

Scott County, Arkansas

Regulatory Basis Financial Statements and Other Reports

December 31, 2024 and 2023

LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE



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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

Independent Auditor's Report

Scott 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 Scott 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, 2024 and 2023; the related Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances – Regulatory Basis; the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Change in Fund Balances – 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 Scott County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2024 and 2023; the regulatory basis revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance; 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 Scott County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, or the revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance 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 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 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 as a whole. 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 August 5, 2026, 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.

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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Kevin William White, CPA, JD
Legislative Auditor

Little Rock, Arkansas
August 5, 2026
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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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

Scott 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 Scott County, Arkansas (County), as of and for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, 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 August 5, 2026. 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

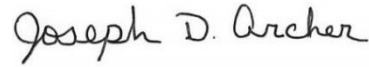
As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the County's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulation, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect 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 August 5, 2026.

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose. 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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Joseph D. Archer, CPA
Deputy Legislative Auditor

Little Rock, Arkansas
August 5, 2026

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MANAGEMENT LETTER

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

The finding contained in this letter relates to the following officials who held office during 2024 and 2023:

County Judge: Brian Jones
Treasurer: Teresa Scantling
Sheriff/Collector: Randy Shores
County/Circuit Clerk: Brianna Freeman (appointed July 16, 2024)
Tracy McPherson (resigned June 30, 2024)
Assessor: Terri Churchill
County Librarian: Della Yandell (appointed April 27, 2023)
Vacant (January 1, 2023 through April 26, 2023)
District Court Clerk: DesiRae Hall

We would like to communicate the following item that came to our attention during this audit. The purpose of such comment is 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. This matter was discussed previously with County officials during the course of our audit fieldwork and at the exit conference.

County Judge and County/Circuit Clerk

The Quorum Court minutes did not document the review of the prior report by the governing body at the first regularly scheduled meeting following receipt of the report, as required by Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-418.

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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Little Rock, Arkansas
August 5, 2026

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 2024

Exhibit A

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,929,407	\$ 4,714,511	\$ 4,611,548
Accounts receivable	325,240		61,185
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 5,254,647</u>	<u>\$ 4,714,511</u>	<u>\$ 4,672,733</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
Liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 10,961	\$ 27,166	\$ 27,901
Settlements pending	3,622		1,238,673
Total Liabilities	<u>14,583</u>	<u>27,166</u>	<u>1,266,574</u>
Fund Balances:			
Restricted	802,294	792,851	3,408,565
Committed	109,092		
Assigned	35,140	3,894,494	
Unassigned	4,293,538		(2,406)
Total Fund Balances	<u>5,240,064</u>	<u>4,687,345</u>	<u>3,406,159</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 5,254,647</u>	<u>\$ 4,714,511</u>	<u>\$ 4,672,733</u>

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

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -
REGULATORY BASIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
REVENUES			
State aid	\$ 429,903	\$ 1,585,106	\$ 81,287
Federal aid	316,078	475,912	450,000
Property taxes	293,706	27	27,904
Sales taxes	569,507		1,139,015
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	98,599		10,826
Interest	76,275	294,938	37,195
Officers' fees	47,447		110,460
Jail fees			128,930
911 fees			197,556
Treasurer's commission	122,832		13,648
Collector's commission	182,297		8,893
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	298,736		
Other	173,192	232,587	39,665
TOTAL REVENUES	2,608,572	2,588,570	2,245,379
Less: Treasurer's commission	35,548	42,445	40,225
NET REVENUES	2,573,024	2,546,125	2,205,154
EXPENDITURES			
Current:			
General government	1,487,093		148,020
Law enforcement	1,059,046		1,309,309
Highways and streets		2,336,517	
Public safety	59,106		261,403
Sanitation			527,335
Health	3,165		
Recreation and culture	50,000		46,744
Social services	85,231		
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	2,743,641	2,336,517	2,292,811

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -
REGULATORY BASIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$ (170,617)	\$ 209,608	\$ (87,657)
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Transfers in		140,729	254,671
Transfers out	(395,400)		
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(395,400)	140,729	254,671
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(566,017)	350,337	167,014
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	5,806,081	4,337,008	3,239,145
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 5,240,064	\$ 4,687,345	\$ 3,406,159
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

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

SCOTT 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, 2024

Exhibit C

	General			Road		
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES						
State aid	\$ 460,213	\$ 429,903	\$ (30,310)	\$ 1,487,046	\$ 1,585,106	\$ 98,060
Federal aid	318,302	316,078	(2,224)	369,663	475,912	106,249
Property taxes	28,174	293,706	265,532		27	27
Sales taxes	524,249	569,507	45,258			
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	106,252	98,599	(7,653)			
Interest	7,324	76,275	68,951	23,656	294,938	271,282
Officers' fees	36,542	47,447	10,905			
Treasurer's commission		122,832	122,832			
Collector's commission		182,297	182,297			
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense		298,736	298,736			
Other	146,701	173,192	26,491	27,081	232,587	205,506
TOTAL REVENUES	1,627,757	2,608,572	980,815	1,907,446	2,588,570	681,124
Less: Treasurer's commission		35,548	(35,548)		42,445	(42,445)
NET REVENUES	1,627,757	2,573,024	945,267	1,907,446	2,546,125	638,679
EXPENDITURES						
Current:						
General government	3,085,859	1,487,093	1,598,766			
Law enforcement	1,172,371	1,059,046	113,325			
Highways and streets				3,590,519	2,336,517	1,254,002
Public safety	69,676	59,106	10,570			
Health	4,065	3,165	900			
Recreation and culture	60,500	50,000	10,500			
Social services	67,463	85,231	(17,768)			
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	4,459,934	2,743,641	1,716,293	3,590,519	2,336,517	1,254,002

SCOTT 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, 2024

Exhibit C

	General			Road		
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ (2,832,177)</u>	<u>\$ (170,617)</u>	<u>\$ 2,661,560</u>	<u>\$ (1,683,073)</u>	<u>\$ 209,608</u>	<u>\$ 1,892,681</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Transfers in					140,729	140,729
Transfers out		<u>(395,400)</u>	<u>(395,400)</u>		<u>140,729</u>	<u>140,729</u>
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		<u>(395,400)</u>	<u>(395,400)</u>		<u>140,729</u>	<u>140,729</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(2,832,177)	(566,017)	2,266,160	(1,683,073)	350,337	2,033,410
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	<u>2,109,486</u>	<u>5,806,081</u>	<u>3,696,595</u>	<u>3,656,185</u>	<u>4,337,008</u>	<u>680,823</u>
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	<u><u>\$ (722,691)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 5,240,064</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 5,962,755</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,973,112</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 4,687,345</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 2,714,233</u></u>

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

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 2023

Exhibit A-1

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,593,305	\$ 4,293,163	\$ 4,361,606
Accounts receivable	224,283	57,453	75,367
	<u>5,817,588</u>	<u>4,350,616</u>	<u>4,436,973</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 5,817,588</u>	<u>\$ 4,350,616</u>	<u>\$ 4,436,973</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
Liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 11,507	\$ 13,608	\$ 27,449
Settlements pending			1,170,379
Total Liabilities	<u>11,507</u>	<u>13,608</u>	<u>1,197,828</u>
Fund Balances:			
Restricted	890,665	583,244	3,241,139
Committed	110,235		
Assigned	25,904	3,753,764	
Unassigned	4,779,277		(1,994)
Total Fund Balances	<u>5,806,081</u>	<u>4,337,008</u>	<u>3,239,145</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 5,817,588</u>	<u>\$ 4,350,616</u>	<u>\$ 4,436,973</u>

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

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -
REGULATORY BASIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

Exhibit B-1

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
REVENUES			
State aid	\$ 449,591	\$ 1,742,832	\$ 123,789
Federal aid	1,511,279	406,394	488,401
Property taxes	285,168	11	27,007
Sales taxes	559,386		1,118,772
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	107,054		40,384
Interest	116,001	62,048	48,305
Officers' fees	42,315		119,555
Jail fees			133,907
911 fees			227,605
Treasurer's commission	117,175		13,019
Collector's commission	167,528		18,218
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	230,893		
Other	184,632	58,983	36,450
TOTAL REVENUES	3,771,022	2,270,268	2,395,412
Less: Treasurer's commission	35,192	37,143	38,600
NET REVENUES	3,735,830	2,233,125	2,356,812
EXPENDITURES			
Current:			
General government	1,354,970		317,385
Law enforcement	1,054,067		1,259,357
Highways and streets		2,371,289	11,309
Public safety	61,961		236,394
Sanitation			547,064
Health	2,874		
Recreation and culture	35,000		49,544
Social services	83,924		
Water extension			87,475
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	2,592,796	2,371,289	2,508,528

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -
REGULATORY BASIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

Exhibit B-1

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$ 1,143,034	\$ (138,164)	\$ (151,716)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Transfers in	863,586	145,328	225,222
Transfers out	(370,550)		(863,586)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	493,036	145,328	(638,364)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	1,636,070	7,164	(790,080)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	4,170,011	4,329,844	4,029,225
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 5,806,081	\$ 4,337,008	\$ 3,239,145

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

SCOTT 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, 2023

Exhibit C-1

	General			Road		
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES						
State aid	\$ 412,219	\$ 449,591	\$ 37,372	\$ 919,000	\$ 1,742,832	\$ 823,832
Federal aid	1,485,292	1,511,279	25,987	419,816	406,394	(13,422)
Property taxes	89,434	285,168	195,734		11	11
Sales taxes	450,000	559,386	109,386			
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	97,713	107,054	9,341			
Interest	150,193	116,001	(34,192)	6,000	62,048	56,048
Officers' fees	64,305	42,315	(21,990)			
Treasurer's commission		117,175	117,175			
Collector's commission		167,528	167,528			
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense		230,893	230,893			
Other	115,840	184,632	68,792	57,973	58,983	1,010
TOTAL REVENUES	2,864,996	3,771,022	906,026	1,402,789	2,270,268	867,479
Less: Treasurer's commission		35,192	(35,192)		37,143	(37,143)
NET REVENUES	2,864,996	3,735,830	870,834	1,402,789	2,233,125	830,336
EXPENDITURES						
Current:						
General government	4,684,346	1,354,970	3,329,376			
Law enforcement	1,134,862	1,054,067	80,795			
Highways and streets				3,559,128	2,371,289	1,187,839
Public safety	70,785	61,961	8,824			
Health	4,560	2,874	1,686			
Recreation and culture	60,500	35,000	25,500			
Social services	67,244	83,924	(16,680)			
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	6,022,297	2,592,796	3,429,501	3,559,128	2,371,289	1,187,839

SCOTT 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, 2023

Exhibit C-1

	General			Road		
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ (3,157,301)</u>	<u>\$ 1,143,034</u>	<u>\$ 4,300,335</u>	<u>\$ (2,156,339)</u>	<u>\$ (138,164)</u>	<u>\$ 2,018,175</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Transfers in		863,586	863,586		145,328	145,328
Transfers out		<u>(370,550)</u>	<u>(370,550)</u>		<u></u>	<u></u>
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		<u>493,036</u>	<u>493,036</u>		<u>145,328</u>	<u>145,328</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(3,157,301)	1,636,070	4,793,371	(2,156,339)	7,164	2,163,503
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	<u>2,461,157</u>	<u>4,170,011</u>	<u>1,708,854</u>	<u>3,619,884</u>	<u>4,329,844</u>	<u>709,960</u>
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	<u><u>\$ (696,144)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 5,806,081</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 6,502,225</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,463,545</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 4,337,008</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 2,873,463</u></u>

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

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023

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.

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

Road Fund - 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 and federal aid that are restricted or committed for maintaining and constructing roads.

Other Funds in the Aggregate - 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 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 through 4 for Special Revenue Funds as reported with other funds in the aggregate.

Custodial Funds - Custodial Funds are used to report resources held by the reporting government in a purely custodial capacity (assets equal liabilities). See Schedule 1 and 3 for Custodial Funds as reported with other funds in the aggregate.

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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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, commissions, property taxes, fees bonds, and trusts that have not been transferred to the appropriate entities.

Fund Balance Classifications

1. 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.
2. Committed fund balance – amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Quorum Court.
3. 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.

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
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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:

	December 31, 2024	
	Carrying Amount	Bank Balance
Insured (FDIC)	\$ 1,114,493	\$ 1,118,614
Collateralized:		
Collateral held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the County's name	13,139,335	13,259,192
Total Deposits	<u>\$ 14,253,828</u>	<u>\$ 14,377,806</u>

The above total deposits do not include cash on hand of \$1,638.

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NOTE 2: Cash Deposits with Financial Institutions (Continued)

	December 31, 2023	
	Carrying Amount	Bank Balance
Insured (FDIC)	\$ 1,176,454	\$ 1,174,000
Collateralized:		
Collateral held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the County's name	13,069,973	13,700,327
Total Deposits	<u>\$ 14,246,427</u>	<u>\$ 14,874,327</u>

The above total deposits do not include cash on hand of \$1,647.

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, 2024, is composed of the following:

Description	General Fund	Other Funds in the Aggregate
Property taxes	\$ 9,467	\$ 431
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	8,310	293
Officers' fees	2,662	10,297
Jail fees		13,142
911 fees		37,022
Treasurer's commission	240,007	
Collector's commission	55,233	
Other	9,561	
Totals	<u>\$ 325,240</u>	<u>\$ 61,185</u>

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NOTE 4: Accounts Receivable (Continued)

The accounts receivable balance at December 31, 2023, is composed of the following:

Description	General Fund	Road Fund	Other Funds in the Aggregate
State aid		\$ 57,453	
Federal aid	\$ 15,284		
Property taxes	17,170		\$ 438
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	6,867		173
Officers' fees	2,387		10,364
Jail fees			2,357
911 fees			49,016
Treasurer's commission	117,175		13,019
Collector's commission	55,827		
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	1,511		
Other	8,062		
Totals	<u>\$ 224,283</u>	<u>\$ 57,453</u>	<u>\$ 75,367</u>

NOTE 5: Accounts Payable

The accounts payable balance at December 31, 2024, is composed of the following:

Description	General Fund	Road Fund	Other Funds in the Aggregate
Vendor payables	\$ 8,378	\$ 26,076	\$ 26,286
Payroll taxes payable	2,583	1,090	1,615
Totals	<u>\$ 10,961</u>	<u>\$ 27,166</u>	<u>\$ 27,901</u>

The accounts payable balance at December 31, 2023, is composed of the following:

Description	General Fund	Road Fund	Other Funds in the Aggregate
Vendor payables	\$ 8,931	\$ 12,423	\$ 25,477
Payroll taxes payable	2,576	1,185	1,972
Totals	<u>\$ 11,507</u>	<u>\$ 13,608</u>	<u>\$ 27,449</u>

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NOTE 6: Details of Fund Balance Classifications

Fund balance classifications at December 31, 2024, are composed of the following:

Description	General Fund	Road Fund	Other Funds in the Aggregate
Fund Balances:			
Restricted for:			
General government	\$ 771,645		\$ 655,264
Law enforcement	23,410		876,664
Highways and streets		\$ 792,851	79,556
Public safety			586,195
Sanitation			1,167,612
Recreation and culture			43,274
Social services	7,239		
Total Restricted	<u>802,294</u>	<u>792,851</u>	<u>3,408,565</u>
Committed for:			
Capital outlay	<u>109,092</u>		
Assigned to:			
Law enforcement	12,298		
Highways and streets		3,894,494	
Recreation and culture	19,430		
Social services	3,412		
Total Assigned	<u>35,140</u>	<u>3,894,494</u>	
Unassigned	<u>4,293,538</u>		<u>(2,406)</u>
Totals	<u>\$ 5,240,064</u>	<u>\$ 4,687,345</u>	<u>\$ 3,406,159</u>

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DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023

NOTE 6: Details of Fund Balance Classifications (Continued)

Fund balance classifications at December 31, 2023, are composed of the following:

Description	General Fund	Road Fund	Other Funds in the Aggregate
Fund Balances:			
Restricted for:			
General government	\$ 863,686		\$ 624,053
Law enforcement	19,787		984,012
Highways and streets		\$ 583,244	79,554
Public safety			635,901
Sanitation			882,308
Recreation and culture			35,311
Social services	7,192		
Total Restricted	<u>890,665</u>	<u>583,244</u>	<u>3,241,139</u>
Committed for:			
Recreation and culture	20,000		
Capital outlay	90,235		
Total Committed	<u>110,235</u>		
Assigned to:			
Law enforcement	12,298		
Highways and streets		3,753,764	
Recreation and culture	8,930		
Social services	4,676		
Total Assigned	<u>25,904</u>	<u>3,753,764</u>	
Unassigned	<u>4,779,277</u>		<u>(1,994)</u>
Totals	<u>\$ 5,806,081</u>	<u>\$ 4,337,008</u>	<u>\$ 3,239,145</u>

NOTE 7: Deficit Fund Balances

The following fund has deficit fund balances as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
Other Funds in the Aggregate:		
Special Revenue Funds:		
Public Defender	<u>\$ (2,406)</u>	<u>\$ (1,994)</u>

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, 2024 and 2023, the legal debt limit for bonded debt was \$11,680,287 and \$11,073,865, respectively. There were no property tax secured bond issues.

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
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NOTE 8: Legal Debt Limit (Continued)

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, 2024 and 2023, the legal debt limit for short-term financing obligations was \$3,253,871 and \$3,077,525, respectively. There were no short-term financing obligations.

NOTE 9: Commitments

Total commitments consist of the following at December 31, 2024 and 2023:

	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
Long-term liabilities	\$ 99,702	\$ 108,414
Reappraisal contract	152,472	228,708
Total Commitments	<u>\$ 252,174</u>	<u>\$ 337,122</u>

Long-term Liabilities

Long-term liabilities at December 31, 2024 and 2023, are comprised of the following:

	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
Compensated absences consisting of accrued vacation and sick leave adjusted to current salary cost	<u>\$ 99,702</u>	<u>\$ 108,414</u>

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

Change in Compensated Absences

	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
Beginning balance compensated absences	\$ 108,414	\$ 107,927
Ending balance compensated absences	<u>99,702</u>	<u>108,414</u>
Net increase (decrease)	<u>\$ (8,712)</u>	<u>\$ 487</u>

Post Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions

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

County-Wide Reappraisal Contract

The County entered into a contract with Total Assessment Solutions Corporation on January 1, 2022, for a county-wide reappraisal. The County is obligated for 60 monthly payments of \$6,353 for a total of \$381,180 beginning January 15, 2022. Contract expense for 2024 and 2023, were \$76,236 and \$76,236, respectively.

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
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NOTE 9: Commitments (Continued)

County-Wide Reappraisal Contract (Continued)

The County is obligated for the following amounts at December 31, 2024 and 2023:

Year	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
2024		\$ 76,236
2025	\$ 76,236	76,236
2026	76,236	76,236
Totals	<u>\$ 152,472</u>	<u>\$ 228,708</u>

NOTE 10: Interfund Transfers

During 2024, the General Fund transferred \$140,729 to the Road Fund and \$254,671 to the Other Funds in the Aggregate (\$18,075 to the County Public Library Fund, \$38,271 to the Solid Waste Fund, \$3,750 to the Reappraisal Cost Fund, \$189,975 to the Jail Operations and Maintenance Fund, and \$4,600 to the Public Defender Fund) to supplement operations.

During 2023, the General Fund transferred \$145,328 to the Road Fund and \$225,222 to the Other Funds in the Aggregate (\$12,580 to the County Public Library Fund, \$35,368 to the Solid Waste Fund, \$11,094 to the Reappraisal Cost Fund, \$159,180 to the Jail Operating and Maintenance Fund, and \$7,000 to the Public Defender Fund) to supplement operations. Other Funds in the Aggregate (American Rescue Plan Act) transferred \$863,586 to the General Fund to reimburse prior year expenditures.

NOTE 11: Joint Venture: Scott/Sebastian County Regional Library

Scott and Sebastian Counties entered into an agreement in July 1978 in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 13-2-401 to establish the Scott/Sebastian County Regional Library. The agreement states that the Regional Library Board shall employ a regional librarian approved by the Arkansas Library Commission to serve for such terms as the Board may prescribe and be paid from the regional budget. County and branch personnel shall be recommended by the County Library Board and shall be employed only after approval of the regional librarian and the Arkansas Library Commission. The parties also agreed that each county in the region shall contribute a fair share of the expenses; the fair share of the expenses shall be determined by the Regional Library Board. In 2024 and 2023, the County contributed \$4,376 and \$4,376, respectively, to the Scott/Sebastian County Regional Library. Contact the Regional Library at 18 S. Adair Street, Greenwood, AR 72936 to obtain financial statements.

NOTE 12: Jointly Governed Organizations

West River Valley Solid Waste Management District

Conway, Crawford, Franklin, Johnson, Logan, Perry, Pope, Scott, and Yell Counties and the Cities of Van Buren, Ozark, Atkins, Booneville, Alma, Clarksville, Russellville, Paris, Charleston, Morrilton, Waldron, and Dardanelle entered into an agreement in 1991 to form the West River Valley Solid Waste Management District in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 8-6-708. The County paid expenses of \$750 and \$450 for 2024 and 2023, respectively. Separate financial statements may be obtained at 24087 Highway 164, Clarksville, AR 72830.

Fifteenth Judicial District Drug Task Force

The Prosecuting Attorney of the Fifteenth Judicial District, the Sheriff's Departments of Yell, Conway, Scott, and Logan Counties, and the Police Departments of Paris, Booneville, Magazine, Waldron, Plainview, Ola, Dardanelle, Danville, Morrilton, Oppelo, Menifee, Mansfield, and Plumerville entered into an agreement to establish the Fifteenth Judicial District Drug Task Force. Funding was provided through a Drug Law Enforcement Program grant applied for by the Prosecuting Attorney, of the Fifteenth Judicial District. In 2024, the County did not provide any funding but provided \$10,000 in 2023 to the Fifteenth Judicial District Drug Task Force. Financial statements of the Fifteenth Judicial District Drug Task Force are not available.

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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.

Property Program – This program is a blanket policy with coverage up to \$1,100,000,000 for any one loss with a \$1,000 deductible. The County shall pay into the program each year a charge established by the Risk Management Fund Board for covered county property.

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 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.

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 14: 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.

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NOTE 14: Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System (Continued)

Funding Policy

APERS has contributory and non-contributory plans. Contributory members are required by State law to contribute 5% of their salary. Beginning July 1, 2022, the contribution rates shall be increased in increments of .25% per fiscal year, not to exceed 7%. The contributory rate was increased to 5.75% as of July 1, 2024, and 5.50% as of July 1, 2023. 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, 2024 and 2023, were \$433,134 and \$386,838, respectively.

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, 2024 and 2023, (actuarial valuation date and measurement date) was \$3,096,594 and \$3,319,986, respectively.

NOTE 15: 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). In 2022, the County was awarded \$2,353,378 in federal aid from the Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund, which was a part of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, and as of the report date, \$2,353,378 of this amount has been received. The extent of the impact of COVID-19 on financial statements for future reporting periods remains uncertain.

Note 16: Subsequent Events

The County received insurance proceeds of \$192,206 in 2025, related to extensive storm damage that occurred in April 2025. The County also received \$329,240 and \$113,622, in 2026 and 2025, respectively, from the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) related to the April 2025 storm damage.

The County received Title II reimbursements of \$385,142 and \$1,077,216, in 2026 and 2025, respectively, for road project agreements between Scott County and the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, and Ouachita National Forest.

The County signed a contract with the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program effective July 16, 2025, to receive a grant in the amount of \$432,000 to fix the basement water infiltration issues at the County's "Old Courthouse" (Museum). In June 2026, the County received \$150,048 from this grant.

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS								
	Treasurer's Automation	Collector's Automation	Circuit Court Automation	Assessor's Amendment no. 79	County Clerk's Cost	County Recorder's Cost	County Public Library	County Clerk's Operating
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 112,780	\$ 48,456	\$ 24,091	\$ 24,574	\$ 13,978	\$ 346,183	\$ 42,880	\$ 1,485
Accounts receivable			143		2,392	7,175	431	14
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 112,780</u>	<u>\$ 48,456</u>	<u>\$ 24,234</u>	<u>\$ 24,574</u>	<u>\$ 16,370</u>	<u>\$ 353,358</u>	<u>\$ 43,311</u>	<u>\$ 1,499</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES								
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable							\$ 37	\$ 15,936
Settlements pending								
Total Liabilities							<u>37</u>	<u>15,936</u>
Fund Balances:								
Restricted	\$ 112,780	\$ 48,456	\$ 24,234	\$ 24,574	\$ 16,370	\$ 353,358	43,274	\$ 1,499
Unassigned								
Total Fund Balances	<u>112,780</u>	<u>48,456</u>	<u>24,234</u>	<u>24,574</u>	<u>16,370</u>	<u>353,358</u>	<u>43,274</u>	<u>1,499</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 112,780</u>	<u>\$ 48,456</u>	<u>\$ 24,234</u>	<u>\$ 24,574</u>	<u>\$ 16,370</u>	<u>\$ 353,358</u>	<u>\$ 43,311</u>	<u>\$ 1,499</u>

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS								
	Reappraisal Cost	Child Support	Communication Facility and Equipment	Drug Enforcement	Jail Operation and Maintenance	County Detention Facility	Boating Safety	Emergency 911	Public Defender
ASSETS									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 12,139	\$ 7,451	\$ 26,063	\$ 20,938	\$ 674,472	\$ 9,715	\$ 13,408	\$ 460,540	\$ 101
Accounts receivable					3,511	150		47,294	
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 12,139</u>	<u>\$ 7,451</u>	<u>\$ 26,063</u>	<u>\$ 20,938</u>	<u>\$ 677,983</u>	<u>\$ 9,865</u>	<u>\$ 13,408</u>	<u>\$ 507,834</u>	<u>\$ 101</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES									
Liabilities:									
Accounts payable					\$ 5,638			\$ 3,596	\$ 2,507
Settlements pending									
Total Liabilities					<u>5,638</u>			<u>3,596</u>	<u>2,507</u>
Fund Balances:									
Restricted	\$ 12,139	\$ 7,451	\$ 26,063	\$ 20,938	672,345	\$ 9,865	\$ 13,408	504,238	
Unassigned									(2,406)
Total Fund Balances	<u>12,139</u>	<u>7,451</u>	<u>26,063</u>	<u>20,938</u>	<u>672,345</u>	<u>9,865</u>	<u>13,408</u>	<u>504,238</u>	<u>(2,406)</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 12,139</u>	<u>\$ 7,451</u>	<u>\$ 26,063</u>	<u>\$ 20,938</u>	<u>\$ 677,983</u>	<u>\$ 9,865</u>	<u>\$ 13,408</u>	<u>\$ 507,834</u>	<u>\$ 101</u>

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS								
	Victim/Witness	Adult Drug Court	Circuit Court Juvenile Division	Juvenile Representation	Circuit Clerk Commissioner's Fee	District Court Special	Road Disaster	Assessor's Late Assessment Fee	Memorial Hall Grant
ASSETS									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,785	\$ 2,671	\$ 64,878	\$ 14,346	\$ 9,014	\$ 16,866	\$ 222	\$ 3,079	\$ 16,514
Accounts receivable		75							
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 1,785</u>	<u>\$ 2,746</u>	<u>\$ 64,878</u>	<u>\$ 14,346</u>	<u>\$ 9,014</u>	<u>\$ 16,866</u>	<u>\$ 222</u>	<u>\$ 3,079</u>	<u>\$ 16,514</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES									
Liabilities:									
Accounts payable		\$ 187							
Settlements pending									
Total Liabilities		<u>187</u>							
Fund Balances:									
Restricted	\$ 1,785	2,559	\$ 64,878	\$ 14,346	\$ 9,014	\$ 16,866	\$ 222	\$ 3,079	\$ 16,514
Unassigned									
Total Fund Balances	<u>1,785</u>	<u>2,559</u>	<u>64,878</u>	<u>14,346</u>	<u>9,014</u>	<u>16,866</u>	<u>222</u>	<u>3,079</u>	<u>16,514</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 1,785</u>	<u>\$ 2,746</u>	<u>\$ 64,878</u>	<u>\$ 14,346</u>	<u>\$ 9,014</u>	<u>\$ 16,866</u>	<u>\$ 222</u>	<u>\$ 3,079</u>	<u>\$ 16,514</u>

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS								
	Justice Assistant Grant (JAG)	Polling Site Grant	Old Jail Grant	Fire Hydrant Grant	Title III	Old Courthouse Restoration	Title II	Act 576 Security and Emergency Grant	Arkansas Department of Safety Act 786 of 2021
ASSETS									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360	\$ 73,597	\$ 30,833	\$ 79,334	\$ 5,808	\$ 2,314
Accounts receivable									
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 19,197</u>	<u>\$ 1,254</u>	<u>\$ 8,360</u>	<u>\$ 73,597</u>	<u>\$ 30,833</u>	<u>\$ 79,334</u>	<u>\$ 5,808</u>	<u>\$ 2,314</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES									
Liabilities:									
Accounts payable									
Settlements pending									
Total Liabilities									
Fund Balances:									
Restricted	\$ 1	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360	\$ 73,597	\$ 30,833	\$ 79,334	\$ 5,808	\$ 2,314
Unassigned									
Total Fund Balances	<u>1</u>	<u>19,197</u>	<u>1,254</u>	<u>8,360</u>	<u>73,597</u>	<u>30,833</u>	<u>79,334</u>	<u>5,808</u>	<u>2,314</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 19,197</u>	<u>\$ 1,254</u>	<u>\$ 8,360</u>	<u>\$ 73,597</u>	<u>\$ 30,833</u>	<u>\$ 79,334</u>	<u>\$ 5,808</u>	<u>\$ 2,314</u>

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	CUSTODIAL FUNDS					
	Treasurer's Accounts	Collector's Accounts	Sheriff's Accounts	County Clerk's Accounts	District Court Accounts	Totals
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 935,711	\$ 68,657	\$ 42,140	\$ 125,689	\$ 66,476	\$ 4,611,548
Accounts receivable						61,185
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 935,711</u>	<u>\$ 68,657</u>	<u>\$ 42,140</u>	<u>\$ 125,689</u>	<u>\$ 66,476</u>	<u>\$ 4,672,733</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Liabilities:						
Accounts payable						\$ 27,901
Settlements pending	\$ 935,711	\$ 68,657	\$ 42,140	\$ 125,689	\$ 66,476	1,238,673
Total Liabilities	<u>935,711</u>	<u>68,657</u>	<u>42,140</u>	<u>125,689</u>	<u>66,476</u>	<u>1,266,574</u>
Fund Balances:						
Restricted						3,408,565
Unassigned						(2,406)
Total Fund Balances						<u>3,406,159</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 935,711</u>	<u>\$ 68,657</u>	<u>\$ 42,140</u>	<u>\$ 125,689</u>	<u>\$ 66,476</u>	<u>\$ 4,672,733</u>

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	Treasurer's Automation	Collector's Automation	Circuit Court Automation	Assessor's Amendment no. 79	County Clerk's Cost	County Recorder's Cost	County Public Library	Solid Waste
REVENUES								
State aid				\$ 3,504			\$ 6,783	
Federal aid								\$ 200,000
Property taxes							27,547	
Sales taxes								569,508
Fines, forfeitures, and costs			\$ 2,025					
Interest	\$ 585	\$ 320	151	163	\$ 66	\$ 2,078	638	12,723
Officers' fees					19,251	58,405		
Jail fees								
911 fees								
Treasurer's commission	13,648							
Collector's commission		8,893						
Other							2,491	7,764
TOTAL REVENUES	14,233	9,213	2,176	3,667	19,317	60,483	37,459	789,995
Less: Treasurer's commission		6			386	1,208	827	15,627
NET REVENUES	14,233	9,207	2,176	3,667	18,931	59,275	36,632	774,368
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government	14,619	27,776		2,183	26,326	100		
Law enforcement			50					
Public safety								
Sanitation								527,335
Recreation and culture							46,744	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	14,619	27,776	50	2,183	26,326	100	46,744	527,335
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(386)	(18,569)	2,126	1,484	(7,395)	59,175	(10,112)	247,033
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in							18,075	38,271
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(386)	(18,569)	2,126	1,484	(7,395)	59,175	7,963	285,304
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	113,166	67,025	22,108	23,090	23,765	294,183	35,311	882,308
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 112,780	\$ 48,456	\$ 24,234	\$ 24,574	\$ 16,370	\$ 353,358	\$ 43,274	\$ 1,167,612

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	County Clerk's Operating	Reappraisal Cost	Child Support	Communication Facility and Equipment	Drug Enforcement	Jail Operation and Maintenance	County Detention Facility	Boating Safety
REVENUES								
State aid		\$ 68,852						\$ 877
Federal aid						\$ 250,000		
Property taxes								
Sales taxes						569,507		
Fines, forfeitures, and costs					\$ 491		\$ 150	
Interest	\$ 8		\$ 48	\$ 149	138	5,244		84
Officers' fees	400			21,966		9,593		
Jail fees						110,782	2,197	
911 fees								
Treasurer's commission								
Collector's commission								
Other						29,410		
TOTAL REVENUES	408	68,852	48	22,115	629	974,536	2,347	961
Less: Treasurer's commission	8		1			17,757		19
NET REVENUES	400	68,852	47	22,115	629	956,779	2,347	942
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government		76,236						
Law enforcement				22,191	3,008	1,246,421	2,219	
Public safety								
Sanitation								
Recreation and culture								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		76,236		22,191	3,008	1,246,421	2,219	
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	400	(7,384)	47	(76)	(2,379)	(289,642)	128	942
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in		3,750				189,975		
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	400	(3,634)	47	(76)	(2,379)	(99,667)	128	942
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	1,099	15,773	7,404	26,139	23,317	772,012	9,737	12,466
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 1,499	\$ 12,139	\$ 7,451	\$ 26,063	\$ 20,938	\$ 672,345	\$ 9,865	\$ 13,408

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	Emergency 911	Public Defender	Victim/Witness	Adult Drug Court	Circuit Court Juvenile Division	Juvenile Representation	Circuit Clerk Commissioner's Fee	District Court Special
REVENUES								
State aid		\$ 1,271						
Federal aid								
Property taxes								
Sales taxes								
Fines, forfeitures, and costs			\$ 7,380		\$ 780			
Interest	\$ 2,546	10,406		\$ 18 695	794	\$ 535	\$ 58 150	\$ 133
Officers' fees								
Jail fees	15,951							
911 fees	197,556							
Treasurer's commission								
Collector's commission								
Other								
TOTAL REVENUES	216,053	11,677	7,380	713	1,574	535	208	133
Less: Treasurer's commission	4,356				23		4	3
NET REVENUES	211,697	11,677	7,380	713	1,551	535	204	130
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government								
Law enforcement		16,689	7,400	757	793			9,781
Public safety	254,811							
Sanitation								
Recreation and culture								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	254,811	16,689	7,400	757	793			9,781
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(43,114)	(5,012)	(20)	(44)	758	535	204	(9,651)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in		4,600						
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(43,114)	(412)	(20)	(44)	758	535	204	(9,651)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	547,352	(1,994)	1,805	2,603	64,120	13,811	8,810	26,517
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 504,238	\$ (2,406)	\$ 1,785	\$ 2,559	\$ 64,878	\$ 14,346	\$ 9,014	\$ 16,866

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	Road Disaster	Assessor's Late Assessment Fee	Memorial Hall Grant	Justice Assistant Grant (JAG)	Polling Site Grant	Old Jail Grant	Fire Hydrant Grant	Title III
REVENUES								
State aid								
Federal aid								
Property taxes		\$ 357						
Sales taxes								
Fines, forfeitures, and costs								
Interest	\$ 2		\$ 108					
Officers' fees								
Jail fees								
911 fees								
Treasurer's commission								
Collector's commission								
Other								
TOTAL REVENUES	2	357	108					
Less: Treasurer's commission								
NET REVENUES	2	357	108					
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government			780					
Law enforcement								
Public safety								\$ 6,592
Sanitation								
Recreation and culture								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			780					6,592
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER)								
EXPENDITURES	2	357	(672)					(6,592)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in								
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER)								
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	2	357	(672)					(6,592)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	220	2,722	17,186	\$ 1	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360	80,189
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 222	\$ 3,079	\$ 16,514	\$ 1	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360	\$ 73,597

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS				Totals
	Old Courthouse Restoration	Title II	Act 576 Security and Emergency Grant	Arkansas Department of Safety Act 786 of 2021	
REVENUES					
State aid					\$ 81,287
Federal aid					450,000
Property taxes					27,904
Sales taxes					1,139,015
Fines, forfeitures, and costs					10,826
Interest	\$ 200				37,195
Officers' fees					110,460
Jail fees					128,930
911 fees					197,556
Treasurer's commission					13,648
Collector's commission					8,893
Other					39,665
TOTAL REVENUES	200				2,245,379
Less: Treasurer's commission					40,225
NET REVENUES	200				2,205,154
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					
General government					148,020
Law enforcement					1,309,309
Public safety					261,403
Sanitation					527,335
Recreation and culture					46,744
TOTAL EXPENDITURES					2,292,811
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER)					
EXPENDITURES	200				(87,657)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)					
Transfers in					254,671
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER)					
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	200				167,014
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	30,633	\$ 79,334	\$ 5,808	\$ 2,314	3,239,145
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 30,833	\$ 79,334	\$ 5,808	\$ 2,314	\$ 3,406,159

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS								
	Treasurer's Automation	Collector's Automation	Circuit Court Automation	Assessor's Amendment no. 79	County Clerk's Cost	County Recorder's Cost	County Public Library	County Clerk's Operating
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 100,147	\$ 67,033	\$ 21,936	\$ 23,090	\$ 21,677	\$ 287,115	\$ 34,933	\$ 1,085
Accounts receivable	13,019		172		2,356	7,068	415	14
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 113,166</u>	<u>\$ 67,033</u>	<u>\$ 22,108</u>	<u>\$ 23,090</u>	<u>\$ 24,033</u>	<u>\$ 294,183</u>	<u>\$ 35,348</u>	<u>\$ 1,099</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES								
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable		\$ 8			\$ 268		\$ 37	\$ 15,622
Settlements pending								
Total Liabilities		<u>8</u>			<u>268</u>		<u>37</u>	<u>15,622</u>
Fund Balances:								
Restricted	\$ 113,166	67,025	\$ 22,108	\$ 23,090	23,765	\$ 294,183	35,311	\$ 1,099
Unassigned								
Total Fund Balances	<u>113,166</u>	<u>67,025</u>	<u>22,108</u>	<u>23,090</u>	<u>23,765</u>	<u>294,183</u>	<u>35,311</u>	<u>1,099</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 113,166</u>	<u>\$ 67,033</u>	<u>\$ 22,108</u>	<u>\$ 23,090</u>	<u>\$ 24,033</u>	<u>\$ 294,183</u>	<u>\$ 35,348</u>	<u>\$ 1,099</u>

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS									
	Reappraisal Cost	Child Support	Communication Facility and Equipment	Drug Enforcement	Jail Operation and Maintenance	County Detention Facility	Boating Safety	Emergency 911	Public Defender
ASSETS									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 15,773	\$ 7,404	\$ 26,139	\$ 23,317	\$ 775,193	\$ 9,724	\$ 12,466	\$ 498,757	\$ 2,452
Accounts receivable					3,270	13		49,016	
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 15,773</u>	<u>\$ 7,404</u>	<u>\$ 26,139</u>	<u>\$ 23,317</u>	<u>\$ 778,463</u>	<u>\$ 9,737</u>	<u>\$ 12,466</u>	<u>\$ 547,773</u>	<u>\$ 2,452</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES									
Liabilities:									
Accounts payable					\$ 6,451			\$ 421	\$ 4,446
Settlements pending									
Total Liabilities					<u>6,451</u>			<u>421</u>	<u>4,446</u>
Fund Balances:									
Restricted	\$ 15,773	\$ 7,404	\$ 26,139	\$ 23,317	772,012	\$ 9,737	\$ 12,466	547,352	
Unassigned									(1,994)
Total Fund Balances	<u>15,773</u>	<u>7,404</u>	<u>26,139</u>	<u>23,317</u>	<u>772,012</u>	<u>9,737</u>	<u>12,466</u>	<u>547,352</u>	<u>(1,994)</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 15,773</u>	<u>\$ 7,404</u>	<u>\$ 26,139</u>	<u>\$ 23,317</u>	<u>\$ 778,463</u>	<u>\$ 9,737</u>	<u>\$ 12,466</u>	<u>\$ 547,773</u>	<u>\$ 2,452</u>

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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	Victim/Witness	Adult Drug Court	Circuit Court Juvenile Division	Juvenile Representation	Circuit Clerk Commissioner's Fee	District Court Special	Road Disaster	Assessor's Late Assessment Fee
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,805	\$ 2,799	\$ 64,120	\$ 13,811	\$ 8,810	\$ 26,517	\$ 220	\$ 2,698
Accounts receivable								24
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 1,805</u>	<u>\$ 2,799</u>	<u>\$ 64,120</u>	<u>\$ 13,811</u>	<u>\$ 8,810</u>	<u>\$ 26,517</u>	<u>\$ 220</u>	<u>\$ 2,722</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES								
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable		\$ 196						
Settlements pending								
Total Liabilities		<u>196</u>						
Fund Balances:								
Restricted	\$ 1,805	2,603	\$ 64,120	\$ 13,811	\$ 8,810	\$ 26,517	\$ 220	\$ 2,722
Unassigned								
Total Fund Balances	<u>1,805</u>	<u>2,603</u>	<u>64,120</u>	<u>13,811</u>	<u>8,810</u>	<u>26,517</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>2,722</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 1,805</u>	<u>\$ 2,799</u>	<u>\$ 64,120</u>	<u>\$ 13,811</u>	<u>\$ 8,810</u>	<u>\$ 26,517</u>	<u>\$ 220</u>	<u>\$ 2,722</u>

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ASSETS

	Memorial Hall Grant	Justice Assistant Grant (JAG)	Polling Site Grant	Old Jail Grant	Fire Hydrant Grant	Title III	Old Courthouse Restoration	Title II
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 17,186	\$ 1	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360	\$ 80,189	\$ 30,633	\$ 79,334
Accounts receivable								
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 17,186</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 19,197</u>	<u>\$ 1,254</u>	<u>\$ 8,360</u>	<u>\$ 80,189</u>	<u>\$ 30,633</u>	<u>\$ 79,334</u>
LIABILITES AND FUND BALANCES								
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable								
Settlements pending								
Total Liabilities								
Fund Balances:								
Restricted	\$ 17,186	\$ 1	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360	\$ 80,189	\$ 30,633	\$ 79,334
Unassigned								
Total Fund Balances	<u>17,186</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>19,197</u>	<u>1,254</u>	<u>8,360</u>	<u>80,189</u>	<u>30,633</u>	<u>79,334</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 17,186</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 19,197</u>	<u>\$ 1,254</u>	<u>\$ 8,360</u>	<u>\$ 80,189</u>	<u>\$ 30,633</u>	<u>\$ 79,334</u>

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE -
REGULATORY BASIS
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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS		CUSTODIAL FUNDS					
	Act 576 Security and Emergency Grant	Arkansas Department of Safety Act 786 of 2021	Treasurer's Accounts	Collector's Accounts	Sheriff's Accounts	County Clerk's Accounts	District Court Accounts	Totals
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,808	\$ 2,314	\$ 747,922	\$ 62,776	\$ 37,094	\$ 267,402	\$ 55,185	\$ 4,361,606
Accounts receivable								75,367
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 5,808</u>	<u>\$ 2,314</u>	<u>\$ 747,922</u>	<u>\$ 62,776</u>	<u>\$ 37,094</u>	<u>\$ 267,402</u>	<u>\$ 55,185</u>	<u>\$ 4,436,973</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES								
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable								\$ 27,449
Settlements pending			\$ 747,922	\$ 62,776	\$ 37,094	\$ 267,402	\$ 55,185	1,170,379
Total Liabilities			<u>747,922</u>	<u>62,776</u>	<u>37,094</u>	<u>267,402</u>	<u>55,185</u>	<u>1,197,828</u>
Fund Balances:								
Restricted	\$ 5,808	\$ 2,314						3,241,139
Unassigned								(1,994)
Total Fund Balances	<u>5,808</u>	<u>2,314</u>						<u>3,239,145</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$ 5,808</u>	<u>\$ 2,314</u>	<u>\$ 747,922</u>	<u>\$ 62,776</u>	<u>\$ 37,094</u>	<u>\$ 267,402</u>	<u>\$ 55,185</u>	<u>\$ 4,436,973</u>

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE -
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Schedule 4

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	Treasurer's Automation	Collector's Automation	Circuit Court Automation	Assessor's Amendment no. 79	County Clerk's Cost	County Recorder's Cost	County Public Library	Solid Waste
REVENUES								
State aid				\$ 3,426	\$ 22,753		\$ 6,382	
Federal aid		\$ 195						\$ 150,000
Property taxes							26,517	
Sales taxes								559,386
Fines, forfeitures, and costs			\$ 1,967					
Interest	\$ 816	320	170	214	192	\$ 2,176	260	31,783
Officers' fees					20,581	61,674		
Jail fees								
911 fees								
Treasurer's commission	13,019							
Collector's commission		18,218						
Other							2,431	12,499
TOTAL REVENUES	13,835	18,733	2,137	3,640	43,526	63,850	35,590	753,668
Less: Treasurer's commission		5			408	1,249	657	14,340
NET REVENUES	13,835	18,728	2,137	3,640	43,118	62,601	34,933	739,328
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government	843	28,717		5,401	52,682	10,871		
Law enforcement								
Highways and streets								
Public safety								
Sanitation								547,064
Recreation and culture							49,544	
Water extension								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	843	28,717		5,401	52,682	10,871	49,544	547,064
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	12,992	(9,989)	2,137	(1,761)	(9,564)	51,730	(14,611)	192,264
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in							12,580	35,368
Transfers out								
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							12,580	35,368
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	12,992	(9,989)	2,137	(1,761)	(9,564)	51,730	(2,031)	227,632
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	100,174	77,014	19,971	24,851	33,329	242,453	37,342	654,676
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 113,166	\$ 67,025	\$ 22,108	\$ 23,090	\$ 23,765	\$ 294,183	\$ 35,311	\$ 882,308

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
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REGULATORY BASIS
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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	County Clerk's Operating	Reappraisal Cost	Child Support	Communication Facility and Equipment	Drug Enforcement	Jail Operation and Maintenance	County Detention Facility	Boating Safety
REVENUES								
State aid		\$ 68,852						\$ 908
Federal aid						\$ 250,000		
Property taxes						559,386		
Sales taxes						23,342		
Fines, forfeitures, and costs					\$ 1,384	6,451		
Interest	\$ 9		\$ 77	\$ 95	203			97
Officers' fees	120		36	23,136		13,054		
Jail fees						131,460	\$ 2,447	
911 fees								
Treasurer's commission								
Collector's commission								
Other						4,487		
TOTAL REVENUES	129	68,852	113	23,231	1,587	988,180	2,447	1,005
Less: Treasurer's commission	2		2			17,471		20
NET REVENUES	127	68,852	111	23,231	1,587	970,709	2,447	985
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government		76,236	2,245					
Law enforcement				16,512	3,841	1,097,786	9,118	
Highways and streets								
Public safety								
Sanitation								
Recreation and culture								
Water extension								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		76,236	2,245	16,512	3,841	1,097,786	9,118	
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	127	(7,384)	(2,134)	6,719	(2,254)	(127,077)	(6,671)	985
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in		11,094				159,180		
Transfers out								
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		11,094				159,180		
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	127	3,710	(2,134)	6,719	(2,254)	32,103	(6,671)	985
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	972	12,063	9,538	19,420	25,571	739,909	16,408	11,481
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 1,099	\$ 15,773	\$ 7,404	\$ 26,139	\$ 23,317	\$ 772,012	\$ 9,737	\$ 12,466

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE -
REGULATORY BASIS
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Schedule 4

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	Emergency 911	Public Defender	Victim/Witness	Adult Drug Court	Circuit Court Juvenile Division	Juvenile Representation	Circuit Clerk Commissioner's Fee	District Court Special
REVENUES								
State aid		\$ 1,468						
Federal aid								
Property taxes								
Sales taxes								
Fines, forfeitures, and costs		4,891	\$ 7,380		\$ 1,420			
Interest	\$ 3,873	18		\$ 26	688	\$ 362	\$ 71	\$ 226
Officers' fees				870			84	
Jail fees								
911 fees	227,605							
Treasurer's commission								
Collector's commission								
Other				8				
TOTAL REVENUES	231,478	6,377	7,380	904	2,108	362	155	226
Less: Treasurer's commission	4,398				41		3	4
NET REVENUES	227,080	6,377	7,380	904	2,067	362	152	222
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government								
Law enforcement		15,711	7,400	2,104	1,100			5,549
Highways and streets								
Public safety	226,111							
Sanitation								
Recreation and culture								
Water extension								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	226,111	15,711	7,400	2,104	1,100			5,549
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	969	(9,334)	(20)	(1,200)	967	362	152	(5,327)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in		7,000						
Transfers out								
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		7,000						
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	969	(2,334)	(20)	(1,200)	967	362	152	(5,327)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	546,383	340	1,825	3,803	63,153	13,449	8,658	31,844
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 547,352	\$ (1,994)	\$ 1,805	\$ 2,603	\$ 64,120	\$ 13,811	\$ 8,810	\$ 26,517

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE -
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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS							
	Road Disaster	Assessor's Late Assessment Fee	American Rescue Plan Act	Memorial Hall Grant	Justice Assistant Grant (JAG)	Polling Site Grant	Old Jail Grant	Fire Hydrant Grant
REVENUES								
State aid								
Federal aid			\$ 731					
Property taxes		\$ 490						
Sales taxes								
Fines, forfeitures, and costs								
Interest	\$ 2			\$ 2				
Officers' fees								
Jail fees								
911 fees								
Treasurer's commission								
Collector's commission								
Other				17,025				
TOTAL REVENUES	2	490	731	17,027				
Less: Treasurer's commission								
NET REVENUES	2	490	731	17,027				
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government			129,565					
Law enforcement					\$ 2,550			
Highways and streets								
Public safety								
Sanitation								
Recreation and culture								
Water extension								
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			129,565		2,550			
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER)								
EXPENDITURES	2	490	(128,834)	17,027	(2,550)			
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers in								
Transfers out			(863,586)					
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			(863,586)					
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER)								
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	2	490	(992,420)	17,027	(2,550)			
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	218	2,232	992,420	159	2,551	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 220	\$ 2,722	\$ 0	\$ 17,186	\$ 1	\$ 19,197	\$ 1,254	\$ 8,360

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE -
REGULATORY BASIS
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	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS						
	Title III	Old Courthouse Restoration	Title II	Act 576 Security and Emergency Grant	Harvey/Nola Water Extension Project	Arkansas Department of Safety Act 786 of 2021	Totals
REVENUES							
State aid		\$ 20,000					\$ 123,789
Federal aid					\$ 87,475		488,401
Property taxes							27,007
Sales taxes							1,118,772
Fines, forfeitures, and costs							40,384
Interest		174					48,305
Officers' fees							119,555
Jail fees							133,907
911 fees							227,605
Treasurer's commission							13,019
Collector's commission							18,218
Other							36,450
TOTAL REVENUES		20,174			87,475		2,395,412
Less: Treasurer's commission							38,600
NET REVENUES		20,174			87,475		2,356,812
EXPENDITURES							
Current:							
General government		10,825					317,385
Law enforcement						\$ 97,686	1,259,357
Highways and streets			\$ 11,309				11,309
Public safety	\$ 10,283						236,394
Sanitation							547,064
Recreation and culture							49,544
Water extension					87,475		87,475
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	10,283	10,825	11,309		87,475	97,686	2,508,528
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(10,283)	9,349	(11,309)			(97,686)	(151,716)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							
Transfers in							225,222
Transfers out							(863,586)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							(638,364)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(10,283)	9,349	(11,309)			(97,686)	(790,080)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1	90,472	21,284	90,643	\$ 5,808		100,000	4,029,225
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 80,189	\$ 30,633	\$ 79,334	\$ 5,808	\$ 0	\$ 2,314	\$ 3,239,145

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 THROUGH 4
DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023

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

<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Fund Description</u>
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.
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.
Solid Waste	Scott County Ordinance no. 2001-17 (July 16, 2001) established fund for the collection of a one cent county-wide sales tax. The County is to receive 50% of the tax collection to be used for solid waste purposes.
County Clerk's Operating	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-20-407 established a \$2 marriage license fee to be used for county clerk's cost.
Reappraisal Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 26-26-1907 established fund to pay reappraisals of real property with revenue received from the State.
Child Support	Ark. Code Ann. § 9-10-109 established fund to receive fees to offset administrative costs in the clerk's office.
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.

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 THROUGH 4
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The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Fund Description</u>
Drug Enforcement	Ark. Code Ann. § 5-64-505 established fund to receive asset forfeitures resulting from drug offense cases due to arresting agency.
Jail Operation and Maintenance	Scott County Ordinance no. 2008-44 (December 16, 2008) established fund to receive state jail fees and a 1/2 cent sales tax, approved by voters, for operation of the County Detention Center.
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	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.
Emergency 911	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-10-318 established fund to receive fees collected by telephone providers for 911 emergency services.
Public Defender	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-307 established the County Administration of Justice Fund which continued to finance this fund to be used for defense of indigents.
Victim/Witness	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-21-151 established fund to receive district court costs levied to be used by prosecuting attorney for operating victim/witness program.
Adult Drug Court	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	Ark. Code Ann. §§ 16-13-326, 9-27-367 established fund to receive juvenile fees, court costs, and fines to provide services and supplies to juveniles at the discretion of the juvenile division of circuit court.
Juvenile Representation	Scott County Ordinance no. 2005-22 (May 16, 2005) established fund on the Treasurer's records for old juvenile fees collected by the Circuit Clerk to be used at the discretion of the Juvenile Division of the Circuit Court along with the guidelines of Ark. Code Ann. § 16-13-326.
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.

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 THROUGH 4
DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023

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

<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Fund Description</u>
District Court Special	Scott County Ordinance no. 1999-15 (May 17, 1999) established fund to collect \$5 on each fine levied by the Court to provide funds to pay for the purchasing and repairing of court equipment.
Road Disaster	Scott County Ordinance no. 2008-26 (June 16, 2008) established fund to account for federal and state disaster relief funds related to the restoration of county roads.
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 (SLRF), a part of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021, to support response to and recovery from the COVID-19 public health emergency.
Memorial Hall Grant	Established to receive and monitor disbursements of state grant.
Justice Assistant Grant (JAG)	Established to receive and monitor disbursements of state grant.
Polling Site Grant	Established to receive and monitor disbursements of state grant.
Old Jail Grant	Established to receive and monitor disbursements of state grant.
Fire Hydrant Grant	Established to receive and monitor disbursements of state grant.
Title III	Federal funds received from the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service to be used for certain types of public projects identified in Public Law 106-393, the Secure Rural School and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (supervision of community service workers, search, rescue, and emergency services).
Old Courthouse Restoration	Scott County Ordinance no. 1995-4 (February 21, 1995) established fund to account for grant funds for the improvements of the Old Scott County courthouse.
Title II	Federal funds received from the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service to be used for certain types of public projects identified in Public Law 106-393, the Secure Rural School and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (road projects on federal lands).
Act 576 Security and Emergency Grant	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-1006 established fund for the purpose of providing financial assistance to local governments to assist in the implementation of local security and emergency preparedness plans for circuit and district courts.

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 THROUGH 4
DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023

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

<u>Fund Name</u>	<u>Fund Description</u>
Harvey/Nola Water Extension Project	Federal grant received through the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission - Arkansas Community and Economic Development Program for the Harvey/Nola water expansion project.
Arkansas Department of Safety Act 786 of 2021	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-1-103 established fund to account for a grant received from the Arkansas Public Safety Equipment Grant Program for the purchase of law enforcement equipment aiding in improving trust and relationships between law enforcement and their communities.

Treasurer's accounts consist primarily of property taxes, treasurer's commission, collector's commission, 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/Circuit Clerk's accounts consist primarily of trust money awaiting disposition by the applicable court.

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

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
OTHER INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS
DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023
(Unaudited)

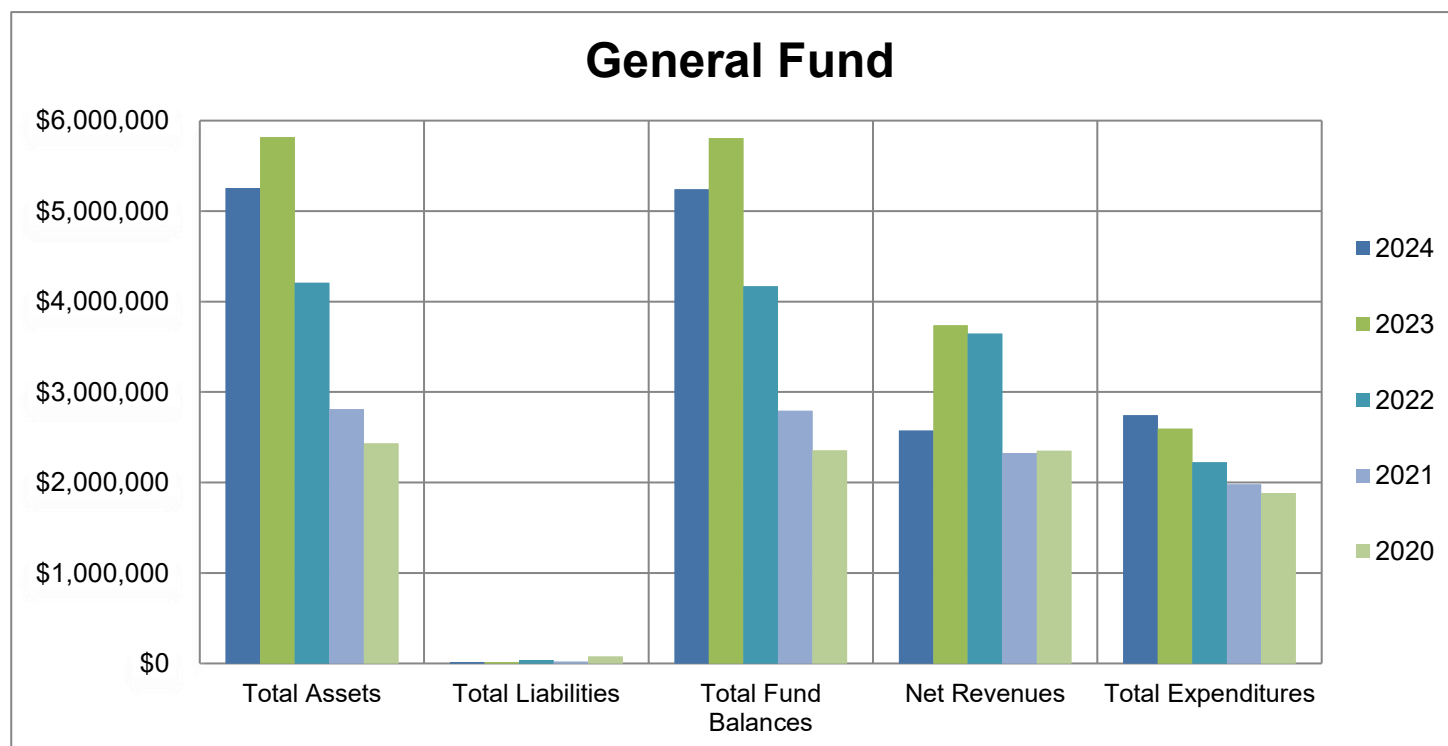
Schedule 5

	December 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
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Land and buildings	\$ 8,718,096	\$ 8,718,096
Equipment	<u>4,708,927</u>	<u>4,347,240</u>
Totals	<u><u>\$ 13,427,023</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 13,065,336</u></u>

SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - GENERAL FUND - REGULATORY BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 2024
(Unaudited)

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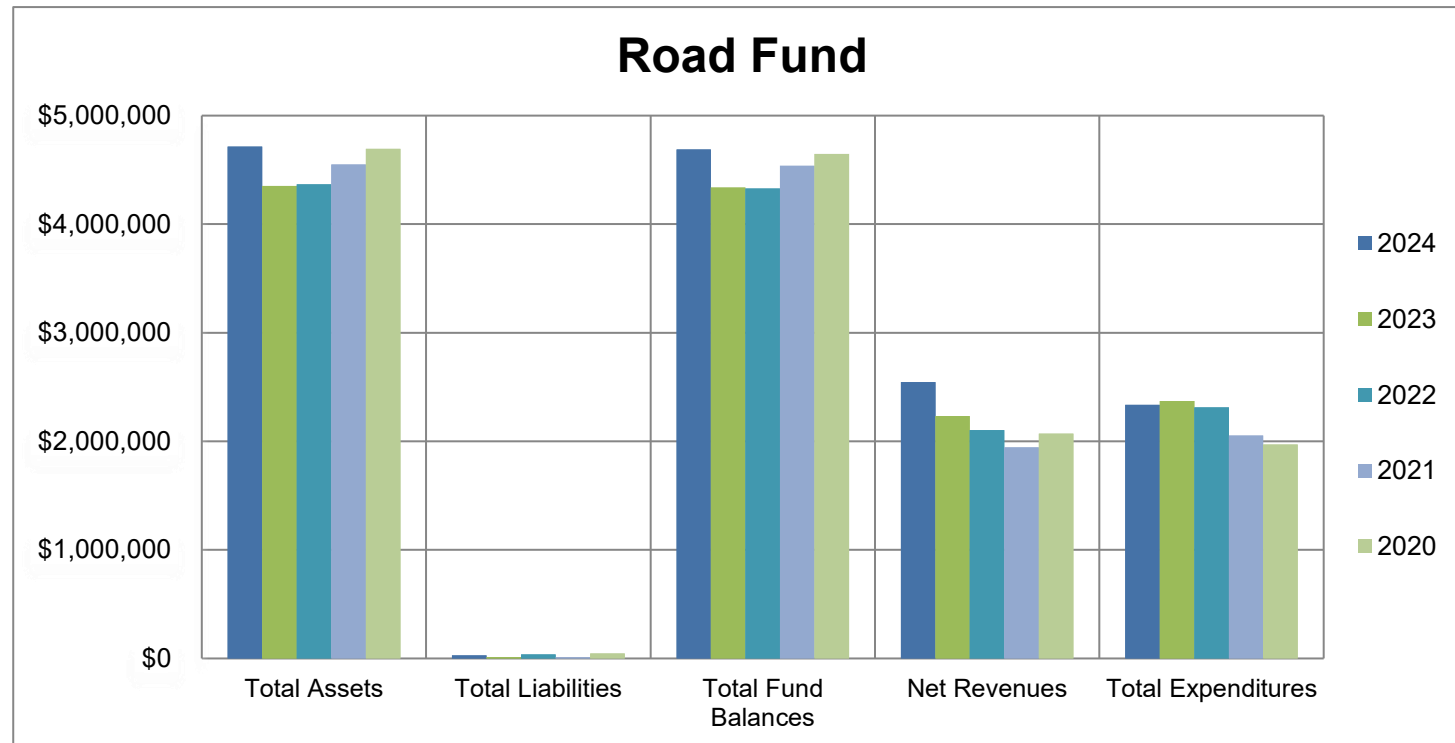
<u>General</u>	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total Assets	\$ 5,254,647	\$ 5,817,588	\$ 4,207,974	\$ 2,811,667	\$ 2,430,135
Total Liabilities	14,583	11,507	37,963	20,490	75,453
Total Fund Balances	5,240,064	5,806,081	4,170,011	2,791,177	2,354,682
Net Revenues	2,573,024	3,735,830	3,644,181	2,325,250	2,350,004
Total Expenditures	2,743,641	2,592,796	2,223,141	1,980,554	1,882,502
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses	(395,400)	493,036	(42,206)	91,799	(160,636)



SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - ROAD FUND - REGULATORY BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 2024
(Unaudited)

Schedule 6-2

<u>Road</u>	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total Assets	\$ 4,714,511	\$ 4,350,616	\$ 4,367,037	\$ 4,549,394	\$ 4,692,826
Total Liabilities	27,166	13,608	37,193	11,898	45,222
Total Fund Balances	4,687,345	4,337,008	4,329,844	4,537,496	4,647,604
Net Revenues	2,546,125	2,233,125	2,104,427	1,943,516	2,072,129
Total Expenditures	2,336,517	2,371,289	2,312,079	2,053,624	1,971,390
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses	140,729	145,328			



SCOTT COUNTY, ARKANSAS
SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 2024
(Unaudited)

Schedule 6-3

Other Funds in the Aggregate	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total Assets	\$ 4,672,733	\$ 4,436,973	\$ 5,045,809	\$ 4,343,031	\$ 3,754,101
Total Liabilities	1,266,574	1,197,828	1,016,584	960,026	1,171,053
Total Fund Balances	3,406,159	3,239,145	4,029,225	3,383,005	2,583,048
Net Revenues	2,205,154	2,356,812	3,400,235	3,477,027	3,007,504
Total Expenditures	2,292,811	2,508,528	2,796,221	2,585,271	2,366,012
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses	254,671	(638,364)	42,206	(91,799)	160,636

