Financial Statements with Supplementary Information December 31, 2018

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BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK <u>PART I</u>

REPORT ON EXAMINATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Elmwood Park County of Bergen, New Jersey

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets—regulatory basis of the various funds and account group of the Borough of Elmwood Park in the County of Bergen, as of December 31, 2018, the related statement of operations and changes in fund balance—regulatory basis for the year then ended, and the related statement of revenues—regulatory basis and statement of expenditures—regulatory basis of the various funds for the year ended December 31, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Borough's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. The financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2017 were audited by other auditors whose report dated August 14, 2018 expressed an adverse opinion on the U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles because of the significance of the requirement that the Borough of Elmwood Park prepare and present its financial statements on the regulatory basis of accounting.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the basis of accounting prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey (the "Division"), and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, 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.



The Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Page 2.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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 Borough of Elmwood Park on the basis of the financial reporting provisions prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, to meet the requirements of New Jersey.

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.

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" paragraph, the 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 each fund of the Borough of Elmwood Park as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, or changes in financial position for the years then ended.

Basis for Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

As described in Note 12 of the financial statements, the Borough participates in a Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) for its volunteer rescue personnel. The amount reflected in the trust fund statements of \$537,856 and \$568,084 for 2018 and 2017, respectively, were not audited and, therefore, we express no opinion on the LOSAP program.



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Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, except for the effect of the matters described in the "Basis for Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting" paragraph, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the regulatory basis balance sheet and account group as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, the regulatory basis statements of operations for the year then ended and the regulatory basis statements of revenues and expenditures for the year ended December 31, 2018 in accordance with the basis of financial reporting prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey as described in Note 1.

Emphasis of Matter

Adoption of New Accounting Principle

As discussed in Note 1 to the basic financial statements, during the year ended December 31, 2018, the Borough adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Post Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions (an Amendment of GASB Statement No. 45). As a result of the regulatory basis of accounting, described in the previous paragraph, the implementation of this statement only required financial statement disclosure. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Borough of Elmwood Park's basic financial statements. The supplementary information listed in the table of contents and the letter of comments and recommendations sections are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The supplemental information listed in the table of contents is the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplemental information listed in the table of contents is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The letter of comments and recommendations section has not been subject to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.



The Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Page 4.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated July 22, 2019 on our consideration of the Borough of Elmwood Park'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 to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Borough of Elmwood Park's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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July 22, 2019



Exhibit A

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Comparative Balance Sheet - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

December 31, 2018 and 2017

	Ref.		2018	<u>2017</u>
Assets				•
Current Fund:				
Cash	A-4	\$	10,188,889	11,238,993
Change Fund	A-5		850	850
Petty Cash	A-6	-	1,000	
		_	10,190,739	11,239,843
Receivables and Other Assets with Full Reserves:				
Municipal Liens Receivable	A-10		581,442	579,115
Delinquent Taxes Receivable	A-11		593,231	581,965
Property Acquired for Taxes -				
Assessed Valuation	A-12		23,450	23,450
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-13		39,765	53,882
Interfund Accounts Receivable	A-14	-	33,506	12,286
		,	1,271,394	1,250,698
		-	11,462,133	12,490,541
Federal and State Grant Fund:				
Due from Current Fund	A-9		219,569	
Grants Receivable	A-28	_	21,105	21,105
		_	240,674	21,105
		\$_	11,702,807	12,511,646

Exhibit A

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Comparative Balance Sheet - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

December 31, 2018 and 2017

	Ref.	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance			
Current Fund:			
Appropriation Reserves	A-3/A-15	\$ 1,930,829	1,142,885
Encumbrances Payable	A-3/A-16		666,918
Due to Federal and State Grant Fund	A-9	219,569	36
Reserve for Other Expenditures	A-17	1,492,224	1,492,224
Due to State of New Jersey:			
Senior Citizens and Veterans Deductions	A-7	70,865	74,421
Tax Overpayments	A-18	58,197	45,220
County Taxes Payable	A-20		6,466
Prepaid Taxes	A-21	260,812	1,269,003
Due to LOSAP - Plan Assets	A-22	102,752	102,752
		4,135,248	4,799,925
Reserve for Receivables	Contra	1,271,394	1,250,698
Fund Balance	A-1	6,055,491	6,290,928
		11,462,133	12,341,551
Federal and State Grant Fund:			
Appropriated Reserve for Grants	A-23	172,187	55,727
Unappropriated Reserve for Grants	A-24	68,487	114,368
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		240,674	170,095
		\$11,702,807	12,511,646

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Comparative Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balance - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Revenues and Other Income:		
Fund Balance Utilized	3,575,000	3,575,000
Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated	5,533,698	5,642,911
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	581,965	533,056
Receipts from Current Taxes	60,009,331	59,336,553
Non-Budget Revenue	639,288	826,518
Other Credits to Income:		
Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves	1,028,968	1,428,003
Interfunds Returned	5,882	
Other Liabilities Cancelled	14,270	
Total Revenues and Other Income	71,388,402	71,342,041
Expenditures:		
Budget and Emergency Appropriations:		
Operations:		
Salaries and Wages	9,806,652	9,043,512
Other Expenses	12,551,314	12,289,790
Capital Improvement Fund	100,000	50,000
Municipal Debt Service	1,835,863	1,816,799
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures -		
Municipal	2,190,944	2,795,610
Local District School Tax	35,896,232	35,737,258
County Taxes Including Added Taxes	5,663,699	5,321,422
Refunds	1,499	
State Disallowed Senior & Vet Deductions		5,250
Interfunds Advanced	2,636	6,157
Total Expenditures	68,048,839	67,065,798
Excess (Deficit) Revenue Over Expenditures	3,339,563	4,276,243
Fund Balance, January 1,	6,290,928	5,589,685
	9,630,491	9,865,928
Decreased by:		
Fund Balance Utilized as Budget Revenue	3,575,000	3,575,000
Fund Balance, December 31, \$	6,055,491	6,290,928

Exhibit A-2

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Statement of Revenues - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

	Budget	<u>Realized</u>	Excess or (Deficit)
Fund Balance Anticipated	\$3,575,000	3,575,000	
Miscellaneous Revenues:			
Licenses:			
Alcoholic Beverages	22,000	23,570	1,570
Other	10,000	8,155	(1,845)
Fees and Permits	75,000	97,007	22,007
Fines and Costs:			
Municipal Court	701,000	584,120	(116,880)
Interest and Costs on Taxes	110,000	123,424	13,424
Interest on Investments and Deposits	40,000	172,166	132,166
Energy Receipts Tax	1,335,917	1,335,917	
Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Aid	125,987	125,987	
Board of Education - School Resource Officers	70,000	70,000	
Uniform Construction Code Fees	330,000	351,595	21,595
Uniform Fire Safety Act	51,378	56,917	5,539
Reserve for Payment of Debt Services	325,075	325,075	
Trunk Sewer Revenue	1,718,366	1,715,176	(3,190)
Utility Operating Surplus	365,000	365,000	
Safe and Secure Communities Program - Reserve	60,000	60,000	
Clean Communities - Reserve	33,055	33,055	
Body Armor Fund - Reserve	3,874	3,874	
Recycling Tonnage Grant	17,439	17,439	
Clean Communities	31,633	31,633	
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation	2,636	2,636	
Distracted Driving	5,500	5,500	
Click it or Ticket	5,500	5,500	
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	19,952_	19,952	
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	5,459,312	5,533,698	74,386
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	575,000	581,965	6,965
Subtotal General Revenues	9,609,312	9,690,663	81,351

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Statement of Revenues - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

19,085,931			
		20,649,400	1,563,469
28,695,243		30,340,063	1,644,820
		639,288	639,288
28,695,243		30,979,351	2,284,108
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	_	41,559,931	
		18,449,400	
	_	2,200,000	
	\$_	20,649,400	
	\$_	581,965	
enues			
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TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Unexpended Balance Canceled		9,	86	0(51		91	L'i	2	8(1	8.	91		5	8		0(91		9:
Reserved		15,626	68	3,000		961		21,936	40,32	25,812	39,10			30,93	11,156		13,115	9,118		4,000	119,54		46,116
Paid or Charged		261,374	116,602	33,000		35,039		278,064	50,873	29,188	20,892		203,999	6,062	28,844		77,257	25,882		81,000	115,454		13,884
Budget after Modification and Transfer		277,000	117,500	36,000		36,000		300,000	91,200	55,000	60,000		204,000	40,000	40,000		90,372	35,000		85,000	235,000		60,000
Budget		265,000	110,000	36,000		36,000		300,000	91,200	55,000	60,000		204,000	40,000	40,000		90,372	35,000		85,000	35,000		000'09
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	General Government: Administration:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Grant Consultant	Mayor and Council:	Salaries and Wages	Financial Administration:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Other Expenses - ADS Payroll	Audit Services	Collection of Taxes:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Postage	Assessment of Taxes:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Legal Services and Cost:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Engineering Services and Costs:	Other Expenses

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Statement of Expenditures - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Unexpended Balance <u>Canceled</u>																							
Reserved		163	3,220		2,819	10,599		24,663		135,922	103,901	39,489	6,250			96,010	286	090'6	59,363	29,276		468	5,017
Paid or <u>Charged</u>		8,837	4,780		7,181	4,401		20,337		269,279	311,697	2,694,011	3,750			5,589,990	100,513	216,320	375,637	724		98,532	5,693
Budget after Modification and Transfer		6,000	8,000		10,000	15,000		45,000		405,201	415,598	2,733,500	10,000			5,686,000	101,500	225,380	435,000	30,000		000,66	10,710
Budget		6,000	8,000		10,000	15,000		45,000		405,201	415,598	2,940,000	10,000			5,847,000	94,000	165,380	325,000	30,000		215,000	10,710
	Municipal Land Use Law (N.J.S.A. 40:55D-1 et seq.)	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Zoning Board	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Council on Affordable Housing	Other Expenses	Insurance:	General Liability	Workers Compensation	Employee Group Health	Employee Group Health - Waiver	Public Safety:	Police:	Salaries and Wages - Regular	Salaries and Wages - Crossing Guards	Salaries and Wages - Other Police Person	Other Expenses - Regular/Specials	Purchase of Police Vehicles	Emergency Management:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Current Fund

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Year Ended December 31, 2018

Unexpended Balance Canceled																							
Reserved		2,295		23,663	60,142	3,018				3,812		2,680		54,726	10,106		5,290			43,322	99,456		28,003
Paid or <u>Charged</u>	50,000	31,205		86,337	124,858	54,982	56,100		91,500	4,147		20,120		180,274	14,894		11,710			1,296,678	360,544		21,997
Budget after Modification and Transfer	50,000	33,500		110,000	185,000	58,000	56,100		91,500	7,959		25,800		235,000	25,000		17,000			1,340,000	460,000		50,000
Budget	50,000	26,000		75,000	170,000	58,000	56,100		75,000	7,959		25,800		235,000	25,000		17,000			1,280,000	410,000		50,000
	First Aid Organization - Contribution:	Ambulance Stipend	Fire Department	Stipend Program	Other Expenses - Miscellaneous	Other Expenses - Clothing Allowance	Other Expenses - Rental of Firehouse	Uniform Fire Safety Act (Ch. 383, PL 1983)	Salaries and Wages - Fire Official	Other Expenses	Municipal Prosecutor:	Salaries and Wages	Municipal Court	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Public Defender:	Salaries and Wages	Public Works:	Road Repairs and Maintenance:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Other Public Works Functions	Other Expenses

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Statement of Expenditures - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Unexpended Balance Canceled																									
Reserved		4,000	χ.	35,344	93,460	144,345		1,600	350		38,589			6,324	8,829	•	4,200				18,357	`	28,808	`	27,989
Paid or <u>Charged</u>		2,000		54,656	226,540	1,050,655					49,411			13,176	5,774					394,500	130,643	•	1,692	•	23,011
Budget after Modification and Transfer		00009		000'06	320,000	1,195,000		1,600	350		88,000			19,500	14,603		4,200			394,500	149,000	,	30,500	,	51,000
$\overline{\mathrm{Budget}}$	 	6,000		000'06	320,000	1,300,000		1,600	350		78,000			12,000	14,603		4,200			390,000	125,000		30,500		30,000
	Shade Tree	Other Expenses	Solid Waste Collection	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses - Recycling	Other Expenses - Solid Waste/Tipping	Rent Leveling	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Vehicle Maintenance:	Other Expenses	Health and Welfare:	Public Health Services:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Veterans Service Bureau	Other Expenses	Parks and Recreation:	Recreation Services and Programs:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Maintenance of Parks:	Other Expenses	Celebration of Public Events:	Other Expenses

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Unexpended Balance	Canceled																	
	Reserved	2,319		53,443	56,114	14,131	61,950			27,214	1,594	1	1,877,338	5,408	1,882,746	,	376,854	1,505,892
Paid or	Charged	26,181		116,557	183,886	55,869	288,050		1	217,786	38,286		16,376,115	4,592	16,380,707		9,359,798	7,020,909
Budget after	and Transfer	28.500	`	170,000	240,000	70,000	350,000			245,000	39,880		18,253,453	10,000	18,263,453		9,736,652	8,526,801
	Budget	28 000		170,000	300,000	70,000	350,000			245,000	39,880		18,253,453	10,000	18,263,453		9,803,152	8,460,301
		Senior Citizen's:	Utility Expenses and Bulk Purchases	Gasoline	Electric and Gas	Telenhone	Street Lighting	Uniform Construction Code:	Construction Code Official:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	•	Total Operations within "CAPS"	B Contingent	Total Operations Including Contingent-within "CAPS"	Detail:	Salaries & Wages	Other Expenses (Including Contingent)

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

	Rudret	Budget after Modification	Paid or	Reserved	Unexpended Balance Canceled
(2) STATUTORY EXPENDITURES:	10 gm	מונת דומויסובי	To Samuel		
Public Employees' Retirement System	397,861	397,861	397,861		
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)	430,467	430,467	405,820	24,647	
Police and Firemen's Retirement System of NJ	1,362,616	1,362,616	1,362,616		
Total Deferred Charged and Statutory Expenditures-Municipal within "CAPS"	2,190,944	2,190,944	2,166,297	24,647	
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes within "CAPS"	20,454,397	20,454,397	18,547,004	1,907,393	
Operations - Excluded from "CAPS": Maintenance of Free Public Library	763,974	763,974	763,974		
Recycling Tax	33,000	33,000	23,844	9,156	
Sewerage Processing and Disposal Passaic Valley Sewer Commission	()		603 667 6		
Operating and Maintenance Costs Debt. Service	2,532,603	2,332,003	546,830		
Total Other Operations - Excluded from "CAPS"	3,676,407	3,676,407	3,667,251	9,156	

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Unexpended Balance <u>Canceled</u>																
Reserved		14,280	14,280													
Paid or Charged	70,000	42,840	203,237			60,000	21,000	33,055	17,439	3,874	2,636	11,000	19,952	31,633	200,589	
Budget after Modification and Transfer	70,000	57,120	217,517			000'09	21,000	33,055	17,439	3,874	2,636	11,000	19,952	31,633	200,589	
Budget	70,000	57,120	217,517			60,000	21,000	33,055	17,439	3,874	2,636	11,000	19,952	31,633	200,589	
	Interlocal Municipal Service Agreements: Elmwood Park BOE - School Resource Officers County of Bergen - Public Health Officer and Animal Control	Borough of Fair Lawn - Construction Code Services	Total Interlocal Municipal Service Agreements	Public and Private Programs Offset	by Kevenues Safe and Secure Communities Act - Police	State Share	Local Share	Clean Comunities Grant (N.J.S.A. 13:1e-99.2)	Recycling Tonnage Grant	Body Armor Replacement Fund	Alcohol Rehabilitation	Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over	Drunk Driving Enforcement	Clean Comunities Grant (N.J.S.A. 13:1e-99.2)	Total Public and Private Programs Offset by Revenues	

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Statement of Expenditures - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

		Budget after Modification	Paid or	-	Unexpended Balance
Total Operations-Excluded from "CAPS"	Budget 4,094,513	and Transfer 4,094,513	Charged 4,071,077	Reserved 23,436	Canceled
Detail: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	70,000 4,024,513	70,000	70,000	23,436	
Capital Improvements - Excluded from "CAPS" Capital Improvement Fund	100,000	100,000	100,000		
Total Capital Improvements Excluded from "CAPS"	100,000	100,000	100,000		
Municipal Debt Service - Excluded from "CAPS" Payment of Bond Principal	1,365,000	1,365,000	1,365,000		
Interest on Bonds Interest on Notes	156,059 57,000	156,059 57,000	156,059 56,986		14
New Jersey EIT Loans: Principal and Interest	268,274	268,274	257,818		10,456
Total Municipal Debt Service-Excluded from "CAPS"	1,846,333	1,846,333	1,835,863		10,470

TOWNSHIP OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Statement of Expenditures - Regulatory Basis

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

		Budget after Modification	Paid or		Unexpended Balance
	Budget	and Transfer	Charged	Reserved	Canceled
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes Excluded from "CAPS"	6,040,846	6,040,846	6,006,940	23,436	10,470
Subtotal General Appropriations	26,495,243	26,495,243	24,553,944	1,930,829	10,470
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	2,200,000	2,200,000	2,200,000		
Total General Appropriations	28,695,243	28,695,243	26,753,944	1,930,829	10,470
Appropriation by 40:A4-87 \$ Adopted Budget	65,221 28,630,022				
# \$A	28,695,243				
	Reserve for U. Federal	Reserve for Uncollected Taxes \$ Federal and State Grants Cash	2,200,000 179,589 24,374,355		
		⇔	26,753,944		

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Comparative Balance Sheet - Regulatory Basis

Trust Funds

December 31, 2018 and 2017

	Ref.		<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Animal Trust Fund:				
Cash	B-1	\$	35,773	27,400
Due from State of NJ	B-3	_		156
			35,773	27,556
Other Trust Funds:				
Cash	B-1		2,258,680	2,981,363
Unemployment Compensation Trust:				
Cash	B-1	_	177,773	196,284
Emergency Services Volunteer Length of				
Services Award Program (Unaudited):				
Cash in Plan	B-1		444,672	474,900
Contribution Receivable	B-8		3,500	3,500
Plan Assets Receivable	B-8		89,684	89,684
			537,856	568,084
		\$	3,010,082	3,773,287

Comparative Balance Sheet - Regulatory Basis

Trust Funds

December 31, 2018 and 2017

	Ref.		<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Liabilities, Reserves & Fund Balance				
Animal Trust Fund:				
Interfund - Current Fund	B-2	\$	8,349	
Due to State of New Jersey	B-4		22	
Pre-Paid Licenses	B-3		1,082	1,794
Reserve for Animal Trust Fund Expenditures	B-5		26,320	25,762
			35,773	27,556
Other Trust Fund:				
Interfund - Current Fund	B-2		17,357	5,882
Reserve for Various Deposits	B-7		2,241,323	2,969,077
Due to Current Fund - Net Payroll		_		6,404
		-	2,258,680	2,981,363
Unemployment Compensation Trust:				
1 7	B-8		177,773	196,284
Reserve for Expenditures	D-0	_	177,773	170,204
Emergency Services Volunteer Length of				
Services Award Program (Unaudited):				
Net Assets Available for Benefits	B-10		537,856	568,084
		ф	2.010.000	2 772 227
		\$ _	3,010,082	3,773,287

Comparative Balance Sheet - Regulatory Basis

General Capital Fund

December 31, 2018 and 2017

	Ref.		<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
<u>Assets</u>				
Cash	C-2/C-3	\$	2,263,465	3,409,797
Grants Receivable:				
State Department of Transportation	C-7		155,500	187,060
Community Development Block Grant	C-8		274,351	378,571
Bergen County Open Space Grant	C-9		289,358	142,387
Infrastructure Loan Receivable	C-10		17,514	17,514
Due from Elmwood Park Board of Education	C-11		123,538	
Interfunds Receivable:				
Current Fund	C-4			36
Deferred Charges to Future Taxation:				
Funded	C-5		6,955,335	8,676,421
Unfunded	C-6	_	8,585,019	6,405,756
		\$	18,664,080	19,217,542
Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance	G 12	Ф	4.070.000	C 225 000
General Serial Bonds	C-13	\$	4,970,000	6,335,000
Bond Anticipation Notes Payable	C-14		5,833,500	5,088,000
NJ Infrastructure Trust Loan Payable	C-18		1,044,000	1,295,000
NJ Infrastructure Fund Loan Payable	C-19		941,335	1,046,421
Contracts Payable	C-20		1,760,685	1,226,685
Interfunds Payable:	C-4		1,396	650.010
Reserve for Grants Receivable	C-21		472,184	658,918
Improvement Authorizations:			0.00	500 100
Funded	C-15		856,717	593,127
Unfunded	C-15		1,565,059	1,509,664
Reserve for Payment of Debt Service	C-16		204,523	432,846
Capital Improvement Fund	C-17		235,404	252,604
Fund Balance	C-1	_	779,277	779,277
		\$_	18,664,080	19,217,542

There were \$2,751,519 and \$1,363,069 of Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued on December 31, 2018 and 2017 respectively (Exhibit C-13).

Exhibit C-1

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Comparative Statement of Changes in Fund Balance - Regulatory Basis

General Capital Fund

For the Years Ended December 31

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Balance - December 31,	\$ 779,277	779,277
Balance - December 31,	\$ 779,277	779,277

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Exhibit D

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Comparative Balance Sheet - Regulatory Basis

Water Utility Fund

December 31, 2018 and 2017

	<u>Ref.</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Assets			
Water Utility Operating Fund:			
Cash - Treasurer	D-5	\$ 5,494,420	4,537,237
Interfunds Receivable	D-7	529	156
		5,494,949	4,537,393
Receivables with Full Reserves:			
Consumers' Accounts Receivable	D-8	81,845	768,454
Inventory - Materials and Supplies	D-9	500	500
		82,345	768,954
Total Water Utility Operating Fund		5,577,294	5,306,347
Capital Fund:			
Cash - Treasurer	D-5,D-6	858,664	3,069,009
Fixed Capital	D-10	8,652,408	8,652,408
Fixed Capital Authorized and Uncompleted	D-11	3,370,000	2,890,000
Infrastructure Trust Loans Receivable	D-27		41,974
Total Capital Fund		12,881,072	14,653,391
		\$ 18,458,366	19,959,738

Comparative Balance Sheet - Regulatory Basis

Water Utility Fund

December 31, 2018 and 2017

Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance	Ref.	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Water Utility Operating Fund:			
Appropriation Reserves	D-4,D-12 \$	720,344	345,689
Reserve for Encumbrances	D-12	13,721	150,625
Accrued Interest on Loans	D-15	22,211	24,377
	_		
		756,276	520,691
Reserve for Receivables	Contra	81,845	768,454
Reserve for Inventory	Contra	500	500
Fund Balance	D-1	4,738,673	4,016,702
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Total Water Utility Operating Fund	_	5,577,294	5,306,347
Capital Fund:			
Due to Water Utility Operating Fund	D-7	529	156
Infrastructure Loans Payable	D-24	1,994,669	2,329,828
Improvement authorization:			
Funded	D-19	168,584	77,513
Unfunded	D-19	390,718	187,916
Capital Improvement Fund	D-18	718,000	418,000
Reserve for:			
Payment of Debt Service	D-23	335,000	335,000
Amortization	D-17	6,345,515	6,052,330
Deferred Reserve for Amortization	D-21	2,684,000	2,474,000
Contracts Payable	D-29	109,979	2,434,570
Downpayments on Improvements	D-25	9,000	9,000
Fund Balance	D-2 _	125,078	335,078
Total Capital Fund	*****	12,881,072	14,653,391
	\$=	18,458,366	19,959,738

There were \$998,224 and \$686,250 of Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued on December 31, 2018 and 2017 respectively (Exhibit D-24).

Comparative Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balance - Regulatory Basis

Water Utility Operating Fund

For the Years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017

		<u>2018</u>	2017
Revenue and other income:			
Fund Balance Utilized	\$		
Water Rents		3,796,622	3,721,726
Miscellaneous Revenue		94,027	69,819
Liabilities Cancelled		2,166	
Unexpended Balance Appropriation Reserve	_	340,202	221,376
Total revenue and other income	_	4,233,017	4,012,921
Expenditures:			
Operating		2,497,000	2,473,228
Capital improvements		300,000	300,000
Debt Service		299,046	297,963
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures		50,000	50,000
Total expenditures	,44	3,146,046	3,121,191
Excess(Deficit) in revenues		1,086,971	891,730
Statutory Excess to Surplus		1,086,971	891,730
Fund Balance, January 1	_	4,016,702	3,489,972
		5,103,673	4,381,702
Decreased by: Utilized as Current Budgeted Revenue		365,000	365,000
Offized as Chitem Duagoled Revenue		505,000	505,000
Balance, December 31	\$	4,738,673	4,016,702

Comparative Statement of Fund Balance - Regulatory Basis

Water Utility Capital Fund

For the Years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017

	2018		2017	
Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	335,078	335,078	
Increased by: Appropriated to Finance Improvement Authorizations		210,000		
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	125,078	335,078	

Exhibit D-3

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Statement of Revenues - Regulatory Basis

Water Utility Operating Fund

Year ended December 31, 2018

	Anticipa	ated Realized	Excess (deficit)
Water Rents Miscellaneous	\$ 3,154,	3,796,622 94,027	641,638 94,027
	\$3,154,	,984 3,890,649	735,665

Analysis of Realized Revenue

Rents \$	3,796,622
Interest on Investments	90,961
Due from Water Capital Fund - Interest on Investments	2,466
Other Miscellaneous	600
\$_	94,027

Statement of Expenditures - Regulatory Basis

Water Utility Operating Fund

Year ended December 31, 2018

	Appropriations					
		Budget	Budget after modifi- <u>cation</u>	Paid or charged	Reserved	<u>Canceled</u>
Operating: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	\$ _	497,000 2,000,000	497,000 2,000,000	295,799 1,495,180	201,201 504,820	
Total Operating		2,497,000	2,497,000	1,790,979	706,021	- wa
Capital Improvements: Capital Improvement Fund	_	300,000	300,000	300,000		
Total Capital Improvements		300,000	300,000	300,000		
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures: Statutory Expenditures - Contribution to: Social Security System (O.A.S.I.) Total Deferred Charges and Statutory	_	50,000	50,000	35,677	14,323	
Expenditures	_	50,000	50,000	35,677	14,323	
Debt Service: Environmental Infrastructure Principal and Interest		307,984	307,984	299,046		8,938
Total Debt Service	_	307,984	307,984	299,046		8,938
	\$_	3,154,984	3,154,984	2,425,702	720,344	8,938
	Ado	opted Budget	3,154,984			
		5	3,154,984			
		Reserve for	Cash Disbursed \$ Encumbrances sterest on Loans	2,353,475 13,721 58,506 2,425,702		

Exhibit E

Comparative Statement of General Fixed Assets - Regulatory Basis

December 31, 2018 and 2017

		<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
General Fixed Assets: Land Land Improvements Buildings Machinery and Equipment	\$ _ \$	13,664,400 613,636 7,003,757 10,731,774 32,013,567	12,775,199 744,485 7,593,282 9,474,171 30,587,137
Investment in Fixed Assets	= \$_	32,013,567	30,587,137

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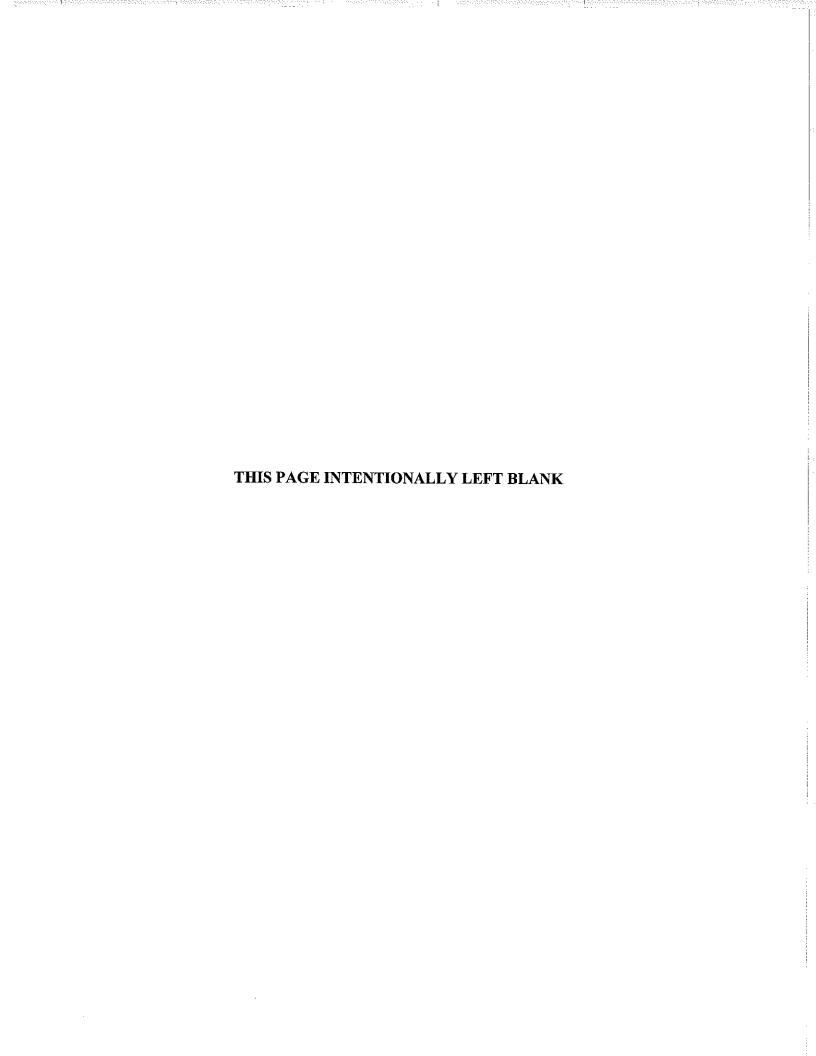


Exhibit F

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Comparative Balance Sheet-Regulatory Basis

Payroll Account

December 31, 2018 and 2017

Assets		<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Cash Deficit in Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	\$	8,074	13,875 68
	\$	8,074	13,943
Reserves			
Due to Current Fund - Net Payroll Account Reserve for Net Payroll	\$	6,404 1,670	6,404 7,539
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	<u></u>	8,074	13,943
	ψ	- 0,0/4	13,743

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The GASB Codification establishes seven fund types and two account groups to be used by governmental units when reporting financial position and results of operations in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP).

The financial statements of the Borough of Elmwood Park have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles and practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey (the "Division") which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Such principles and practices are designed primarily for determining compliance with legal provisions and budgetary restrictions and as a means of reporting on the stewardship of public officials with respect to public funds. Under this method of accounting, the Borough accounts for its financial transactions through the following separate funds which differ from the fund structure required by GAAP.

A. Reporting Entity

The Borough of Elmwood Park (the "Elmwood Park") operates under a Mayor/Council form of government. The Borough's major operations include public safety, road repair and maintenance, sanitation, fire protection, recreation and parks, health services, and general administrative services.

GASB has issued Statement No. 14 which requires the financial reporting entity to include both the primary government and those component units for which the primary government is financially accountable. Financial accountability is defined as appointment of a voting majority of the component unit's board, and either a) the ability to impose will by the primary government, or b) the possibility that the component unit will provide a financial benefit to or impose a financial burden on the primary government.

However, the municipalities in the State of New Jersey do not prepare financial statements in accordance with GAAP and thus do not comply with all of the GASB pronouncements. The financial statements contained herein include only those boards, bodies, officers or commissions as required by NJS 40A:5-5. Accordingly, the financial statements of the Borough do not include the volunteer fire department which is considered a component unit under GAAP. Complete financial statements of the above components can be obtained by contacting the Treasurer of the respective entity.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation

The Borough uses funds, as required by the Division, to report on its financial position and the results of its operations. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial administration by segregating transactions related to certain Borough functions or activities. An account group, on the other hand, is designed to provide accountability for certain assets and liabilities that are not recorded in those Funds.

The Borough has the following funds and account group:

<u>Current Fund</u> - This fund accounts for resources and expenditures for governmental operations of a general nature, including Federal and State grants.

<u>Trust Funds</u> - Trust Funds are used to account for assets held by the government in a trustee capacity. Funds held by the Borough as an agent for individual, private organizations, or other governments are recorded in the Trust Funds.

Other Trust Fund - This fund is established to account for the assets and resources which are also held by the Borough as a trustee or agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments and/or other funds.

<u>Animal License Trust Fund</u> - This fund is used to account for fees collected from dog licenses and expenditures which are regulated by NJS 4:19-15.11.

<u>Community Development Block Grant Trust Fund</u> - This fund is used to account for the award of and subsequent receipt and disbursements related to Community Development Block Grants.

<u>Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund</u> - This fund is used to account for employee and employer contributions for the purpose of providing unemployment benefits to former eligible employees.

General Capital Fund - This fund is used to account for the receipt and disbursement of funds used for acquisition or improvement of general capital facilities, other than those acquired in the Current Fund.

Water Utility Operating Fund – This fund is used to account for all revenues and expenditures applicable to the operations of the water department.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation, (continued)

Water Utility Capital Fund – This fund is used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or improvement of water capital facilities. The major resources are derived from the issuance of debt.

Payroll Account - This account is used for all net payroll checks distributed to employees.

General Fixed Assets Account Group - To account for all fixed assets of the Borough. The Borough's infrastructure is not reported in the group.

Basis of Accounting

A modified accrual basis of accounting is followed by the Borough of Elmwood Park. Under this method of accounting revenues, except State/Federal Aid, are recognized when received and expenditures are recorded, when incurred. The accounting principles and practices prescribed for municipalities by the Division differ in certain respects from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) applicable to local government units. The more significant differences are as follows:

Property Tax Revenues - Real property taxes are assessed locally, based upon the assessed value of the property. The tax bill includes a levy for Municipal, County, and School purposes. The bills are mailed annually in June for that calendar year's levy. Taxes are payable in four quarterly installments on February 1, May 1, August 1, and November 1. The amounts of the first and second installments are determined as one quarter of the total tax levied against the property for the preceding year. The installment due the third and fourth quarters is determined by taking the current year levy less the amount previously charged for the first and second installments, with the remainder being divided equally. If unpaid on these dates, the amount due becomes delinquent and subject to interest at 8% per annum, or 18% on any delinquency amount in excess of \$1,500. Additionally, a 6% penalty is assessed for balances over \$10,000 if not paid by the end of the calendar year. The school levy is turned over to the Board of Education as expenditures are incurred, and the balance, if any, must be transferred as of June 30, of each fiscal year. County taxes are paid quarterly on February 15, May 15, August 15 and November 15, to the County by the Borough. When unpaid taxes or any municipal lien, or part thereof, on real property, remains in arrears on the 11th day of the 11th month of the current calendar year levy when the same became in arrears, the collector in the municipality shall subject to the provisions of the New Jersey Statutes enforce the lien by placing the property on a tax sale. Annual in rem tax foreclosure proceedings are instituted to enforce the tax

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation, (continued)

Basis of Accounting, (continued)

collection or acquisition of title to the property by the Borough. In accordance with the accounting principles prescribed by the State of New Jersey, current and delinquent taxes are realized as revenue when collected. Since delinquent taxes and liens are fully reserved, no provision has been made to estimate that portion of the taxes receivable and tax title liens that are uncollectible. GAAP requires property tax revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual, reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

<u>Miscellaneous Revenues</u> - Miscellaneous revenues are recognized on a cash basis. Receivables for the miscellaneous items that are susceptible to accrual are recorded with offsetting reserves on the balance sheet of the Borough's Current Fund and Water Utility Operating Fund. GAAP requires such revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual.

<u>Grant Revenues</u> - Federal and State grants, entitlements or shared revenues received for purposes normally financed through the Current Fund are recognized when anticipated in the Borough's budget. GAAP requires such revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting - An annual budget is required to be adopted and integrated into the accounting system to provide budgetary control over revenues and expenditures for the Current Fund and Water Utility Fund. Budget amounts presented in the accompanying financial statements represent amounts adopted by the Borough and approved by the State Division of Local Government Services per N.J.S.A. 40A:4 et seq.

The Borough is not required to adopt budgets for the following funds:

General Capital Fund Trust Fund Water Utility Capital Fund

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Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation, (continued)

The governing body shall introduce and approve the annual budget not later than February 10, of the fiscal year. The budget shall be adopted not later than March 20, and prior to adoption must be certified by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. The Director of the Division of Local Government Services, with the approval of the Local Finance Board may extend the introduction and approval and adoption dates of the municipal budget. The budget is prepared by fund, function, activity and line item (salary or other expense) and includes information on the previous year. The legal level of control for appropriations is exercised at the individual line item level for all operating budgets adopted. Emergency appropriations, those made after the adoption of the budget and determination of the tax rate, may be authorized by the governing body of the municipality.

During the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, the Governing Body approved additional revenues and appropriations of \$65,221 and \$-0-, respectively, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87. There were no increases to the water utility operating budget in 2018 and 2017. In addition, several budget transfers were approved by the Governing Body in 2018 and 2017.

Expenditures - Are recorded on the "budgetary" basis of accounting. Generally, expenditures are recorded when an amount is encumbered for goods or services through the issuance of a purchase order in conjunction with an encumbrance accounting system. Outstanding encumbrances at December 31, are reported as a cash liability in the financial statements. Unexpended or uncommitted appropriations, at December 31, are reported as expenditures through the establishment of appropriation reserves unless canceled by the governing body. GAAP requires expenditures to be recognized in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unmatured interest on general long-term debt, which should be recognized when due.

<u>Encumbrances</u> - Contractual orders outstanding at December 31, are reported as expenditures through the establishment of an encumbrance payable. Encumbrances do not constitute expenditures under GAAP.

<u>Appropriation Reserves</u> - Are available, until lapsed at the close of the succeeding year, to meet specific claims, commitments or contracts incurred during the preceding year. Lapsed appropriation reserves are recorded as additions to income. Appropriation reserves do not exist under GAAP.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation, (continued)

Basis of Accounting, (continued)

<u>Compensated Absences</u> - Expenditures relating to obligations for unused vested accumulated vacation and sick pay are not recorded until paid. GAAP requires that the amount that would normally be liquidated with expendable available financial resources be recorded as an expenditure in the operating funds and the remaining obligations be recorded as a long-term obligation.

<u>Property Acquired for Taxes</u> - Is recorded in the Current Fund at the assessed valuation when such property was acquired and fully reserved. GAAP requires such property to be recorded in the General Fixed Assets Account Group at market value on the date of acquisition.

<u>Interfunds</u> - Interfund receivables in the Current Fund are recorded with offsetting reserves which are created by charges to operations. Income is recognized in the year the receivables are liquidated. Interfund receivables in the other funds are not offset by reserves. GAAP does not require the establishment of an offsetting reserve.

<u>Inventories</u> - The costs of inventories of supplies for all funds are recorded as expenditures at the time individual items are purchased. The costs of inventories are not included on the various balance sheets.

<u>Cash and Investments</u> - Cash includes amounts in demand deposits as well as short-term investments with a maturity date within one year of the date acquired by the government. Investments are stated at fair value which approximates cost and are limited by N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1(a).

<u>Deferred Charges to Future Taxation Funded and Unfunded</u> - Upon the authorization of capital projects, the Borough establishes deferred charges for the costs of the capital projects to be raised by future taxation. Funded deferred charges relate to permanent debt issued, whereas unfunded deferred charges relate to temporary or nonfunding of the authorized cost of capital projects. According to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-4, the Borough may levy taxes on all taxable property within the local unit to repay the debt. Annually, the Borough raises the debt requirements for that particular year in the current budget. As the funds are raised by taxation, the deferred charges are reduced.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation, (continued)

Basis of Accounting, (continued)

<u>General Fixed Assets</u> - The Borough of Elmwood Park has developed a fixed assets accounting and reporting system, as promulgated by the Division of Local Government Services, which differs in certain respects from generally accepted accounting principles.

Fixed assets used in governmental operations (general fixed assets) are accounted for in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. Public domain ("infrastructure") general fixed assets consisting of certain improvements other than buildings, such as roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, streets and sidewalks and drainage systems are not capitalized.

Fixed assets acquired by the Water Utility Fund are capitalized as Fixed Capital and not depreciated.

All fixed assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available.

No depreciation has been provided for in the financial statements.

Expenditures for construction in progress are recorded in the Capital Funds until such time as the construction is completed and put into operation.

Fixed assets acquired through grants in aid or contributed capital have not been accounted for separately.

GAAP requires that fixed assets be capitalized at historical or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available.

<u>Use of Estimates</u> - The preparation of financial statements requires management of the Borough to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, (continued)

B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation, (continued)

Basis of Accounting, (continued)

Comparative Data - Comparative data for the prior year has been presented in the accompanying balance sheets and statements of operations in order to provide an understanding of changes in the Borough's financial position and operations. However, comparative data have not been presented in all statements because their inclusion would make certain statements unduly complex and difficult to understand.

Impact of Recently Issued Accounting Principles

Recently Issued and Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

For the year ended December 31, 2018, the Borough adopted Government Accounting Standards Board GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions. This Statement applies to government employers who provided OPEB plans to their employees and basically parallels GASB Statement 68 and replaces GASB Statement 45. The Statement is effective for periods beginning after June 15, 2017. As a result of adopting this Statement, the Borough was required to measure and disclose liabilities, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources, and expense/expenditures related to their post-employment benefits other than pensions. As a result of the regulatory basis of accounting previously described in Note 1, the implementation of this Statement only required financial statement disclosure. There exists no impact on the financial statements of the Borough.

C. <u>Basic Financial Statements</u>

The GASB Codification also defines the financial statements of a governmental unit to be presented in the general purpose financial statements to be in accordance with GAAP. The Borough presents the financial statements listed in the table of contents which are required by the Division and which differ from the financial statements required by GAAP. In addition, the Division requires the financial statements listed in the table of contents to be referenced to the supplementary schedules. This practice differs from GAAP.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 2. CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND INVESTMENTS

Cash

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The Borough's policy is based on New Jersey Statutes requiring cash be deposited only in New Jersey based banking institutions that participate in New Jersey Governmental Depository Protection Act (GUDPA) or in qualified investments established in New Jersey Statutes 40A:5-15.1(a) that are treated as cash equivalents. As of December 31, 2018 and 2017, \$-0- of the Borough's bank balance of \$21,320,070 and \$25,841,935, respectively, were exposed to custodial credit risk.

Investments

Investment Rate Risk

The Borough does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates. However, New Jersey Statutes 40A:5-15.1(a) limits the length of time for most investments to 397 days.

Credit Risk

New Jersey Statutes 40A:5-15.1(a) limits municipal investments to those specified in the Statutes. The type of allowance investments are Bonds of the United States of America, bonds or other obligations of the towns or bonds or other obligations of the local unit or units within which the town is located: obligations of federal agencies not exceeding 397 days; government money market mutual funds; the State of New Jersey Cash Management Plan; local government investment pools; or repurchase of fully collateralized securities.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The Borough places no limit on the amount the Borough may invest in any one issuer.

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Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 2. CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND INVESTMENTS, (continued)

Unaudited Investments

As more fully described in Note 12, the Borough has created a Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) for emergency service volunteers. The LOSAP investments are similar to those allowed in a deferred compensation program as specified in NJSA 43:15B-1 et. seq. except that all investments are retained in the name of the Borough. All investments are valued at fair value. In accordance with NJAC 5:30-14.37, the investments are maintained by Lincoln Financial Group, which is an authorized provider approved by the Division of Local Government Services. The balance in the account on December 31, 2018 and 2017 amounted to \$444,672 and \$474,900, respectively.

The following investments represent 5% or more of the total invested with VALIC on December 31, 2018 and 2017:

	<u>2018</u>	<u> 2017</u>
American Funds Growth	\$25,818	\$28,325
Delaware VIP	41,416	47,017
Fixed Account	161,339	163,050
LVIP	211,899	232,264
All Others	4,200	4,244
Total	\$444,672	\$474,900
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NOTE 3. MUNICIPAL DEBT

Long-term debt as of December 31, 2018 and 2017 consisted of the following:

	Balance Dec. 31, 2017	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	Balance Dec. 31, 2018	Amounts Due Within One Year
Bonds Payable: General Obligation Debt Total Bonds Payable	\$6,335,000 6,335,000	\$	\$1,365,000 1,365,000	\$4,970,000 4,970,000	\$700,000 700,000
Other Liabilities: New Jersey Infrastructure Trust: Wastewater Loans - General Capital Wastewater Loans - Water Capital Compensated Absences Payable Total Other Liabilities	2,341,421 2,329,828 2,683,623 7,354,872	804,922 804,922	356,086 335,159 813,942 1,505,187	1,985,335 1,994,669 2,674,603 6,654,607	198,925 250,121 449,046
	<u>\$13,689,872</u>	<u>\$804,922</u>	<u>\$2,870,187</u>	<u>\$11,624,607</u>	<u>\$1,149,046</u>

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 3. MUNICIPAL DEBT, (continued)

	Balance Dec. 31, 2016	Additions	Reductions	Balance Dec. 31, 2017	Amounts Due Within One Year
Bonds Payable: General Obligation Debt Total Bonds Payable	\$7,660,000 7,660,000	\$	\$1,325,000 1,325,000	\$6,335,000 6,335,000	\$1,365,000 1,365,000
Other Liabilities: New Jersey Infrastructure Trust: Wastewater Loans - General Capital Wastewater Loans - Water Capital Compensated Absences Payable Total Other Liabilities	2,546,507 2,576,472 2,872,132 7,995,111	276,352 276,352	205,086 246,644 464,861 916,591	2,341,421 2,329,828 2,683,623 7,354,872	210,086 251,644 100,000 561,730
	<u>\$15,655,111</u>	<u>\$276,352</u>	<u>\$2,241,591</u>	<u>\$13,689,872</u>	<u>\$1,926,730</u>

The Local Bond Law governs the issuance of bonds and notes to finance capital expenditures. General obligation bonds have been issued for the general capital fund. All bonds are retired in serial installments within the statutory period of usefulness. Bonds issued by the Borough are general obligation bonds, backed by the full faith and credit of the Borough. Bond anticipation notes, which are issued to temporarily finance capital projects, must be paid off within ten years and five months or retired by the issuance of bonds.

The Borough's debt is summarized as follows:

Summary of Municipal Debt (Excluding Current Operating Debt)

	Year 2018	Year 2017	Year 2016
<u>Issued</u> : General - Bonds, Notes and Loans Authorized but not Issued - General -	\$12,788,835	\$13,764,421	\$14,491,507
Bonds and Notes	2,751,519	1,363,069	1,672,985
Water Utility - Bonds, Notes and Loans Authorized but not Issued - Water -	1,994,669	2,329,828	2,576,472
Bonds and Notes	998,224	<u>686,250</u>	<u>686,250</u>
Bonds, Notes and Loans Issued and Authorized not Issued	18,533,247	18,143,568	19,427,214
Less Deductions: Reserve for Payment of Debt	539,523 539,523	813,159 813,159	1,092,921 1,092,921
Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized But Not Issued	<u>\$17,993,724</u>	<u>\$17,330,409</u>	<u>\$18,334,293</u>

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 3. MUNICIPAL DEBT, (continued)

Summary of Statutory Debt Condition - Annual Debt Statement

The summarized statement of debt condition which follows is prepared in accordance with the required method of setting up the Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of .688% for 2018.

	<u>Gross Debt</u>	<u>Deductions</u>	Net Debt
Local School District Debt	\$24,700,000	\$24,700,000	0
General Debt	15,540,354	204,523	15,335,831
Water Utility	2,992,893	2,992,893	0
The state of the s	\$43,233,247	\$27,897,416	<u>\$15,335,831</u>

Net debt of \$15,335,831 divided by equalized valuation basis per N.J.S.A. 40A:2-2 as amended of \$2,227,856,893 equals .688%.

The summarized statement of debt condition which follows is prepared in accordance with the required method of setting up the Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of .672% for 2017.

	Gross Debt	<u>Deductions</u>	Net Debt
Regional School District Debt	\$26,220,000	\$26,220,000	\$0
Local School District Debt	15,127,490	478,159	14,649,331
Water Utility	3,016,078	<u>3,016,078</u>	0
•	<u>\$44,363,568</u>	<u>\$29,714,237</u>	<u>\$14,649,331</u>

Net debt of \$14,649,331 divided by equalized valuation basis per N.J.S.A. 40A:2-2 as amended of \$2,154,106,359 equals .672%.

Borrowing Power Available under N.J.S.A. 40A:2-6 as Amended

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
3 ½% of Equalized Valuation Basis (Municipal)	\$77,974,991	\$75,393,723
Net Debt	<u> 15,335,831</u>	14,649,331
Remaining Borrowing Power	<u>\$62,639,160</u>	<u>\$60,744,392</u>

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 3. MUNICIPAL DEBT, (continued)

Calculation of "Self-Liquidating Purpose", Water Utility Per N.J.S.A. 40A:2-45

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Cash receipts from fees, rents or other charges for year	\$3,890,649	\$3,791,545
Deductions:		
Operating and Maintenance Cost	2,547,000	2,523,228
Debt Service per Water Account	299,046	<u>297,963</u>
Total Deductions	2,846,046	<u>2,821,191</u>
Excess (Deficit) in Revenue - Self-Liquidating	<u>\$1,044,603</u>	<u>\$970,354</u>

Footnote: If there is an "excess in revenue", all such utility debt is deductible.

The Borough's long-term debt consisted of the following at December 31, 2018:

Paid by Current Fund:

General Serial Bonds:	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
\$1,465,000 2003 Taxable Pension Refunding Bonds, due in annual installments of \$165,000 to \$180,000 through March 15, 2018 at 4.85%	\$	\$180,000
\$5,385,000 2006 General Improvement Bonds, due in annual installments of \$785,000 to \$810,000 through February 15, 2018 at 4.00%		810,000
\$6,830,000, 2013 General Improvement Bonds, due in annual installments of \$375,000 to \$720,000 through August 1, 2025 at 2.00% to 3.00%	4,970,000	5,345,000
Total General Serial Bonds	<u>\$4,970,000</u>	<u>\$6,335,000</u>

Aggregate debt service requirements during the next five years and thereafter are as follows:

		General Capital	
<u>Year</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2019	\$700,000	\$127,994	\$827,994
2020	700,000	113,993	813,993
2021	705,000	98,244	803,244
2022	710,000	81,500	791,500
2023	715,000	62,863	777,863
2024-2025	1,440,000	64,800	<u>1,504,800</u>
	<u>\$4,970,000</u>	<u>\$549,394</u>	<u>\$5,519,394</u>

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 3. MUNICIPAL DEBT, (continued)

General capital, water capital and assessment serial bonds are direct obligations of the Borough for which its full faith and credit are pledged, and are payable from taxes levied on all taxable property located within the Borough and/or water utilities revenues and special assessments.

At December 31, 2018 and 2017, the Borough had authorized but not issued debt as follows:

	<u>2018</u>	<u> 2017</u>
General Capital Fund Water Utility Capital Fund	\$2,751,519	\$1,363,069
	998,224	686,250
	\$3,749,743	<u>\$2,049,319</u>

NOTE 4. INTERGOVERNMENTAL LOANS PAYABLE

General Intergovernmental Loans Payable

The Borough entered into a loan agreement(s) with the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust for the financing relating to the sewer main extension and de-icing material storage building. The Borough levies ad valorem taxes to pay debt service on general intergovernmental loans issued. General intergovernmental loans outstanding at December 31 are as follows:

General Capital	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
\$1,885,000, 2007 Trust Loan, due in annual installments of \$70,000 to \$138,000 through August 1, 2027, interest at 3.40%-5.00%	\$1,044,000	\$1,295,000
\$2,042,471, 2007 Fund Loan, due in annual installments of \$2,121 to \$101,934 through August 1, 2027, no interest	941,335	1,046,421
	<u>\$1,985,335</u>	<u>\$2,341,421</u>

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 4. INTERGOVERNMENTAL LOANS PAYABLE, (continued)

Water Utility Intergovernmental Loans Payable

The Borough has entered into a loan agreement with the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust for the financing relating to the water system improvements of the Borough's Water Utility. The Borough pledges revenue from operations to pay debt service on utility intergovernmental loans issued. Utility intergovernmental loans outstanding of the water utility at December 31 are as follows:

Water Utility Capital	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
\$2,300,814, 2006 Trust Loan, due in annual installments of \$85,000 to \$170,247 through August 1, 2026, interest at 4.00%-5.00%	\$1,166,484	\$1,379,999
\$2,222,699, 2006 Fund Loan, due in annual installments of \$4,868 to \$114,005 through August 1, 2025, no interest	828,185	949,829
	<u>\$1,994,669</u>	<u>\$2,329,828</u>

SCHEDULE OF ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE FOR PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST ON OUTSTANDING LOANS

	Ge	neral Capital L	oans	\mathbf{W}_{i}	ater Utility Loa	ns
Voor	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal Principal	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Year</u> 2019	\$198,925	\$52,200	251,125	\$250,122	\$43,371	293,493
2020	205,311	47,500	252,811	254,621	38,227	292,848
2020	210,569	42,500	253,069	259,019	32,893	291,912
2021	213,925	37,306	251,231	262,997	27,368	
	218,120	31,744	249,864	274,740	21,657	296,397
2023	938,486	66,500	1,004,986	693,170	<u>35,831</u>	<u>729,001</u>
2024-2027	\$1,985,33 <u>6</u>	<u>\$277,750</u>	\$2,263,086	\$1,994,669	<u>\$199,347</u>	<u>\$2,194,016</u>

NOTE 5. BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

The Borough issues bond anticipation notes to temporarily fund various capital projects prior to the issuance of serial bonds. The term of the notes cannot exceed one year but the notes may be renewed from time to time for a period not exceeding one year. Generally, such notes must be paid no later than the first day of the fifth month following the close of the tenth anniversary of the date of the original note. The State of New Jersey also prescribes that on or before the third anniversary date of the original note a payment of an amount at least equal to the first legally payable installment of the bonds in anticipation of which such notes were issued be paid or retired. A second and third legal installment must be paid if the notes are to be renewed beyond the fourth and fifth anniversary date of the original issuance.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 5. BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES, (continued)

On December 31, 2018 and 2017, the Borough had \$5,833,500 and \$5,088,000, respectively, in outstanding General Capital bond anticipation notes. The Borough also had \$-0- and \$-0- of Water Utility Capital Fund bond anticipation notes.

The following activity related to bond anticipation notes occurred during the periods ended December 31, 2018 and 2017:

	Balance Dec. 31, 2017	Additions	Reductions	Balance Dec. 31, 2018
General Capital Notes Payable: Spencer Savings Bank	\$5,088,000	\$5,833,500	\$5,088,000	\$5,833,500
	<u>\$5,088,000</u>	<u>\$5,833,500</u>	<u>\$5,088,000</u>	<u>\$5,833,500</u>
	Balance Dec. 31, 2016	Additions	Reductions	Balance Dec. 31, 2017
General Capital Notes Payable: Spencer Savings Bank	\$4,285,000	\$5,088,000	<u>\$4,285,000</u>	\$5,088,000
	<u>\$4,285,000</u>	\$5,088,000	<u>\$4,285,000</u>	<u>\$5,088,000</u>

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS

Description of Plans

Borough employees participate in one of the two contributory, defined benefit public employee retirement systems: the State of New Jersey Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) or the State of New Jersey Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS); or the Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP), a tax-qualified defined contribution money purchase pension plan under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) 401(a).

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

Plan Description

The State of New Jersey Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits (the "Division"). For additional information about the PERS, please refer to the Division's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) which can be found at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts.shtml.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Benefits Provided

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A. PERS provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of PERS. The following represents the membership tiers for PERS:

Tier	 	 <u>Defini</u>	tion	 	
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- 1 Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007
- 2 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 2, 2008
- 3 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010
- 4 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
- 5 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

Service retirement benefits of 1/55th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to Tiers 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to Tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to Tier 4 members upon reaching age 62 and to Tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to Tiers 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, to Tiers 3 and 4 before age 62 with 25 or more years of service credit and Tier 5 with 30 or more years of service credit before age 65. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the age at which a member can receive full early retirement benefits in accordance with their respective tier. Tier 1 members can receive an unreduced benefit from age 55 to age 60 if they have at least 25 years of service. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least 10 years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

Police and Firemens' Retirement System (PFRS)

Plan Description

The State of New Jersey Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS), is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits (the "Division"). For additional information about the PFRS, please refer to the Division's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) which can be found at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts.shtml.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Benefits Provided

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:16A. PFRS provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for disability benefits, which vest after 4 years of service. The following represents the membership tiers for PFRS:

Tier Definition

- 1 Members who were enrolled prior to May 22, 2010
- 2 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
- 3 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

Service retirement benefits are available at age 55 and are generally determined to be 2% of final compensation for each year of creditable service, as defined, up to 30 years plus 1% for each year of service in excess of 30 years. Members may seek special retirement after achieving 25 years of creditable service, in which benefits would equal 65% (Tiers 1 and 2 members) and 60% (Tier 3 members) of final compensation plus 1% for each year of creditable service over 25 years but not to exceed 30 years. Members may elect deferred retirement benefits after achieving ten years of service, in which case benefits would begin at age 55 equal to 2% of final compensation for each year of service.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program

Prudential Financial jointly administers the DCRP investments with the NJ Division of Pensions and Benefits. If an employee is ineligible to enroll in the PERS or PFRS, the employee may be eligible to enroll in the DCRP. DCRP provides eligible members with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, along with life insurance and disability coverage. Vesting is immediate upon enrollment for members of the DCRP.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information of the DCRP. The financial reports may be obtained by writing to the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, PO Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey, 08625-0295.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Employers are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. Employee contributions are based on percentages of 5.50% for DCRP of employees' annual compensation, as defined. The DCRP was established July 1, 2007, under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and expanded under the provisions of Chapter 89, P.L. 2008. Employee contributions for DCRP are matched by a 3% employer contribution.

Significant Legislation

On March 17, 2009, the legislative of the State of New Jersey enacted Public Laws 2009, c.19(S-21) the "Pension Deferral Program". This law allows the Division of Pensions and Benefits to provide non-state government pension system employers the option of paying their full amount, or an amount that reflects a 50 percent reduction of the normal and accrued liability component of the Public Employees' Retirement System and/or the Police and Firemen's Retirement System obligation for payment due to the State Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2009. The amount deferred will be repaid starting in April 2012 over a 15-year period at 8½ percent. The amount will fluctuate based on pension system investment earnings on the deferred amount. The local employer is allowed to payoff the obligation at any time prior to April 2012.

Contribution Requirements

The contribution policy is set by laws of the State of New Jersey and, in most retirement systems, contributions are required by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. The pension funds provide for employee contributions based on 5.5% for PERS. This amount will increase to 6.5% plus an additional 1% phased in over 7 years beginning 2012 and 8.5% for PFRS, which increased to 10% in October 2011, of the employee's annual compensation, as defined by law. Employers are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate in all Funds. The actuarially determined employer contribution includes funding for cost-of-living adjustments and noncontributory death benefits in the PERS and PFRS. In the PERS and PFRS, the employer contribution includes funding for post-retirement medical premiums.

The Borough's contribution to the various plans, equal to the required contributions for each year, were as follows:

Year	<u>PERS</u>	<u>PFRS</u>	<u>DCRP</u>
2018	\$448,508	\$1,518,058	\$-0-
2017	394,464	1,362,616	-0-
2016	389,763	1,149,315	-0-

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Statement No's 68 and 71 require a state or local government employer to recognize a net pension liability measured as of a date (the measurement date) no earlier than the end of its prior fiscal year. However, since the financial statements are prepared on another comprehensive basis of accounting, the net pension liability of the various pension systems is not recorded in the financial statements and is only required to be disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)

At December 31, 2018, the Borough had a liability of \$8,878,158 for its proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2018, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Borough's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Borough's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating governmental entities, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2018, the Borough's proportion was .04509082 percent, which was an increase/(decrease) of .00251020 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2017.

For the year ended December 31, 2018, the Borough recognized pension expense of \$448,508. At December 31, 2018, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of <u>Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows of <u>Resources</u>
Difference between projected and actual experience Changes of assumptions	\$169,308 1,462,973	\$45,779 2,838,753
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments Changes in proportion and differences between the	•	83,277
Borough's contributions and proportionate share of contributions	542,239	262,918
Total	<u>\$2,174,520</u>	<u>\$3,230,727</u>

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date (June 30, 2018) will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the subsequent year. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended June 30:	
2019	\$61,619
2020	(85,312)
2021	(611,759)
2022	(530,282)
2023	(169,803)

Changes in Proportion

The previous amounts do not include employer specific deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to changes in proportion. These amounts should be recognized (amortized) by each employer over the average of the expected remaining service lives of all plan members, which is 5.63, 5.48, 5.57, 5.72 and 6.44 years for 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015 and 2014 amounts, respectively.

Additional Information

Local Group Collective balances at June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017 are as follows:

	June 30, 2018	<u>June 30, 2017</u>
Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$4,684,852,302	\$6,424,455,842
Collective deferred inflows of resources	7,646,736,226	5,700,625,981
Collective net pension liability	19,689,501,539	23,278,401,588
Borough's Proportion	.04509082%	.0425806234%

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Actuarial Assumptions

The collective total pension liability for the June 30, 2018 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2017, which rolled forward to June 30, 2018. This actuarial valuation used the following assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement.

Inflation 2.25 Percent
Salary Increases:
Through 2026 1.65-4.15 Percent (based on age)

Thereafter 2.65-5.15 Percent (based on age)

Investment Rate of Return 7.00 Percent

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2014. It is likely that future experience will not exactly conform to these assumptions. To the extent that actual experience deviates from these assumptions, the emerging liabilities may be higher or lower than anticipated. The more the experience deviates, the larger the impact on future financial statements.

Mortality Rates

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Employee Pre-retirement Mortality Table for male and female active participants. For State employees, mortality tables are set back 4 years for males and females. For local employees, mortality tables are set back 2 years for males and 7 years for females. In addition, the tables provide for future improvements in mortality from the base year of 2013 using a generational approach based on the Conduent modified 2014 projection scale. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Male and Female Mortality Tables (setback 1 year for males and females) for service retirements and beneficiaries of former members. In addition, the tables for service retirements and beneficiaries of former members provide for future improvements in mortality from 2012 to 2013 using Projection Scale AA and using a generational approach based on the Conduent 2014 projection scale thereafter. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Table (set back 3 years for males and set forward 1 year for females).

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Long-Term Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2018) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2018 are summarized in the following table:

		Long-Term
	Target	Expected Real
Asset Class	<u>Allocation</u>	Rate of Return
Risk Mitigation Strategies	5.00%	5.51%
Cash equivalents	5.50%	1.00%
U.S. Treasuries	3.00%	1.87%
Investment grade credit	10.00%	3.78%
High yield	2.50%	6.82%
Global diversified credit	5.00%	7.10%
Credit oriented hedge funds	1.00%	6.60%
Debt related private equity	2.00%	10.63%
Debt related real estate	1.00%	6.61%
Private real asset	2.50%	11.83%
Equity related real estate	6.25%	9.23%
U.S. equity	30.00%	8.19%
Non-U.S. developed markets equity	11.50%	9.00%
Emerging markets equity	6.50%	11.64%
Buyouts/venture capital	8.25%	13.08%

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 5.66% as of June 30, 2018. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00% and a municipal bond rate of 3.87% as of June 30, 2018 based on the Bond Buyer GO 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be made based on the contribution rate in the most recent fiscal year. The State employer contributed 50% of the actuarially determined contributions and the local employers contributed 100% of their actuarially determined contributions. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members through June 30, 2046. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through June 30, 2046 and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Collective Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the collective net pension liability of the participating employers as of June 30, 2018, respectively, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the collective net pension liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1- percentage point lower or 1- percentage-point higher than the current rate:

	June 30, 2018		
	1% Decrease 4.66%	At Current Discount Rate <u>5.66%</u>	1% Increase <u>6.66%</u>
Borough's proportionate share of the pension liability	\$11,163,260	\$8,878,158	\$6,961,103

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Financial Report for the State of New Jersey Public Employees Retirement System (PERS). The financial report may be accessed at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS)

At December 31, 2018, the Borough had a liability of \$21,011,490 for its proportionate share of the PFRS net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2018, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Borough's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Borough's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating governmental entities, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2018, the Borough's proportion was .1552766472 percent, which was an increase of .00131195 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2017.

For the year ended December 31, 2018, the Borough recognized pension expense of \$1,518,058. At December 31, 2018, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PFRS from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of <u>Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows of <u>Resources</u>
Difference in actual and expected experience Changes of assumptions	\$213,765 1,803,554	\$86,950 5,384,882.00
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		114,952
Changes in proportion and differences between Borough contributions and proportionate share of contributions	1,934,771	114,028
Total	<u>\$3,952,090</u>	<u>\$5,700,812</u>

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date (June 30, 2018) will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the subsequent year. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions (excluding changes in proportion) will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Year ended June 30:	
2019	\$180,701
2020	(609,135)
2021	(1,704,135)
2022	(1,093,938)
2023	(342,960)

Changes in Proportion

The previous amounts do not include employer specific deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to changes in proportion. These amounts should be recognized (amortized) by each employer over the average of the expected remaining service lives of all plan members, which is 5.73, 5.59, 5.58, 5.53 and 6.17 years for 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015 and 2014 amounts respectively.

Additional Information

Local Group Collective balances at June 30, 2018 and June 30, 2017 are as follows:

	June 30, 2018	June 30, 2017
Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$1,988,215,695	\$2,941,952,753
Collective deferred inflows of resources	4,286,994,294	3,262,432,093
Collective net pension liability	13,531,648,591	17,167,260,198
Borough's Proportion	.1552766472%	.1539646984%

Actuarial Assumptions

The collective total pension liability for the June 30, 2018 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2017, which rolled forward to June 30, 2018. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions:

Inflation	2.25 Percent
Salary Increases:	
Through 2026	2.10-8.98 Percent (based on age)
Thereafter	3.10-9.98 Percent (based on age)
Investment Rate of Return	7.00 Percent

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Mortality Rates

Preretirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality tables projected on a generational basis from the base year of 2000 to 2013 using Projection Scale BB and the Conduent modified 2014 projection scale thereafter. For preretirement accidental mortality, a custom table with representative rates was used and there is no mortality improvement assumed. Post-retirement mortality rates for male service retirements are based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Tables projected on a generational basis using Projection Scale AA from the base year of 2012 to 2013 and the Conduent modified 2014 projection scale thereafter. Postretirement mortality rates for female service retirements and beneficiaries were based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Tables projected on a generational basis from the base year of 2000 to 2013 using Projection Scale BB and the Conduent modified 2014 projection scales thereafter. Disability mortality rates were based on a custom table with representative rates and no mortality improvement assumed.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2013.

Long-Term Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2018) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in PFRS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2018 are summarized in the following table:

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. <u>PENSION PLANS</u>, (continued)

		Long-Term
	Target	Expected Real
Asset Class	<u>Allocation</u>	Rate of Return
	•	
Risk Mitigation Strategies	5.00%	5.51%
Cash equivalents	5.50%	1.00%
U.S. Treasuries	3.00%	1.87%
Investment grade credit	10.00%	3.78%
High yield	2.50%	6.82%
Global diversified credit	5.00%	7.10%
Credit oriented hedge funds	1.00%	6.60%
Debt related private equity	2.00%	10.63%
Debt related real estate	1.00%	6.61%
Private real asset	2.50%	11.83%
Equity related real estate	6.25%	9.23%
U.S. equity	30.00%	8.19%
Non-U.S. developed markets equity	11.50%	9.00%
Emerging markets equity	6.50%	11.64%
Buyouts/venture capital	8.25%	13.08%

Discount Rate

This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00%, and a municipal bond rate of 3.87% as of June 30, 2018 based on the Bond Buyer GO 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers and the non-employer contributing entity will be made based on the contribution rate in the most recent fiscal year. The State employer contributed 50% of the actuarially determined contributions and the local employers contributed 100% of their actuarially determined contributions. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members through June 30, 2062. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through June 30, 2062, and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Sensitivity of the Collective Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the collective net pension liability of the participating employers as of June 30, 2018, respectively, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the collective net pension liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1 -percentage point lower or 1- percentage-point higher than the current rate:

		June 30, 2018	
	1%	At Current	1%
	Decrease	Discount Rate	Increase
	<u>5.51%</u>	<u>6.51%</u>	<u>7.51%</u>
Borough's proportionate share of			
the pension liability	\$20,570,435,198	\$21,011,490	\$11,080,039,474

Special Funding Situation - PFRS

Under N.J.S.A. 43:16A-15, the Borough is responsible for their own PFRS contributions based on actuarially determined amounts, except where legislation was passed which legally obligated the State to make contributions if certain circumstances occurred. The legislation which legally obligates the State is as follows: Chapter 8, P.L. 2000, Chapter 318, P.L. 2001, Chapter 86, P.L. 2001, Chapter 511, P.L. 1991, Chapter 109, P.L. 1979, Chapter 247, P.L. 1993 and Chapter 201, P.L. 2001. The amounts contributed on behalf of the Borough by the State under this legislation is considered to be a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Accordingly, the Borough's proportionate share percentage of the net pension liability, deferred outflows and inflows determined under GASB Statement No. 68 is zero percent and the State's proportionate share is 100% for PFRS under this legislation.

At December 31, 2018 and 2017, the State proportionate share of the net pension liability attributable to the Borough for the PFRS special funding situation is \$2,854,063 and \$2,662,348, respectively. For the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, the pension system has determined the State's proportionate share of the pension expense attributable to the Borough for the PFRS special funding situation is \$338,059 and \$325,665, respectively, which is more than the actual contributions the State made on behalf of the Borough of \$169,029 and \$133,129, respectively. The State's proportionate share attributable to the Borough was developed based on actual contributions made to PFRS allocated to employers based upon covered payroll. These on-behalf contributions have not been reported on the Borough's financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 6. PENSION PLANS, (continued)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Financial Report for the State of New Jersey Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS). The financial report may be accessed at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

NOTE 7. OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)

In addition to the pension described in Note 6, the Borough provides post employment health care benefits as part of the State Health Benefits Local Government Retired Employments Plan.

General Information about the OPEB Plan

The State Health Benefit Local Government Retired Employees Plan (the Plan) is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan with a special funding situation. It covers employees of local government employers that have adopted a resolution to participate in the Plan. The plan meets the definition of an equivalent arrangement as defined in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for the Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions* (GASB Statement No. 75); therefore, assets are accumulated to pay associated benefits. For additional information about the Plan, please refer to the State of New Jersey (the State), Division of Pensions and Benefits' (the Division) Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR), which can be found at https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml.

The Plan provides medical and prescription drug to retirees and their covered dependents of the employers. Under the provisions of Chapter 88, P.L. 1974 and Chapter 48, P.L. 1999, local government employers electing to provide postretirement medical coverage to their employees must file a resolution with the Division. Under Chapter 88, local employers elect to provide benefit coverage based on the eligibility rules and regulations promulgated by the State Health Benefits Commission. Chapter 48 allows local employers to establish their own age and service eligibility for employer paid health benefits coverage for retired employees. Under Chapter 48, the employer may assume the cost of postretirement medical coverage for employees and their dependents who: 1) retired on a disability pension; or 2) retired with 25 or more years of service credit in a State or locally administered retirement system and a period of service of up to 25 years with the employer at the time of retirement as established by the employer; or 3) retired and reached the age of 65 with 25 or more years of service credit in a State or locally administered retirement system and a period of service of up to 25 years with the employer at the time of retirement as established by the employer; or 4) retired and reached age 62 with at least 15 years of service with the employer. Further, the law provides that the employer paid obligations for retiree coverage may be determined by means of a collective negotiations agreement.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 7. OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB), (continued)

In accordance with Chapter 330, P.L. 1997, which is codified in N.J.S.A. 52:14-17.32i, the State provides medical and prescription coverage to local police officers and firefighters, who retire with 25 years of service or on a disability from an employer who does not provide postretirement medical coverage. Local employers were required to file a resolution with the Division in order for their employees to qualify for State-paid retiree health benefits coverage under Chapter 330. The State also provides funding for retiree health benefits to survivors of local police officers and firefighters who die in the line of duty under Chapter 271, P.L. 1989.

Pursuant to Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, future retirees eligible for postretirement medical coverage who have less than 20 years of creditable service on June 28, 2011 will be required to pay a percentage of the cost of their health care coverage in retirement provides they retire with 25 or more years of pension service credit. The percentage of the premium for which the retiree will be responsible will be determined based on the retiree's annual retirement benefit and level of coverage.

Total OPEB Liability

At December 31, 2018, the Borough had a liability of \$24,355,481 for its proportionate share of the non-special funding net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2018 and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Borough's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on a projection of the Borough's long-term share of contributions to the OPEB plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers a in the plan. At June 30, 2018 the Borough's proportion was 0.155461 percent.

For the year ended December 31, 2018, the Borough recognized OPEB expense of \$422,668. At December 31, 2018, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of <u>Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience Changes of assumptions Net difference between projected and actual earnings on OPEB plan investments Changes in proportion	\$	\$4,945,031 6,178,087
	12,871	3,227,812
Total	<u>\$12,871</u>	<u>\$14,350,930</u>

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 7. OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB), (continued)

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the OPEB liability in the subsequent year. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB (excluding changes in proportion) will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year ended June 30:	
2019	\$(1,631,392)
2020	(1,631,392)
2021	(1,631,392)
2022	(1,632,752)
2023	(1,634,950)
Thereafter	(2,948,369)

Changes in Proportion

The previous amounts do not include employer specific deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to changes in proportion. These amounts should be recognized (amortized) by each employer over the average of the expected remaining service lives of all plan members, which is 8.14 and 8.04 years for 2018 and 2017 amounts, respectively.

Actual Assumptions and Other Inputs

The total OPEB liability for the June 30, 2018 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2017, which rolled forward to June 30, 2018. The total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2017 was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2016, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2017. The actuarial assumptions vary for each plan member depending on the pension plan the member is enrolled in. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement.

Inflation rate	2.50%	
Salary increases*: Through 2026	1.65 - 8.98%	
Thereafter	2.65 - 9.98%	

^{*} Salary increases are based on the defined benefit plan that the member is enrolled in and his or her age.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 7. OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB), (continued)

Preretirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2006 Headcount-Weighted Healthy Employee Male/Female mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale. Postretirement mortality rates were based on the RP-2006 Headcount-Weighted Health Annuitant Male/Female mortality table with fully generational improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale. Disability mortality was based on the RP-2006 Headcount-Weighted Disabled Male/Female mortality table with fully generational improvement projections from the central year using the MP-2017 scale.

100% of active members are considered to participate in the Plan upon retirement.

Health Care Trend Assumptions

For pre-Medicare preferred provider organization (PPO) medical benefits, this amount initially is 5.8% and decreases to a 5.0% long-term trend rate after nine years. For self-insured post-65 PPO and HMO medical benefits, the trend rate is 4.5%. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 8.0% decreasing to a 5.0% long-term trend rate after seven years. For the Medicare Part B reimbursement, the trend rate is 5.0%. The Medicare Advantage trend rate is 4.5% and will continue in all future years.

Discount Rate

The discount rate for June 30, 2018 and 2017 was 3.87% and 3.58%, respectively. This represents the municipal bond return rate as chosen by the Division. The source is the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. As the long-term rate of return is less that the municipal bond rate, it is not considered in the calculation of the discount rate, rather the discount rate is set at the municipal bond rate.

Sensitivity of Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the Borough's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as of June 30, as well as what the Borough's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1 percentage point higher than the current rate:

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 7. OTHER POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB), (continued)

	June 30, 2018			
	1%	1%		
	Decrease 2.87%	Discount Rate 3.87%	Increase <u>4.87%</u>	
Borough's proportionate share of Net OPEB liability	\$28,575,419	\$24,355,481	\$20,984,706	

Sensitivity of Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Trend Rates:

The following presents the Borough's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as of June 30, as well as what the Borough's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a healthcare trend rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1 percentage point higher than the current rate:

		June 30, 2018			
	1%	Healthcare Cost	1%		
	<u>Decrease</u>	Trend Rate	<u>Increase</u>		
Borough's proportionate share of Net OPEB liability	\$20,316,376	\$24,355,481	\$29,582,683		

NOTE 8. FUND BALANCE APPROPRIATED

The fund balance at December 31, 2018 and 2017 which has been appropriated as revenue in the 2019 and 2018 budgets is as follows:

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Current Fund Water Utility Operating Fund	\$3,575,000 -0-	\$3,575,000 -0-

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 9. FIXED ASSETS

The following is a summary of General Fixed Assets Account Group as of December 31, 2018 and 2017:

	Balance Dec. 31, 2017	Additions	Deletions	Balance Dec. 31, 2018
Land Land Improvements Buildings and Improvements Machinery and Equipment	\$12,775,199 744,485 7,593,282 <u>9,474,171</u> <u>\$30,587,137</u>	\$889,201 310,228 31,477 1,585,753 \$2,816,659	\$ 441,077 621,002 328,150 \$1,390,229	\$13,664,400 1,054,713 7,624,759 10,731,774 \$32,013,567
	Balance Dec. 31, 2016	Additions	<u>Deletions</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2017</u>
Land Land Improvements Buildings and Improvements Machinery and Equipment	\$12,775,199 576,747 7,593,282 <u>9,608,895</u> \$30,554,123	\$ 167,738 1.150,224 \$1,317,962	\$ _1,284,948 \$1,284,948	\$12,775,199 744,485 7,593,282 <u>9,474,171</u> <u>\$30,587,137</u>

NOTE 10. ACCRUED SICK AND VACATION BENEFITS

The Borough has permitted employees to accrue unused vacation and sick pay, which may be taken as time off or paid at a later date at an agreed-upon rate. It is estimated that the current cost of such unpaid compensation would approximate \$2,674,603 as of December 31, 2018 and the estimated amount at December 31, 2017 was \$2,683,623. These amounts have not been reported either as an expenditure or liability. The Borough has started a plan to buy back accumulated days on an annual basis.

As of December 31, 2018 and 2017, the Borough has reserved in the Other Trust Fund \$518,489 and \$1,230,331, respectively, to fund compensated absences in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:4-39.

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Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 11. INTERFUND BALANCES AND ACTIVITY

Balances due to/from other funds at December 31, 2018 consist of the following:

\$529	Due to the Water Utility Operating Fund from the Water Utility Capital Fund for interest earned on investments.
8,349	Due to the Current Fund from the Animal License Trust Fund for the statutory excess calculation.
1,396	Due to the Current Fund from the Capital Fund for interest earned on investments and to correct deposit errors.
8,666	Due to the Current Fund from the Escrow Trust Fund for interest earned on developer's deposits due to the Borough.
8,691	Due to the Current Fund from the Other Trust Fund for interest earned on investments and to correct various deposit errors.
6,404	Due to the Current Fund from the Net Payroll account to liquidate the prior year interfund.
219,569	Due to the Federal and State Grant Fund from the current fund for grants received less reimbursement of expenses paid.
<u>\$253,604</u>	

It is anticipated that all interfunds will be liquidated during the fiscal year.

NOTE 12. EMERGENCY SERVICES VOLUNTEER LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PLAN (LOSAP)

The Borough of Elmwood Park Length of Service Program (the Plan) was created by a Borough ordinance adopted on August 16, 2001 pursuant to 457 (e)(11)(13) of the Internal Service Code of 1986, as amended, except for provisions added by reason of the Length of Service Award Program as enacted into federal law in 1997. The voters of the Borough of Elmwood Park approved the adoption of the Plan at the general election held on November 7, 2000.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 12. EMERGENCY SERVICES VOLUNTEER LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PLAN (LOSAP), (continued)

The first year of eligibility for entrance into the Plan was calendar year 2001. The tax deferred income benefits for emergency services volunteers, consisting of the First Aid Organization, come from contributions made solely by the Borough of behalf of those volunteers who meet the criteria of a plan created by the governing body.

If an active member meets the year of active service requirement, a LOSAP must provide a benefit between the minimum contribution of \$100 and a maximum contribution of \$1,150 per year. While the maximum amount is established by statute, it is subject to periodic increases that are related to the consumer price index (N.J.S.A. 40A:14-195(f). The Division of Local Government Services issues the permitted maximum increase annually.

The Borough contributed \$700 and \$700 for 2018 and 2017, respectively, for each eligible volunteer first aid squad member in the Plan. The total Borough contributions were \$3,500 and \$3,500 for 2018 and 2017, respectively.

In accordance with the amendments to Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code and the State Deferred Revenue Regulations, the Borough has placed the amounts deferred, including earnings, in a trust for the exclusive benefit of the plan participants and their beneficiaries.

Lincoln Financial Group is the administrator of the Plan. The Borough's practical involvement in administering the Plan is essentially limited to verifying the eligibility of each participant and remitting the funds to the Plan administrator.

Vesting and Benefits

A volunteer is eligible to receive a distribution of funds upon completing 5 (five) cumulative years as an active member of the volunteer organization. Certain restrictions and tax implications may result in the event of a withdrawal of funds from the Plan.

If a volunteer member does not vest and terminates their association with the emergency service organization, the funds are returned to the sponsoring agency's surplus.

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Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 12. EMERGENCY SERVICES VOLUNTEER LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PLAN (LOSAP), (continued)

Reporting Requirements

The New Jersey Administrative Code NJAC 5:30-14.49 requires that the Borough perform a separate review report of the plan in accordance with the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) Statements on Standards for Accounting and Auditing Review Services. Since a review does not constitute an audit, the financial statements pertaining to the Plan are presented as unaudited in this report as part of the Borough's Trust Fund.

We have reviewed the plan for the year ended December 31, 2018 in accordance with the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) Statement on Standards for Accounting and Review Services.

NOTE 13. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Borough is exposed to various risks of loss related to general liability, automobile coverage, damage and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Borough has obtained insurance coverage to guard against these events which will provide minimum exposure to the Borough should they occur. During the 2018 calendar year, the Borough did not incur claims in excess of their coverage and the amount of coverage did not significantly decrease.

The Borough of Elmwood Park is a member of the South Bergen Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (SBJIF) and Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund (MEL). The joint insurance fund is an insured and self-administered group of municipalities established for the purpose of insuring against property damage, general liability, motor vehicles and equipment liability and worker's compensation. The SBJIF and MEL coverage amounts are on file with the Borough.

The relationship between the Borough and the respective insurance funds is governed by a contract and by-laws that have been adopted by resolution of each unit's governing body. The Borough is contractually obligated to make all annual and supplementary contributions to the insurance fund, to report claims on a timely basis, cooperate with the management of the Fund, its claims administrator and attorneys in claims investigation and settlement, and to follow risk management procedures as outlined by the insurance fund. Members have a contractual obligation to fund any deficit of the insurance fund attributable to a membership year during which they were a member.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 13. RISK MANAGEMENT, (continued)

The fund provides its members with risk management services, including the defense of and settlement of claims, and established reasonable and necessary loss reduction and prevention procedures to be followed by the members.

There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from the previous year nor have there been any settlements in excess of insurance coverages in any of the prior three years.

The Borough has elected to fund its New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Insurance under the "Benefit Reimbursement Method". Under this plan, the Borough is required to reimburse the New Jersey Unemployment trust Fund for benefits paid to its former employees and charged to its account with the State. The Borough is billed quarterly for amounts due to the State. The following is a summary of Borough contributions, employee contributions, reimbursements to the State for benefits paid and the ending balance of the Borough's unemployment compensation trust fund for the current and previous two years:

Year Ended December 31	Employees <u>Contributions</u>	Amount <u>Reimbursed</u>	Ending Balance	
2018	\$12,210	\$30,721	\$177,773	
2017	11,579	11,475	196,284	
2016	10,882	1,995	196,180	

NOTE 14. TAXES COLLECTED IN ADVANCE

Taxes collected in advance are recorded as cash liabilities in the financial statements. Following is a comparison of the liability for the previous two years:

	Balance Dec 31, 2018	Balance Dec 31, 2017
Prepaid Taxes	<u>\$260,812</u>	\$1,269,003
Cash Liability for Taxes Collected in Advance	<u>\$260,812</u>	<u>\$1,269,003</u>

NOTE 15. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Borough is a defendant in various legal proceedings. These cases, if decided against the Borough, would be raised by future taxation. The Borough's legal counsel estimate such amounts to be immaterial.

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 (continued)

NOTE 15. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES, (continued)

Pending Tax Appeals

Various tax appeal cases were pending in the New Jersey Tax Court at December 31, 2018 and 2017. Amounts claimed have not yet been determined. The Borough is vigorously defending its assessments in each case. Under the accounting principles prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the Borough does not recognize a liability, if any, until these cases have been adjudicated. The Borough expects such amounts, if any, could be material. As of December 31, 2018 and 2017, the Borough reserved \$1,455,224 and \$1,455,224, respectively, in the Current Fund for tax appeals pending in the New Jersey Tax Court. Funding of any ultimate liability would be provided for in succeeding years' budget or from fund balance.

NOTE 16. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Borough has evaluated subsequent events through July 22, 2019, the date which the financial statements were available to be issued and the following additional item was noted for disclosure:

On January 30, 2019, a fire destroyed the Marcal Paper Mill properly located at 1 market Street. As a result, ratable assessments for this property were reduced by approximately \$2,127,400. This is not expected to significantly affect the Borough's tax base as added assessments have generally fluctuated between 2 and 4 million dollars respectively.

NOTE 17. CYBER-ATTACK

On December 22, 2018, the Borough's computer system was infiltrated by a ransom demanding cyber-attack. As a result, the Borough lost all of its financial and tax records for the calendar year 2018. New computer and back-up systems were installed after the Borough was cleared to do so by investigating authorities and the process of rebuilding all financial activity from source documents for 2018 began in January of 2019 and was substantially completed by the end of February 2019.

SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

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Supplementary Data

Officials in Office and Surety Bonds

The following officials were in office during the period under audit:

	m'ut		Amount		Type of
<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>		of bond		<u>Bond</u>
Francesco A. Caramagna	Mayor				
Daniel Golabek	Council President				
Joseph Dombrowski	Councilman				
Magdalena Giandomenico	Councilwoman				
Anthony Chirdo	Councilman				
Sandra Balistrieri	Councilwoman				
Lorraine Pelligrine	Councilwoman				
Michael Foligno	Administrator				
Erin Delaney	Acting Borough Clerk				
Giuseppe Randazzo	Attorney				
Roy Riggitano	Chief Finance Officer/Treasurer/Util	ity Col	lector		
Frank Santora	Tax Collector	\$	1,000,000	(A)	
Kevin Esposito	Tax Assessor				
Michael Foligno	Police Chief		•		
Scott Karcz	Superintendent of Public Works				
Richard Bolen	Construction Official				
James DePadova	Plumbing Sub-Code Official				
Phillip Cheski	Fire Official				
Joe Dymarczyk	Electrical Sub-Code Official				
Anthony Gallina	Magistrate		1,000,000	(A)	
•	-			` '	
	Prosecutor			` '	
Marlene DiStefano	_				
James DePadova Phillip Cheski Joe Dymarczyk Anthony Gallina Debra Zafonte Stephanie Jacob Kellie M. Reyes, Esq. Hansel Asmar	Plumbing Sub-Code Official Fire Official Electrical Sub-Code Official Magistrate Court Administrator Deputy Court Administrator		1,000,000 1,000,000 1,000,000	(A) (A) (A)	

⁽A) - There is a statutory bond limit in the Municipal Joint Insurance Fund that covers the Treasurer, Tax Collector, Library Treasurer and any assistant or deputy "in title to" these positions Magistrates, Court Administrators, and court clerk up to \$1,000,000 with a member deductible of \$1,000.

Supplementary Data

Comparative Schedule of Tax Rate Information

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Tax rate	\$ 2,923	2.889	2.829
Apportionment of tax rate:			
Municipal *	0.920	0.908	0.895
County	0.273	0.257	0.250
Local school	 1.730	1.724	1.684

^{*} Includes Municipal Library

Assessed valuation	
2018	\$ 2,075,093,390
2017	2,072,358,499
2016	2,062,368,699

Comparison of Tax Levies and Collections Currently

A study of this tabulation could indicate a possible trend in future tax levies. A decrease in the percentage of current collections could be an indication of a probable increase in future tax levies.

		Currently		
			Percentage	
		Cash	of	
Year	Tax levy	collections	collection	
2018	\$ 60,779,776	60,009,331	98.73%	
2017	59,943,124	59,336,553	98.99%	
2016	58,457,458	57,768,111	98.82%	

Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens

This tabulation includes a comparison, expressed in percentage, of the total of delinquent taxes and tax title liens in relation to the tax levies of the last three years.

	Amount			
	of	Amount		
	tax	of	Total	Percentage
	title	delinquent	delin-	of tax
Dec. 31,	<u>liens</u>	taxes	quent	<u>levy</u>
2018	\$ 581,442	593,231	1,174,673	1.93%
2017	579,115	581,965	1,161,080	1.94%
2016	576,815	537,957	1,114,772	1.91%

Supplementary Data

Property Acquired by Tax Title Lien Liquidation

No properties were acquired in 2018 by foreclosure or deed as a result of liquidation of tax title liens.

The value of properties acquired by liquidation of tax title liens at December 31, on the basis of the last assessed valuation of such properties, was as follows:

Year	<u>Amount</u>
2018	\$ 23,450
2017	23,450
2016	23,450

Comparative Schedule of Fund Balances

			Utilized in budget of
		Balance,	succeeding
	Year	<u>Dec. 31</u>	year
Current Fund:	2018	\$ 6,055,491	3,575,000
	2017	6,290,928	3,575,000
	2016	5,589,685	3,575,000
	2015	5,757,609	3,575,000
	2014	4,833,953	2,698,756
Water Utility Fund:	2018	\$ 4,738,673	
	2017	4,016,702	
	2016	3,489,972	
	2015	2,759,107	
	2014	2,056,280	

Comparison of Water Utility Levies

Year	Water <u>Levy</u>	Cash collection
2018 2017 2016 2015	\$ 3,110,013 4,369,139 3,591,060 2,856,763	3,796,622 3,721,726 3,470,019 2,709,458
2014	3,235,260	2,478,623

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BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

Year ended December 31, 2018

MEMO Cumulative Total Expenditures	116,366	u u	5,500	* *	* 20,143 *	* *	*
Adjustment	(116,366)	(116,366)		37,036	85,661 50,983	136,644	57,314
Expended	124,351	124,351	5,500	37,036	20,143	20,143	181,530
Receipts			5,500	26,077	1,094	1,094	27,171
Grant Award <u>Amount</u>	150,000 \$	ı	5,500	E	,	,	es"
Grant Year	2015		2018		2018 2018		
Federal FAIN Number							
Federal CFDA Number	14.218 and Lee		20.616		21.000 16.922		
Federal Program	Community Developement Block Grant Ord. 2015-17 Ord. 2018-05: Resurfacing of Franklin, Orchard an	. General Capital Fund	Distracted Driving Safety Restraints Program - Click it or Ticket	. Federal and State Grant Fund	Equitable Sharing Program Equitable Sharing Program	- Trust Funds	
Federal Grantor	General Capital Fund: (1) Department of Housing and Urban Development (1)	Total Federal Financial Assistance - General Capital Fund	Federal and State Grant Fund: (2) U.S. Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration	Total Federal Financial Assistance - Federal and State Grant Fund	Trust Funds: U.S. Department of the Treasury U.S. Department of Justice	Total Federal Financial Assistance - Trust Funds	

(1) Passed through the County of Bergen (2) Passed through the State of New Jersey

Note: This schedule was not subject to an audit in accordance with the Uniform Guidance.

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Expenditures of State Awards

Year ended December 31, 2018

MEMO Cumulative Total Expenditures	9,651	3,719		00'000	096'6			132,680			49,100		
Adjustments	4,450	665		* * * *	* * *		\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	* * * *	*	* * *	* (49,100)	* (49,100)	* (43,985) *
Éxpendeģ	9,651 2,600	3,719 3,747 19,717		000'09	096'6	09,960	719,68	132,680	132,680				222,357
Revenue Realized/ <u>Receipts</u>	17,439	31,633 33,055 82,127	2,636	000'09	6,627 19,952	3,874	235,216		235,216	1,860			235,216
Allocation or grant award amount	17,439 \$ 27,244	31,633 33,055 38,908	2,636 3,303 12,278	60,000 60,000	6,627 19,952	3,874		155,500	, es,	1,860	49,100 197,925	r	
Grant year	2018 2017	2018 2017 2016	2018 2017 2016 2014 2009	2018 2017	2018	2017	2013	2017		2018	2017		
Grant number	4900-752-042-4900-001-V42Y	4900-765-042-4900-004-V42Y	9735-760-098-Y900-001-X100		6400-100-078-6400	1020-718-066-1020-001-YCJS-6120							
State program	Recycling Tonnage Grant	Clean Communities	Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation Fund	Safe and Secure Grant	Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	Divison of Criminal Justice Body Armor Fund Abuse	deral and State Grant Fund	Imp. Of the Boulevard, Sec. 10, Phase 2	nerd Capital Fund	Stigma Free Grant	Open Space Trust Fund Birwood Park Imps Ord. 2017-32 Tennis Court Imps Ord. 2018-27		חכפ
State finding department	Federal and State Grant Fund: Department of Environmental Protection Agency		Administrative Offices of the Courts	Department of Law and Public Safety		Distriction Alliance for Alcohol & Drug Abuse	(rassec intolga betgen County) Total State Financial Assistance - Federal and State Grant Fund	<u>General Capital Fund;</u> Department of Transportation	Total State Financial Assistance - General Capital Fund Total State Financial Assistance	Other Financial Assistance County of Bergen		Total Other Financial Assistance	Total State and Other Financial Assistance

Note: This schedule was not subject to an audit in accordance with N.J. OMB Circular 15-08.

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Cash - Collector-Treasurer

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	Current <u>Fund</u> 11,238,993
Turning of law Descriptor		
Increased by Receipts:		59,206,543
Taxes Receivable		639,288
Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated		123,007
Tax Overpayments		123,007
Due from State - Senior Citizen and		112,194
Veteran Deductions		5,348,805
Revenue Accounts Receivable		8,550
Interfunds		260,812
Prepaid Taxes		65,221
Grants Receivable		68,487
Unappropriated Reserves	_	00,107
		65,832,907
D		
Decreased by Disbursements:		24,374,355
Current Year Budget Appropriations		1,000
Petty Cash Interfunds		36
	•	749,634
Appropriation Reserves Refunds		1,499
Tax Overpayment Refunds		95,760
Local District School Taxes		35,896,232
		5,670,165
County Taxes Payable Appropriated Grant Reserve Disbursements		94,330
Appropriated Grant Reserve Disoursements	_	> .,2.20
		66,883,011
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ _	10,188,889

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Cash - Change Fund

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 850
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 850
Schedule of Cash - Petty Cash	Exhibit A-6
Current Fund	
Year Ended December 31, 2018	
Increased by: Disbursed	\$ 1,000
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 1,000

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Amount Due to/(from) State of New Jersey for Senior Citizens' and Veterans' Deductions - CH. 129 P.L. 1976

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017		\$	74,421
Decreased by:			
Senior Citizens' Deductions Per Tax Billing Veterans' Deductions Per Tax Billing	\$ 28,500 87,250	<u></u>	
		<u> </u>	115,750
			(41,329)
Increased by:			
State Share of Senior Citizens and Veteran Deductions Received in Cash			112,194
Balance - December 31, 2018		\$	70,865

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Grants Receivable

Federal and State Grant Fund

<u>Grant</u>	Balance, Dec. 31, <u>2017</u>	2018 Budget Revenue <u>Realized</u>	Received	Balance, Dec. 31, 2018
Municipal Alliance on Alcoholism and Recycling Tonnage Grant Safe and Secure Communities Grant Body Armor Grant Clean Communities Clean Communities Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation Distracted Driving Click it or Ticket	\$ 21,105	17,439 60,000 3,874 33,055 31,633 19,952 2,636 5,500 5,500	17,439 60,000 3,874 33,055 31,633 19,952 2,636 5,500 5,500	21,105
	\$ 21,105 Adopted Budget Added by N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87	179,589 114,368 65,221 179,589 Cash Receipts priated Reserves	65,221 114,368 179,589	21,105

581,442

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Amount Due to/(from) Current Fund

Federal and State Grant Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Increased by: Prior Year Balance - Appropriated Reserves Prior Year Balance - Unappropriated Reserves Transfer from Appropriation Reserves Cash Receipts - Unappropriated Reserves Cash Receipts - Grants Receivable	\$	55,727 114,368 31,201 68,487 65,221		
				335,004
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements Prior Year Balance - Grants Receivable	\$	94,330 21,105	_	(335,004)
				115,435
Balance - December 31, 2018			\$	(219,569)
Schedule of Municipal Tax Tit	le Liens	s Receivable	e	Exhibit A-10
Current Fun	d			
Year Ended December	er 31, 20	18		
Balance - December 31, 2017			\$	579,115
Increased by: Transferred from Taxes Receivable				2,327

Balance - December 31, 2018

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Taxes Receivable and Analysis of Property Tax Levy

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Balance, Dec. 31,	2018	E-12-11-00-VVV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV-F-10-VV		593,231	593,231						,			
	Canceled			174,887	174,887									
Transferred to Tax	Title Liens			2,327	2,327									
Senior Citizen and Veteran	Deductions	t the same time to the same to		115,750	115,750					•				
	2018	581,965	581,965	58,624,578	59,206,543	59,206,543	Tax Levy	60,654,982 124,794	60,779,776	35,896,232	5,663,699		19,219,845	\$ 60,779,776
Collected	2017			1,269,003	1,269,003	Cash	Analysis of Tax Levy	⇔ `	∽ "	\$ 5,652,127 11,572	·	\$ 19,085,931	·	∽ "
	Levy			60,779,776	60,779,776			x 1:4-63.1 et seq.)		d Taxes		ses	cipal Purposes	
Balance, Dec. 31,	2017	581,965	581,965		581,965		: :	1 ax yıeld: General Purpose Tax Added Tax (R.S. 54:4-63.1 et seq.)		Tax Levy: Local District School Tax County Tax County Added and Omitte		Local Tax for Municipal Purposes Add: Additional Taxes Levied	Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	
	Year	2017		2018	<i>⇔</i> "		E	ï.		Ü				

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Property Acquired for Taxes -Assessed Valuation

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 23,450		
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 23,450		

Schedule of Revenue Accounts Receivable

Current Fund

	Balance Dec. 31, 2017	Accrued	Collected	Balance Dec. 31, 2018
Clerk:				
Licenses:				
Alcoholic beverages		23,570	23,570	
Other		8,155	8,155	
Fees and Permits		97,007	97,007	
Municipal Court:				
Fines and Costs	53,882	570,003	584,120	39,765
Interest and Costs on Taxes		123,424	123,424	
Interest on Investments and Deposits		172,166	172,166	
Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Aid		125,987	125,987	
Energy Receipts Tax		1,335,917	1,335,917	
Uniform Construction Code Fees		351,595	351,595	
Interlocal Service Agreements				
Board of Education - School Resource Officer		70,000	70,000	
Utility Operating Surplus of Prior Year		365,000	365,000	
Uniform Fire Safety Act - Local		56,917	56,917	
Trunk Sewer Revenue		1,715,176	1,715,176	
Reserve for Payment of Debt		325,075	325,075	
	\$53,882	5,339,992	5,354,109	39,765
	Interes	st on Investments \$	5,304	
		Cash Collections	5,348,805	
			3,3 10,003	
		\$_	5,354,109	

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Interfunds

Current Fund

<u>Fund</u>	Bal	rom/(to) lance 11, 2017	Increased	Decreased	Due from/(to) Balance Dec. 31, 2018
Animal Control Trust Fund			8,349		8,349
Other Trust Fund		4,823	8,691	4,823	8,691
Other Trust Fund - Escrow		1,059	10,734	3,127	8,666
General Capital Fund		(36)	2,032	600	1,396
Net Payroll		6,404			6,404
	\$	12,250	29,806	8,550	33,506
	Cash	Receipts \$		8,550	
	Cash Disbu	rsements	36		
	Depos	sit Errors	1,184		
	Interest on Inv	estments	20,237		
	Statutor	y Excess	8,349		
		\$	29,806	8,550	

Schedule of Appropriation Reserves

Current Fund

		Balance, Dec. 31, 2017	Balance after Transfers and Encumbrances	Paid or Charged	Balance <u>Lapsed</u>
Salaries and Wages Within "CAPS":					
Administrative and Executive	\$	7,354	7,354		7,354
Mayor and Council		596	596		596
Financial Administration		11,604	11,604		11,604
Revenue Administration		2,383	2,383		2,383
Assessment of Taxes		14,786	14,786		14,786
Legal Services and Costs		21,901	26,901	1,695	25,206
Planning Board		338	338		338
Zoning Board		2,906	2,906		2,906
Police		2,525	2,525		2,525
Crossing Guards		1,041	1,041		1,041
Other Police Personnel		453	453		453
Police Dispatch/911		37,068	37,068		37,068
Fire Official		272	272		272
Ambulance Stipend		7,900	7,900	2,800	5,100
Fire Department Stipend Program		17,315	17,315	,	17,315
Municipal Prosecutor		4,819	4,819		4,819
Municipal Court		64,227	64,227	70	64,157
Public Defender		5,649	5,649	, ,	5,649
Road Repairs and Maintenance		16,813	16,813		16,813
Solid Waste Collection		171	171		171
Public Health Services		361	361		361
Recreation Services and Programs		1,061	1,061		1,061
Rent Leveling		1,600	1,600		1,600
Construction Code Official		18,864	18,864	***************************************	18,864
Total Salaries and Wages Within "CAPS"	_	242,007	247,007	4,565	242,442
Other Expenses Within "CAPS":					
Administrative and Executive					
Other Expenses		3,708	24,656	5,044	19,612
Grant Consultant		1,915	1,915		1,915
Financial Administration:					
Other Expenses		12,058	25,318	14,146	11,172
Payroll Service		14,869	17,271	9,255	8,016
Audit Services		60,000	60,000	57,035	2,965
Engineering Services and Costs		36,547	38,176	19,355	18,821
Collection of Taxes		16,022	16,022	617	15,405

Schedule of Appropriation Reserves

Current Fund

	Balance, Dec. 31, 2017	Balance after Transfers and Encumbrances	Paid or <u>Charged</u>	Balance <u>Lapsed</u>
Postage	6,353	11,353	5,000	6,353
Assessment of Taxes:				
Other Expenses	24,153	24,194	31	24,163
Legal Services and Costs	28,875	28,875	9,768	19,107
Planning Board	2,722	2,722	204	2,518
Master Plan	20,000	20,000		20,000
Zoning Board	6,372	7,272	965	6,307
Council on Affordable Housing	477	5,227	4,750	477
Insurance:				
General Liability	18,952	104,729	85,777	18,952
Group Insurance	66,187	66,187	5,670	60,517
Worker's Compensation		104,359	104,359	
Health Benefit Waiver	7,695	7,695	,	7,695
Police:	,	•		•
Other Expenses - Regular	26,665	51,780	33,573	18,207
Other Expenses - Clothing Allowance	51,479	51,479		51,479
Emergency Management Services	5,010	5,282		5,282
Fire Department				
Other Expenses - Miscellaneous	18,620	61,448	40,213	21,235
Other Expenses - Clothing Allowance	7,578	7,578		7,578
Uniform Fire Code	6,282	6,282		6,282
Municipal Court	11,235	10,710	899	9,811
Road Repairs and Maintenance	56,798	104,783	67,063	37,720
Traffic Lights	21,106	26,271	5,584	20,687
Shade Tree	6,000	6,000	,	6,000
Solid Waste Collection - Recycling	73,556	80,849	406	80,443
Solid Waste Collection - Tipping Fees	38,491	146,329	79,329	67,000
Vehicle Maintenance	21,085	23,099	13,011	10,088
Public Health Services	9,376	9,376	701	8,675
Animal Control	1,723	1,723		1,723
Veterans Services Bureau	4,200	4,200		4,200
Recreation	30,982	32,616	3,265	29,351
Maintenance of Parks	835	835		835
Celebration of Public Events				
Other Expenses	7 ,8 11	8,446	635	7,811
Senior Citizen Expenses	152	171	171	
Gasoline	21,434	36,632	10,311	26,321
Electric and Gas	13,917	79,021	60,292	18,729

Schedule of Appropriation Reserves

Current Fund

		Balance, Dec. 31, 2017	Balance after Transfers and Encumbrances	Paid or <u>Charged</u>	Balance <u>Lapsed</u>
Telephone		9,314	28,474	10,359	18,115
Street Lighting		35,080	107,664	88,318	19,346
Rent Leveling Construction Code Official		350	350 15.425	604	350
Construction Code Official Contingent		15,225 1,895	15,435 1,895	694 479	14,741 1,416
Contingent		1,693	1,693	479	1,410
Total Other expenses Within "CAPS"		823,104	1,474,699	737,279	737,420
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditu	ıres				
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)		40,268	40,268		40,268
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures Within "CAPS"		40,268	40,268	***	40,268
		10,200	. 10,200		40,200
Other Expenses Excluded From "CAPS":					
Recycling Tax		5,073	10,281	1,443	8,838
Total Other Expenses Excluded from "CAPS"		5,073	10,281	1,443	8,838
Public and Private Programs offset by Rev Excluded from "CAPS"	venues:				
Recycling Tonnage Grant		18,244	22,694	22,694	
Clean Communities		14,189	14,854	14,854	
Total Public and Private Programs offset b	w Ravanua	a.			
Excluded from "CAPS"	–	32,433	37,548	37,548	
Total Reserves	\$	1,142,885	1,809,803	780,835	1,028,968
		ation Reserves Encumbrances	1,142,885 666,918		
		\$	1,809,803		
	Transferre	d to Appropriate	Cash Disbursed d Grant Reserves	749,634 31,201	
			\$	780,835	

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, $\,{\rm N.J.}$

Schedule of Encumbrances Payable

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 666,918
Decreased by:	
Transferred to Appropriation Reserves	\$ 666,918

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Reserve for Other Expenditures

Current Fund

		Pending Tax <u>Appeals</u>	Revaluation	<u>Total</u>
Balance - December 31, 2017	\$_	1,455,224	37,000	1,492,224
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$_	1,455,224	37,000	1,492,224

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Tax Overpayments

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017		\$	45,220
Increased by:			
Collections			123,007
			168,227
Decreased by:			
Refunds	\$ 95,760		
Canceled	 14,270	_	
			110,030
Balance - December 31, 2018		\$	58,197

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Local School District Tax Payable

Current Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Increased by: 2018 Levy

\$ 35,896,232

Decreased by:
Payments

\$ 35,896,232

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of County Taxes Payable

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017			\$	6,466
Increased by: 2018 Levy 2018 Open Space	\$	5,421,150 230,977		
2018 Added Assessments	_	11,572	-	
				5,663,699
Decreased by:				5,670,165
Payments			\$	5,670,165

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Prepaid Taxes

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	1,269,003
Increased by: Collections		260,812
Conections	<u></u>	
Decreased by:		1,529,815
Applied to 2018 Taxes Receivable		1,269,003
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	260,812

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Statement of Plan Assets Due to LOSAP

Current Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 102,752
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 102,752

Schedule of Appropriated Reserves for Grants

Federal and State Grant Fund

<u>Grant</u>		Balance, Dec. 31, 2017	Transfer From 2018 <u>Budget</u>	Expended	Balance, Dec. 31, 2018
Municipal Alliance on Alcohol and Drug Abuse - 2017	\$	1,201			1,201
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation		54,526			54,526
Recycling Tonnage Grant		-	37,533	9,651	27,882
Safe and Secure Communities			60,000	60,000	
Body Armor Replacement Fund			3,874		3,874
Clean Communities			44,162	3,719	40,443
Clean Communities			31,633		31,633
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund			19,952	9,960	9,992
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation			2,636		2,636
Distracted Driving			5,500	5,500	
Click it or Ticket		·	5,500	5,500	
	\$ _	55,727	210,790	94,330	172,187
		Budget	114,368		
Transferred from Approp	ria	tion Reserves	31,201		
Appropri	ateo	1 by 40a:4-87	65,221		
		\$	210,790		
		Cash	Disbursements \$	94,330 94,330	

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BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK, N.J.

Schedule of Unappropriated Reserves for Grants

Federal and State Grant Fund

		Balance,	Transfer		Balance,
		Dec. 31,	To 2018		Dec. 31,
<u>Grant</u>		<u>2017</u>	<u>Budget</u>	Received	<u>2018</u>
Safe and Secure Grant	\$	60,000.00	60,000	60,000	60,000
Body Armor Replacement		3,874	3,874		
Clean Communities		33,055	33,055		
Recycling Tonnage Grant		17,439	17,439		
Bergen Co. Stigma Free Grant				1,860	1,860
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	_			6,627	6,627
	\$	114,368	114,368	68,487	68,487

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BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Cash

Trust Funds

		Animal Trust	Other Trust	Unemployment Compensation	Emergency Service LOSAP
		Fund	Fund	Trust <u>Fund</u>	Fund
Balance - December 31, 2017	\$_	27,400	2,967,488	196,284	474,900
Increase by Receipts:					
Reserve for Animal Trust Expenditures Interfunds		7,113	12,698		
2019 Prepaid Dog Licenses		1,082	12,098		
Due to the State of New Jersey		1,451			
Various Reserves and Deposits			2,393,647	10.010	
Employee Payroll Deductions Contributions				12,210	2,800
Total Receipts		9,646	2,406,345	12,210	2,800
	_	37,046	5,373,833	208,494	477,700
Decreased by Disbursements:					
Interfunds			7,950		
Due to the State of New Jersey Various Reserves and Deposits		1,273	3,107,203		
Unemployment Claims Paid			3,107,203	30,721	
Account Charges/Tax				,	1,804
Deprecation in Investment Value LOSAP Distributions					16,443
LOSAP Distributions			<u></u>		14,781
Total Disbursements	_	1,273	3,115,153	30,721	33,028
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	35,773	2,258,680	177,773	444,672

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Interfunds Receivable/(Payable)

Trust Funds

	<u>De</u>	Balance c. 31, 2017	Increased	Decreased	Balance Dec. 31, 2018
Other Trust Fund					
Current Fund	\$	(4,823)	8,691	4,823	(8,691)
Total Other Trust Fund		(4,823)	8,691	4,823	(8,691)
Animal License Trust Fund					
Current Fund	\$	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	8,349		(8,349)
Total Animal License Trust Fund			8,349		(8,349)
Escrow Trust Fund					
Current Fund	\$	(1,059)	10,734	3,127	(8,666)
Total Escrow Trust Fund	_	(1,059)	10,734	3,127	(8,666)
	\$	(5,882)	27,774	7,950	(25,706)
		Receipts	12,698		
		sbursements	0 240	7,950	
Reclassified from Reserve		utory Excess ow Deposits	8,349 6,727		
Accountable How Account		2p	- 7		
		\$	27,774	7,950	

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Prepaid Animal Licenses

Animal License Trust Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 1,794
Increased by:	
2019 License Fees Collected	 1,082
Decreased by:	2,876
2018 License Fees Applied	 1,794
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 1,082

Exhibit B-4

Schedule of Amount Due to/(from) State of New Jersey

Animal License Trust Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	(156)
Increased by:		
State Fees Paid		1,273
		(1,429)
Decreased by: State Fees Collected		1,451
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	22

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Reserve for Animal Trust Fund Expenditures

Trust Funds

Balance - December 31, 2017			\$	25,762
Increased by:				
Dog License Fees	\$	5,123		
Cat License Fees		605		
Prepaid Fees Applied		1,794		
Miscellaneous Revenue:				
Other		615		
Late Fees - Dog		770		
				8,907
				34,669
Decreased by:				
Statutory Excess - Due Current Fund				8,349
Balance - December 31, 2018			\$	26,320
	Animal Lice	nse Fees (Collec	ted
		Year		
		2016	\$	18,086
		2017		8,234
	Maximu	m Reserv	e \$	26,320

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Reserve for Unemployment Compensation Insurance Fund

Trust Funds

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	196,284
Increased by:		
Employee Share from Payroll Agency	-	12,210
		208,494
Decreased by:		
Unemployment Claims	_	30,721
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$_	177,773

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Various Reserves and Deposits

Trust Funds

	Bala		·		Balance
	Dec. 31	, 2017	<u>Increased</u>	Decreased	Dec. 31, 2018
Escrow Deposits	\$ 3	1,890	256,043	88,718	199,215
Multiple Dwelling Emergency Deposits		3,357	22		43,379
Recreation		7,164	710,977	690,657	547,484
Payroll Salary and Wages Payable		7,471	. *	7,471	•
Parking Offenses Adjudication Act		0,353	2,402	5,922	16,833
Lien Redemptions	11	7,822	481,541	480,150	119,213
Tax Title Lien Premiums	36	1,177	468,300	412,900	416,577
Accrued Compensated Absences	1,23	0,331		711,842	518,489
Federal Equitable Sharing Program - Treasury	8	4,999	1,756	20,143	66,612
Federal Equitable Sharing Program - Justice	5	0,983			50,983
Fire Prevention - Dedicated Penalties		5,292	928		6,220
Fire Prevention	15	9,024	78,825	66,785	171,064
Drunk Driving		197			197
Band Shelter	3	1,305			31,305
Miscellaneous		1,000			1,000
Alcohol Rehab	1	4,232		9,650	4,582
Police Outside Detail	28	2,480	474,891	709,201	48,170
	\$ 2,96	9,077	2,475,685	3,203,439	2,241,323
	Cash R	eceipts \$	2,393,647		
Cas	sh Disburs	ements		3,107,203	
Reclassification of Bal	lance to Int	terfund			
Reallocation of Reserves		82,038	82,038		
Reclassification of Balance to Interfund			6,727		
Re-Allocation of Balance to Separa	ate Balance	Sheet		7,471	
			2,475,685	3,203,439	

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Service Award Contributions Receivable

Trust Funds

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	93,184
Increased by: 2018 Service Award Contributions		3,500
		96,684
Decreased by: Cash Received Contribution Cancelled	\$ 2,800 700	
		3,500
Ralance - December 31, 2018	\$	93,184

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Net Assets Available for Benefits

Trust Funds

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	568,084
Increased by: Borough Contributions	_	3,500
		571,584
Decreased by: Account Charges/Tax Depreciation in Fair Value of Investments Contributions Cancelled Distributions	\$ 1,804 16,443 700 14,781	
	-	33,728
Ralance - December 31, 2018	\$	537,856

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Cash

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017		\$	3,409,797
Increased by Receipts:			
Bond Anticipation Notes	\$ 745,500		
Interfund	2,032		
Grants Received	235,189		
Contributions Received	123,537		
Capital Improvement Fund	 100,000	_	
			1,206,258
			4,616,055
Decreased by Disbursements:	000 000		
Improvement Authorizations	800,230		
Contracts Payable	1,226,685		
Budget Revenue - Payment of Debt	325,075		
Interfund	 600	_	
		_	2,352,590
Balance - December 31, 2018		\$_	2,263,465

779,277

\$

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Analysis of Cash

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Fund Balance

I did Dalance		Ψ 112,211
Capital Improveme	ent Fund	235,404
Due to Current Fur	nd	1,396
Grants Receivable		(719,209)
Contributions Rece	eivable	(123,538)
	rastructure Loan Receivable	(17,514)
Reserve for Payme	nt of Debt Service	204,523
Contracts Payable		1,760,685
Reserve for Grants	Receivable	472,184
Improvement Auth	orizations:	
Ordinance		
Number	Improvement Description	
2012-06	Various Public Improvements	41,365
2013-04	Emergency Generator	107,355
2013-16	Various Public Improvements	62,480
2013-21	Streetscape Improvements	(119,177)
2013-27	Handicapped Access	66,864
2014-11	Supp. For Fleischers Brook and UST Closure	1,239
2014-12	Sanitary Sewer Pump Station	161,158
2014-13	2014 Road Resurfacing Program	345,529
2014-22	Acquisition of Easement, Block 1408 Lot 1	2,047
2014-25/2015-20	Improvement of the Boulevard, Sec. 8, 9, 10	65,055
2015-09	Supplemental Handicapped Access Curb Ramps	33,538
2015-14	2015 Road Resurfacing Program	55,790
2015-17	Resurfacing of Iozia Terrace, Franklin & Court St.	(108,366)
2015-18	Remounting of 2 Ambulances onto new Chasis	5,898
2015-22	Restoration of Fleischers Brook	107,923
2016-03	Rehabilitation of the Hockey Rink	30,210
2016-11	Resurfacing of Franklin, Gall, North & Summit	60,080
2016-12	2016 Road Resurfacing Program	167,032
2016-14	Building Improvements & Acquisition of Equipment	52,194
2016-18	Various Improvements to Cherry Hill Park	186
2016-19	Self Contained Breathing Apparatus for Fire Dept.	2,319
2017-13	Improvement of the Boulevard, Sec. 10, Phase 2	(102,659)
2017-14	2017 Road Resurfacing Program	19,148
2017-17	Various Public Improvements	13,517
2017-20	UST Removal and Environmental Remediation	181,485
2017-28	Sewer Jet Vacuum Machine	3,743
2017-32	Various Improvements to Birchwood Park	455

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Analysis of Cash

General Capital Fund

2017-33	New Pumper Fire Engine	21,225
2018-05/2018-23	Resurfacing of Franklin, Orchard & Lee Street	(234,108)
2018-09	Various Imps. To the Intersection of Market and Mola Blvd	(127,702)
2018-16	Replacement of Sewer Lines & Ejector Pumps	(183,962)
2018-17	Various Public Imps. & New Additional and/or Replacement Machin	(371,782)
2018-20	2018 Road Resurfacing Program	(1,076,000)
2018-21	Various Equipment & Machinery for the Fire Department	(58,822)
2018-27	Imps. To the Tennis Courts at the High School	445,000
2010 27	T	
	\$_	2,263,465

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Interfunds

General Capital Fund

	Ι	from/(to) Balance . 31, 2017	Increased	Decreased	Due from/(to) Balance Dec. 31, 2018
Current Fund	\$	36	600	2,032	(1,396)
		36	600	2,032	(1,396)
		sh Receipts \$ bursements	600	2,032	
		\$	600	2,032	

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Deferred Charges to Future Taxation - Funded

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017		\$	8,676,421
Decreased by: Current year Budget Appropriations: Loan Principal Serial Bond Principal Loans Deobligated	\$ 195,086 1,365,000 161,000	_	
		<u></u>	1,721,086
Balance - December 31, 2018		\$	6,955,3 <u>35</u>

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Deferred Charges to Future Taxation - Unfunded

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

	Unexpended	Improvement Authorization		11,160	4,223					33,634							53,820							37,298	92,038		20,518
Analysis of Balance		Exnenditures	CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF		119,177					108,366							102,659						228,000	127,702	183,962		371,782
	Financed by Bond	Anticipation	CHION			2,242,000	345,529	65,000	276,000		121 900	129,000	97.250	457 000	340,000	19,000	21.121	455,200	320,000	199,000	229,500	516,000					
		Balance	Dec. 31, 2018	11,160	123 400	2,242,000	345,529	65,000	276,000	142,000	121.900	129 000	027,750	457,000	340,000	19 000	177 600	455 200	320,000	199,000	229 500	516,000	228,000	165,000	276,000		392,300
		Decreased	<u></u>										103 750	107,'70													
		2018	Authorizations					45 313																165,000	000 922		392,300
		Balance	Dec. 31, 2017	\$ 11,160	780	7 242 000	345 529	10.687	726,000	142 000	142,000	120,900	000,671	281,000	457,000	340,000	000,61	17,000	433,200	100,000	199,000	279,500	210,000				
			<u>Improvement Description</u>	General improvements: Various Public Improvements	Various Public Improvements	Streetscape Improvements	Sanitary Sewer Pump Station	2014 Road Resurfacing Program	Improvement Boulevard Sec 8 & 9	2015 Road Resurfacing Program	Resurfacing Iozia Terrace, Franklin & Court St.	Improvement to Boulevard Sec 8, 9 & 10	Restoration of Fleischers Brook	Resurfacing of Franklin, Gall, North and Summit	2016 Road Resurfacing Program	Building Improvements & Acq. Of Equipment	Acq. Of Self Contained Breathing Apparatus for Fire Dept.	Improvement of Blvd. Section 10 Phase 2	2017 Road Resurfacing Program	Various Improvements	Underground Storage Tank Removal & Environmental Kemediation	Sewer Jet Vacuum Machine	New Pumper Fire Engine	Resurfacing of Franklin, Orchard and Lee Streets	Various Imps. To the Intersection of Market St. and Mora Bivu.	Replacement of Sewer Lines and Ejector Pumps	Various Public Imps. & New Additional and/or Replacement Machinery
		Ordinance	Number	12-06	13-16	13-21	14-12	14-13	14-25	15-14	15-17	15-20	15-22	16-11	16-12	16-14	16-19	17-13	17-14	17-17	17-20	17-28	17-33	2018-05	2018-09	2018-16	2018-17

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Deferred Charges to Future Taxation - Unfuuded

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Unexpended Improvement Authorization 9,678 105,792	368,941				1,565,059											
Analysis of Balance Expenditures 1,076,000 58,822 6,108	2,382,578				Improvement Authorizations - Unfunded \$ Unexpended proceeds and Anticipation Notes Ordinance:	161,158	345,529	55,790	107,923	52,194	2,319	19,148	13,517	181,485	3,743	21,225
Financed by Bond Anticipation Notes	5,833,500			5,833,500 (45,313) 5,788,187	Improvement Authoriza Less: Unexpended proceeds of Bond Anticipation Notes	2014-12	2014-13	2015-14	2015-22	2016-14	2016-19	2017-14	2017-17	2017-20	2017-28	2017-33
Balance Dec. 31, 2018 1,076,000 68,500 111,900	8,585,019			Bond Anticipation Notes e Proceeds, Ord. 2014-25	Impr Less: Unex of Bond As											
Decreased <u>By:</u>	183,750		183,750	Bond Anticipation Notes Less: Excess Note Proceeds, Ord. 2014-25												
2018 Authorizations 1,076,000 68,500 111,900	2,363,013	2,317,700 45,313 \$ 2,363,013	Grant Proceeds Applied	Less: F												
Balance Dec. 31, 2017	\$ 6,405,756	2018 Authorizations Correction of Prior Year Paydown recorded in error	Grant													
Improvement Description 2018 Road Resurfacing Program Various Equipment & Machinery for Fire Dept. Additional Appropriation: 2018-05		Correction														

\$ 368,941

1,196,118

Ordinance Number 2018-20 2018-21 2018-23

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Schedule of Grants Receivable - State Department of Transportation

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	187,060
Decreased by: Cancelled		31,560
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	155,500
	<u>Analysis</u> Ord. 13-2017 \$	155,500

Exhibit C-8

Schedule of Grants Receivable - Community Development Block Grant

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017		\$	378,571
Increased by: Grants Awards			124,351
			502,922
Decreased by:			
Cancelled	\$ 44,336		
Cash Receipts	184,235	_	
			228,571
Balance - December 31, 2018		\$	274,351
	<u>Analysis</u>		
	Ord. 17-2015	5	150,000
	Ord. 05-2018	3	124,351
		\$	274,351

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Schedule of Grants Receivable - Bergen County Open Space Grant

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Balance - December 31, 2017		\$ 142,387
Increased by:		
Grant Awards		197,925
•		340,312
Decreased by:		
Cash Receipts		50,954
Balance - December 31, 2018		\$ 289,358
	<u>Analysis</u>	
	Ord. 27-2013	38,967
	Ord. 03-2016	3,366
	Ord. 32-2017	49,100
	Ord. 27-2018	197,925
		\$ 289,358

Exhibit C-10

Schedule of Environmental Infrastructure Loan Receivable

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 17,514
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 17,514

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Schedule of Contributions Receivable - Due from Elmwood Park Board of Education - Ord. 27-2018

General Capital Fund

Increased by:	Ф	100 500								
Contribution Pledged	\$	123,538								
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ _	123,538								
		Exhibit C-12								
Schedule of Contributions Receivable - Recreation Trust Fund Ordinance 27-2018										
General Capital Fund	General Capital Fund									
Year Ended December 31, 2018										
Increased by: Contribution Pledged	\$ <u>_</u>	123,537								
Decreased by: Cash Receipts	\$ _	123,537								

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Schedule of General Serial Bonds Payable

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

		Balance	Dec. 31, 2018			4,970,000		4,970,000	
			Decreased	180,000	810,000	375,000		1,365,000	1,365,000
Maturities of		Balance	Dec. 31, 2017	180,000	810,000	5,345,000		\$ 6,335,000	Budget Appropriations
		Interest	Rate	4.850%	4.000%	2.00-3.00%	,	∞ "	Budget
	Bonds Outstanding,	December 31, 2018	Amount			700,000 700,000 705,000 710,000 715,000 720,000			
		Decembe	Date	03/15/18	02/15/18	08/01/19 08/01/20 08/01/21 08/01/22 08/01/23 08/01/24			
		Original	Issue	1,465,000	5,385,000	6,830,000			
		Date of	<u>Issue</u>	3/15/2003	6/15/2006	8/1/2013			
			Purpose	Taxable Pension Refunding Bonds	General Improvements	General Improvements			

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\$ 1,365,000

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Schedule of Bond Anticipation Notes Payable

General Capital Fund

Year ended December 31, 2018

Balance, Dec.31, <u>2018</u>	2,242,000 345,529 65,000 276,000 121,900 129,000 97,250 457,000 340,000 11,121 455,200 199,000 21,121 455,200 199,000 229,500 5,833,500	
Decreased	2,242,000 345,529 65,000 276,000 121,900 129,000 97,250 457,000 340,000 19,000 19,000 199,000 199,000	5,088,000
Increased	8	5,088,000
Balance Dec.31 2017	2,242,000 345,529 65,000 276,000 121,900 129,000 97,250 457,000 340,000 19,000 21,121 455,200 320,000 199,000	Cash & Renewed
Interest <u>rate</u>	1.75% 1.75%	
Date of Maturity	Aug. 16, 2019	
Date of <u>issue</u>	Aug. 17, 2018	
Date of issue of original notes	Aug. 18, 2016 Aug. 18, 2017 Aug. 17, 2018 Aug. 17, 2018	
Improvement Description	Rehab of Sanitary Sewer Pump Station 2014 Road Resurfacing Program Improvement of Boulevard Sec 8 & 9 2015 Road Resurfacing Program Improvement of Boulevard Sec 8, 9 & 10 Restoration of Fleischer's Book Resurfacing of Franklin, Gall, North & Summit 2016 Road Resurfacing Program Building Improvements & Acquisition of Equipment Acquisition of SCBA for Fire Department Improvement of Boulevard Sec 10 Phase 2 2017 Road Program Acquisition of Vehicles and Equipment Removal of Underground Storage Tank and Remediation Sewer Jet Vacuum Machine New Pumper Fire Engine	

5,088,000

\$ 5,833,500

12-2014 25-2014 14-2015 20-2015 22-2015 11-2016 12-2016 12-2016 19-2016 13-2017 14-2017 13-2017 13-2017 33-2017

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Schedule of Improvement Authorizations

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

ce 2018	Unfunded		11,160	G	787	4,773		161160	101,136	540,049	65.055	222,00	55,790	33,634		107,923			167,032	52,194		2,319	53,820	19,148	13,517	181,485	3,743		21,225		105,792
Balance Dec. 31, 2018	Funded		41,365	107,355	62,480		66,864	1,239		5000	7,047	32 530	047,00		5 898)	30,210	080,09			186							455	<u>)</u>		
Paid or	Charged			168,742		45,405		1	(1,315)		460	400	65	(64)		(5,442)		(300)					132.680	5,242	6.405	16.206		18 020	5.246		251,708
2018	Authorizations																														357,500
nce 2017	Unfunded		11,160		780	49,628			159,843	345,529	t c	19,687	084 35	22,60	+50,05	102.481		59.780	167,032	52,194		2.319	137 600	24390	10 077	107.601	3.743	7, ,	15471	1,40,4	
Balance Dec 31 2017	Funded		41,365	276,097	62,480		66,864	1,239			2,047	45,828	33,538		ı	5,898	30.210	,			186		000 8	2006				t	18,473		
o construction of	Amount		999,000	450,000	873,906	687,000	250,000	209,000	2,355,000	599,000	22,500	353,000	96,200	510,000	150,000	135 500	133 640	295 100	480,000	357.500	125 000	375.498	106 500	728,000	226,000	339,200	209,000	241,000	175,000	242,300	357,500
**************************************	HOH 8																													. 19,	2018/Oct. 18, 2018
	Auopur <u>Date</u>							2																						Apr	2018,
	Auop <u>Improvement Description</u> <u>Datt</u>	General Improvements:	Various Public Immovements	Fullow Lucius magnetication	Various Public Improvements	Straterana Improvements	Successape taptorenoms Handisanned Access	Supp. for Fleischers Brook and Underground Storage Tank Closure	Sanitary Sewer Pump Station	2014 Road Resurfacing Program	Acquisition of Easement Block 1408/Lot 1	Improvement Boulevard Sec 8 & 9	Supplemental Handicapped Access Curb Ramps	2015 Road Resurfacing Program	Resurfacing Iozia Terrace, Franklin & Court St.	Remounting of Two Ambulances onto New Chasis	Restoration of Fleischers Brook	Rehabilitation of the Hockey Kink	Resurfacing of Franklin, Gall, North & Summil	2010 Kosu Kesundeng rivetam	Building Improvements & Acquisinon of Equipment	Various improvement to Cherry Hill Park	Acq. Of Self Contained Breathing Apparatus for Fire Liept.	Improvement of Blvd Sec 10 Phase 2	2017 Road Resurfacing Program	Various Improvements	Underground Storage Tank Removal & Environmental Remediation	Sewer Jet Vacuum Machine	Various Improvements to Birchwood Park	New Punper Fire Engine Apr	Resurfacing of Franklin, Orchard & Lee Street

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Schedule of Improvement Authorizations

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Ordinance <u>Number</u>

09-2018 16-2018 17-2018 20-2018 21-2018 27-2018

Balance	Dec. 31, 2018	Unfunded	37,298 92,038 20,518 9,678	1,565,059				
Bak	Dec. 3	Funded	445,000	856,717				
	Paid or	Charged	136,102 197,962 391,482 1,130,000 62,322	2,560,915				800,230
	2018	Authorizations	173,400 290,000 412,000 1,130,000 72,000 445,000	2,879,900	3 117,200 247,075	197,925 2,317,700	\$ 2,879,900	Contracts Payable
nce	,2017	Unfunded		1,509,664	Capital Improvement Fund \$ Contributions Receivable	Grants Receivable Deferred Charges - Unfunded	•	ర
Balance	Dec. 31, 2017	Funded		\$ 593,127	Capital Imp Contributi	Gra Deferred Char		
	Ordinance	Amount	173,400 290,000 412,000 1,130,000 72,000 445,000					
	Adoption	Date	May 17,2018 Jul. 19, 2018 Jul. 19, 2018 Aug. 2, 2018 Nov. 8, 2018					
		Improvement Description	Various Imps. to the Intersection of Market St. and Mola Boulevard Replacement of Sewer Lines & Ejector Pumps Various Public Imps. & New Additional and/or Replacement Machinery 2018 Road Resurfacing Program Various Equipment & Machinery for the Fire Department Imps. To Tennis Courts at the High School					

\$ 2,560,915

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Schedule of Reserve for Payment of Debt Service

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017			\$	432,846
Increased by:	•	51 400		
Reserve for Grants Receivable	\$	51,439		
Reverse proceeds applied in error in Prior Year		45,313		
in that year			<u> </u>	96,752
				529,598
Decreased by: Budgeted Revenue			,	325,075
Balance - December 31, 2018			\$	204,523_

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Schedule of Capital Improvement Fund

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 252,604
Increased by: Budget Appropriation	 100,000
	352,604
Decreased by:	
Appropriated to Finance Improvement	
Authorizations	 117,200
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 235,404

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Schedule of NJ Infrastructure Loan Payable

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

Balance	Dec. 31, 2018	1,044,000	1,044,000	
	Decreased	251,000	251,000	90,000 161,000 251,000
Balance	Dec. 31, 2017	1,295,000	8 1,295,000	Budget Appropriations \$ Deobligated
Interest	Rate	4.00% 4.00% 5.00% 4.25% 4.50% 4.50% 4.50%	0,	Budge
Maturities of nds Outstanding, cember 31, 2018	Amount	94,000 100,000 105,000 109,000 114,000 123,000 138,000		
Maturities of Bonds Outstanding, December 31, 2018	<u>Date</u>	08/01/19 08/01/20 08/01/21 08/01/22 08/01/23 08/01/24 08/01/25 08/01/26		·
Original	Issue	1,885,000		
Date of	Issue	November 8, 2007		
	Purpose	Sewer Main Extention De-icing Material Storage Bldg.		

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Schedule of NJ Infrastructure Loan Payable

General Capital Fund

Year Ended December 31, 2018

	Balance	21 2018	Dec. 31, 2010	941,335									 941,335	
Maturities of		4	Decreased	105,086									105,086	105,086
	Dafance	Dalalice	Dec. 31, 2017	1,046,421									\$ 1,046,421	BudgetAppropriations 💲 🚆
	***************************************	Interest	Rate	0.00%									•	Budge
	tstanding,	31, 2018	Amount	104,925	105,311	105,569	104,925	104,120	107,001	106,164	105,182	98,138		
Maturi	Bonds Outstanding,	December 31, 2018	Date	08/01/19	08/01/20	08/01/21	08/01/22	08/01/23	08/01/24	08/01/25	08/01/26	08/01/27		
		Original	Issue	2,042,471										
		Date of	Issue	November 8, 2007										
			Purpose	Sewer Main Extention Delicing Material Storage Bldg.	Colonia intercenta Secreta									

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Schedule of Contracts Payable

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	1,226,685
Increased by: Charges to Improvement Authorizations	_	1,760,685
		2,987,370
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements		1,226,685
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	1,760,685

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Schedule of Reserve for Grants Receivable

General Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017		\$	658,918
Increased by:			
Grant Awards			124,351
			783,269
Decreased by:			
Grant Received - Applied to Authorized	\$		
not Issued	183,750		
Transferred to Reserve for Payment of Debt	51,439		
Cancelled	75,896	-	
		_	311,085
Balance - December 31, 2018		\$	472,184

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Schedule of Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued

General Capital Fund

Ordinance			Balance	2018		Balance
Number	Improvement Description		Dec. 31, 2017	Authorizations	Decreased	Dec. 31, 2018
2012-06	Various Public Improvements	\$	11,160			11,160
2013-16	Various Public Improvements		780			780
2013-21	Streetscape Improvements		123,400			123,400
2015-17	Resurfacing Iozia Terrace, Franklin and Court St		142,000			142,000
2016-11	Resurfacing of Franklin, Gall, North and Summit		183,750		183,750	
2017-13	Improvement of Blvd Section 10 Phase 2		156,479			156,479
2017-28	Sewer Jet Vacuum Machine		229,500		229,500	
2017-33	New Pumper Fire Engine		516,000		516,000	
2018-05	Resurfacing of Franklin, Orchard and Lee Streets			228,000		228,000
2018-09	Various Imps. To the Intersection of Market					
	Street and Mola Boulevard			165,000		165,000
2018-16	Replacement of Sewer Lines & Ejector Pumps			276,000		276,000
2018-17	Various Public Imps. & New Additional and/or					
	Replacement Machinery			392,300		392,300
2018-20	2018 Road Resurfacing Program			1,076,000		1,076,000
2018-21	Various Equipment & Machinery for Fire Department	ent		68,500		68,500
2018-23	Additional Appropriation: 2018-05	_		111,900		111,900
		\$	1,363,069	2,317,700	929,250	2,751,519
		-				
			Bond Anticipa	tion Notes Issued	\$ 745,500	
			Grant P	roceeds Received	183,750	
					\$ 929,250_	

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BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Cash - Treasurer

Water Utility Fund

	<u>Operating</u>	<u>Capital</u>
Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 4,537,237	3,069,009
Increased by Receipts:		
Water Collector	3,796,622	
Interest on Investments	90,961	2,466
Other Miscellaneous	600	
Interfunds	2,093	
Capital Improvement Fund		300,000
	3,890,276	302,466
	8,427,513	3,371,475
Decreased by Disbursements:		
2018 Appropriations	2,353,475	
2017 Appropriation Reserves	156,112	
Interfunds		2,093
Accrued Interest on Notes	58,506	
Current Fund Revenue	365,000	
Contracts Payable		2,434,570
Improvement Authorizations		76,148
	2,933,093	2,512,811
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 5,494,420	858,664

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Analysis of Cash

Water Utility Capital Fund

		Balance, Dec. 31, 2018
•	ounts Payable	\$ 125,078 9,000 335,000 718,000 529 109,979
Improvement a	uthorizations:	
Ordinance <u>number</u>	General improvements	
2005-30 2005-39 2006-07 2006-29 2011-17 2018-14	Water Main Replacement Water Meters Water Improvements Water Improvements Various Water Main Improvements Replacement of Water Lines	 (15,027) 77,513 (2,030) (297,197) (293,252) 91,071
		\$ 858,664

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Schedule of Interfunds

Water Utility Operating Fund

		Due from/(to) Balance Dec. 31, 2017	Increased	Decreased	Due from/(to) Balance Dec. 31, 2018
Water Utility Capital Fund	\$	156	2,466	2,093	529
	\$	156	2,466	2,093	529
Inte	rest earned	on Investments \$ Cash Receipts	2,466	2,093	
		\$	2,466	2,093	

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Schedule of Consumers' Accounts Receivable - Operating Fund

Water Utility Operating Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	768,454
Increased by: Water Rents Levied		3,110,013
		3,878,467
Decreased by: Cash receipts		3,796,622
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	81,845
		Exhibit D-9
Inventory - Material and Supplies		
Water Utility Operating Fund		
Year ended December 31, 2018		
Balance - December 31, 2017	\$_	500
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	500

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Schedule of Loans Receivable - NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust

Water Utility Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 41,974
Decreased by:	
Deobligated	\$ 41,974

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Schedule of Fixed Capital

Water Utility Capital Fund

Account		Balance, Dec. 31, 2017	Balance, Dec. 31, 2018
Distribution Mains and Appurtenances Emergency Booster Pumping Station Labor Miscellaneous Construction Expense Engineering and Supervision Interest Legal Hydrants Truck - Water Utility Share Meters & Hydrants Accounting Equipment Land - Pumping Station Appraisal - Garfield Water Works Acquisition of Land to Erect Water Tank Acquisition of Lease Rights Improvements of Water Infrastructure Various System Improvements and Computer Mapping Replacement of Water Meters	\$	2,006,452 32,569 6,861 2,449 19,095 21,571 1,301 16,267 1,268 266,967 5,444 670 2,500 74,689 9,800 4,640,331 755,104 789,070	2,006,452 32,569 6,861 2,449 19,095 21,571 1,301 16,267 1,268 266,967 5,444 670 2,500 74,689 9,800 4,640,331 755,104 789,070
	\$ _	8,652,408	8,652,408

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Schedule of Fixed Capital Authorized and Uncompleted

Water Utility Capital Fund

Balance, Dec. 31,	8107	140,000 80,000 340,000 2,330,000 210,000	3,370,000
2018	Authorizations	210,000	480,000
Balance, Dec. 31,	2017	140,000 80,000 340,000 2,330,000	2,890,000
ince	Amount	140,000 76,000 340,000 2,330,000 210,000	€9
Ordinance	Date	12/29/05 02/16/06 10/20/12 12/21/17 07/19/18	
	Improvement description	Water Meters Water Improvements Various Water Main Projects Water Tank Replacement Water Tank Replacement Replacement of Water Lines	
Ordinance	number	2005-39 2006-07 2011-17 2017-35 2018-14 2018-15	

Schedule of 2017 Appropriation Reserves

Water Utility Operating Fund

176,866 133,343	176,866 283,968		
	•		176,866
		156,112	127,856
310,209	460,834	156,112	304,722
35,480	35,480		35,480
35,480	35,480		35,480
345,689	496,314	156,112	340,202
	150,625		
	345,689 on Reserves	345,689 496,314 on Reserves \$ 345,689	345,689 496,314 156,112 on Reserves \$ 345,689 cumbrances 150,625

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Schedule of Accrued Interest on Bonds and Loans

Water Utility Operating Fund

Balanc	ce, December 31, 20	17				\$	24,377
	sed by: lget Appropriation					_	58,506
D	and by						82,883
Pay	ased by: ments bility Canceled			\$ _	58,506 2,166	-	
						_	60,672
Balan	ce, December 31, 20	018				\$ _	22,211
<u>Analy</u>	sis of Balance						
	Principal Outstanding Dec. 31, 2018	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>		Interest <u>Rate</u>		Required Amount
\$	1,166,484	8/1/2018	12/31/2018		4.00-5.00%		22,211
						\$	22,211

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Schedule of Reserve for Amortization

Water Utility Capital Fund

Year ended December 31, 2018

Balance, December 31, 2017		\$	6,052,330
Increased by: Paid by Operating Budget NJ EIT Loan Payable NJ EIT Loan Deobligated	\$ 251,502 41,683	_	
			293,185
Balance, December 31, 2018		\$	6,345,515

Exhibit D-16

Schedule of Capital Improvement Fund

Water Utility Capital Fund

Balance- December 31, 2017	\$ 418,000
Increased by: 2018 Budget Appropriation	 300,000
Balance- December 31, 2018	\$ 718,000

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Schedule of Improvement Authorizations

Water Utility Capital Fund

Year ended December 31, 2018

ce, 2018	Unfunded	73,970 46,748	270,000	390,718				
Balance, Dec. 31, 2018	Funded	77,513	91,071	168,584				
	Expended	67,198	118,929	186,127			76,148	186,127
2018	Authorizations		210,000	480,000	270,000	480,000	Cash Disbursement \$ Contracts Payable	\$9
ce, 2017	Unfunded	73,970 113,946	!	187,916	Authorized Not Issued \$ Capital Improvement Fund	69	Cash	
Balance, Dec. 31, 2017	Funded	77,513		77,513	Authoriz Capital Impr			
<u> </u>	Amount	140,000 80,000 340,000	2,330,000 210,000 270,000					
Ordinance	Date	12/29/2005 2/16/2006 10/20/2012	12/21/2017 7/19/2018 7/19/2018					
	Improvement description	Water Meters Water Improvements Various Water Main Improvements	Water Tank Replacement	Kepiacemeni of water Lines				

05-39 06-07 11-17 2017-35/2018-14

2018-14

Ordinance number

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Schedule of Reserve for Payment of Debt

Water Utility Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$	335,000
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$	335,000
•	Analysis of Balance Ord. 2005-12	205,269
	Ord. 2005-12 Ord. 2006-29	129,731
	\$	335,000

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Schedule of Environmental Infrastructure Trust Fund Loans Payable

Water Utility Capital Fund

Year ended December 31, 2018

Balance, Dec.31, <u>2018</u>	1,994,669	1,994,669
Decreased	335,159	335,159 251,502 83,657
Balance Dec.31 2017	2,329,828	\$ 2,329,828 Budget Appropriations Deobligated
Interest <u>rate</u>	4.00-5.00%	Budge
Amount	17,199 232,922 15,457 239,165 13,650 245,369 11,720 251,277 9,724 265,016 7,530 249,435 4,868 261,090	
Date of <u>Maturity</u>	2/1/2019 8/1/2019 2/1/2020 8/1/2020 2/1/2021 8/1/2022 2/1/2022 8/1/2023 8/1/2024 8/1/2024 8/1/2026 8/1/2026	
Original <u>issue</u>	4,523,513	
Date of issue of original <u>notes</u>	11/9/2006	
Purpose	Water System Improvements	

335,159

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Schedule of Down Payments on Improvements

Water Utility Capital Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 9,000
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$ 9,000

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Schedule of Deferred Reserve for Amortization

Water Utility Capital Fund

Ordinance number	Improvement description	Date of Ordinance		Balance, Dec. 31, 2017	Fixed Capital <u>Authorized</u>	Balance, Dec. 31, 2018
05-39	Water Meters	12/29/2005	\$	140,000		140,000
06-07	Water Improvements	2/16/2006		4,000		4,000
17-35	Water Tank Replacement	12/21/2017		2,330,000	210,000	2,540,000
			_			
			\$_	2,474,000	210,000	2,684,000

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Schedule of Encumbrances Payable

Water Utility Operating Fund

Balance - December 31, 2017	\$ 150,625					
Increased by: Transferred from 2018 Budget		13,721				
Decreased by:		164,346				
Transferred to Appropriation Reserves		150,625				
Balance - December 31, 2018	\$_	13,721				
		Exhibit D-23				
Schedule of Contracts Payable						
Water Utility Capital Fund						
Year ended December 31, 2018						
Balance - December 31, 2017	\$_	2,434,570				
Balance - December 31, 2017 Increased by: Charges to Improvement Authorizations	\$ _ _	2,434,570				
Increased by: Charges to Improvement Authorizations	\$_ -					
Increased by:	\$	109,979				

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK

Schedule of Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued

Water Utility Capital Fund

Ordinance <u>Number</u>	Improvement Description	Balance Dec. 31, 2017	Increased	Balance Dec. 31, 2018
05-30	Water Main Replacement	15,027		15,027
06-07	Water Improvements	76,000		76,000
06-29	Water Improvements	255,223	41,974	297,197
2011-17	Various Water Main Replacement	340,000		340,000
2018-15	Replacement of Water Lines		270,000	270,000
	,	\$ 686,250	311,974	998,224
		2018 Authorizations	270,000	
	NJ EIT Loan Re	ceivable - Deobligated	41,974	
		S	311,974	

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PART II

LETTER ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S 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

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Elmwood Park County of Bergen, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; audit requirements as prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey; and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements-regulatory basis of the Borough of Elmwood Park in the County of Bergen as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018 and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated July 22, 2019, which was adverse due to being presented in accordance with New Jersey regulatory basis of accounting. The regulatory basis opinion was qualified for the Length of Service Awards Program not being audited.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements-regulatory basis, we considered the Borough of Elmwood Park's internal control over financial reporting to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements-regulatory basis, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Elmwood Park's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Elmwood Park'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 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.



Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Page 2.

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 may exist that have not been identified.

We did identify certain immaterial deficiencies in internal control that we have reported to management of the Borough of Elmwood Park in the accompany comments and recommendations section of this report.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Borough of Elmwood Park's financial statements-regulatory basis are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, 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 or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

However, we noted certain immaterial instances of noncompliance that we have reported to the management of the Borough of Elmwood Park in the accompanying comments and recommendations section of this report.

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 Borough of Elmwood Park'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 Borough of Elmwood Park's internal controls and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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July 22, 2019



GENERAL COMMENTS

Contracts and Agreements

N.J.S.A. 40A:11-3 states:

- a. When the cost or price of any contract awarded by the contracting agent in the aggregate does not exceed in a contract year the total sum of \$17,500, the contract may be awarded by a purchasing agent when so authorized by ordinance or resolution, as appropriate to the contracting unit, of the governing body of the contracting unit without public advertising for bids, except that the governing body of any contracting unit may adopt an ordinance or resolution to set a lower threshold for the receipt of public bids or the solicitation of competitive quotations. If the purchasing agent is qualified pursuant to subsection b. of section 9 of P.L. 1971, c.198 (C.40A:11-9), the governing body of the contracting unit may establish that the bid threshold may be up to 25,000. Such authorization may be granted for each contract or by a general delegation of the power to negotiate and award such contracts pursuant to this section.
- b. Any contract made pursuant to this section may be awarded for a period of 24 consecutive months, except that contracts for professional services pursuant to subparagraph (i) of paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 5 of P.L. 1971, c.198 (C.40A:11-5) may be awarded for a period not exceeding 12 consecutive months. The Division of Local Government Services shall adopt and promulgate rules and regulations concerning the methods of accounting for all contracts that do not coincide with the contracting unit's fiscal year.
- c. The Governor, in consultation with the Department of the Treasury, shall no later than March 1 of every fifth year beginning in the fifth year after the year in which P.L. 1999, c.440 takes effect, adjust the threshold amount and the higher threshold amount which the governing body is permitted to establish, as set forth in subsection a. of this section, or the threshold amount resulting from any adjustment under this subsection, in direct proportion to the rise or fall of the index rate as that term is defined in section 2 of P.L. 1971, c.198(C.40A:11-2), and shall round the adjustment to the nearest \$1,000. The Governor shall, no later than June 1 of every fifth year, notify each governing body of the adjustment. The adjustment shall become effective on July 1 of the year in which it is made.

N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 states:

a. Every contract awarded by the contracting agent for the provision or performance of any goods or services, the cost of which in the aggregate exceeds the bid threshold, shall be awarded only by resolution of the governing body of the contracting unit to the lowest responsible bidder after public advertising for bids and bidding therefor, except as is provided otherwise in this act of specifically by any other law. The governing body of a contracting unit may, be resolution approved by a majority of the governing body and subject to subsections b. and c. of this section, disqualify a bidder who would otherwise be determined to be the lowest responsible bidder, if the governing body finds that it has had prior negative experience with the bidder.

GENERAL COMMENTS, CONTINUED

Effective July 1, 2010, the bid threshold, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-3 and 40A:11-4 (as amended) is \$17,500 and with a qualified purchasing agent the threshold may be up to \$36,000. On May 7, 2009, the Borough increased the bid threshold to \$36,000 as allowed by law for having a qualified purchasing agent. On July 1, 2015, the threshold with a qualified purchasing agent was increased to \$40,000.

The governing body of the Municipality has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed the bid threshold within the fiscal year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of the statute, the Borough Counsel's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

The minutes indicate that bids were requested by public advertising for the following items:

Vegetative Waste Recycling Mola Blvd. Section 10, Phase 2 Emergency Generator at Recreation Center Repair of Spray Park at Borough Field Three (3) New Grinders 2018 Road Improvement Program Improvements to Orchard St., Franklin St., and Lee St.

Resolutions were adopted authorizing the awarding of contracts and agreements for "Professional Services" N.J.S. 40A:11-5.

Inasmuch as the system of records did not provide for an accumulation of payments for categories for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any material or supplies, the results of such an accumulation could not reasonably be ascertained. Disbursements were reviewed, however, to determine whether any clear cut violation existed. No violations were disclosed.

Our examination of expenditures did not reveal any individual payments, contracts or agreements in excess of the statutory threshold "for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies," other than those where bids had been previously sought by public advertisement or where a resolution had been previously adopted under the provisions of N.J.S. 40A:11-6.

Collection of Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Assessments

The statue provides the method for authorizing interest and the maximum rates to be charged for the nonpayment of taxes or assessments on or before the date when they would become delinquent.

The governing body did not adopt the following amended resolution authorizing interest to be charged on delinquent taxes:

GENERAL COMMENTS, CONTINUED

"NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Elmwood Park, that taxes due to the Borough shall be payable February 1st, May 1st, August 1st, and November 1st each year, after which dates, if unpaid, shall become delinquent and from and after the respective dates herein before provided for taxes to become delinquent, the tax payer or property assessed shall be subject to interest at 8% per annum on the first \$1,500 and 18% thereafter and a 6% additional penalty for a delinquency over \$10,000 if not paid by the end of the calendar year. Delinquent water bills over \$100 shall be subject to interest at 1% per month thirty days after the due date.

ALSO, BE IT RESOLVED, that in the event said taxes shall be paid within ten days from the due date the interest shall be waived except in the office of the Tax Collector is closed on the tenth day of February, May, August or November then the grace period shall be extended to include the first business day thereafter; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the interest rates so stated will revert back to the due date of any installment of taxes or assessments received after the expiration of the ten-day grace period or as otherwise provided in the Resolution."

It appears from an examination of the Collector's records that interest was collected in accordance with the foregoing resolution.

Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens

A tax sale was held on March 27, 2018, and was complete.

Inspection of the sale certificates on file revealed that all tax sale certificates were available for audit.

The following comparison is made of the number of tax title liens receivable on December 31 of the last three years:

	Number of
Year	<u>liens</u>
2018	6
2017	6
2016	6

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BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS DECEMBER 31, 2018

COMMENTS

Finance/Treasurer/Accounts Payable:

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- 1. *Goods and services are being ordered prior to the issuance of a purchase order.
- 2. The Borough is utilizing a banking institution that is not included on the list of designated depositories as approved at the Reorganization meeting of the Mayor and Council
- 3. *Competitive quotes were not obtained for some purchases in excess of the quote threshold.
- 4. Not all Trust Fund/Reserves are approved by Dedication by Rider through the New Jersey Division of Local Government Services.
- 5. Reserve balances in the Other Trust Fund for Tax Title Line Premiums and Redemptions are not in agreement with supporting documentation.
- 6. The annual Equitable Sharing and Certification report filed with the Federal Departments of Justice and Treasury is not in agreement with the financial records of the Borough.
- 7. The prior year audit balance in municipal liens receivable is not in agreement with tax collector records.

Administration/Clerk

- 1. Not all professional service contracts were awarded via resolution or in compliance with the state's "Pay to Play" statute (P.L. 2005, c. 51)
- 2. Not all required bid documents were obtained for vegetative waste recycling services.
- 3. A Resolution establishing the rate of interest on delinquent taxes was not presented or approved by Mayor and Council for 2018 in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-67.
- 4. Not all minutes were subsequently presented to the Mayor and Council for approval.

Municipal Court

- 1. A review of the December monthly management report indicated there is a significant amount of tickets assigned but not issued over 180 days.
- 2. The analysis of open bail per the ATS/ACS reports does not agree with the reconciled cash in the Bail Account.

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS DECEMBER 31, 2018

RECOMMENDATIONS

Finance/Treasurer/Accounts Payable:

- 1. *Purchase orders are issued at the time the order is placed for goods and services.
- 2. *All banking institutions utilized by the Borough be approved by the Mayor and Council via resolution.
- 3. *Competitive quotes be obtained for purchases in excess of the quote threshold as required.
- 4. Dedication by Rider approvals be obtained for those Trust Funds for which one was never submitted to the Division of Local Government Services.
- 5. Adjustments be made to bring the reserve balances for Tax Title Lien Premiums and Redemptions in agreement with tax collector reports.
- 6. Further investigation and adjustments be made to determine accurate balances to be reported on the annual Equitable Sharing and Certification Report.
- 7. The balance in municipal liens receivable be investigated to determine the correct receivable balance and adjustments made if necessary.

Administration/Clerk

- 1. All professional service contracts be awarded via resolution and in accordance with the state's "Pay to Play" statute.
 - a. Awarding resolutions contain the line item appropriation to be charged and not to exceed cost language be implemented.
 - b. Justification and rationale for the award of a contract be documented and provided for auditor review.
 - c. Awarding resolutions stipulate the anticipated value of the contract and contain not to exceed language.
- 2. All required bid documents be included in bid specification packages.
 - a. Bid Bond
 - b. Consent of Surety
- 3. A resolution establishing the rate of interest to be charged on delinquent taxes be approved by the Mayor and Council each year as required.
- 4. Minutes of Mayor and Council meetings be prepared and submitted for approval of the governing body at subsequent meetings.

BOROUGH OF ELMWOOD PARK COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS DECEMBER 31, 2018

RECOMMENDATIONS, (CONTINUED)

Municipal Court

- 1. Tickets assigned but not issued over 180 days be recalled and either re-assigned or destroyed.
- 2. Discrepancies between the reconciled bail and that on the analysis of open bail per ATS/ACS be investigated and corrections and /or adjustments be made to ensure the balances are in agreement.

STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS/RECOMMENDATIONS

A review was performed on all prior year recommendations and corrective action was taken on all except for the Findings/Recommendations marked with an "*".

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We received the complete cooperation of all of the officials of the municipality and we greatly appreciate the courtesies extended to all members of the audit team.

Respectfully submitted,

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