Carroll County, Arkansas

Regulatory Basis Financial Statements and Other Reports

December 31, 2021



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Carroll County, Arkansas Officials and Quorum Court Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the regulatory basis financial statements of Carroll County, Arkansas (County), which are comprised of the Balance Sheet – Regulatory Basis for the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate as of December 31, 2021, and the related Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Balances and Budget and Actual – General and Road Funds – Regulatory Basis for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Unmodified Opinions on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the regulatory basis financial position of the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Carroll County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2021; the regulatory basis revenues, expenditures, and changes in net position; and the budgetary comparisons for the general fund and road fund for the year then ended, in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-412 described in Note 1.

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 section of our report, the accompanying regulatory basis 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 the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Carroll County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2021, or the revenues, expenditures, and changes in net position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended.

Basis for Opinions

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

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 County on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-412, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, to meet the requirements permitted by the State of Arkansas.

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 and pervasive.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-412, as described in Note 1, to meet the requirements permitted by the State of Arkansas; this includes determining that the regulatory basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. 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.

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Basis Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we:

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

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

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the regulatory basis financial statements. The accompanying supplementary information listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is 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 regulatory basis financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the regulatory basis financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements or to the regulatory basis financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the accompanying supplementary information listed in the table of contents is fairly stated in all material respects, in relation to the regulatory basis financial statements as a whole on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the report. The other information is comprised of the schedules listed in the table of contents but does not include the regulatory basis financial statements, supplemental information, and our auditor's reports thereon. Our opinions on the regulatory basis financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the regulatory basis financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 7, 2022, on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of the testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. The report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the County's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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

Independent Auditor's Report

Carroll County, Arkansas Officials and Quorum Court Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

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 general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Carroll County, Arkansas (County), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's regulatory basis financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated September 7, 2022. We issued an adverse opinion because the financial statements are prepared by the County on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-412, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. 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. However, with respect to the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1, our opinions on the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate were unmodified.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the County's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control.

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

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

We also reported to management of the County in a separate letter dated September 7, 2022.

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to described 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. However, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-417, all reports presented to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee are matters of public record, and distribution is not limited.

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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Little Rock, Arkansas September 7, 2022



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MANAGEMENT LETTER

Carroll County, Arkansas Officials and Quorum Court Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

The commentary contained in this letter relates to the following officials who held office during 2021:

County Judge: Sam Barr Treasurer: Makita Williams

Sheriff: Jim Ross

Tax Collector: Kay Phillips-Brown (Deceased December 20, 2021); Vacant through December 31, 2021

County Clerk: Connie Doss Circuit Clerk: Marilyn Ferrier Assessor: Jeannie Davidson

County Librarian: Julie Hall and Tiffany Newton

District Court Clerk: Rexanna Lilly Airport Manager: Michael Pfeifer

We would like to communicate the following items that came to our attention during this audit. The purpose of such comments are to provide constructive feedback and guidance, in an effort to assist management in maintaining a satisfactory level of compliance with the state constitution, laws and regulations, and to improve internal control. These matters were discussed previously with County officials during the course of our audit fieldwork and at the exit conference.

County Clerk

On December 22, 2021, the County discovered that an employee's payroll direct deposit had been fraudulently diverted to another bank account, after the employee contacted the County about not receiving payment. It was determined that, on December 17, 2021, the County made a direct deposit change request after receiving an email from what appeared to be the employee's email account. This transaction resulted in a \$1,278 loss to the County.

Circuit Clerk

Bank reconciliations were not prepared for the Western District Fine, Eastern District Regular, Fee, and Trust bank accounts, as required by Ark. Code Ann. § 14-25-107.

This letter is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee, the Quorum Court and County management, and other parties as required by Arkansas Code and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-417, all reports presented to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee are matters of public record, and distribution is not limited.

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CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2021

		General		Road		Other Funds in the Aggregate
ASSETS	Φ.	0.000.000	•	0.450.007	Φ.	44.054.045
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable	\$	3,928,630	\$	2,152,007	\$	11,051,945
Interfund receivables		334,274		72,193		173,177 109,274
Interfully receivables						109,274
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	4,262,904	\$	2,224,200	\$	11,334,396
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$	105,401	\$	78,093	\$	105,382
Interfund payables		109,274				
Settlements pending		503,543				1,691,430
Total Liabilities		718,218		78,093		1,796,812
Fund Balances:						
Restricted		15,548		2,146,107		9,188,132
Committed		1,063,853				87,117
Assigned						262,335
Unassigned		2,465,285				
Total Fund Balances		3,544,686		2,146,107		9,537,584
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	4,262,904	\$	2,224,200	\$	11,334,396

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

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - REGULATORY BASIS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
REVENUES		ф 4 000 F44	ф 400.000
State aid Federal aid	\$ 842,060	\$ 1,993,544	\$ 420,200
	51,110	30,718	3,028,860
Property taxes	2,456,565	1,133,431	929,772
Sales taxes	440 505		2,604,534
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	419,535	40.400	64,340
Interest	17,885	12,422	36,008
Officers' fees	365,620		164,570
Jail fees			223,789
911 fees			470,709
Fuel sales			73,893
Commissary profits and phones			80,491
Treasurer's commission	194,551		28,712
Collector's commission	346,471		99,920
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	459,788		
Other	276,335	10,152	210,392
TOTAL REVENUES	5,429,920	3,180,267	8,436,190
Less: Treasurer's commission	56,193	47,758	66,874
NET REVENUES	5,373,727	3,132,509	8,369,316
EXPENDITURES			
Current:			
General government	2,319,443		583,318
Law enforcement	2,774,004		1,888,031
Highways and streets		2,936,741	143,269
Public safety	67,779		607,704
Health	35,156		220,026
Recreation and culture			1,070,895
Social services	117,474		,,
Airport	6,275		449,264
Total Current	5,320,131	2,936,741	4,962,507
Debt Service:			
Lease principal		264,816	2,853
Lease interest		23,016	1,627
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	5,320,131	3,224,573	4,966,987

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

			0	ther Funds in the
	 General	 Road		Aggregate
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$ 53,596	\$ (92,064)	\$	3,402,329
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out	88,431 (581,019)	(15,753)		2,316,043 (1,807,702)
Contribution to Carroll County Solid Waste Authority	 (19,250)			
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	 (511,838)	 (15,753)		508,341
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(458,242)	(107,817)		3,910,670
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	 4,002,928	 2,253,924		5,626,914
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 3,544,686	\$ 2,146,107	\$	9,537,584

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

Exhibit C

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND ROAD FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

		General				
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES						,
State aid	\$ 777,000	\$ 842,060	\$ 65,060	\$ 1,724,500	\$ 1,993,544	\$ 269,044
Federal aid	16,500	51,110	34,610	275,000	30,718	(244,282)
Property taxes	2,093,000	2,456,565	363,565	995,500	1,133,431	137,931
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	291,500	419,535	128,035			
Interest	12,500	17,885	5,385	8,900	12,422	3,522
Officers' fees	285,000	365,620	80,620			
Treasurer's commission	220,000	194,551	(25,449)			
Collector's commission	395,000	,	(48,529)			
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	440,000	459,788	19,788			
Other	227,413	276,335	48,922	35,000	10,152	(24,848)
TOTAL REVENUES	4,757,913	5,429,920	672,007	3,038,900	3,180,267	141,367
Less: Treasurer's commission		56,193	(56,193)		47,758	(47,758)
NET REVENUES	4,757,913	5,373,727	615,814	3,038,900	3,132,509	93,609
EXPENDITURES						
Current:						
General government	2,536,947	2,319,443	217,504			
Law enforcement	2,921,771	2,774,004	147,767			
Highways and streets				3,526,023	2,936,741	589,282
Public safety	177,943	67,779	110,164			
Health	45,715	35,156	10,559			
Social services	97,747		(19,727)			
Airport	6,500	6,275	225			
Total Current	5,786,623	5,320,131	466,492	3,526,023	2,936,741	589,282
Debt Service:						
Lease principal					264,816	(264,816)
Lease interest		_			23,016	(23,016)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	5,786,623	5,320,131	466,492	3,526,023	3,224,573	301,450

Exhibit C

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND ROAD FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	General				Road						
		Budget		Actual	Variance Favorable Infavorable)		Budget		Actual	F	Variance avorable nfavorable)
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$	(1,028,710)	\$	53,596	\$ 1,082,306	\$	(487,123)	\$	(92,064)	\$	395,059
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Contribution to Carroll County Solid Waste Authority		52,710 (529,426)		88,431 (581,019) (19,250)	35,721 (51,593) (19,250)				(15,753)		(15,753)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(476,716)		(511,838)	 (35,122)				(15,753)		(15,753)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		(1,505,426)		(458,242)	1,047,184		(487,123)		(107,817)		379,306
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	_	1,500,000		4,002,928	 2,502,928		950,000		2,253,924		1,303,924
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$	(5,426)	\$	3,544,686	\$ 3,550,112	\$	462,877	\$	2,146,107	\$	1,683,230

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

NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

A. Financial Reporting Entity

The County is a political subdivision of the state governed by an elected quorum court. The reporting entity includes all the funds of the County.

B. Basis of Presentation - Regulatory

The financial statements are presented in accordance with the regulatory basis of presentation as prescribed or permitted by Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-412. The law requires that the financial statements be presented on a fund basis with, as a minimum, the general fund and road fund presented separately with all other funds included in the financial statements presented in the aggregate. This law also stipulates that the financial statements consist of a balance sheet; a statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances; a comparison of the final adopted budget to actual expenditures for the general and road funds; notes to financial statements; and a supplemental schedule of capital assets.

The regulatory basis of presentation is not in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). GAAP require that basic financial statements present government-wide and fund financial statements. Additionally, GAAP require the following major concepts: Management's Discussion and Analysis, separate financial statements for fiduciary fund types and other requirements for fiduciary fund types, specific procedures for the identification of major governmental funds, and applicable note disclosures. The regulatory basis of presentation does not require government-wide financial statements or the previously identified concepts.

A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts recording cash and other financial resources, together with related liabilities and residual balances, and changes therein, which are segregated for purposes of carrying on specific activities or attaining certain objectives in accordance with special regulations, restrictions, or limitations.

The following types of funds are recognized in the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements.

<u>General Fund</u> - The General Fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

<u>Road Fund</u> - The Road Fund (Special Revenue Fund) is used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The Road Fund accounts for and reports proceeds of state highway turnback, property taxes, and federal aid that are restricted for maintaining and constructing roads.

<u>Other Funds in the Aggregate</u> - Other Funds in the Aggregate consist of all funds included in the financial statements except for the General and Road Funds. The following types of funds are included in this column as follows:

<u>Special Revenue Funds</u> - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects. See Schedules 1 and 2 for Special Revenue Funds as reported with other funds in the aggregate.

<u>Capital Projects Funds</u> - Capital Projects Funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlay, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. See Schedules 1 and 2 for Capital Projects Funds as reported with other funds in the aggregate.

<u>Custodial Funds</u> - Custodial Funds are used to report resources held by the reporting government in a purely custodial capacity (assets equal liabilities). See Schedule 1 for Custodial Funds as reported with other funds in the aggregate.

NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

C. Basis of Accounting - Regulatory

The financial statements are prepared on the regulatory basis of accounting as prescribed or permitted by Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-412. This regulatory basis differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Revenues generally are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available except for Treasurer's and Collector's commission and Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense which are recognized when earned. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current period. However, most state aid received from the State Treasury, as well as county sales taxes, is by state law revenue of the year in which it was received by the government. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred. Liabilities incurred by the government on or before the end of the current period that are paid within 60 days of the end of the current period, are considered to be expenditures of the current period. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. As a result of the use of this regulatory basis of accounting, capital assets and long-term debt are not recorded in these financial statements. Pension trust funds are reported in a separate column as part of supplementary information in order to provide users of the financial statements a better understanding of the entity as a whole.

The regulatory basis of accounting is not in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). GAAP require the following major concepts: Accrual basis of accounting for government-wide financial statements, including depreciation expense, modified accrual basis of accounting for fund financial statements, separate identification of special and extraordinary items, inclusion of capital assets and debt in the financial statements, inclusion of the net pension liability in the financial statements, and applicable note disclosures. The regulatory basis of accounting does not require the previously identified concepts.

D. Assets, Liabilities, and Fund Balances

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of financial reporting, "cash and cash equivalents" includes all demand and savings accounts and certificates of deposit.

Settlements Pending

Settlements pending are considered fines, forfeitures, costs, officers' fees, excess commissions, and property taxes that have not been transferred to the appropriate entities.

Fund Balance Classifications

- Restricted fund balance amounts that are restricted when constraints placed on the use of resources
 are either (a) externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors,
 or laws or regulations of other governments; or (b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or
 enabling legislation.
- Committed fund balance amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Quorum Court.
- Assigned fund balance amounts that are constrained by the Quorum Court's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.
- 4. Unassigned fund balance amounts that have not been assigned to other funds and that have not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund. This classification may also include negative amounts in other governmental funds, if expenditures incurred for specific purposes exceeded the amounts restricted, committed, or assigned to those purposes.

NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

E. Property Taxes

A lien attaches to the real property in January and on personal property in June of each year. Property taxes are collectible beginning the first business day of March of the subsequent year, but are not considered delinquent until after October 15.

F. Budget Law

1. Legal Requirements

State law requires that the Quorum Court, before the end of each fiscal year, make appropriations, by ordinance, for the expenditures of County government for the following year. The Quorum Court may make appropriation amendments at any time during the current fiscal year. Appropriations lapse at the end of each year. Under certain conditions, the budget may be amended subsequent to the year-end.

2. Accounting

The County prepared an annual budget on the regulatory basis for the General Fund, Road Fund, and the other operating funds.

G. Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures

The County's highest level of decision-making authority is its Quorum Court. The establishment of amounts classified as committed fund balances and any subsequent modifications to such balances are the result of formal action taken by the Quorum Court through passage of an ordinance. The Quorum Court is authorized to assign amounts to a specific purpose, although a formal policy has not been established.

The County does not have a policy addressing whether it considers restricted or unrestricted amounts to have been spent when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted amounts are available. For classification of fund balance amounts, restricted resources are considered spent before unrestricted. The County does not have a policy addressing which resources to use within the unrestricted fund balance when committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available. When expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used, committed amounts are reduced first, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts.

NOTE 2: Cash Deposits with Financial Institutions

Cash deposits are carried at cost (carrying value). A comparison of the bank balance and carrying value is as follows:

	 Carrying Amount		Bank Balance
Insured (FDIC)	\$ 1,715,036	\$	1,739,974
Collateralized:			
Collateral held by the County's agent, pledging bank or pledging bank's trust department or agent in the			
County's name	15,409,160		17,108,449
Uncollateralized	5,055		6,369
Total Deposits	\$ 17,129,251	\$	18,854,792

The above total deposits do not include cash on hand of \$3,331.

NOTE 2: Cash Deposits with Financial Institutions (Continued)

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the County's deposits may not be returned to it. The County does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2021, the Airport had deposits of \$6,369 not covered by FDIC or collateralized.

NOTE 3: Legal or Contractual Provisions for Deposits and Investments

State law generally requires that county funds be deposited in federally insured banks located in the State of Arkansas. The county deposits may be in the form of checking accounts, savings accounts, and time deposits. Public funds may be invested in eligible investment securities having a maturity of not longer than 5 years from the date of acquisition unless, as documented at the time of acquisition, the investment is to fund or support a specific purpose and there are no expectations that the investment will be sold before maturity; an Arkansas bank certificate of deposit; an account established by a local government joint investment trust; or an Arkansas financial institution repurchase agreement for eligible investment securities in which the seller agrees to repurchase the investment at a price including interest earned during the holding period as determined by the repurchase agreement.

NOTE 4: Accounts Receivable

The accounts receivable balance at December 31, 2021, is composed of the following:

Description	General Fund Road Fund			Road Fund		er Funds in Aggregate
Federal aid	\$	2,861			\$	54,261
Property taxes		57,306	\$	58,189		43,151
Fines, forfeitures, and costs		28,244				
Interest						3
Officers' fees		29,648				21,516
Jail fees						24,024
911 fees						9,586
Treasurer's commission		194,551				
Other		4,176				1,092
Treasurer's commission charged		17,488		14,004		19,544
Totals	\$	334,274	\$	72,193	\$	173,177

NOTE 5: Accounts Payable

The accounts payable balance at December 31, 2021, is composed of the following:

Description	Ger	neral Fund	Ro	oad Fund	er Funds in Aggregate
Vendor payables	\$	67,630	\$	77,705	\$ 104,069
Salaries payable		26,123		21	
Payroll taxes payable		11,648		367	 1,313
Totals	\$	105,401	\$	78,093	\$ 105,382

NOTE 6: Interfund Balances

Individual fund interfund receivable and payable balances are as follows:

		December 31, 2021				
	<u>In</u>	terfund	lr	nterfund		
	Rec	Receivables				
General Fund			\$	109,274		
Other Funds in the Aggregate:						
Special Revenue Funds:						
Collector's Automation	\$	99,920				
Airport Commission		9,354				
Totals	\$	109,274	\$	109,274		

Interfund receivables and payables consist of \$9,354 in monthly assistance the County has not paid to the Airport Commission and \$99,920 in excess Collector's Commission the County has not transferred to the Collector's Automation fund at year-end. These amounts were settled in 2022.

NOTE 7: Details of Fund Balance Classifications

Fund balance classifications at December 31, 2021, are composed of the following:

Description	 General Fund	Road Fund		ner Funds in e Aggregate
Restricted for:				
General government				\$ 3,257,291
Law enforcement	\$ 15,548			4,061,159
Highw ays and streets		\$	2,146,107	
Public safety				523,468
Recreation and culture				826,553
Capital outlay				 519,661
Total Restricted	15,548		2,146,107	9,188,132
Committed for: General government	1,063,853			
Law enforcement	1,000,000			87,117
Total Committed	1,063,853			 87,117
Assigned to:				
Airport				262,335
Unassigned	 2,465,285			
Totals	\$ 3,544,686	\$	2,146,107	\$ 9,537,584

NOTE 8: Legal Debt Limit

A. Property Tax Secured Bonded Debt

The County is subject to a constitutional limitation for bonded indebtedness equal to 10% of the total assessed value for tax purposes of real and personal property as determined by the last tax assessment. At December 31, 2021, the legal debt limit for bonded debt was \$49,106,692. There were no property tax secured bond issues.

B. Short-term Financing Obligations

The County is subject to a constitutional limitation for short-term financing obligations equal to 2.5% of the assessed value of taxable property within the County as determined by the last tax assessment. At December 31, 2021, the legal debt limit for short-term financing obligations was \$13,450,179. The amount of short-term financing obligations was \$886,946, leaving a legal debt margin of \$12,563,233.

NOTE 9: Commitments

Total commitments consist of the following at December 31, 2021:

	December 3 2021			
Long-term liabilities Reappraisal contract	\$	1,026,616 198,500		
Total Commitments	\$	1,225,116		

Long-term Liabilities

Long-term liabilities at December 31, 2021, are comprised of the following:

	Dec	cember 31, 2021
<u>Direct Borrowings</u> Lease purchase agreement with Williams Tractor in the amount of \$14,888 for the purchase of a new Hustler Mower. The agreement was dated May 24, 2019, and an interest rate of 8.55% to be paid in monthly installments of \$306 for 60 months. Payments are to be made from the Airport Commission Fund.	\$	7,986
Lease purchase agreement with John Deere in the amount of \$1,337,516 for the purchase of eight road graders. The agreement was dated March 31, 2020, and an interest rate of 2.25% to be paid in monthly installments of \$23,986 for 59 months. Payments are to be made from the Road Fund.		878,960
Total Direct Borrow ings		886,946
Compensated absences consisting of accrued vacation adjusted to current salary cost		139,670
Total Long-term liabilities	\$	1,026,616

Due to the County's regulatory basis of accounting, these liabilities are not recorded in the financial statements.

NOTE 9: Commitments (Continued)

The County's outstanding lease purchases from direct borrowings of \$886,946 contain a provision that in an event of default, outstanding amounts, at the Lender's sole option, may be declared immediately due and payable, and the Lender may exercise any rights and remedies, including the right to immediate possession of the collateral, available to it under applicable law.

Post Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions

The amount of any actuarially determined accrued liability for post employment benefits other than pensions was not determined.

Long-Term Debt Issued and Outstanding

Date of Issue	Date of Final Maturity	Rate of Interest	Αı	Amount Authorized and Issued		Debt utstanding nber 31, 2021	Maturities to mber 31, 2021
Direct Borrow	<u> ings</u>						
5/24/19	5/24/24	8.55%	\$	14,888	\$	7,986	\$ 6,902
3/31/20	3/12/25	2.25%		1,337,516		878,960	 458,556
Total Long	g-Term Debt		\$	1,352,404	\$	886,946	\$ 465,458

Changes in Long-Term Debt

		Balance		Balance				
	Janu	ary 01, 2021	lss	ued		Retired	Decen	nber 31, 2021
Direct Borrow ings								
Capital leases	\$	1,154,615	\$	0	\$	267,669	\$	886,946

Debt Service Requirements to Maturity

The County is obligated for the following amounts at December 31, 2021:

Years Ending		Direct	Borrow ings	-
December 31,	Principal		nterest	Total
2022	\$ 273,944	\$	18,368	\$ 292,312
2023	280,377		11,935	292,312
2024	284,786		4,911	289,697
2025	 47,839		135	 47,974
	 	<u> </u>		
Totals	\$ 886,946	\$	35,349	\$ 922,295

NOTE 9: Commitments (Continued)

County-Wide Reappraisal Contract

The County entered into a contract with CAMA Technology on November 7, 2017, for a county-wide reappraisal. The County is obligated for 60 monthly payments of \$16,542 for a total of \$992,500 beginning January 2018. Contract expense for 2021 was \$198,500.

The County is obligated for the following amounts at December 31, 2021:

Year	Decen	nber 31, 2021
2022	\$	198,500

NOTE 10: Interfund Transfers

The General Fund transferred \$581,019 to the Other Funds in the Aggregate (OFA) (\$7,467 to Collector's Automation Fund, \$652 to County Clerk's Cost Fund, \$1,407 to Recorder's Cost Fund, \$4,691 to the Berryville Library Fund, \$304 to Green Forest Library Fund, \$160,854 to Central Dispatch Capital Project Fund, \$354,623 to Detention Center Capital Project Fund, and \$51,021 to the Airport Commission) for operations. The Road Fund transferred \$15,753 to the General Fund to reimburse prior year expenditures. OFA (Collector's Automation, County Detention Facility, and the Emergency 911 Funds) transferred \$21,015, \$1,661, and \$2, respectively, to the General Fund to reimburse prior year expenditures. Within OFA, the Sales Tax Fund transferred \$1,431,324 to the County Detention Facility Fund for jail operations and \$253,700 to the Emergency 911 Fund for central dispatching operations. Additionally, OFA (County Detention Facility) transferred \$100,000 (\$50,000 each) to the General Fund and OFA (Detention Center Commissary) to correct prior coding errors.

NOTE 11: Subsequent Event

On March 7, 2022, the County entered into a system purchase agreement with a total agreement price of \$3,201,529 with Ka-Comm Inc., for the installation of a new radio communications system.

NOTE 12: Hospital Lease

Effective January 1, 1995, the County entered into an assignment and lease agreement with Carroll Regional Medical Center (the Center), a nonprofit hospital corporation organized under the laws of the State of Arkansas. Under the terms of the agreement, the Center agreed to lease the hospital's land, buildings, and improvements for a period of four years beginning January 1, 1995. The agreements provides the lease shall be automatically renewed at the end of the original lease term for ten successive terms of five years, unless either party provides written notice to the other party of its intention to cancel the lease. In connection with this lease, the County assigned operating assets of the hospital to the Center. This agreement has been continued in 2021.

NOTE 13: Joint Ventures

Carroll and Madison Library System

Carroll and Madison Counties entered into an agreement on January 19, 2000, in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 13-2-401 to establish the Carroll and Madison Library System (the System). The agreement states the intent is to enhance the public library services to all residents of Carroll and Madison Counties. The System is financed by state aid and members' contributions. Payments in the amount of \$69,276 were made to the System during the 2021 year. Separate financial statements of the Carroll and Madison Library System are available at CAMLS, 106 Spring Street, Berryville, AR 72616-3846.

NOTE 13: Joint Ventures (Continued)

Carroll County Solid Waste District

The Cities of Eureka Springs, Berryville, and Green Forest and Carroll County entered into an agreement pursuant to Ark. Code Ann §§ 14-233-101 – 14-233-121, creating the Carroll County Solid Waste Authority (CCSWA). On October 28, 2019, the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission approved CCSWA to become a single county Regional Solid Waste Management District. On September 10, 2020, CCSWA board approved changing its name to Carroll County Solid Waste District (CCSWD). The CCSWD was established in an effort to adequately, reliably, and economically dispose of the Cities' and County's solid waste. Payment in the amount of \$19,250 was made to CCSWD during the 2021 year. Separate financial statements of the CCSWD are available at: 3190 East Van Buren Street, Eureka Springs, AR 72632.

NOTE 14: Jointly Governed Organization

Ozark Regional Transit, Inc.

Carroll County participates in the Ozark Regional Transit, Inc. (ORT), a jointly governed organization. The ORT provides transit services among the various locations of its members. The majority of ORT funding is through the Federal Transportation Administration (FTA), which is both rural and urbanized area funding and local funding that is provide by the members of the ORT. The FTA rural funding is provided through the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department. Participants include Benton, Carroll, and Washington Counties, as well as other entities within each of these counties. Carroll County paid \$1,500 to ORT for their share of the transportation benefits provided to its members. Financial statements may be obtained at: Ozark Regional Transit, 2423 E. Robinson Avenue, Springdale, AR 72764.

NOTE 15: Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by commercial insurance purchased from independent third parties and participation in a public entity risk pool. The amount of settlements, if any, has not exceeded the insurance coverage for each of the past three years. There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage in the major categories of risk from coverage in the prior year.

The County participates in the Association of Arkansas Counties Program (public entity risk pools) for coverage in the following areas:

Workers' Compensation - This program provides statutory benefits for losses incurred by County officials, employees, and volunteer fire fighters while performing work for the County. Rates for counties participating in this program are revised annually based on the cost experience of the particular county or group as determined by the Workers' Compensation Commission.

Vehicle Program

- A. Liability This program may pay all sums the County legally must pay as damages because of bodily injury, death, or property damage to which this agreement applies involving a covered county vehicle and for which the County is liable. The limit of payment by the program is \$25,000 for bodily injury per person, \$50,000 for bodily injury per accident, and \$25,000 for property damage per accident. The County shall pay into the program each year a charge established annually by the Risk Management Fund Board for covered county vehicles owned or leased by the County.
- B. Physical Damage This program covers vehicles (excluding mobile equipment) which are the property of the participating county. Property is valued at the full cost to repair or replace the property after deduction for depreciation. Loss amounts payable will be reduced by the deductible amount of \$500 per occurrence. The County agrees to pay into the program each year a service charge established annually by the Risk Management Fund Board for covered property.

NOTE 15: Risk Management (Continued)

General Liability Program - The program shall provide legal defense in civil rights suits against the county government of a participating county and pay judgments imposed on County officials and employees and the county government and county-formed boards and commissions. Coverage is limited to \$500,000 per case with an annual aggregate of \$750,000. The County agrees to pay into the program each year a rate established by the Risk Management Fund Board.

The County also participates in the Self-Insured Fidelity Bond Program administered by the Governmental Bonding Board. This program covers actual losses sustained by the participating entity through any fraudulent or dishonest act or acts committed by any of the officials or employees, acting alone or in collusion with others, during the bond period to an amount not exceeding the lesser of \$300,000 or the amount of the bond. Premiums for coverage are determined by the State Risk Manager and approved by the Board. These premiums are paid by the State Treasurer from funds withheld from the County Aid Fund. There is a \$2,500 deductible per occurrence.

NOTE 16: Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System

Plan Description

The County contributes to the Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System (APERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. APERS, administered by a Board of Trustees, provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State law and can be amended only by the Arkansas General Assembly. The Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for APERS. That report may be obtained by writing to Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System, 124 W. Capitol, Suite 400, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201, by calling 1-800-682-7377, or on their website www.apers.org.

Funding Policy

APERS has contributory and non-contributory plans. Contributory members are required by State law to contribute 5% of their salary. Each participating employer is required by State law to contribute at a rate established by the Board of Trustees of the system based on the annual actuarial valuation. The County's contributions to the plan for the year ended June 30, 2021 (date of APERS Employer Allocation Report) were \$691,927.

Net Pension Liability

The requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement no. 68, under the regulatory basis of accounting, are limited to disclosure of the County's share of the collective net pension liability. The County's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability at June 30, 2021 (actuarial valuation date and measurement date) was \$1,738,922.

NOTE: 17 Corona Virus (COVID-19)

On March 11, 2020, the Governor of Arkansas issued Executive Order 20-03 declaring an emergency and ordered Arkansas Department of Health to take action to prevent the spread of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). The County was awarded \$5,512,482 in federal aid from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, and as of report date, \$5,512,482 of this amount had been received. The extent of the impact of COVID-19 on financial statements for future reporting periods remains uncertain.

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Assessor's County Child Support Treasurer's Collector's Circuit Court Amendment County Clerk's Recorder's no. 79 Cost Cost Cost Automation Automation Automation Drug Control ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents 166,202 \$ 754,916 \$ 22,682 \$ 42,332 \$ 27,035 \$ 124,157 \$ 1,332 \$ 12,118 Accounts receivable 21 331 2,547 6,969 2 Interfund receivables 99,920 TOTAL ASSETS 166,202 854,857 23,013 42,332 29,582 131,126 1,334 12,118 LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: 32 \$ 808 12,568 Accounts payable Settlements pending **Total Liabilities** 32 808 12,568 Fund Balances: Restricted \$ 166,202 854,825 22,205 \$ 42,332 \$ 29,582 118,558 \$ 1,334 \$ 12,118 Committed Assigned **Total Fund Balances** 166,202 854,825 22,205 42,332 29,582 118,558 1,334 12,118 TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES 166,202 854,857 42,332 29,582 23,013 131,126 1,334 12,118

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

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		County Detention Facility	ting Safety and orcement			Division/Juvenile			Detention Center Commissary		cuit Clerk missioner's Fee	Assessor's Late s Assessment Fee		American escue Plan Act	
ASSETS	-	<u>.</u>								<u>.</u>					
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable Interfund receivables	\$	345,349 29,699	\$ 34,413 1	\$	512,728 11,670	\$ 2,744 2	\$	12,906 4	\$	86,419 698	\$	6,300 22	\$	5,112 145	\$ 2,022,629
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	375,048	\$ 34,414	\$	524,398	\$ 2,746	\$	12,910	\$	87,117	\$	6,322	\$	5,257	\$ 2,022,629
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities:															
Accounts payable Settlements pending	\$	16,820		\$	930	\$ 68									
Total Liabilities	_	16,820			930	68									
Fund Balances:															
Restricted Committed Assigned		358,228	\$ 34,414		523,468	2,678	\$	12,910	\$	87,117	\$	6,322	\$	5,257	\$ 2,022,629
Total Fund Balances		358,228	34,414		523,468	2,678		12,910		87,117		6,322		5,257	2,022,629
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	375,048	\$ 34,414	\$	524,398	\$ 2,746	\$	12,910	\$	87,117	\$	6,322	\$	5,257	\$ 2,022,629

			SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS													APITAL ECTS FUND
		Sales Tax		County Public Library		Help America Vote		Court ovement Grant		oll County ir Grant		Airport ommission	Fa	nmunication acility and quipment	Dispat	Central ch/Detention Center
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable Interfund receivables	\$	3,545,868 11,900	\$	794,976 47,470	\$	4,750	\$	1,500	\$	4,000	\$	255,055 54,261 9,354	\$	55,331 7,435	\$	519,661
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	3,557,768	\$	842,446	\$	4,750	\$	1,500	\$	4,000	\$	318,670	\$	62,766	\$	519,661
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable			\$	15,893							\$	56,335	\$	1,928		
Settlements pending Total Liabilities				15,893							_	56,335		1,928		
Fund Balances: Restricted Committed	\$	3,557,768		826,553	\$	4,750	\$	1,500	\$	4,000				60,838	\$	519,661
Assigned Total Fund Balances	_	3,557,768		826,553		4,750		1,500		4,000		262,335 262,335		60,838		519,661
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	3,557,768	\$	842,446	\$	4,750	\$	1,500	\$	4,000	\$	318,670	\$	62,766	\$	519,661

CUSTODIAL FUNDS

400570	reasurer's Accounts	ollector's Accounts	Sheriff's	inty Clerk's	uit Clerk's	trict Court ccounts	Totals
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable Interfund receivables	\$ 762,468	\$ 579,553	\$ 137,833	\$ 41,639	\$ 79,925	\$ 90,012	\$ 11,051,945 173,177 109,274
TOTAL ASSETS LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 762,468	\$ 579,553	\$ 137,833	\$ 41,639	\$ 79,925	\$ 90,012	\$ 11,334,396
Liabilities: Accounts payable Settlements pending Total Liabilities	\$ 762,468 762,468	\$ 579,553 579,553	\$ 137,833 137,833	\$ 41,639 41,639	\$ 79,925 79,925	\$ 90,012	\$ 105,382 1,691,430 1,796,812
Fund Balances: Restricted Committed Assigned Total Fund Balances							\$ 9,188,132 87,117 262,335 9,537,584
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 762,468	\$ 579,553	\$ 137,833	\$ 41,639	\$ 79,925	\$ 90,012	\$ 11,334,396

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

				SPECIAL REV	/ENUE FUNDS			
	Treasurer's Automation	Collector's Automation	Circuit Court Automation	Assessor's Amendment no. 79	County Clerk's Cost	County Recorder's Cost	Child Support	Drug Control
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes				\$ 10,326				
Sales taxes Fines, forfeitures, and costs								\$ 30
Interest Officers' fees	\$ 885	\$ 4,737	\$ 130 4,682	255	\$ 122 36,300	\$ 618 93,366	\$ 8 500	73
Jail fees 911 fees								
Fuel sales Commissary profits and phones								
Treasurer's commission	28,712							
Collector's commission Other		99,920 95				15		
TOTAL REVENUES	29,597	104,752	4,812	10,581	36,422	93,999	508	103
Less: Treasurer's commission		73	72	212	561	1,459	8	2
NET REVENUES	29,597	104,679	4,740	10,369	35,861	92,540	500	101
EXPENDITURES								
Current: General government Law enforcement	995	52,155	4,037	1,855	39,163	94,208	414	
Highways and streets Public safety Health								
Recreation and culture Airport								
Total Current	995	52,155	4,037	1,855	39,163	94,208	414	
Debt Service: Lease principal Lease interest								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	995	52,155	4,037	1,855	39,163	94,208	414	
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	28,602	52,524	703	8,514	(3,302)	(1,668)	86	101
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in Transfers out		7,466 (21,015)			652	1,407		
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(13,549)			652	1,407		
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	28,602	38,975	703	8,514	(2,650)	(261)	86	101
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	137,600	815,850	21,502	33,818	32,232	118,819	1,248	12,017
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 166,202	\$ 854,825	\$ 22,205	\$ 42,332	\$ 29,582	\$ 118,558	\$ 1,334	\$ 12,118

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

							SPECIAL	REVENU	E FUNDS						
	Det	County Detention Facility		ng Safety and orcement	Eme	rgency 911	ig Court ogram	Divis	cuit Court luvenile ion/Juvenile bation Fee	(etention Center nmissary	Comm	uit Clerk issioner's Fee	Asse	sor's Late essment Fee
REVENUES State aid			\$	3,067											
Federal aid			Ф	3,067											
Property taxes														\$	1,311
Sales taxes															,-
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	\$	63,825					\$ 485								
Interest		694		207	\$	1,421	15	\$	83	\$	363	\$	14		26
Officers' fees		777							910				4,646		
Jail fees 911 fees		223,789				470,709									
Fuel sales						470,709									
Commissary profits and phones															
Treasurer's commission															
Collector's commission															
Other		13,310				870	 				15,060				
TOTAL REVENUES		302,395		3,274		473,000	500		993		15,423		4,660		1,337
Less: Treasurer's commission		1,464		3		7,108	 7		15		5		75		20
NET REVENUES		300,931		3,271		465,892	 493		978		15,418		4,585		1,317
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Highways and streets Public safety Health Recreation and culture Airport	1,	,700,337		4,000		500,765	202		3,249				360		
Total Current	1,	,700,337		4,000		500,765	 202		3,249				360		
Debt Service: Lease principal Lease interest															
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,	,700,337		4,000		500,765	 202		3,249				360		
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(1,	,399,406)		(729)		(34,873)	 291	ī	(2,271)	-	15,418		4,225		1,317
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)															
Transfers in Transfers out		,431,324 (101,661)				253,700 (2)					50,000				
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		,329,663				253,698					50,000				
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	_	(69,743)		(729)	<u>-</u>	218,825	291		(2,271)		65,418		4,225		1,317
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1		427,971		35,143		304,643	2,387		15,181		21,699		2,097		3,940
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31		358,228	\$	34,414	\$	523,468	\$ 2,678	\$	12,910	\$	87,117	\$	6,322	\$	5,257

${\tt CARROLL~COUNTY,ARKANSAS}\\ {\tt COMBINING~STATEMENT~OF~REVENUES,EXPENDITURES,AND~CHANGES~IN~FUND~BALANCES-OTHER~FUNDS~IN~THE~AGGREGATE-COMBINING~STATEMENT~OF~REVENUES,EXPENDITURES,AND~CHANGES~IN~FUND~BALANCES-OTHER~FUNDS~IN~THE~AGGREGATE-COMBINING~STATEMENT~OF~REVENUES,EXPENDITURES,AND~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGE~SIA~CHANGES~IN~FUND~SIA~CHANGE~SIA~CHANG$

REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

				SPECIAL RE	VENUE FUNDS			
	American Rescue Plan Act	Sales Tax	County Public Library	Help America Vote	Court Improvement Grant	Carroll County Historical Courthouse Grant	Carroll County Fair Grant	Holiday Island Rural Community Grant
REVENUES State aid Federal aid	\$ 2,756,241		\$ 101,954			\$ 13,750		
Property taxes Sales taxes		\$ 2,604,534	928,461					
Fines, forfeitures, and costs Interest Officers' fees		19,513	3,994					
Jail fees 911 fees Fuel sales								
Commissary profits and phones Treasurer's commission								
Collector's commission Other			42,079					
TOTAL REVENUES	2,756,241	2,624,047	1,076,488			13,750		
Less: Treasurer's commission		40,581	15,209					
NET REVENUES	2,756,241	2,583,466	1,061,279			13,750		
EXPENDITURES Current:								
General government Law enforcement	379,168 83,018							\$ 15,000
Highways and streets Public safety	143,269 37,937							
Health Recreation and culture	90,220		966,925			13,750		
Airport Total Current	733,612		966,925			13,750		15,000
Debt Service: Lease principal Lease interest								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	733,612		966,925			13,750		15,000
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	2,022,629	2,583,466	94,354					(15,000)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in			4,996					
Transfers out		(1,685,024)						
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(1,685,024)	4,996					
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	2,022,629	898,442	99,350					(15,000)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1		2,659,326	727,203	\$ 4,750	\$ 1,500		\$ 4,000	15,000
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 2,022,629	\$ 3,557,768	\$ 826,553	\$ 4,750	\$ 1,500	\$ 0	\$ 4,000	\$ 0

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

		SF	ECIAL R	EVENUE FU	NDS		CAPIT	AL PROJECTS F	UNDS			
	Airpo Commis		Fac	nunication ility and uipment	Juvenile (Central Dispatch/Detention Center	Carroll County Health Department Grant	De	rroll County Health epartment son's Grant	_	Totals
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes		74,680 72,619						\$ 216,423			\$	420,200 3,028,860 929,772 2,604,534
Fines, forfeitures, and costs Interest Officers' fees Jail fees 911 fees		238	\$	37 23,389			\$ 2,575					64,340 36,008 164,570 223,789 470,709
Fuel sales Commissary profits and phones Treasurer's commission Collector's commission		73,893		80,491								73,893 80,491 28,712 99,920
Other	13	34,910		450					\$	3,603		210,392
TOTAL REVENUES	55	56,340		104,367			2,575	216,423		3,603		8,436,190
Less: Treasurer's commission												66,874
NET REVENUES	55	56,340		104,367			2,575	216,423		3,603		8,369,316
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement				84,300	\$	77	8,811					583,318 1,888,031
Law entotement Highways and streets Public safety Health Recreation and culture				04,500	Ф	11	69,002	216,423		3,603		143,269 607,704 220,026 1,070,895
Airport		19,264										449,264
Total Current	44	19,264		84,300		77	77,813	216,423		3,603		4,962,507
Debt Service: Lease principal Lease interest		2,853 1,627										2,853 1,627
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	45	53,744		84,300		77	77,813	216,423		3,603		4,966,987
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	10	02,596		20,067		(77)	(75,238)			_		3,402,329
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out	5	51,021					515,477					2,316,043 (1,807,702)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	5	51,021					515,477					508,341
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		53,617		20,067		(77)	440,239					3,910,670
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	10	08,718		40,771		77	79,422					5,626,914
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 26	62,335	\$	60,838	\$	0	\$ 519,661	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	9,537,584
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The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

Fund Name	Fund Description
Treasurer's Automation	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-302 established fund to receive up to 10% of Treasurer's gross commissions to operate the Treasurer's office and to purchase, maintain, and operate an automated accounting and record keeping system.
Collector's Automation	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-305 established fund to receive up to 10% of collector's gross commission to operate the collector's office and to purchase, maintain, and operate an automated record keeping system.
Circuit Court Automation	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-13-704 established fund to receive circuit court installment fees to be used for circuit court-related technology and to defray the cost of fine collection.
Assessor's Amendment no. 79	Ark. Code Ann. § 26-26-310 provides that 1% of the county's share of surplus funds from the Property Tax Relief Trust Fund be allocated to county assessors for the purpose of administering Ark. Const. amend. 79.
County Clerk's Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-413 established fund to receive fees collected by county clerks to be used for automated record systems and any legitimate county purpose.
County Recorder's Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-306 established fund to receive fees collected by circuit clerks to be used for automated record systems and any legitimate county purpose.
Child Support Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 9-10-109 established fund to receive fees to offset administrative costs in the clerk's office.
Drug Control	Ark. Code Ann. § 5-64-505 established fund to receive asset forfeitures resulting from drug offense cases due to arresting agency.
County Detention Facility	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-41-505 established fund to receive 90% of a \$40 booking and administration fee assessed on persons convicted of a felony or Class A misdemeanor to be used exclusively for the maintenance, operation, and capital expenditures of a county jail or regional detention facility or for certificate pay for law enforcement and jailer personnel.
Boating Safety and Enforcement	Ark. Code Ann. § 27-101-111 established fund to receive fees to be used for operating a patrol on the waterways within the county or for emergency rescue services if the county has not established a patrol.

The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

Fund Name	Fund Description
Emergency 911	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-10-318 established fund to receive fees collected by telephone providers for 911 emergency services.
Drug Court Program	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-98-304 established fund to receive program user fees set by drug court judges to be used for the benefit and administration of the drug court program.
Circuit Court Juvenile Division/Juvenile Probation Fee	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-13-326 established fund to collect juvenile fees and provide services and supplies to juveniles at the discretion of the juvenile division of Circuit Court.
Detention Center Commissary	Carroll County Ordinance no. 2007-40 (November 19, 2007) established fund to receive profits from the sale of commissary items to prisoners, turned over to the County Treasurer from the County Sheriff's Inmate Trust Fund, to provide necessary medical services for prisoners who cannot pay.
Circuit Clerk Commissioner's Fee	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-412 established fund to receive fee awarded, when appointed as commissioner, for a sale of real or personal property under judicial decree. The funds are to be used to offset administrative costs associated with the performance of the Commissioner's duties and for general operations expense of the office of circuit clerk.
Assessor's Late Assessment Fee	Ark. Code Ann. § 26-26-201 established fund to receive \$.50 fee on delinquent persons which shall be used by the county assessor to help pay for the expense of assessing property.
American Rescue Plan Act	Established to receive and disburse Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFR), a part of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021, to support response to and recovery from the COVID-19 public health emergency.
Sales Tax	Carroll County voters passed a 0.5% sales tax on July 11, 2000, to be used to construct, equip, and operate the county jail facility. The tax may also be used for future expansion and capital improvements of the county jail and for county roads.
County Public Library	Ark. Code Ann. § 13-2-404 established fund to account for library property tax millage levied by the quorum court for the support, operation, and maintenance of the public library.
Help America Vote	Established to account for federal grant received to improve access to polling places for disabled voters.
Court Improvement Grant	Established to account for state grant received for Circuit Court improvements.

The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

<u>Fund Name</u>	Fund Description
Carroll County Historical Courthouse Grant	Established to account for grant received from the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program for architectural survey work on the courthouse.
Carroll County Fair Grant	Established to account for state grant received for county fairground improvements.
Holiday Island Rural Community Grant	Established to account for state grant received from the Rural Community Grant Program for the purchase of two double walled chemical storage tanks.
Airport Commission	Ark. Code Ann § 14-357-107 stipulates that all revenues derived from the operation of the airport, after paying the operating expenses and maintenance, may be set aside and used for additional improvements on the airport or for any lawful purpose. Carroll County Ordinance no. 78-16 (August 16, 1978) established for the Airport Commission to oversee the operations of the airport, as allowed by Ark. Code Ann. § 14-357-101.
Communication Facility and Equipment	Ark. Code Ann. §§ 21-6-307, 12-41-105 established fund to receive 25% of Sheriff's fees collected, phone commission funds, and profits earned from prisoner commissary services to be used to train operations staff; operate, equip, repair, or replace existing communication equipment; purchase additional communications equipment; otherwise improve a communications facility or system for the sheriff's department; or purchase vehicles, weapons, or other equipment for the sheriff's department.
Juvenile Court Representation	Ark. Code Ann. § 9-27-316 established fund to collect fees and costs to offset expenses of juvenile cases.
Central Dispatch/Detention Center	Carroll County Ordinance no. 2015-7 (March 16, 2015) established fund for anticipated capital expenditures related to the Carroll County Central Dispatch and the Carroll County Detention Center.
Carroll County Health Department Grant	Carroll County Ordinance no. 2021-21 (May 17, 2021) established fund for grant received from the Northwest Arkansas Economic Development District for capital expenditures related to the Carroll County Health Department remodeling project.
Carroll County Health Department Tyson's Grant	s Carroll County Ordinance no. 2021-21 (May 17, 2021) established fund for grant received from Tyson Foods for capital expenditures related to the Carroll County Health Department remodeling project.

The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

Fund Name

Fund Description

Treasurer's accounts consist primarily of treasurer's commission, funds held in the County Law Library, solid waste fees and interest not distributed to the appropriate agencies.

Collector's accounts consist primarily of delinquent taxes not yet distributed to the various taxing units.

Sheriff's accounts consist primarily of fees settlement, bond, evidence, and inmate trust money.

County Clerk's accounts consist primarily of fee money to be settled with the treasurer.

Circuit Clerk's accounts consist of trust money and settlements due to the treasurer.

District Court accounts consist primarily of fines and costs not yet distributed to the county and/or state.

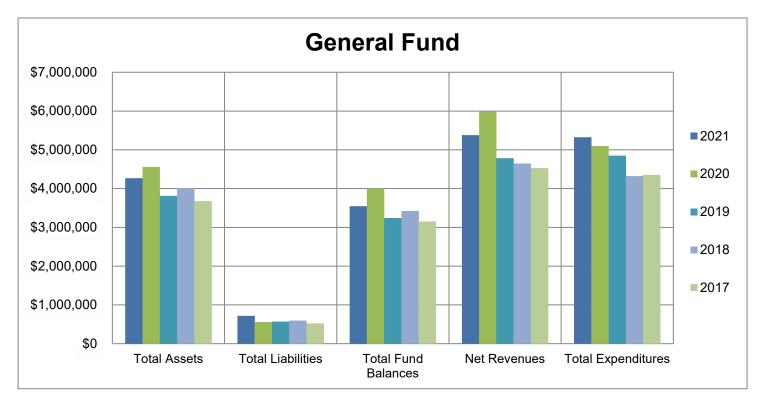
Schedule 3

CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS OTHER INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS DECEMBER 31, 2021 (Unaudited)

	De	ecember 31, 2021
Land Buildings Improvements Equipment	\$	1,019,529 8,390,291 3,447,903 8,890,705
Total	\$	21,748,428

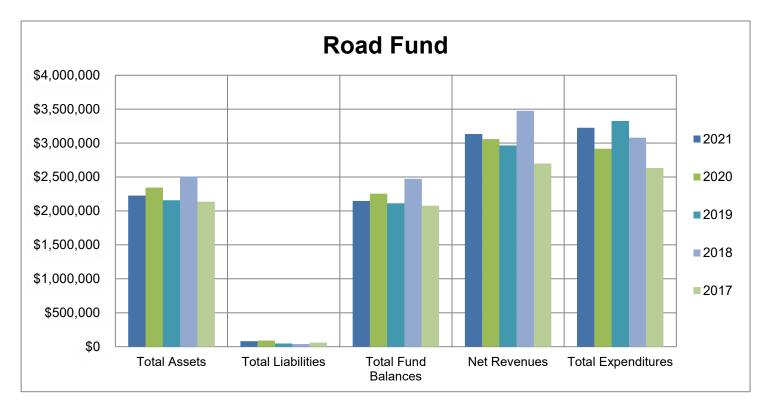
CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - GENERAL FUND - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2021 (Unaudited)

<u>General</u>	 2021	 2020	 2019	 2018	 2017
Total Assets	\$ 4,262,904	\$ 4,559,228	\$ 3,809,949	\$ 4,011,029	\$ 3,675,370
Total Liabilities	718,218	556,300	568,510	591,904	523,719
Total Fund Balances	3,544,686	4,002,928	3,241,439	3,419,125	3,151,651
Net Revenues	5,373,727	5,979,428	4,779,045	4,645,026	4,523,667
Total Expenditures	5,320,131	5,093,689	4,847,481	4,318,305	4,352,517
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses	(511,838)	(124,250)	(109,250)	(59,250)	(59,250)



CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - ROAD FUND - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2021 (Unaudited)

Road	 2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Total Assets	\$ 2,224,200	\$ 2,342,345	\$ 2,157,169	\$ 2,508,321	\$ 2,135,697
Total Liabilities	78,093	88,421	45,946	36,652	58,626
Total Fund Balances	2,146,107	2,253,924	2,111,223	2,471,669	2,077,071
Net Revenues	3,132,509	3,057,701	2,964,845	3,473,701	2,698,762
Total Expenditures	3,224,573	2,915,000	3,325,291	3,079,103	2,631,666
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses	(15,753)				



CARROLL COUNTY, ARKANSAS

SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2021 (Unaudited)

Other Funds in the Aggregate	 2021	 2020	2019	2018	 2017
Total Assets	\$ 11,334,396	\$ 7,176,104	\$ 6,317,008	\$ 5,789,234	\$ 6,064,914
Total Liabilities	1,796,812	1,549,190	1,513,083	1,302,778	1,349,131
Total Fund Balances	9,537,584	5,626,914	4,803,925	4,486,456	4,715,783
Net Revenues	8,369,316	4,999,954	4,273,464	4,048,372	4,186,715
Total Expenditures	4,966,987	4,281,965	4,045,995	4,317,699	4,153,576
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses	508,341	105,000	90,000	40,000	40,000

