### **Faulkner County, Arkansas**

# Regulatory Basis Financial Statements and Other Reports

**December 31, 2008** 



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### LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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

We have audited the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements of the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Faulkner County, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the County's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

As described more fully in Note 1(B and C), the County has prepared these financial statements using accounting practices prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code, which practices differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effect on the financial statements of the variances between these regulatory accounting practices and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

In our opinion, because of the effects of the matter discussed in the preceding paragraph, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of Faulkner County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2008, or the changes in its financial position or where applicable, its cash flows, thereof for the year then ended. Further, the County has not presented a management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the basic financial statements.

The Homeland Security, Lake Conway Sewer Project, Mayflower Water and Teen Court Funds have not been included in the County's regulatory basis financial statements. The regulatory basis as prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code, requires the Homeland Security, Lake Conway Sewer Project, Mayflower Water and Teen Court Funds to be presented as part of the other funds in the aggregate, thus increasing the column's assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenditures. The amount by which this departure would affect the assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenditures of the other funds in the aggregate column is not reasonably determinable. The County's regulatory basis financial statements also do not disclose all the required information concerning deposit risks, which should be included in order to conform with the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1(C).

In our opinion, because of the effects on the financial statements of the omissions described in the preceding paragraph, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in all material respects, the respective regulatory basis financial position of the other funds in the aggregate of Faulkner County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2008, and the respective changes in the regulatory basis financial position for the year then ended on the basis of accounting as described in Note 1(C).

In our opinion, except for the effects of not disclosing all required information concerning deposit risks, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective regulatory basis financial position of the general fund and road fund of Faulkner County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2008, and the respective changes in the regulatory basis financial position, and the budgetary results for the general fund and road fund for the year then ended on the basis of accounting as described in Note 1(C).

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated January 19, 2010 on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of the state constitution, laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements of Faulkner County, Arkansas. The accompanying financial information listed as supporting schedules in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements of Faulkner County, Arkansas. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, because of the effects on the financial information in the supporting schedules of the omissions described above, such information is not presented fairly in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole. The supplementary information in the Schedule of Capital Assets required by the regulatory basis of presentation and the Schedule of Selected Information for the Last Five Years as listed in the table of contents as Schedules 3 and 4 are presented for the purpose of additional analysis. We have not applied auditing procedures to this information and, accordingly, we express no opinion on these schedules.

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Little Rock, Arkansas January 19, 2010 LOCO02308 Sen. Bobby L. Glover Senate Co-Chair Rep. Johnny Hoyt House Co-Chair Sen. Bill Pritchard Senate Co-Vice Chair Rep. Beverly Pyle House Co-Vice Chair



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### LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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

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

We have audited the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements of the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Faulkner County, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008 and have issued our report thereon dated January 19, 2010. We issued an adverse opinion because the County prepared the financial statements using accounting practices prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code, which differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effect on the financial statements of the variances between these regulatory accounting practices and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material. However, with respect to the basis of accounting described in Note 1(C), our opinions on the other funds in the aggregate was adverse because of the effects on the financial statements of not including the Homeland Security, Lake Conway Sewer Project, Mayflower Water and Teen Court Funds which are material to other funds in the aggregate, and our opinions on the general fund and road fund were qualified because required disclosures were not made concerning deposit risks. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we identified a certain deficiency in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the County's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with the regulatory basis of accounting as prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the County's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the County's internal control. We consider the following deficiency to be a significant deficiency in internal control over financial reporting:

2008-1 To ensure the proper safeguarding of assets, financial accounting duties relating to initiating, receipting, depositing, disbursing, and recording cash transactions should be distributed among appropriate employees. The County officials, as specified in the Other Issues section of this report, did not segregate these duties to sufficiently reduce the risks of fraud or error and properly safeguard the County's assets, because of limited financial resources. We recommend that the financial accounting duties in each office be segregated among employees to the extent possible.

The County officials, as specified in the Other Issues section of this report, responded and indicated that their offices will segregate the duties relating to initiating, receipting, depositing, disbursing, and recording cash transactions to the extent possible with the current staffing levels.

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

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all significant deficiencies that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, we consider the significant deficiency described above as item 2008-1 to be a material weakness.

#### Compliance and Other Matters

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

The County's response to the findings identified in our audit is described above. We did not audit the County's response and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

#### Other Issues

The following issues are not significant deficiencies, material weaknesses or material instances of noncompliance, but are issues that are presented to assist in the efficient operation of the County.

The commentary contained in this section relates to the following officials that held office during 2008:

County Judge: Preston Scroggin Treasurer: Regina Oakley

Sheriff: Karl Byrd

Tax Collector: Steve Simon County Clerk: Melinda Reynolds Circuit Clerk: Rhonda Wharton Assessor: Jeff Stephens County Librarian: Ruth Voss

Our audit procedures indicated that the Offices of **Treasurer** and **Librarian** were in substantial compliance with Arkansas fiscal and financial laws. Noncompliance with state law and accepted accounting practices were noted in the Offices of **County Judge**, **Sheriff**, **Tax Collector**, **County Clerk**, **Circuit Clerk** and **Assessor**.

#### **County Judge**

- As reported in the previous year, construction completed on the County Jail in the amount of \$7,074,065 was not included on the fixed asset list.
- The County again did not have an adequate disaster recovery plan. This situation could cause the entity to be without computer processing for an extended period of time in the event of a disaster or major interruption and could also place a financial and personnel burden on the resources of the entity.

#### **Sheriff**

- 1. Arrest reports were prepared but did not include all information required by Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-207.
- 2. The remaining bank balance in the Bond and Fine account of \$63,524 again was not identified with receipts issued but not yet entered on the arrest reports as required by Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-207. Also, remaining bank balances in the Circuit and Fee accounts of \$205,593 and \$17,503, respectively, were not identified.
- The Circuit Bond and Fine bank statements again were not reconciled in a timely manner as required by Ark. Code Ann. § 14-25-107.
- 4. The Sheriff's office again did not notify the Circuit Judge, in writing, of the fines and cost assessed but not collected in accordance with the Circuit Court order.
- 5. As previously reported, the Sheriff's office did not have a written disaster recovery or business continuity plan for computer processing. This situation could cause the entity to be without computer processing for an extended period of time in the event of a disaster or major interruption and could also place a financial and personnel burden on the resources of the entity.

#### **Tax Collector**

Password controls did not meet minimum standards. Minimum number of characters required in passwords was below industry standards. Passwords were not required to be changed on a periodic, recurring basis not to exceed 90 days. User accounts were not locked out after three unsuccessful logon attempts. Passwords were not required to contain a mixture of alpha and numeric characters. Password history file was not maintained to prevent re-use of previous passwords. Failure to establish proper password controls increased the likelihood that an unauthorized person could have gained access to the system.

#### **County Clerk**

- 1. The fee account cash receipts and disbursements journal again did not have monthly totals and disbursements again were not correctly classified as required by Ark. Code Ann. § 14-25-109.
- Employee leave records were not properly updated resulting in 11 instances of employee leave time exceeding the maximum carryover allowed by the County leave policy. A similar finding was noted in the previous year.

#### **Circuit Clerk**

Password controls did not meet minimum standards. Minimum number of characters required in passwords was below industry standards. Passwords were not required to be changed on a periodic, recurring basis not to exceed 90 days. User accounts were not locked out after three unsuccessful logon attempts. Password history file was not maintained to prevent re-use of previous passwords. Failure to establish proper password controls increased the likelihood that an unauthorized person could have gained access to the system.

#### **Assessor**

Password controls did not meet minimum standards. Minimum number of characters required in passwords was below industry standards. Passwords were not required to be changed on a periodic, recurring basis not to exceed 90 days. User accounts were not locked out after three unsuccessful logon attempts. Passwords were not required to contain mixture of alpha and numeric characters. Password history file was not maintained to prevent re-use of previous passwords. Failure to establish proper password controls increased the likelihood that an unauthorized person could have gained access to the system.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee, local County government, state executive and oversight management, the federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities, if applicable, 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 Arkansas Code Annotated § 10-4-417, all reports presented to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee are matters of public record and distribution is not limited.

DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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Little Rock, Arkansas January 19, 2010 LOCO02308

#### FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2008

400570	General	Road	Other Funds In The Aggregate
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,176,473	\$ 2,479,682	\$ 14,336,096
Accounts receivable	836,563	269,633	978,902
Interfund receivables	40,650		<u> </u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 5,053,686	\$ 2,749,315	\$ 15,314,998
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
Liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 17,766	\$ 8,094	\$ 103,536
Interfund payables Settlements pending			40,650 4,168,349
Total Liabilities	17,766	8,094	4,312,535
Fund Balances:			
Reserved (Note 8)	186,725	2,741,221	11,002,463
Unreserved:			
Undesignated	4,849,195	0.744.004	44.000.400
Total Fund Balances	5,035,920	2,741,221	11,002,463
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 5,053,686	\$ 2,749,315	\$ 15,314,998

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

# FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

	General	Road	Other Funds In The Aggregate
REVENUES	4 500 005	<b>A</b> 0.400.000	<b>* 500.070</b>
State aid	\$ 1,539,685	\$ 2,182,909	\$ 593,870
Federal aid	5 004 450	4 000 007	282,826
Property taxes	5,004,150	1,902,037	1,249,422
Sales taxes	4.400.000		7,484,498
Fines, forfeitures and costs	1,126,806	55 507	228,001
Interest	58,261	55,527	157,891
Officers' fees	154,342		1,294,081
911 fees	4 440 050		464,844
Jail fees	1,410,352		128,679
Treasurer's commission	214,078		43,938
Collector's commission	429,840		80,000
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	1,079,897	470.000	221212
Other	809,677	470,992	304,818
TOTAL REVENUESS	11,827,088	4,611,465	12,312,868
Less: Treasurer's commission	166,022	78,348	62,708
NET REVENUES	11,661,066	4,533,117	12,250,160
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Highways and streets Public safety Health Recreation and culture	4,423,462 5,851,883 33,192 115,953 4,500	4,612,586	1,114,930 3,885,449 2,680,573 694,742 1,217,716
Social services	69,720_		
Total Current	10,498,710	4,612,586	9,593,410

# FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED)	General	Road	Other Funds In The Aggregate
Debt Service: Principal - notes payable Interest - notes payable			\$ 196,219 15,372
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 10,498,710	\$ 4,612,586	9,805,001
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	1,162,356	(79,469)	2,445,159
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out	516,935 (33,527)	(414)	107,475 (590,469)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	483,408	(414)	(482,994)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	1,645,764	(79,883)	1,962,165
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED Restatement adjustment	3,055,105 335,051	2,710,219 110,885	8,478,411 561,887
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED	3,390,156	2,821,104	9,040,298
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 5,035,920	\$ 2,741,221	\$ 11,002,463

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

#### Exhibit C

# FAULKNER 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, 2008

		General			Road	
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES	<b>*</b> 4.404.000	<b>A</b> 4 500 005	<b>A</b> 055 050	A 4 700 000	Φ 0.400.000	<b>A</b> 400.000
State aid	\$ 1,184,333	\$ 1,539,685	\$ 355,352	\$ 1,780,000	\$ 2,182,909	\$ 402,909
Property taxes	5,004,046	5,004,150	104	1,745,695	1,902,037	156,342
Fines, forfeitures and costs	855,093	1,126,806	271,713	25.000	FF F07	00.507
Interest Officers' fees	62,322	58,261	(4,061)	35,000	55,527	20,527
Jail fees	169,994 658,500	154,342	(15,652)			
Treasurer's commission	•	1,410,352	751,852			
Collector's commission	175,000	214,078	39,078			
	390,000	429,840	39,840			
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	895,000	1,079,897	184,897	20.242	470.000	450 740
Other	464,651	809,677	345,026	20,243	470,992	450,749
TOTAL REVENUES	9,858,939	11,827,088	1,968,149	3,580,938	4,611,465	1,030,527
Less: Treasurer's commission		166,022	(166,022)		78,348	(78,348)
NET REVENUES	9,858,939	11,661,066	1,802,127	3,580,938	4,533,117	952,179
EXPENDITURES						
Current:						
General government	5,287,594	4,423,462	864,132			
Law enforcement	6,028,118	5,851,883	176,235			
Highways and streets				5,542,401	4,612,586	929,815
Public safety	245,203	33,192	212,011			
Health	115,953	115,953				
Recreation and culture	4,500	4,500				
Social services	69,834	69,720	114			
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	11,751,202	10,498,710	1,252,492	5,542,401	4,612,586	929,815
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER)						
EXPENDITURES	(1,892,263)	1,162,356	3,054,619	(1,961,463)	(79,469)	1,881,994

# FAULKNER 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, 2008

	General			Road			
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Transfers in Transfers out	\$ 616,992	\$ 516,935 (33,527)	\$ (100,057) (33,527)		\$ (414)	\$ (414)	
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	616,992	483,408	(133,584)		(414)	(414)	
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(1,275,271)	1,645,764	2,921,035	\$ (1,961,463)	(79,883)	1,881,580	
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED Restatement adjustment	2,463,047	3,055,105 335,051	592,058 335,051	2,347,165	2,710,219 110,885	363,054 110,885	
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED	2,463,047	3,390,156	927,109	2,347,165	2,821,104	473,939	
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 1,187,776	\$ 5,035,920	\$ 3,848,144	\$ 385,702	\$ 2,741,221	\$ 2,355,519	

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. The following funds of the County are not presented in this report: Homeland Security, Lake Conway Sewer Project, Mayflower Water and Teen Court.

#### B. Basis of Presentation - Regulatory Fund Accounting

The financial statements are presented in accordance with the regulatory basis of presentation as prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code. 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 fund; notes to financial statements; and a supplemental schedule of capital assets.

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 the primary operating fund and is used to account for all financial resources, except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The General Fund heading as it appears in the financial statements includes the following accounts: General, Tax Assessor's Late Assessment Fee, Rural Fire Protection, Commissary and Drug-Buy.

**Road Fund** - The Road Fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for maintaining and constructing county 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:

Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specific purposes. The following Special Revenue Funds are reported with other funds in the aggregate: County Recorder's Cost, Breathalyzer, Emergency Squad, County Library, Road Sales Tax, Public Defender, Homeland Security, Jail Fees, Juvenile Services (Act 1262 of 1995), 911, Treasurer's Automation, Jail Fines, Public Safety Answering Point, Victim/Witness, Child Support, Juvenile Probation Fees, Juvenile Jail Grant, Public Defender Investigator, Juvenile Court Representation, County Clerk's Cost, Collector's Automation, Museum, Wastewater Feasibility Study, Public Safety (Act 749 of 1983), Jail Booking, Communication Facility and Equipment, Animal Control, Wastewater Feasibility Matching, Federal Drug Forfeiture and Rural Broadband Grant.

<u>Capital Projects Funds</u> - Capital Projects Funds are used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities. The following Capital Projects Funds are reported with other funds in the aggregate: Criminal Justice Sales Tax and Library Sales Tax.

#### NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

#### B. Basis of Presentation - Regulatory Fund Accounting (Continued)

#### Other Funds in the Aggregate (Continued)

Agency Funds - Agency Funds are used to account for assets held by the entity as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governmental units, and other funds. The following Agency Funds are reported with other funds in the aggregate: Treasurer's Accounts (Treasurer's Commission, Collector Unapportioned, Delinquent Personal, Delinquent Real Estate, Soil Conservation, Assessor's Salary, Collector's Commission, Juvenile Services [Act 1262 of 1995], County General School, Law Library, Arkansas Forestry Commission, State Crime Lab, State Land Sale, Sex and Child Offender, Law School, School Accounts, City Accounts, Property Tax Relief, Improvement District Accounts, DNA Detection [Act 737 of 1997] and Drug Crime Assessment), Collector's Accounts (Current Tax, Delinquent Tax and Credit Card), Sheriff's Accounts (Fee, Bond and Fine, Circuit Bond and Commissary), County Clerk's Accounts (Fee and Trust), Circuit Clerk's Accounts (Fee, Trust and Child Support) and District Court Account (Juvenile).

#### C. Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared on the regulatory basis of accounting as prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code. This regulatory basis differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Revenues 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 sixty (60) days of the end of the current period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred. 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.

#### D. Assets, Liabilities and Fund Balances

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

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

#### Settlements Pending

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

#### Fund Balance

- 1. Reserved Fund Balance indicates that portion of fund balance that is not appropriable for expenditure or is legally segregated for a specific future use.
- 2. Undesignated Fund Balance indicates that portion of fund balance not reserved or designated.

#### 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 10.

#### NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

#### 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 Special Revenue Funds except for the Communication Facility and Equipment Fund.

#### NOTE 2: Cash

Deposit risks related to credit risk, concentration of credit risk, interest rate risk, and foreign currency risk have not been provided as required by Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 40.

#### 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/or time deposits. Public funds may also be invested in direct obligations of the United States of America and obligations the principal and interest on which are fully guaranteed by the United States of America.

#### NOTE 4: Accounts Receivable

The accounts receivable balance at December 31, 2008 is composed of the following:

Description		General Fund	Road Fund		ner Funds e Aggregate
State aid	\$	135,628	\$ 149,076	\$	1,717
Jail fees	·	100,370	,	·	1,371
Property taxes		221,472	80,376		37,259
Sales taxes					615,394
Officers' fees		17,694			208,338
Fines, forfeitures and costs		88,759			1,275
Interest		1,114	3,637		14,544
Treasurer's Commission		20,875			
Collector's Commission		53,542			80,000
Assessor's Salary and Expense		83,807			
Other		113,301	36,544		19,004
Totals	\$	836,563	\$ 269,633	\$	978,902

#### NOTE 5: Accounts Payable

The accounts payable balance at December 31, 2008 is composed of the following:

Description	General Road Fund Fund		Other Funds in the Aggregate			
Vendor payables	\$	17,766	\$	8,094	\$	103,536

#### NOTE 6: Interfund Balances

Individual fund interfund receivable and payable balances are as follows:

	December 31, 2008			
	Ir	nterfund	Ir	nterfund
Fund	Receivables		P	ayables
General Fund Other Funds in the Aggregate:	\$	40,650		
Communication Facility and Equipment			\$	40,650
Totals	\$	40,650	\$	40,650

Interfund receivables and payables consist of errors in depositing restricted revenues. These balances were repaid in March 2009.

#### NOTE 7: Legal Debt Limit

#### A. Bonded Debt

The County is subject to a constitutional limitation for bonded indebtedness equal to ten percent (10%) of the total assessed value for tax purposes of real and personal property as determined by the last tax assessment. At December 31, 2008, the legal debt limit for bonded debt was \$117,945,163. 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 two and one half percent (2.5%) of the assessed value of taxable property within the County as determined by the last tax assessment. At December 31, 2008, the legal debt limit for short-term financing obligations was \$30,376,541. The amount of short-term financing obligations was \$203,781 leaving a legal debt margin of \$30,172,760.

#### NOTE 8: Reserved Fund Balance

Reserved fund balance consists of the following:

	December 31, 2008	
General Tax Assessor's Late Assessment Fee Commissary Drug-Buy	\$	19,064 150,770 16,891
Total General	\$	186,725
Road	\$	2,741,221
Other Funds in the Aggregate Special Revenue Funds: County Recorder's Cost	\$	859,305
Breathalyzer Emergency Squad County Library Road Sales Tax Public Defender Homeland Security		4,753 51,114 813,803 4,771,817 54,293 963

#### NOTE 8: Reserved Fund Balance (Continued)

	De	ecember 31, 2008
Other Funds in the Aggregate (Continued)	-	
Special Revenue Funds: (Continued)		
Jail Fees	\$	27,280
Juvenile Services (Act 1262 of 1995)		8,660
911		203,634
Treasurer's Automation		49,003
Jail Fines		269,726
Public Safety Answering Point		173,470
Victim/Witness		4,076
Child Support		55,943
Juvenile Probation Fees		75,491
Juvenile Jail Grant		26,698
Public Defender Investigator		91,127
Juvenile Court Representation		1,788
County Clerk's Cost		5,000
Collector's Automation		175,839
Museum		60,801
Wastewater Feasibility Study		31,287
Public Safety (Act 749 of 1983)		4,498
Jail Booking		21,322
Communication Facility and Equipment		272,666
Animal Control		315,060
Wastewater Feasibility Matching		15,463
Federal Drug Forfeiture		52,980
Rural Broadband Grant		170,233
Total Special Revenue		8,668,093
Capital Projects Funds:		
Criminal Justice Sales Tax		2,074,435
Library Sales Tax		259,935
Total Capital Projects		2,334,370
Total Other Funds in the Aggregate	\$	11,002,463

#### NOTE 9: Commitments

Total commitments consist of the following at December 31, 2008:

	Dec	cember 31, 2008
Long-Term Debt Noncancellable Lease	\$	203,781 4,091
Total Commitments	\$	207,872

#### NOTE 9: Commitments (Continued)

#### Long-Term Debt

Long-Term Debt at December 31, 2008 is comprised of the following:

	Dec	cember 31, 2008
Bank loan with First Security Bank executed April 10, 2007 for the purchase of 18		
police cars. Term is two annual installments of \$211,591 including interest at 3.78%.		
Payments are to be made from the Criminal Justice Sales Tax Fund.	\$	203,781

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

#### Compensated Absences

Compensated absences do vest or accumulate. The amount of compensated absences was not determined.

#### Debt Service Requirements to Maturity

The County is obligated for the following amount:

	Year Ending		
	December 31, 2008	_	Notes
•	2009 Less Interest		\$ 211,591 7,810
	Total Principal		\$ 203,781

#### Noncancellable Lease

The County entered into a noncancellable lease agreement for a Xerox Copier on April 29, 2005. Terms of the lease are monthly rental payments of \$255 for 60 months. At the end of the lease term, the County will return the copier to the lessor. The County is obligated for the following amount for the next two years:

<u>Year</u>	Decemb	per 31, 2008
2009 2010	\$	3,068 1,023
Total	\$	4,091

Rental expense for 2008 was \$3,068.

#### **NOTE 10: Interfund Transfers**

The General Fund transferred \$33,527 to the Other Funds in the Aggregate for grant matching funds and deposit corrections. The Road Fund transferred \$414 to the General Fund for deposit corrections. The Other Funds in the Aggregate transferred \$516,521 to the General Fund to defray administrative expenses. Additionally within the Other Funds in the Aggregate, the County transferred \$34,745 for reimbursement of expenses and \$39,203 for capital projects.

#### NOTE 11: Prior Year Restatement

The beginning fund balances for the General Fund, Road Fund and the Other Funds in the Aggregate were restated by \$335,051, \$110,885 and \$562,944, respectively, to reflect the net adjustment for the prior year accounts receivable and accounts payable. Also the beginning fund balance of the Other Funds in the Aggregate was decreased \$1,057 to reflect not including the Teen Court Fund in this report.

#### NOTE 12: Joint Venture: Regional Library

Faulkner and Van Buren Counties entered into an agreement in June 1978 in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 13-2-401 to establish the Faulkner - Van Buren Regional Library. The agreement states that the Regional Library shall employ a regional librarian approved by the Arkansas Library Commission to serve for such time and on such terms as the Board may prescribe and to be paid from the regional budget. The County Library did not pay any funds to the Regional Library in 2008. Separate financial statements of the Faulkner – Van Buren Regional Library are not available.

#### NOTE 13: 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.

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 \$350,000 or \$500,000 per case with an annual aggregate of \$350,000. The County agrees to pay into the program each year a rate established by the Risk Management Fund Board. Each county also agrees to pay the first \$2,000 of the aggregate cost for all expenses on each lawsuit.

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 \$250,000 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 \$1,000 deductible per occurrence.

#### NOTE 14: Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System

#### Plan Description

The County contributes to the Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System (PERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. PERS 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 PERS. That report may be obtained by writing to Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System, One Union National Plaza, 124 W. Capitol, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201 or by calling 1-800-682-7377.

#### **Funding Policy**

PERS has contributory and non-contributory plans. Contributory members are required by code to contribute 5% of their salary. Each participating employer is required by code to contribute at a rate established by the Board of Trustees of the system based on the annual actuarial valuation.

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS																	
		County ecorder's Cost	er's E			nergency Squad		County Library		Road Sales Tax	Public Defender		Homeland Security		Jail Fees		Juvenile Services (Ad 1262 of 1995	
ASSETS	_										_		_		_		_	
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable	\$	788,585 70,720	\$	4,753	\$	49,397 1,717	\$	765,866 47,937	\$	4,517,749 315,036	\$	54,293	\$	963	\$ 	27,280	\$	7,385 1,275
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	859,305	\$	4,753	\$	51,114	\$	813,803	\$	4,832,785	\$	54,293	\$	963	\$	27,280	\$	8,660
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Interfund payables Settlements pending									\$	60,968								
Total Liabilities										60,968								
Fund Balances: Reserved	\$	859,305	\$	4,753	\$	51,114	\$	813,803		4,771,817	\$	54,293	\$	963	\$	27,280	\$	8,660
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	859,305	\$	4,753	\$	51,114	\$	813,803	\$	4,832,785	\$	54,293	\$	963	\$	27,280	\$	8,660

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS																	
100570		911		easurer's utomation Jail		Jail Fines		ublic Safety Answering Point	Victim/ Witness		Child Support		Juvenile Probatior Fees		on Jail		D	Public efender estigator
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable	\$	171,600 32,034	\$	49,003	\$	259,195 10,531	\$	149,485 23,985	\$	4,076	\$	55,805 138	\$	69,058 6,433	\$	5,915 20,783	\$	91,127
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	203,634	\$	49,003	\$	269,726	\$	173,470	\$	4,076	\$	55,943	\$	75,491	\$	26,698	\$	91,127
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Interfund payables Settlements pending Total Liabilities																		
Fund Balances: Reserved	\$	203,634	\$	49,003	\$	269,726	\$	173,470	\$	4,076	\$	55,943	\$	75,491	\$	26,698	\$	91,127
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	203,634	\$	49,003	\$	269,726	\$	173,470	\$	4,076	\$	55,943	\$	75,491	\$	26,698	\$	91,127

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS																	
	(	Court C		County Clerk's Cost		Collector's Automation		/luseum	Wastewater Feasibility Study		Public Safety (Act 749 of 1983)		Jail Booking		Communication Facility and Equipment			Animal Control
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable	\$	1,788	\$	1,985 3,015	\$	95,839 80,000	\$	60,801	\$	31,287	\$	4,489 9	\$	19,951 1,371	\$	262,184 51,132	\$	315,060
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	1,788	\$	5,000	\$	175,839	\$	60,801	\$	31,287	\$	4,498	\$	21,322	\$	313,316	\$	315,060
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Interfund payables Settlements pending Total Liabilities															\$	40,650 40,650		
Fund Balances: Reserved	\$	1,788	\$	5,000	\$	175,839	\$	60,801	\$	31,287	\$	4,498	\$	21,322		272,666	\$	315,060
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	1,788	\$	5,000	\$	175,839	\$	60,801	\$	31,287	\$	4,498	\$	21,322	\$	313,316	\$	315,060

		SPE	CIAL F	<u> </u>	CAPITAL PRO	JECT	S FUNDS		
	F	astewater easibility latching		ederal Drug orfeiture	В	Rural roadband Grant	Criminal Justice Sales Tax		Library Sales Tax
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable	\$	15,463	\$	52,980	\$	170,233	\$ 1,805,331 311,672	\$	258,821 1,114
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	15,463	\$	52,980	\$	170,233	\$ 2,117,003	\$	259,935
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Interfund payables Settlements pending Total Liabilities							\$ 42,568 42,568		
Fund Balances: Reserved	\$	15,463	\$	52,980	\$	170,233	2,074,435	\$	259,935
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	15,463	\$	52,980	\$	170,233	\$ 2,117,003	\$	259,935

	AGENCY FUNDS	
	·	rcuit Clerk's District Court  Accounts Account Totals
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable	\$ 2,702,144 \$ 430,934 \$ 487,185 \$ 60,977 \$	474,094 \$ 13,015 \$ 14,336,096 978,902
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 2,702,144</u>	<u>474,094</u> <u>\$ 13,015</u> <u>\$ 15,314,998</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Interfund payables Settlements pending Total Liabilities	\$ 2,702,144       \$ 430,934       \$ 487,185       \$ 60,977       \$ 2,702,144       430,934       487,185       60,977       \$ 60,977	\$ 103,536 40,650 474,094 \$ 13,015 4,168,349 474,094 13,015 4,312,535
Fund Balances: Reserved		11,002,463
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 2,702,144 \$ 430,934 \$ 487,185 \$ 60,977 \$	474,094 \$ 13,015 \$ 15,314,998

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS												
	County Recorder's Cost	Breathalyzer	Emergency Squad	County Library	Road Sales Tax	Public Defender	Homeland Security	Jail Fees	Juvenile Services (Act 1262 of 1995)				
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes			\$ 11,800 39,506	\$ 162,395 1,043,230		\$ 3,729	\$ 189,582						
Sales taxes Fines, forfeitures and costs Interest Officers' fees	\$ 16,938 886,080	\$ 33	434	16,054	\$ 3,742,249 68,445	32,371 411	363	\$ 132,103 457	\$ 13,189 110				
911 fees Jail fees Treasurer's commission Collector's commission Other	14,022	2	3,546	98,979		503		1,065	97				
TOTAL REVENUES	917,040	35	55,286	1,320,658	3,810,694	37,014	189,945	133,625	13,396				
Less: Treasurer's commission	17,707		1,046	22,805		610		2,579	238				
NET REVENUES	899,333	35	54,240	1,297,853	3,810,694	36,404	189,945	131,046	13,158				
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement	722,315					32,001							
Highways and streets Public safety Recreation and culture			61,681	1,153,003	2,680,573		87,090						
Total Current	722,315		61,681	1,153,003	2,680,573	32,001	87,090						

				SPE	ECIAL REVENUE I	FUNDS			
EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED)	County Recorder's Cost	Breathalyzer	Emergency Squad	County Library	Road Sales Tax	Public Defender	Homeland Security	Jail Fees	Juvenile Services (Act 1262 of 1995)
Debt Service: Principal - notes payable Interest - notes payable									
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 722,315		\$ 61,681	\$ 1,153,003	\$ 2,680,573	\$ 32,001	\$ 87,090		
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	177,018	\$ 35	(7,441)	144,850	1,130,121	4,403	102,855	\$ 131,046	\$ 13,158
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in									
Transfers out	(203,174)					(387)		(125,000)	(15,000)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(203,174)					(387)		(125,000)	(15,000)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(26,156)	35	(7,441)	144,850	1,130,121	4,016	102,855	6,046	(1,842)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED Restatement adjustment	824,045 61,416	4,718	57,118 1,437	671,631 (2,678)	3,439,779 201,917	50,277	85 (101,977)	21,234	10,502
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED	885,461	4,718	58,555	668,953	3,641,696	50,277	(101,892)	21,234	10,502
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 859,305	\$ 4,753	\$ 51,114	\$ 813,803	\$ 4,771,817	\$ 54,293	\$ 963	\$ 27,280	\$ 8,660

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS																	
	911			Treasurer's Automation		Jail Fines		Public Safety Answering Point		Victim/ Witness		Child Support		uvenile robation Fees	Juvenile Jail Grant		D	Public efender estigator
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes Fines, forfeitures and costs Interest Officers' fees 911 fees Jail fees Treasurer's commission	\$ 2, 383,	,154 ,333	\$	456 43,938	\$	2,344 128,679	\$	924 81,511	\$	23,148 120	\$	445 15,219	\$	711 84,488	\$	20,783	\$	10,703 650
Collector's commission Other	7,	,310				745		5,542		173		144		4,573				88
TOTAL REVENUES	392,	797		44,394		131,768		87,977		23,441		15,808		89,772		20,995		11,441
Less: Treasurer's commission	7,	676				2,492		679		424		306		1,638				214
NET REVENUES	385,	121		44,394		129,276		87,298		23,017		15,502		88,134		20,995		11,227
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Highways and streets Public safety Recreation and culture	535,			49,605				10,635		46,041		8,580		125,378				
Total Current	535,	336		49,605			-	10,635	-	46,041	-	8,580		125,378				

				SPE	ECIAL REVENUE FUN	IDS			
EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED) Debt Service: Principal - notes payable Interest - notes payable	911	Treasurer's Automation	Jail Fines	Public Safety Answering Point	Victim/ Witness	Child Support	Juvenile Probation Fees	Juvenile Jail Grant	Public Defender Investigator
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 535,336	\$ 49,605		\$ 10,635	\$ 46,041 \$	8,580	\$ 125,378		
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(150,215)	(5,211)	\$ 129,276	76,663	(23,024)	6,922	(37,244)	\$ 20,995	\$ 11,227
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out			(139,203)		11,309	(3,628)	30,245 (1,004)	(27,679)	(4,500)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			(139,203)		11,309	(3,628)	29,241	(27,679)	(4,500)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(150,215)	(5,211)	(9,927)	76,663	(11,715)	3,294	(8,003)	(6,684)	6,727
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED Restatement adjustment	321,311 32,538	54,214	273,209 6,444	57,719 39,088	15,791	52,397 252	79,641 3,853	33,382	84,400
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED	353,849	54,214	279,653	96,807	15,791	52,649	83,494	33,382	84,400
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 203,634	\$ 49,003	\$ 269,726	\$ 173,470	\$ 4,076 \$	55,943	\$ 75,491	\$ 26,698	\$ 91,127

		SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS													
	Court Cler		County Clerk's Cost	erk's Collector's		Museum		Wastewater Feasibility Study		Public Safety (Act 749 of 1983)	Jail Booking		Communication Facility and Equipment		Animal Control
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes						\$	12,476 65,757	\$	100,000					\$	100,929
Fines, forfeitures and costs Interest Officers' fees 911 fees Jail fees Treasurer's commission	\$	13	\$ 130 38,579	\$	1,023		521		620	\$ 564 31	\$	15,923 99	\$ 609 206,916		2,056
Collector's commission					80,000										
Other			374				1,104			6		41	40,715		941
TOTAL REVENUES		13	39,083		81,023		79,858		100,620	601		16,063	248,240		103,926
Less: Treasurer's commission			776				1,269			11		305			1,933
NET REVENUES		13	38,307		81,023		78,589	_	100,620	590		15,758	248,240		101,993
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Highways and streets			47,267		70,873				69,333				123,044		
Public safety Recreation and culture Total Current			47,267		70,873		64,713 64,713		69,333				123,044		

										SPECIA	L REVE	NUE FUN	DS				
	Juvenile Court Representation				Collector's Automation Museum		Wastewater Feasibility Study		Public Safety (Act 749 of 1983)		Jail Booking		Communication Facility and Equipment		Animal Control		
EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED) Debt Service: Principal - notes payable Interest - notes payable										,		,					
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			\$	47,267	\$	70,873	\$	64,713	\$	69,333					\$	123,044	
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$	13		(8,960)		10,150		13,876		31,287	\$	590	\$	15,758		125,196	\$ 101,993
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out																(40,650)	
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)																(40,650)	
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		13		(8,960)		10,150		13,876		31,287		590		15,758		84,546	101,993
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED Restatement adjustment		1,775		10,703 3,257		165,689	-	46,925		0		3,890 18		4,844 720		159,466 28,654	 213,067
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED		1,775		13,960		165,689		46,925		0		3,908		5,564		188,120	213,067
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$	1,788	\$	5,000	\$	175,839	\$	60,801	\$	31,287	\$	4,498	\$	21,322	\$	272,666	\$ 315,060

		SPECIAL REV	VENUE FUNDS	CAPITAL PRO			
	Wastewater Feasibility Matching	Federal Drug Forfeiture	Rural Broadband Grant	Teen Court	Criminal Justice Sales Tax	Library Sales Tax	Totals
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes Fines, forfeitures and costs	\$ 24,500		\$ 258,187		\$ 93,244 3,742,249		\$ 593,870 282,826 1,249,422 7,484,498 228,001
Interest Officers' fees 911 fees Jail fees Treasurer's commission Collector's commission	130	\$ 181 62,799	915		32,852	\$ 7,450	157,891 1,294,081 464,844 128,679 43,938 80,000
Other					124,848		304,818
TOTAL REVENUES	24,630	62,980	259,102		3,993,193	7,450	12,312,868
Less: Treasurer's commission							62,708
NET REVENUES	24,630	62,980	259,102		3,993,193	7,450	12,250,160
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Highways and streets Public safety Recreation and culture	34,667	10,000	88,869		3,572,406		1,114,930 3,885,449 2,680,573 694,742 1,217,716
Total Current	34,667	10,000	88,869		3,572,406		9,593,410

		SPECIAL REV	/ENUE FUNDS	CAPITAL PRO			
EXPENDITURES (CONTINUED)	Wastewater Feasibility Matching	Federal Drug Forfeiture	Rural Broadband Grant	Teen Court	Criminal Justice Sales Tax	Library Sales Tax	Totals
Debt Service: Principal - notes payable Interest - notes payable					\$ 196,219 15,372		\$ 196,219 15,372
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 34,667	\$ 10,000	\$ 88,869		3,783,997		9,805,001
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(10,037)	52,980	170,233		209,196	\$ 7,450	2,445,159
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out	25,500				40,421 (30,244)		107,475 (590,469)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	25,500				10,177		(482,994)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	15,463	52,980	170,233		219,373	7,450	1,962,165
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED Restatement adjustment	0	0	0	\$ 1,057 (1,057)	1,567,855 287,207	251,687 798	8,478,411 561,887
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED	0	0	0	0	1,855,062	252,485	9,040,298
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 15,463	\$ 52,980	\$ 170,233	\$ 0	\$ 2,074,435	\$ 259,935	\$ 11,002,463

#### FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 AND 2 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

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

Fund Name	Fund Description
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.
Breathalyzer	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-308 established fund to receive revenues generated from court costs to be used to maintain and purchase alcohol testing devices.
Emergency Squad	Ordinance no. 77-23 established fund to provide emergency services to the County.
County Library	Ark. Code Ann. § 13-2-404 established fund to account for Library property tax millage levied by the Quorum Court.
Road Sales Tax	Ordinance nos. 99-24 and 99-25 established fund to receive road sales tax to be used to construct and maintain roads in the County.
Public Defender	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-307 established the County Administration of Justice Fund which continued to finance this fund used for defense of indigents.
Homeland Security	Grants received from Arkansas Department of Emergency Management for the purpose of purchasing equipment.
Jail Fees	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-17-129 allows a county to levy an additional fine, not to exceed \$5. Funds shall be used exclusively to defray the cost of incarcerating county prisoners, including construction and maintenance of the county jail.
Juvenile Services (Act 1262 of 1995)	Ark. Code Ann. § 9-27-306 established fund to receive Circuit Court costs to be used for juvenile services.
911	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-10-318 established fund to receive fees collected by telephone providers for 911 emergency services.
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 record keeping system.
Jail Fines	Ordinance no. 03-14 established fund to help defray the expense of incarcerating prisoners in the county jail.
Public Safety Answering Point	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-10-305 to be used to provide an answering system for emergency calls.
Victim/Witness	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-21-151 established fund to receive District Court cost levied to be used by Prosecuting Attorney for operating victim/witness program.
Child Support	Ark. Code Ann. § 9-10-109 established fund to receive fees to offset administrative costs in the Clerk's office.

#### FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 AND 2 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

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

Fund Name	Fund Description
Juvenile Probation Fees	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-13-326 established fund to receive probation fees to be used to offset related expenses.
Juvenile Jail Grant	State grant for Juvenile incarceration.
Public Defender Investigator	Ordinance nos. 92-06 and 92-07 established fund to receive court cost to assist in the defense of an indigent.
Juvenile Court Representation	Ark. Code Ann. § 9-27-326 established fund to collect fees and costs to offset expenses of juvenile cases.
County Clerk's Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-306 established fund to receive fees collected by county clerks to be used for automated record systems and any legitimate county purpose.
Collector's Automation	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-305 established fund to receive up to 10% of Collector's gross commissions to operate the Collector's office and to purchase, maintain and operate an automated record keeping system.
Museum	Ordinance no. 01-11 established fund to receive voluntary millage to support the county museum.
Wastewater Feasibility Study	Ordinance no. 08-09 established fund for State Grant for wastewater feasibility study.
Public Safety (Act 749 of 1983)	Ark. Code Ann. § 27-34-108 established fund to receive court costs to be used for the promotion of public safety.
Jail Booking	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-41-505 established fund to receive revenues from booking fees to be used for police equipment.
Communication Facility and Equipment	Ark. Code Ann. §§ 21-6-307, 12-41-105 established fund to receive 25% of Sheriff's fees collected and phone commission funds to be used for communications equipment and repair and to train operations staff.
Animal Control	Ordinance no. 05-11 established fund to be used for animal control.
Wastewater Feasibility Matching	Ordinance no. 08-09 established fund for matching portion of wastewater feasibility study.
Federal Drug Forfeiture	Fund established to receive federal drug seizure cases.
Rural Broadband Grant	Ordinance no. 08-22 established fund for State Grant for County Multi Activity Project to connect Arkansas to broadband.
Criminal Justice Sales Tax	Ordinance nos. 99-24 and 99-25 established fund to receive sales tax to be used for criminal justice purposes.

#### FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 AND 2 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

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

Fund Name Fund Description

Library Sales Tax Ordinance no. 92-01 established fund to receive sales tax to be used for library purposes.

Treasurer's accounts consist primarily of property taxes, commissions and interest not yet distributed to the appropriate entities.

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

Sheriff's accounts consist primarily of inmate trust monies, agency and officer fees not yet distributed to the appropriate entities.

County/Circuit Clerk's accounts consist primarily of trust money awaiting disposition by the applicable court and settlements due the county and/or state.

District Court account consists primarily of juvenile fines and costs not yet distributed to the County and/or State.

#### FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS DECEMBER 31, 2008 (Unaudited)

A.	General Fixed Assets Land and Buildings Equipment Total	December 31, 2008 \$ 7,749,189 10,415,145 18,164,334
B.	Fixed Assets - Library Land and Buildings Equipment Total	4,033,744 224,505 4,258,249
C.	Fixed Assets - Museum Land and Buildings Equipment Total	105,000 13,537 118,537
	TOTAL	\$22,541,120

# FAULKNER COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2008 (Unaudited)

<u>General</u>	2008		2007		2006		2005		2004
Total Assets	\$ 5,053,686	\$	3,055,105	\$	2,692,248	\$	2,274,022	\$	2,435,777
Total Liabilities	17,766								
Total Fund Balances	5,035,920		3,055,105		2,692,248		2,274,022		2,435,777
Net Revenues	11,661,066		9,377,979		8,673,775		7,776,913		7,316,059
Total Expenditures	10,498,710		9,194,674		8,432,929		8,087,965		7,813,169
Road									
Total Assets	\$ 2,749,315	\$	2,710,219	\$	2,962,471	\$	2,949,403	\$	3,375,734
Total Liabilities	8,094								
Total Fund Balances	2,741,221		2,710,219		2,962,471		2,949,403		3,375,734
Net Revenues	4,533,117		4,365,689		3,718,266		3,593,251		3,361,440
Total Expenditures	4,612,586		4,617,941		3,705,198		4,019,582		2,932,432
Other Funds in the Aggregate									
Total Assets	\$ 15,314,998	\$	13,194,737	\$	9,785,150	\$	10,742,279	\$	13,167,316
Total Liabilities	4,312,535		4,716,326		3,278,907		3,774,154		2,587,816
Total Fund Balances	11,002,463		8,478,411		6,506,243		6,968,125		10,579,500
Net Revenues	12,250,160		10,503,320		9,657,345		8,728,307		10,306,399
Total Expenditures	9,805,001		8,751,600		9,941,846		12,158,466		9,473,381

The financial statements are prepared on the regulatory basis of accounting as reported in Note 1(C) of the audit reports.