{array} \\ \text { b) GIS Mapping }\end{array}\right\}$

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance December 31, 2012 ..... \$ ..... 2,184,146.44
Increased by:
Current Fund Budget Appropriation ..... \$
$\qquad$
Decreased by:Financed Improvement Authorization347,362.00

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

 SCHEDULE OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - FUNDEDBalance December 31, 2012 ..... \$ 4,947,331.36
Increased by:
Loans Issued ..... \$
$\qquad$
Decreased by:
2013 Budget Appropriation to Pay Bonds/Loans:Municipal Bonds880,000.00
Green Trust Loans ..... 76,790.44
New Jersey Environmental InfrastructureTrust Fund Loan20,004.57
Exhibit C-6

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

| Balance Dec. 31, 2012 | $2013$ <br> Authorizations | Raised in 2013 Budget | Debt Issued | Balance Dec. 31, 2013 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ 59,993.86 |  | 4,134.42 |  | 55,859.44 |
| 95,000.00 |  | 6,546.83 |  | 88,453.17 |
| 1,140,000.00 |  | 78,561.99 |  | 1,061,438.01 |
| 3,990,000.00 |  | 210,756.75 |  | 3,779,243.25 |
| \$ 5,284,993.86 | - | 300,000.00 | - | 4,984,993.86 |

$\begin{array}{cc}\text { Ord \# } & \text { Improvement Description } \\$\cline { 2 - 2 } $\left.1325-09 & \text { Various Capital Improvements } \\ & \text { a) Reconstruction of Romney Place } \\ & \text { b) Various Improvements to } \\ \text { Municipal Building }\end{array}\right\}$

Exhibit C-8


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GENERAL CAPITAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF GENERAL SERIAL BONDS

| Interest <br> Rate |
| :---: |

4.125\%
4.125\%
$4.125 \%$


| Purpose | Date of <br> Issue | Amount of <br> Original <br> Issue |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| General Improvement <br> Bonds of 2006 | $7 / 6 / 2006$ | $7,072,000$ |

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GENERAL CAPITAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF GREEN ACRES LOANS PAYABLE
1 \$6,695.42 Semi-annual payments to August 19, 2019 for Principal and Interest
$2 \$ 10,571.14$ Semi-annual payments to August 8, 2024 for Principal and Interest
$3 \$ 8,303.58$ Semi-annual payments to July 5, 2024 for Principal and Interest
$4 \$ 4,663.74$ Semi-annual payments to September 17, 2024 for Principal and Interest

$6 \$ 12,436.64$ Semi-annual payments to April 3, 2032 for Principal and Interest



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177,597
177,597
$\begin{array}{rr}2 / 1 / 2014 & 1,608.31 \\ 8 / 1 / 2014 & 8,057.67 \\ 2 / 1 / 2015 & 1,439.01 \\ 8 / 1 / 2015 & 7,888.38 \\ 2 / 1 / 2016 & 1,277.78 \\ 8 / 1 / 2016 & 7,727.14 \\ 2 / 1 / 2017 & 1,116.54 \\ 8 / 1 / 2017 & 7,565.91 \\ 2 / 1 / 2018 & 955.31 \\ 8 / 1 / 2018 & 7,404.67 \\ 2 / 1 / 2019 & 794.07 \\ 8 / 1 / 2019 & 7,243.44 \\ 2 / 1 / 2020 & 632.84 \\ 8 / 1 / 2020 & 7,082.21 \\ 2 / 1 / 2021 & 471.60 \\ 8 / 1 / 2021 & 10,145.65 \\ 2 / 1 / 2022 & 229.75 \\ 8 / 1 / 2022 & 9,903.99\end{array}$


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$\leftrightarrow$
Date

| Interest <br> Rate |
| :---: |

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12/7/2004
12/7/2004
Land Acquisition - Fort Apache
Recreation Area
Recreation Area


| Recreation Area |  |  |
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| Land Acquisition - Fort Apache <br> Recreation Area | $12 / 7 / 2004$ | 177,597 |

1107-02 and 1139-03
Land Acquisition-Fort Apache
Recreation Area
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| $\begin{array}{c}\text { Interest } \\ \text { Rate }\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Balance } \\ \text { Dec. 31, 2012 }\end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |
| $1.000 \%$ |  | $59,993.86$ |
| $1.000 \%$ |  | $95,000.00$ |
| $1.000 \%$ |  | $1,140,000.00$ |
| $1.000 \%$ |  | $3,058,256.14$ |
| $1.000 \%$ |  |  |


Cash Disbursed
Paid by Budget Appropriation
GENERAL CAPITAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

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|  | $M$ <br>  <br>  <br> 7 | M <br> N <br> N <br>  <br>  <br> 7 <br> 7 |  |


| Improvement Description | Ordinance <br> Number | Date of <br> Original <br> Issue |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Various Capital Improvements |  |  |
| a) Reconstruction of Romney Place | $1325-09$ | $11 / 17 / 2011$ |
| b) Various Improvements to |  | $11 / 117 / 2011$ |
| Municipal Building |  | $11 / 17 / 2011$ |
| c) Acquisition of Fire House | $1359-10$ | $11 / 17 / 2011$ |
| Road and Drainage Improvements |  | $11 / 15 / 2013$ |

Exhibit C - 10


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 SEWER UTILITY FUND
SCHEDULE OF CASH
Balance December 31, 2012
Decreased by Disbursements.
Current Appropriations
Accrued Interest on Bonds and Notes

Balance December 31, 2013
Exhibit D-6


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| SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND ANALYSIS OF CASH |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Receipts |  |  | Disbursements |  | Transfers |  |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { Dec. 31, } 2012 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Bonds/Loans } \\ \text { Issued } \end{gathered}$ | Notes Issued | Misc. | Improvement Authorizations | Misc. | From | To |
| $\begin{array}{ll} \$ & 114,856.65 \\ & 651,052.65 \\ & 248,155.02 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 651,052.65 | 264,562.74 |
| 87,393.68 |  |  |  |  |  | 0.20 | 0.20 |
| $\begin{gathered} 241,658.76 \\ (389,887.89) \end{gathered}$ | 100,000.00 |  | 131,977.00 | $\begin{array}{r} 700.00 \\ 82,633.14 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 11,500.77 \\ & 36,277.78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,500.77 \\ 118,910.92 \end{array}$ |
| 3,037.67 |  |  |  |  |  | 0.01 | 0.01 |
| 2,203.81 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (1,226,022.83) | 794,400.00 |  |  | 16,370.60 |  | 1,629.40 | 365,400.00 |
| er. $755,300.00$ |  |  | 77,800.00 | 110,644.50 |  | 225,554.58 | 240,640.75 |
| - - |  |  | 280,000.00 | 280,000.00 |  | 280,000.00 | 280,000.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 75,000.00 |  |
| \$ 487,747.52 | 894,400.00 | - | 489,777.00 | 490,348.24 |  | 1,281,015.39 | 1,281,015.39 |

1453-13 Various Sewer Improvements:
(b) GIS Mapping
Capital Fund Balance
Reserve to Pay Bonds and Notes
Improvement Authorizations
Ord.
$\frac{\text { Number }}{1137-03}$ Whitesboro/Edgewood

1267-07 (a) Shellbay, Shunpike,

1294-08 Satt Blvd. Sanitary Sewer
1308-08 Whitesboro/Edgewood Sewer
1364-10 Various Sewer Improvements:
Shellbay, Shunpike,
Crest Haven, Goshen
Sewer Project - Supplement
 1417-12 Grassy Sound Connection to Sewe 1427-12 Acquisition of Sewer Jet Vac Truck

## SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND SCHEDULE OF CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

| Balance December 31, 2012 |  |  | \$ | 739,530.03 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increased By: |  |  |  |  |
| Sewer Rents and Other Charges Levied | \$ | 3,253,824.48 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 3,253,824.48 |
|  |  |  |  | 3,993,354.51 |
| Decreased By: |  |  |  |  |
| Collections - Sewer Fund |  | 3,643,758.01 |  |  |
| Collections - Current Fund |  | 76,340.95 |  |  |
| Overpayments Applied |  | 9,629.76 |  |  |
| Transfer to Lien |  | 1,408.72 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 3,731,137.44 |
| Balance December 31, 2013 |  |  |  | 262,217.07 |

Exhibit D-8

## SCHEDULE OF UTILITY LIENS

Balance December 31, 2012
Increased By:
$\quad$ Transfer from Sewer Accounts Receivable
\$
$\qquad$
1,408.72
1,408.72

Decreased By:
None

Balance December 31, 2013
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
$1,408.72$
 SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND
SCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATION RESERVES - 2012

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |



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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Operating: } \\
& \text { Salaries and Wages } \\
& \text { Other Expenses } \\
& \text { Insurance } \\
& \text { CMCMUA User Charges } \\
& \text { Capital Outlay } \\
& \text { Social Security System } \\
& \text { TOTALS } \\
& \\
& \text { Appropriation Reserves } \\
& \text { Reserve for Encumbrances }
\end{aligned}
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Exhibit D-10


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SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

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| $\begin{array}{c}\text { Ord. } \\ \text { Number }\end{array}$ | Improvement Description |
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| $1417-12$ | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Sewer Utility Grassy Sound } \\ \text { Connection to Sewer System }\end{array}$ |

## SEWER OPERATING FUND SCHEDULE OF ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES AND ANALYSIS OF BALANCE

Budget Appropriation:
Interest on Bonds \$ 771,007.78

| $771,007.78$ |
| ---: |
| $1,047,565.96$ |

Decreased By:
Payments of Interest
817,078.60

|  |  |
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|  | $817,078.60$ |

Analysis of Accrued Interest December 31, 2013

| Principal Outstanding Dec. 31,2013 | Interest Rate | From | To | Days |  | Amount |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Serial Bonds |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$ 3,610,000.00 | Variable | 12/15/13 | 12/31/13 | 16 | \$ | 6,252.33 |
| 10,125,000.00 | Variable | 08/16/13 | 12/31/13 | 137 |  | 136,124.75 |
| Rural Development Bonds |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2,939,886.81 | 4.00\% | 07/13/13 | 12/31/13 | 172 |  | 55,376.91 |
| 1,112,491.91 | 4.00\% | 07/13/13 | 12/31/13 | 172 |  | 20,969.71 |
| 1,757,554.65 | 2.25\% | 12/15/13 | 12/31/13 | 15 |  | 1,625.14 |
| 3,580,266.12 | 3.75\% | 12/15/13 | 12/31/13 | 15 |  | 5,517.53 |
| 99,417.00 | 3.500\% | 10/25/13 | 12/31/13 | 67 |  | 638.72 |
| 788,886.00 | 2.75\% | 10/25/13 | 12/31/13 | 67 |  | 3,982.25 |
| 24,013,502.49 |  |  |  |  | \$ | 230,487.36 |






|  | 2013 Authorizations |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Deferred <br> Charges to <br> Future <br> Balance December 31, 2012 <br> Funded <br> Unfunded |
| Funding <br> Revenue |  |  |




| Amount |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\$ 4,355,000$ |

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\begin{array}{r}
4,246,000 \\
400,000 \\
1,074,255 \\
\\
2,740,000
\end{array}
$$

$1,456,400$
$1,705,150$
165,000

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| Number | Improvement Description | 1137-03 Whitesboro/Edgewood 1223-06/ Various Sewer Improvements 1267-07 (a) Shellbay, Shunpike,

Crest Haven, Goshen

 1308-08 Whitesboro/Edgewood Sewer

1364-10 Various Sewer Improvements Shellbay, Shunpike,
Crest Haven, Goshen

Crest Haven, Goshen
1417-12 Grassy Sound Connection
to Sewer System
1453-13 Various Sewer Improvements
(a) Bennet Rd. Pkwy Sewer
(b) GIS Mapping

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| Improvement Description | Date of Issue | Amount of Original Issue |  | Maturities of Bonds Outstanding Dec. 31, 2013 |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Interest } \\ \text { Rate } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { Dec. 31, } 2012 \end{gathered}$ | Increased | Decreased | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { Dec. 31, } 2013 \end{gathered}$ |
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|  |  |  |  | Date |  | Amount |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Refunding Issue of 2009 | 12/15/2009 | \$ | 4,365,000 | 12/15/2014 | \$ | 155,000.00 | Variable | \$ | 3,765,000.00 |  | 155,000.00 | 3,610,000.00 |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2015 |  | 160,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2016 |  | 165,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2017-18 |  | 170,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2019-20 |  | 185,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2021 |  | 190,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2022 |  | 200,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2023 |  | 210,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2024 |  | 215,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2025-26 |  | 230,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2027 |  | 245,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2028 |  | 260,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2029 |  | 265,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2030 |  | 185,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 12/15/2031 |  | 190,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Refunding Bonds of 2013 | 4/30/2013 |  | 10,350,000 | 8/15/2014 |  | 280,000.00 | 2.000\% |  | - | 10,350,000.00 | 225,000.00 | 10,125,000.00 |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2015 |  | 285,000.00 | 3.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2016 |  | 290,000.00 | 3.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2017 |  | 305,000.00 | 3.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2018 |  | 315,000.00 | 4.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2019 |  | 320,000.00 | 4.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2020 |  | 335,000.00 | 4.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2021-22 |  | 360,000.00 | 4.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2023-24 |  | 390,000.00 | 4.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2025 |  | 410,000.00 | 4.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2026-27 |  | 435,000.00 | 3.000\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2028 |  | 455,000.00 | 3.125\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2029 |  | 465,000.00 | 3.250\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2030 |  | 480,000.00 | 3.375\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2031 |  | 495,000.00 | 3.375\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2032 |  | 515,000.00 | 3.375\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2033 |  | 530,000.00 | 3.625\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2034 |  | 420,000.00 | 3.625\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2035 |  | 365,000.00 | 3.625\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2036 |  | 250,000.00 | 3.625\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2037 |  | 205,000.00 | 3.875\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2038-39 |  | 215,000.00 | 3.875\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2040 |  | 225,000.00 | 3.875\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2041 |  | 235,000.00 | 3.875\% |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 8/15/2042 |  | 145,000.00 | 3.875\% |  |  |  |  |  |

SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND SCHEDULE OF SERIAL BONDS
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| Improvement Description | Date of Issue |  | Amount of Original Issue | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Maturit } \\ \text { Ou } \\ \text { Dec } \\ \text { Date } \end{array}$ | of Bonds nding 2013 Amount | Interest Rate |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { Dec. 31, } 2012 \end{gathered}$ | Increased | Decreased |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 750-90 Rio Grande West Sewerline | 7/16/1993 | \$ | 2,385,000 | 1 | 1 | 5.00\% | \$ | 1,801,729.13 |  | 24,772.94 |
| 826-92 Court House South Sewerline | 7/14/1994 |  | 1,604,700 | 2 | 2 | 4.50\% |  | 1,216,951.43 |  | 16,482.65 |
| 887-94 Court House North Sewerline | 12/1/1995 |  | 1,375,000 | 3 | 3 | 4.50\% |  | 1,059,136.25 |  |  |
| 854-83 Court House Central Sewerline | 2/1/1996 |  | 2,374,000 | 4 | 4 | 4.50\% |  | 1,851,320.32 |  | 22,610.97 |
| 1025-98 Courthouse North Sewerline | 7/27/2002 |  | 2,080,000 | 5 | 5 | 4.50\% |  | 1,813,671.05 |  | 15,509.25 |
| 1085-01 Green Creek Sewerline | 2/24/2006 |  | 2,408,000 | 6 | 6 | 4.50\% |  | 2,243,836.82 |  | 14,696.47 |
| 1173-04 Green Creek Sewerline Supplement | 2/24/2006 |  | 450,000 | 7 | 7 | 4.50\% |  | 419,315.48 |  | 2,746.99 |
| 1137-03 Whitesboro Phase I Sewerline | 7/15/2010 |  | 3,039,000 | 8 | 8 | 4.00\% |  | 2,974,241.30 |  | 34,354.49 |
| 1156-04 Whitesboro Phase II Sewerline | 7/15/2010 |  | 1,150,000 | 9 | 9 | 4.00\% |  | 1,125,492.92 |  | 13,001.01 |
| 1308-08 Whitesboro Phase I Sewerline Supplement | 12/15/2011 |  | 1,815,000 | 10 | 10 | 2.25\% |  | 1,786,598.64 |  | 29,043.99 |
| 1223-06(a) Shellbay, Shunpike, Crest Haven, Goshen Sewerline | 12/15/2011 |  | 3,663,000 | 11 | 11 | 3.75\% |  | 3,622,401.42 |  | 42,135.30 |
| 1223-06 (b) Water Reuse | 4/24/2013 |  | 100,000 | 12 | 12 | 3.50\% |  | - | 100,000.00 | 583.00 |
| 1364-10 SSGC Phase II | 4/24/2013 |  | 794,400 | 13 | 13 | 2.75\% |  | - | 794,400.00 | 5,514.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | 19,914,694.76 | 894,400.00 | 221,451.06 |
| 8 \$76,492 Semi-annual payments to July 13, 2050 for Principal and Interest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9 \$28,946 Semi-annual payments to December 27, 2051 for Principal and Interest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 \$34,540 Semi-annual payments to December 27, 2051 for Principal and Interest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 \$88,792 Semi-annual paym | nts to Decem | 11 \$88,792 Semi-annual payments to December 27, 2051 for Principal and Interest |  | cipal and | nerest |  |  |  |  |  |

## Exhibit D-15

Bond, Grants Issued
$100,000.00$
$794,400.00$


| 2013 |
| :---: |
| Authorizations |


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1453-13 Various Sewer Improvements


SChedule of bonds and notes authorized but not issued


Balance December 31, 2012
Increased By Receipts:
Other Receipts
Decreased By Disbursements:
None


## PUBLIC ASSISTANCE FUND <br> SCHEDULE OF REVENUES

|  | Trust Fund I |  | Trust Fund II |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Township Contribution | \$ | 500.00 | - |
| Interest |  | 10.44 |  |
| Total Revenues (PATF) |  | 510.44 | - |
|  |  | 510.44 | - |

## SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES

|  |  | Trust <br> Fund I | Trust Fund II |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| None |  | - | - |
| Total Disbursements (PATF) | \$ | - | - |

## TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLE

## PART II

## GENERAL COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 2013

## GENERAL COMMENTS

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

N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 states, "Every contract awarded by the contracting agent for the provision or performance of any goods or services, the cost of which in the aggregate exceeds the bid threshold, shall be awarded only by resolution of the governing body of the contracting unit to the lowest responsible bidder after public advertising for bids and bidding therefore, except as is provided otherwise in this act or specifically by any other law." The Township's bid threshold was $\$ 36,000$.

The governing body of the Township of Middle has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed the bid threshold within the fiscal year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in a violation of the statute, the Township Committee's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

Our examination of expenditures did not reveal any payments in excess of the bid threshold for the provision or performance of any goods or services, other than those where bids had been previously sought by public advertisement, awarded under state or county cooperative purchasing agreements, or awarded in compliance with other provisions of the "Local Public Contracts Law," N.J.S.A. 40A:11.

The minutes indicate that bids were sought by public advertising for the following items:

Snow \& Debris Removal<br>Roadway Paving<br>Burglar/Fire Alarm Admin Services<br>Improvements to Public Facilities

Disposal of Class B Recycling Materials Roadway Improvements Irrigation Parts and Equipment<br>Home Rehabilitation Projects

## Collection of Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Assessments

The statutes provide 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 adopted the following resolution authorizing interest to be charged on delinquent taxes:
BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Middle, in accordance with Chapter 75, New Jersey Laws of 1991, and N.J.S.A. 54:4-67, 54:5-32, 54:5-34 and 54:5-35, which authorizes the Governing Body inter alia to fix the rate of interest to be charged, in the Township of Middle, for the nonpayment of taxes, assessments and municipal charges, said rate of interest shall be and is hereby fixed at 8 per cent per annum on the first $\$ 1,500$ of delinquency and 18 per cent per annum on any amount in excess of $\$ 1,500$ to be calculated from the date when the taxes, assessments and charges become delinquent.

This Resolution shall take effect January 3, 2013.
It appears from an examination of the Collector's records that interest was charged in accordance with the foregoing resolution.

## Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens

The tax sale was held on January 9, 2013.
Inspection of tax sale certificates on file revealed that all tax sale certificates were available for audit.
The following comparison is made of the number of tax title liens receivable on December $31^{\text {st }}$ of the last three years.

| Year | Number |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2013 |  |
| 2012 |  |
| 2011 |  |

It is essential to good management that all means provided by the statutes be utilized to liquidate tax title liens in order to get such properties back on a tax-paying basis.

## Verification of Delinquent Taxes and Other Charges

A test verification of delinquent taxes and charges, as well as current payments, was made in accordance with the regulations of the Division of Local Government Services, including the mailing of verification notices as follows:

| Type | Number <br> Mailed |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Payments of 2013 and 2014 Taxes |  | 25 |
| Delinquent Taxes |  | 25 |
| Tax Title Liens |  | 25 |
| Payment of Sewer Rents | 25 |  |
| Delinquent Sewer Rents |  | 101 |

## Comparison of Tax Levies and Collections 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.

| Year | Currently |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Tax Levy | Cash Collections | Percentage of Collections |
| 2013 | \$ | 46,866,913 | 45,744,818 | 97.61\% |
| 2012 |  | 44,993,968 | 43,923,527 | 97.62\% |
| 2011 |  | 45,560,974 | 44,337,352 | 97.31\% |
| 2010 |  | 44,863,840 | 43,503,519 | 96.97\% |
| 2009 |  | 42,805,830 | 41,968,671 | 98.04\% |

## Comparative Schedule of Tax Rate Information

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tax Rate | $\$$ | $\underline{2013}$ | 1.650 | $\underline{2012}$ | 1.410 | $\underline{2011}$ |
| Apportionment of Tax |  |  |  |  | $\underline{2010}$ | $\underline{2009}$ |
| Rate: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\quad$ Municipal | 0.454 | 0.391 | 0.390 | 0.363 | 0.333 |  |
| County | 0.259 | 0.216 | 0.208 | 0.209 | 0.200 |  |
| $\quad$ Local School | 0.937 | 0.803 | 0.767 | 0.734 | 0.705 |  |
| Assessed Valuation | $2,688,271,256$ | $3,018,201,048$ | $3,159,783,058$ | $3,252,571,288$ | $3,264,079,105$ |  |

## Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens

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

| Year |  | Title ns | Delinquent Taxes | Total Delinquent | Of Tax Levy |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2013 | \$ | 426,043 | 1,004,218 | 1,430,261 | 3.05\% |
| 2012 |  | 316,033 | 772,158 | 1,088,191 | 2.42\% |
| 2011 |  | 257,362 | 860,896 | 1,118,257 | 2.45\% |
| 2010 |  | 180,001 | 948,307 | 1,128,308 | 2.51\% |
| 2009 |  | 85,743 | 691,548 | 777,291 | 1.82\% |

## Deposit of Municipal Funds

N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15 states:
"All moneys, including moneys collected by taxation, received from any source by or on behalf of any local unit or any board or department thereof shall, within 48 hours after the receipt thereof, either
a. be paid to the officer charged with the custody of the general funds of the local unit, who shall deposit all such funds within 48 hours after the receipt thereof to the credit of the local unit in its designated legal depository, or
b. be deposited to the credit of the local unit in its designated legal depository."

Our examination revealed that municipal funds were deposited within the mandated time.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That expenditures related to year end be sufficiently reviewed for the proper budget year to be charged.
2. That all professional appointments be supported by signed contracts.
3. *That year end open purchase order balances be thoroughly reviewed for their validity.
4. That duplicate payments to State agencies be avoided.
5. That the Township obtain a Dedication by Rider from the State prior to incurring trust fund expenditures.

* Indicates a similar recommendation made in the prior year.

In accordance with Audits of States, Local Governments and Non-Profit Organizations, and Division of Local Government Services Regulations, a Corrective Action Plan must be prepared and filed by the Township in response to my recommendations.

Should any questions arise as to my comments or recommendations, or should you desire assistance in implementing my recommendations, please do not hesitate to call me.

> Ford, \&cott \& Associates, L.L.C.
> FORD, SCOTT \& ASSOCIATES, L.L.C. CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

## Glen 9. Oriman

Glen J. Ortman
Certified Public Accountant
Registered Municipal Accountant
No. 427
June 23, 2014


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[^1]:    eferred Charges:
    Unpaid Prior Year Bills Unpaid Prior Year Bills
    Bear Software - Police OE - 2011

[^2]:    FEDERAL GRANTS:
    Emergency Management Grant - 2013
    mergency Management Grant - 2013
    Total Federal

[^3]:    STATE GRANTS:
    Municipal Court Alcohol Grant
    2013
    Police Body Armor Grant
    2013
    Labor Day
    Labor Day Crackdown - Sober - 2013
    Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund
    Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund
    2013
    Recycling Tonnage Grant
    Total State
    LOCAL GRANTS:
    Pet Smart

