Town of Moro, Arkansas

# **Financial and Compliance Report**

December 31, 2023



LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE

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Financial and Compliance Report

Town of Moro, 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 Moro, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, and have issued our report thereon dated January 9, 2025. These procedures were not performed for the Water and Sewer 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: David Waldrip Recorder/Treasurer: Andrea Helton

We evaluated the Town's compliance with certain state laws concerning general and district court 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 January 9, 2025 LOM311023

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

		General Fund	Special Revenue Funds		
Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$	306,423	\$	196,125	
Receipts:					
State aid		2,691		19,137	
Property taxes		2,538			
Franchise fees		8,379			
Sales taxes		94,634			
Interest		7,216		3,594	
Local permits and fees		75			
Rentals		3,000			
Other		6,439			
Transfers in				4,000	
Total Receipts		132,141		29,269	
Disbursements:					
General government		43,815			
Highways and streets				1,850	
Public safety		4,501		5,132	
Recreation and culture		5,836			
Transfers out		4,000			
Total Disbursements		58,152		6,982	
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	\$	380,412	\$	218,412	

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

	 Street	Fire D	epartment		merican scue Plan Act	Total
Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$ 157,146	\$	2,101	\$	36,878	\$ 196,125
Receipts:						
State aid	14,931		4,206			19,137
Property taxes	2,538					2,538
Interest	3,594					3,594
Transfers in			4,000			4,000
Total Receipts	 21,063		8,206			 29,269
Disbursements:						
Highways and streets	1,850					1,850
Public safety			5,132			5,132
Total Disbursements	 1,850		5,132	_		 6,982
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	\$ 176,359	\$	5,175	\$	36,878	\$ 218,412

Schedule 2

#### TOWN OF MORO, 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 General Fund column on the Financial Schedules includes the following bank accounts: General and Community Center
- 3. The Municipality's capital assets records are summarized below:

	De	December 31, 2023		
Land Buildings Equipment	\$	35,000 235,000 104,256		
Total	\$	374,256		