

Town of Smithville, Arkansas

Financial and Compliance Report

December 31, 2023

LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE



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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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Town of Smithville, 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 Smithville, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, and have issued our report thereon dated March 20, 2025. 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: Chriss Penn
Recorder/Treasurer: Lindsay Penn

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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A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Kevin White", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Kevin William White, CPA, JD
Legislative Auditor

Little Rock, Arkansas
March 20, 2025
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TOWN OF SMITHVILLE, ARKANSAS
SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023
(UNAUDITED)

Schedule 1

	General Fund	Special Revenue Funds
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Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$ 64,354	\$ 29,950
Receipts:		
State aid	1,323	7,339
Property taxes	765	657
Franchise fees	6,447	
Sales taxes	10,086	
Interest	3,968	1,122
Fire improvement district loan repayment	10,000	
Other	1,036	78
Total Receipts	<u>33,625</u>	<u>9,196</u>
Disbursements:		
General government	15,961	
Highways and streets		5,759
Loan to fire improvement district	10,000	
Total Disbursements	<u>25,961</u>	<u>5,759</u>
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	<u>\$ 72,018</u>	<u>\$ 33,387</u>

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

Schedule 2

	Street	American Rescue Plan Act	Total
Cash Balance, January 1, 2023	\$ 20,562	\$ 9,388	\$ 29,950
Receipts:			
State aid	7,339		7,339
Property taxes	657		657
Interest	1,122		1,122
Other	78		78
Total Receipts	<u>9,196</u>		<u>9,196</u>
Disbursements:			
Highways and streets	<u>5,759</u>		<u>5,759</u>
Cash Balance, December 31, 2023	<u><u>\$ 23,999</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 9,388</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 33,387</u></u>

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OTHER INFORMATION
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Schedule 3

1. Cash balances on the Financial Schedules include demand accounts.
2. The Municipality's capital assets records are summarized below:

	<u>December 31,</u> <u>2023</u>
Land	\$ 6,750
Equipment	<u>22,631</u>
Total	<u><u>\$ 29,381</u></u>