CITY OF FOUNTAIN HILL. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors City of Fountain Hill. Fountain Hill, Arkansas 71642

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial position of City of Fountain Hill., as of December 31, 2021, and the related statement of activity, functional expenses, for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

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

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of City of Fountain Hill, as of December 31, 2021, and changes in its net assets for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> we have also issued a report dated August 16, 2022 on our consideration of City of Fountain Hill's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants.

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CITY OF FOUNTAIN HILL. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2021

ASSETS

<u>Current Assets</u> Cash – Operating Accounts Receivables Total Current Assets	\$	211,856 <u>38,522</u> 250,378
Property and Equipment Building Water/Sewer Treatment Plant Fire Station Park Equipment Water Equipment Street Equipment Fire Total Property and Equipment		444,800 1,159,979 94,616 47,087 19,000 21,500 <u>183,946</u> <u>1,970,928</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	2,221,306
LIABILITIES AND NET ASS	<u>SETS</u>	
<u>Current Liabilities</u> Accrued Payroll Liabilities Water Meter Deposits Total Current Liabilities	\$	1,314 <u>13.658</u> 14,972
Long Term Liabilities		
CNext USDA USDA Arkansas Natural Resources Comm		12,216 27,610 861,376 <u>109,031</u>

Net Assets1,196,101Unrestricted2.221,306

Total Long Term Liabilities

Total Liabilities

See accompanying note and Accountant's Report

1,010,233

1,025,205

CITY OF FOUNTAIN HILL. STATEMENT OF ACTIVITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

\$ 65,832 General 261,976 Water 21,645 Sewer 11,359 Sanitation 20,165 Street 5,400 Fire General 9,419 Fire 833 3,675 Fund Raiser Fire 8,200 Rent 288,056 Treatment Grant 16,325 America's Rescue Plan 38 Interest 15,600 Transfer Debt Service 727,690 \$ **Total Revenues** Expenses 61,931 \$ General 211,979 Water 14,902 Sewer 13,907 Sanitation 16,243 Street 20,932 Fire 339,894 **Total Expenses** 387,796 \$ Increase in Unrestricted Net Assets 808,305 Net Assets at Beginning of Year \$ 1,196,101 Net Assets at End of Year

Revenue

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CITY OF FOUNTAIN HILL. FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	General	Water	Sewer	Sanitation	Street	Fire	Totals
Salaries	14,074	59,888		9,642		1,440	85,044
Payroll Taxes	1,324	6,022		738		110	8,194
Employee Benefits		4,016					4,016
Utilities	7,596	11,594	4,888		7,396	793	32,267
Insurance	8,724	3,682	143	144	100	2,261	15,054
Supplies	7,691	12,259	454	48	671	6,289	27,412
Professional Fees	4,214					a to start to call	4,214
Fees	2,921	4,484	3,606	6	6	1,945	12,968
Repairs/Maintenance	9,104	14,239	3,794	972	4,956	2,927	35,992
Contract Labor	370	11,280		360	2,663	750	15,423
Administration	2,296	27					2,296
Postage	121	2,908					3,029
Auto		2,467		890	451	1,233	5,041
Sales Tax		18,879					18,879
Landfill				1,107			1,107
Rent		60		1777 # 2. 1997 1989		60	120
Fundraiser Expense						2,607	2,607
Interest		47,601	2,017			517	50,135
Travel	496						496
Inter Account Transfer	3,000	12,600					15,600
Total			_				
Expenses	<u>61,931</u>	211,979	14,902	13,907	<u>16,243</u>	<u>20,932</u>	<u>339,894</u>

See accompanying note and Accountant's Report

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CITY OF FOUNTAIN HILL. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting methods and procedures adopted by the City conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applied to governmental entities. The following notes to the financial statements are an integral part of the City's Financial Statements.

Financial Reporting Entity

The City of Fountain Hill was incorporated under the laws of the State of Arkansas and operated under an elected Mayor-Council form of government. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, the financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the City (the primary government).

Basis of Accounting

Basis of Accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized and reported in the financial statements. Revenue is recognized when thy become measurable and available as net current assets. Available means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay current liabilities. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis when the related fund liability is incurred.

Fixed Assets

General fixed assets purchased are recorded as expenditures at the time of purchase. Such assets, excluding infrastructure assets, are capitalized at cost. No depreciation has been provided on general fixed assets.

Receivables

Receivables primarily consist of balances owed on water bills.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

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

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH <u>GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS</u>

To the Board of Directors City of Fountain Hill. Fountain Hill, Arkansas 71642

We have audited the financial statements of City of Fountain Hill., as of and for the year ended December 31, 2021, and have issued our report there on dated August 16, 2022. We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether City of Fountain Hill's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered City of Fountain Hill's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. However, we noted certain matters involving internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be reportable conditions. Reportable conditions involve matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal control over financial reporting that, in our judgment, could adversely affect City of Fountain Hill's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements. Reportable conditions are as follows:

A lack of appropriate segregation of duties due to a small office setting.

A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all

reportable conditions that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, we believe none of the reportable conditions described above are material weaknesses.

This report is intended for the information of the audit committee, management and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities. However, this report is a matter of public record, and its distribution is not limited.

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