Town of Black Oak, Arkansas

Financial and Compliance Report

December 31, 2023



LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE

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Town of Black Oak, Arkansas Officials and Council Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

A priority of Arkansas Legislative Audit is to assist local government officials by promoting sound financial management and accountability of government resources. The Legislative Auditor reports on the fiscal affairs of local governments, as well as compliance with relevant state laws and observance of good business practices to provide accountability for tax dollars expended to support government operations.

We have performed certain limited procedures with respect to cash basis financial information and compliance with certain state laws and accepted accounting practices for the Town of Black Oak, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, and have issued our report thereon dated April 16, 2024. These procedures were not performed for the Waterworks Fund. Management of the Town is responsible for maintaining the financial records and complying with state laws and accepted accounting practices.

The commentary contained in this section relates to the following officials who held office during 2023:

Mayor: Eddie Dunigan Recorder/Treasurer: Tina Davis

We evaluated the Town's compliance with certain state laws concerning general accounting, budgeting, purchasing, and investing and depositing of public funds.

During our evaluation, nothing came to our attention that would warrant disclosure in this report.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee, local Town government, state executive and oversight 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 April 16, 2024 LOM302423

TOWN OF BLACK OAK, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)

	General Fund		Special Revenue Funds	
Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$	521,424	\$	222,276
Receipts:				
State aid		3,543		19,655
Property taxes		4,197		2,565
Franchise fees		13,129		
Sales taxes		62,660		
Interest		7,487		1,393
Other		1,750		
Total Receipts		92,766		23,613
Disbursements:				
General government		69,570		
Highways and streets				7,141
Contributions to water		5,286		
Total Disbursements		74,856		7,141
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	\$	539,334	\$	238,748

Schedule 1

TOWN OF BLACK OAK, ARKANSAS COMBINING SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION - SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)

	American Rescue Plan Street Act Total				
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Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$	167,652	\$	54,624	\$ 222,276
Receipts:					
State aid		19,655			19,655
Property taxes		2,565			2,565
Interest		1,393			1,393
Total Receipts		23,613			 23,613
Disbursements:					
Highways and streets		7,141			 7,141
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	\$	184,124	\$	54,624	\$ 238,748

Schedule 2

TOWN OF BLACK OAK, ARKANSAS OTHER INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (UNAUDITED)

1. Cash balances on the Financial Schedules include demand accounts and certificates of deposit.

2. The Municipality's capital assets records are summarized below:

	December 31, 2023		
Land Buildings Equipment	\$	90,363 171,051 161,264	
Total	\$	422,678	

Schedule 3