Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Harris County, Texas

Independent Auditor's Report and Financial Statements

December 31, 2023

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Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Directors
Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109
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Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 (the District), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the District, as of December 31, 2023, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements" section of our report. We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for 12 months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not absolute assurance



and, therefore, is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison schedules, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedules required by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has not been subjected 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.

FORVIS, LLP

Houston, Texas May 13, 2024 Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Management's Discussion and Analysis December 31, 2023

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements. The District's basic financial statements are comprised of three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements and 3) notes to financial statements. This report also contains supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board and by the District's state oversight agency, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (the Commission).

In accordance with required reporting standards, the District reports its financial activities as a special-purpose government. Special-purpose governments are governmental entities which engage in a single governmental program, such as the provision of water, sanitary sewer and drainage services. Other activities, such as the provision of recreation facilities and solid waste collection, are minor activities and are not budgeted or accounted for as separate programs. The financial statements of special-purpose governments combine two types of financial statements into one statement. These two types of financial statements are the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements. The fund financial statements are presented on the left side of the statements, a column for adjustments is to the right of the fund financial statements and the government-wide financial statements are presented to the right side of the adjustments column. The following sections describe the measurement focus of the two types of statements and the significant differences in the information they provide.

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The focus of government-wide financial statements is on the overall financial position and activities of the District. The District's government-wide financial statements include the statement of net position and statement of activities, which are prepared using accounting principles that are similar to commercial enterprises. The purpose of the statement of net position is to attempt to report all of the assets, liabilities, and deferred inflows and outflows of resources of the District. The District reports all of its assets when it acquires or begins to maintain the assets and reports all of its liabilities when they are incurred.

The difference between the assets, liabilities, and deferred inflows and outflows of resources is labeled as net position and this difference is similar to the total stockholders' equity presented by a commercial enterprise.

The purpose of the statement of activities is to present the revenues and expenses of the District. Again, the items presented on the statement of activities are measured in a manner similar to the approach used by a commercial enterprise in that revenues are recognized when earned or established criteria are satisfied and expenses are reported when incurred by the District. All changes in net position are reported when the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues are reported even when they may not be collected for several months or years after the end of the accounting period and expenses are recorded even though they may not have used cash during the current year.

Although the statement of activities looks different from a commercial enterprise's statement of income, the financial statement is different only in format, not substance. Whereas the bottom line in a commercial enterprise is its net income, the District reports an amount described as change in net position, essentially the same thing.

Fund Financial Statements

Unlike government-wide financial statements, the focus of fund financial statements is directed to specific activities of the District rather than the District as a whole. Except for the general fund, a specific fund is established to satisfy managerial control over resources or to satisfy finance-related legal requirements established by external parties or governmental statutes or regulations.

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Governmental Funds

Governmental-fund financial statements consist of a balance sheet and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances and are prepared on an accounting basis that is significantly different from that used to prepare the government-wide financial statements.

In general, these financial statements have a short-term emphasis and, for the most part, measure and account for cash and other assets that can easily be converted into cash. For example, amounts reported on the balance sheet include items such as cash and receivables collectible within a very short period of time, but do not include capital assets such as land and water, sewer and drainage systems. Fund liabilities include amounts that are to be paid within a very short period after the end of the fiscal year. The difference between a fund's assets, liabilities, and deferred inflows and outflows of resources is labeled the fund balance and generally indicates the amount that can be used to finance the next fiscal year's activities. Likewise, the operating statement for governmental funds reports only those revenues and expenditures that were collected in cash or paid with cash, respectively, during the current period or very shortly after the end of the fiscal year.

Because the focus of the government-wide and fund financial statements is different, there are significant differences between the totals presented in these financial statements. For this reason, there is an analysis in the notes to financial statements that describes the adjustments to fund balances to arrive at net position presented in the governmental activities column on the statement of net position. Also, there is an analysis in the notes to financial statements that reconciles the total change in fund balances for all governmental funds to the change in net position, as reported in the governmental activities column in the statement of activities.

Notes to Financial Statements

The notes to financial statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data found in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

Financial Analysis of the District as a Whole

The District's overall financial position and activities for the past two years are summarized as follows, based on the information included in the government-wide financial statements.

Summary of Net Position

	2023		2022
Current and other assets	\$ 16,559,347	\$	15,886,080
Capital assets	10,166,631	. <u> </u>	9,799,052
Total assets	26,725,978		25,685,132
Deferred outflows of resources	194,217	. <u> </u>	219,733
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$ 26,920,195	\$	25,904,865

Summary of Net Position (Continued)

	2023	2022
Long-term liabilities	\$ 13,087,044	\$ 13,615,427
Other liabilities	 2,553,522	 1,759,954
Total liabilities	15,640,566	 15,375,381
Deferred inflows of resources	2,005,171	1,812,888
Net position:		
Net investment in capital assets	2,875,000	2,814,472
Restricted	944,280	273,979
Unrestricted	 5,455,178	5,628,145
Total net position	\$ 9,274,458	\$ 8,716,596

The total net position of the District increased by \$557,862, or about 6%. The majority of the increase in net position is related to property taxes and charges for services revenues exceeding service expenses. Although the District's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

Summary of Changes in Net Position

	2023	2022
Revenues:	 	
Property taxes	\$ 1,785,454	\$ 1,664,579
Sales tax rebates	298,845	323,134
Charges for services	3,867,482	3,911,525
Other revenues	 820,604	357,196
Total revenues	 6,772,385	 6,256,434
Expenses:		
Services	5,200,678	5,079,608
Depreciation	510,792	492,672
Debt service	 503,053	 683,263
Total expenses	6,214,523	 6,255,543

Summary of Changes in Net Position (Continued)

	 2023	2022
Change in net position	\$ 557,862	\$ 891
Net position, beginning of year	 8,716,596	8,715,705
Net position, end of year	\$ 9,274,458	\$ 8,716,596

Financial Analysis of the District's Funds

The District's combined fund balances as of the end of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023, were \$11,749,946, a decrease of \$291,553 from the prior year.

The general fund's fund balance decreased by \$165,467 due to service operations expenditures exceeding property taxes, sales tax rebates and service revenues and investment income.

The special revenue fund's fund balance remained the same, as all expenditures were billed to participants.

The debt service fund's fund balance increased by \$128,843 because property tax revenues exceeded bond principal and interest requirements.

The capital projects fund's fund balance decreased by \$254,929, due to capital outlay expenditures exceeding investment income.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

There were several differences between the final budgetary amounts and actual amounts. The major differences between budget and actual were due to water and sewer service and service to other governmental entities revenues, investment income, and professional fees, repairs and maintenance and capital outlay expenditures being greater than expected, as well as regional water fee revenues and regional water authority expenditures being less than expected. The fund balance as of December 31, 2023, was expected to be \$5,291,273, and the actual end-of-year fund balance was \$5,148,383.

Capital Assets and Related Debt

Capital Assets

Capital assets held by the District at the end of the current and previous fiscal years are summarized below.

Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)
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	2023	2022
Land and improvements	\$ 1,922,287	\$ 1,922,287
Construction in progress	710,772	194,788
Water facilities	1,131,553	1,039,117
Wastewater facilities	4,054,008	4,352,301
Drainage facilities	1,851,445	1,897,027
Land improvements	64,336	69,697
Recreational facilities	432,230	 323,835
Total capital assets	\$ 10,166,631	\$ 9,799,052

During the current year, additions to capital assets were as follows:

Construction in progress related to public 12-inch water line,	
water plant Nos. 1-3 motor control center replacements,	
off-site lift station rehabilitation and wastewater treatment	
plant improvements	\$ 579,234
Hydropneumatic tank No.1 replacement at water plant No. 3	219,310
Hurst Park site lighting improvements	79,827
Total additions to capital assets	\$ 878,371

Debt

The changes in the debt position of the District during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023, are summarized as follows:

Long-term debt payable, beginning of year Decreases in long-term debt	\$ 13,615,427 (528,383)
Long-term debt payable, end of year	\$ 13,087,044

At December 31, 2023, the District had \$19,350,000 of unlimited tax bonds authorized, but unissued, for the purposes of acquiring, constructing and improving the water, sanitary sewer and drainage systems within the District.

The District's bonds carry an underlying rating of "A1" from Moody's Investors Service (Moody's). The Series 2013 refunding bonds carry an "A1" rating from Moody's by virtue of bond insurance issued by Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. The Series 2017 refunding bonds carry a "AA" rating from Standard & Poor's and an "A1" rating from Moody's by virtue of bond insurance issued by Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. The Series 2020 and 2022 bonds carry a "AA" rating from Standard & Poor's by virtue of bond insurance issued by Build America Mutual Assurance Company.

Other Relevant Factors

Relationship to the City of Houston

Under existing Texas law, since the District lies wholly within the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the City of Houston (the City), the District must conform to the City ordinance consenting to the creation of the District. In addition, the District may be annexed by the City without the District's consent, except as set forth below.

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Strategic Partnership Agreement

The District entered into a Strategic Partnership Agreement (SPA) with the City effective November 10, 2003, and as amended. Pursuant to the terms of the SPA, the City annexed certain commercial areas of the District for limited purposes. The SPA provides for the levy of City sales tax on qualifying retail sales in the District. The District will continue to provide water, sewer and drainage services to all properties within its boundaries until full annexation, which, according to the terms of the SPA, shall not occur prior to 2033, if at all. During the current year, the District recorded \$298,845 in revenues related to the SPA.

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Statement of Net Position and Governmental Funds Balance Sheet December 31, 2023

Assets	General Fund					Debt Service Fund		Capital Projects Fund		Total	Adju	ustments		statement of Net Position
Overly	•	004.004	. .	00.004	•	404.000	•	504.000	•	0.074.005	•		•	0.074.005
Cash	•	934,661	\$ 4	23,304	\$	494,980	\$	521,980	\$	2,374,925	\$	-	\$	2,374,925
Certificates of deposit		245,000		-		455 440		-		3,245,000		-		3,245,000
Short-term investments	2,	200,027		-		455,142		5,705,322		8,360,491		-		8,360,491
Receivables:		747 455				4 000 400				4 740 004				4 740 004
Property taxes		717,455		-		1,029,429		-		1,746,884		-		1,746,884
Service accounts		338,893		-		-		-		338,893		-		338,893
Sales tax rebates		73,634		-		-		-		73,634		34,191		107,825
Accrued penalty and interest		-		-		-		-		-		31,104		31,104
Accrued interest		34,477		-		-		-		34,477		-		34,477
Interfund receivables		79,656		62,367		-		21,025		563,048		(563,048)		-
Due from participant		-		76,894		-		-		76,894		-		76,894
Due from others		2,100		-		-		-		2,100		-		2,100
Due from regional water authority		-		-		-		-		-		240,754		240,754
Capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation):														
Land and improvements		-		-		-		-		-	1	,986,623		1,986,623
Construction in progress		-		-		_		-		-		710,772		710,772
Infrastructure		-		-		-		-		-	7	,037,006		7,037,006
Recreational facilities				-								432,230		432,230
Total assets	7,	625,903	9	62,565		1,979,551		6,248,327		16,816,346	9	,909,632		26,725,978
Deferred Outflows of Resources														
Deferred amount on debt refundings		_		-				-				194,217		194,217
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$ 7,	625,903	\$ 9	62,565	\$	1,979,551	\$	6,248,327	\$	16,816,346	\$ 10	,103,849	\$:	26,920,195

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Statement of Net Position and Governmental Funds Balance Sheet (Continued) December 31, 2023

Liabilities		General Fund	Re	pecial evenue Fund	Debt Service Fund		Capital Projects Fund		Total	Adjustments	Statement of Net Position
Liabilities											
Accounts payable	\$	964,358	\$ ^	145,225	\$ 15,841	\$	10,202	\$	1,135,626	\$ -	\$ 1,135,62
Accrued interest payable		-		-	-		-		-	121,386	121,38
Customer deposits		388,960		-	-		-		388,960	-	388,96
Due to others		44,210	_		-		-		44,210	-	44,21
Due to participant		-	7	747,340	-		-		747,340	-	747,34
Unearned tap connection fees		116,000		-	-		-		116,000	(500.040)	116,00
Interfund payables		114,244		-	79,656		369,148		563,048	(563,048)	
Long-term liabilities:										745.000	745.00
Due within one year		-		-	-		-		-	715,000	715,00
Due after one year					 	_		_		12,372,044	12,372,04
Total liabilities		1,627,772	8	892,565	 95,497		379,350		2,995,184	12,645,382	15,640,56
Deferred Inflows of Resources											
Deferred property tax revenues	_	849,748			1,221,468			_	2,071,216	(66,045)	2,005,17
Fund Balances/Net Position											
Fund balances:											
Restricted:											
Unlimited tax bonds		-		-	662,586		-		662,586	(662,586)	
Water, sewer and drainage		-		-	-		5,868,977		5,868,977	(5,868,977)	
Committed, wastewater collection											
and treatment		-		70,000	-		-		70,000	(70,000)	
Unassigned		5,148,383			 -	_			5,148,383	(5,148,383)	
Total fund balances		5,148,383		70,000	 662,586		5,868,977	_	11,749,946	(11,749,946)	
Total liabilities, deferred inflows											
of resources and fund balances	\$	7,625,903	\$ 9	962,565	\$ 1,979,551	\$	6,248,327	\$	16,816,346		
Net position:											
Net investment in capital assets										2,875,000	2,875,00
Restricted for plant operations										70,000	70,00
Restricted for debt service										570,532	570,53
Restricted for capital projects										303,748	303,74
Unrestricted										5,455,178	5,455,17

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Statement of Activities and Governmental Funds Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Year Ended December 31, 2023

	General Fund	R	pecial evenue Fund		Debt Service Fund	Р	Capital Projects Fund	Total	Ad	ljustments		itement of itivities
Revenues												
Property taxes	\$ 636,939	\$	-	\$	1,132,881	\$	-	\$ 1,769,820	\$	15,634	\$ 1	,785,454
Sales tax rebates	303,114		-		-		-	303,114		(4,269)		298,845
Water service	672,765		-		-		-	672,765		-		672,765
Sewer service	979,381		916,204		-		-	1,895,585		(601,425)	1	,294,160
Regional water fee	1,770,069		-		-		-	1,770,069		-	1	,770,069
Service to other governmental entities	130,488		-		-		-	130,488		-		130,488
Penalty and interest	136,980		-		34,996		-	171,976		7,686		179,662
Tap connection and inspection fees	7,380		-		-		-	7,380		-		7,380
Investment income	258,911		-		25,721		293,335	577,967		15,040		593,007
Other income	 40,555				-			 40,555				40,555
Total revenues	 4,936,582		916,204		1,193,598		293,335	7,339,719		(567,334)	6	,772,385
Expenditures/Expenses												
Service operations:												
Purchased services	1,941,989		-		-		-	1,941,989		(601,425)	1	,340,564
Regional water authority	532,413		-		-		-	532,413		-		532,413
Professional fees	298,157		32,506		12,302		-	342,965		83,412		426,377
Contracted services	236,633		149,331		64,856		-	450,820		-		450,820
Garbage service	623,967		-		-		-	623,967		-		623,967
Utilities	76,426		259,512		-		-	335,938		-		335,938
Repairs and maintenance	836,565		380,150		-		-	1,216,715		-	1	,216,715
Other expenditures	163,965		94,705		14,895		319	273,884		-		273,884
Capital outlay	420,120		-		-		541,663	961,783		(961,783)		-
Depreciation	-		-		-		-	-		510,792		510,792
Debt service:												
Principal retirement	-		-		505,000		-	505,000		(505,000)		-
Interest and fees	-		-		467,702		-	467,702		34,471		502,173
Debt issuance costs	 -				-		880	 880				880
Total expenditures/expenses	 5,130,235		916,204	_	1,064,755		542,862	 7,654,056		(1,439,533)	6	,214,523
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over												
Expenditures	 (193,653)			_	128,843		(249,527)	 (314,337)		872,199		

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Statement of Activities and Governmental Funds Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2023

	General Fund	-	Special Revenue Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Total	Adj	ustments	Statement of Activities
Other Financing Sources (Uses) Interfund transfers in (out) Return of capital	\$ 5,402 22,784	\$	- -	\$ - -	\$ (5,402)	\$ - 22,784	\$	(22,784)	
Total other financing sources (uses)	28,186		-	 	 (5,402)	22,784		(22,784)	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	(165,467)		-	128,843	(254,929)	(291,553)		291,553	
Change in Net Position								557,862	\$ 557,862
Fund Balances/Net Position Beginning of year	5,313,850		70,000	 533,743	 6,123,906	12,041,499			8,716,596
End of year	\$ 5,148,383	\$	70,000	\$ 662,586	\$ 5,868,977	\$ 11,749,946	\$	-	\$ 9,274,458

Note 1. Nature of Operations and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 (the District) was created by an order of the Texas Water Rights Commission, now known as the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (the Commission), effective February 15, 1968, and was converted into a municipal utility district on June 28, 1977. The District operates in accordance with Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code and is subject to the continuing supervision of the Commission. The principal functions of the District are to finance, construct, own and operate waterworks, wastewater and drainage facilities and to provide such facilities and services to the customers of the District.

The District is governed by a Board of Directors (the Board) consisting of five individuals who are residents or owners of property within the District and are elected by voters within the District. The Board sets the policies of the District. The accounting and reporting policies of the District conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for state and local governments, as defined by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The following is a summary of the significant accounting and reporting policies of the District:

Reporting Entity

The accompanying government-wide financial statements present the financial statements of the District. There are no component units that are legally separate entities for which the District is considered to be financially accountable. Accountability is defined as the District's substantive appointment of the voting majority of the component unit's governing board. Furthermore, to be financially accountable, the District must be able to impose its will upon the component unit or there must be a possibility that the component unit may provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on, the District.

Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

In accordance with required reporting standards, the District reports its financial activities as a special-purpose government. Special-purpose governments are governmental entities which engage in a single governmental program, such as the provision of water, wastewater, drainage and other related services. The financial statements of special-purpose governments combine two types of financial statements into one statement. These two types of financial statements are the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements. The fund financial statements are presented with a column for adjustments to convert to the government-wide financial statements.

The government-wide financial statements report information on all of the activities of the District. As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, charges for services and intergovernmental revenues. The statement of activities reflects the revenues and expenses of the District.

The fund financial statements provide information about the District's governmental funds. Separate statements for each governmental fund are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is directed to specific activities of the District.

The District presents the following major governmental funds:

General Fund – The general fund is the primary operating fund of the District which accounts for all financial resources not accounted for in another fund. Revenues are derived primarily from property taxes, charges for services and interest income.

Special Revenue Fund – Accounts for revenues and expenditures involving specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes. The primary source of revenue is participant fees.

Debt Service Fund – The debt service fund is used to account for financial resources that are restricted, committed or assigned to expenditures for principal and interest related costs, as well as the financial resources being accumulated for future debt service.

Capital Projects Fund – The capital projects fund is used to account for financial resources that are restricted, committed or assigned to expenditures for capital outlays.

Fund Balances - Governmental Funds

The fund balances for the District's governmental funds can be displayed in up to five components:

Nonspendable – Amounts that are not in a spendable form or are required to be maintained intact.

Restricted – Amounts that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by external resource providers, constitutionally or through enabling legislation. Restrictions may be changed or lifted only with the consent of resource providers.

Committed – Amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by resolution of the Board. Commitments may be changed or lifted only by issuance of a resolution by the District's Board.

Assigned – Amounts intended to be used by the District for specific purposes as determined by management. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the amount that is not restricted or committed. This indicates that resources in other governmental funds are, at a minimum, intended to be used for the purpose of that fund.

Unassigned – The residual classification for the general fund and includes all amounts not contained in the other classifications.

The District considers restricted amounts to have been spent when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available. The District applies committed amounts first, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of those unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

Nonexchange transactions, in which the District receives (or gives) value without directly giving (or receiving) equal value in exchange, include property taxes and donations. Recognition standards are based on the characteristics and classes of nonexchange transactions. Revenues from property taxes are recognized in the period for which the taxes are levied. Donations are recognized as revenues, net of estimated uncollectible amounts, as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met. Amounts received before all eligibility requirements have been met are reported as liabilities. Intergovernmental revenues are recognized as revenues, net of estimated refunds and uncollectible amounts, in the accounting period when an enforceable legal claim to the assets arises and the use of resources is required or is first permitted.

Fund Financial Statements

Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets and liabilities are generally included on the balance sheet. The statement of governmental funds revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances presents increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in spendable resources. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures and proceeds of long-term debt are reported as other financing sources. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when both measurable and available. The District considers revenues reported in the governmental funds to be available if they are collectible within 60 days after year-end. Principal revenue sources considered susceptible to accrual include taxes, charges for services and investment income. Other revenues are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on general long-term debt, which are recognized as expenditures when payment is due.

Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

A deferred outflow of resources is a consumption of net position that is applicable to a future reporting period and a deferred inflow of resources is an acquisition of net position that is applicable to a future reporting period.

Interfund Transactions

Transfers from one fund to another fund are reported as interfund receivables and payables if there is intent to repay the amount and if there is the ability to repay the advance on a timely basis. Transfers represent legally authorized transfers from the fund receiving resources to the fund through which the resources are to be expended.

Pension Costs

The District does not participate in a pension plan and, therefore, has no pension costs.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and deferred inflows and outflows of resources and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses/expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investments and Investment Income

Investments in certificates of deposit, U.S. Government and agency securities, and certain pooled funds, which have a remaining maturity of one year or less at the date of purchase, are recorded at amortized cost. All other investments are carried at fair value. Fair value is determined using quoted market values.

Investment income includes dividends and interest income and the net change for the year in the fair value of investments carried at fair value. Investment income is credited to the fund in which the investment is recorded.

Property Taxes

An appraisal district annually prepares appraisal records listing all property within the District and the appraised value of each parcel or item as of January 1. Additionally, on January 1, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all taxes, penalty and interest ultimately imposed for the year on the property. After the District

receives its certified appraisal roll from the appraisal district, the rate of taxation is set by the Board of the District based upon the aggregate appraisal value. Taxes are due and payable October 1 or when billed, whichever is later, and become delinquent after January 31 of the following year.

In the governmental funds, property taxes are initially recorded as receivables and deferred inflows of resources at the time the tax levy is billed. Any collections on the current year tax levy are deferred and recognized in the subsequent fiscal year. Current year revenues recognized are those taxes collected during the fiscal year for prior years' tax levies, plus any collections received during fiscal 2022 on the 2022 levy.

In the government-wide statement of net position, property taxes are considered earned in the budget year for which they are levied. For the District's fiscal year ended December 31, 2023, the tax levied in October 2023 is recorded as receivable and deferred inflows of resources and will be considered earned during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2024. In addition to property taxes levied, any delinquent taxes are recorded net of amounts considered uncollectible.

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment and infrastructure, are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an individual cost of \$5,000 or more and an estimated useful life of two years or more. Purchased or constructed capital assets are reported at cost or estimated historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated acquisition value at the date of donation.

The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the asset lives are not capitalized.

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives as follows:

	Years
Water production and distribution facilities	10-45
Wastewater collection and treatment facilities	10-45
Drainage facilities	10-45
Land improvements	10-25
Recreational facilities	10-20

Deferred Amount on Debt Refundings

In the government-wide financial statements, the difference between the reacquisition price and the net carrying amount of the old debt in a debt refunding is deferred and amortized to interest expense using the effective interest rate method over the remaining life of the old debt or the life of the new debt, whichever is shorter. Such amounts are classified as deferred outflows or inflows of resources.

Debt Issuance Costs

Debt issuance costs, other than prepaid insurance, do not meet the definition of an asset or deferred outflows of resources since the costs are not applicable to a future period and, therefore, are recognized as an expense/expenditure in the period incurred.

Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities. Premiums and discounts on bonds are recognized as a component of long-term liabilities and amortized over the life of the related debt using the effective interest rate method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize premiums and discounts on bonds during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

Net Position/Fund Balances

Fund balances and net position are reported as restricted when constraints placed on them are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments, or are imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, generally, it is the District's policy to use restricted resources first.

Reconciliation of Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

Amounts reported for net position of governmental activities in the statement of net position and fund balances in the governmental funds balance sheet are different because of the following items:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are not reported in the funds.	\$ 10,166,631
Sales tax rebates receivable due from the City of Houston (the City) are not receivable in the current period and are not reported in the funds.	34,191
Amounts due from the North Harris County Regional Water Authority (the Authority) are not receivable in the current period and are not reported in the funds.	240,754
Property tax revenue recognition and the related reduction of deferred inflows of resources are subject to availability of funds in the fund financial statements.	66,045
Penalty and interest on delinquent taxes is not receivable in the current period and is not reported in the funds.	31,104
Accrued interest on long-term liabilities is not payable with current financial resources and is not reported in the funds.	(121,386)

Deferred amount on debt refundings for governmental activities are not financial resources and are not reported in the funds.	\$ 194,217
Long-term debt obligations are not due and payable in the current period and are not reported in the funds.	(13,087,044)
Adjustment to fund balances to arrive at net position.	\$ (2,475,488)

Amounts reported for change in net position of governmental activities in the statement of activities are different from change in fund balances in the governmental funds statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances because of the items on the following page.

Change in fund balances.	\$ (291,553)
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, for government-wide financial statements, the cost of capitalized assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlay expenditures exceeded depreciation expense and noncapitalized costs in the current	
year.	367,579
Governmental funds report proceeds from the sale of bonds because they provide current financial resources to governmental funds. Principal payments on debt are recorded as expenditures. None of these	
transactions, however, have any effect on net position.	505,000
Revenues collected in the current year, which have previously been reported in the statement of activities, are reported as revenues in the governmental funds.	(4,269)
Revenues that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues for the funds but are reported as revenues in the statement of activities.	15,576
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.	(34,471)
Change in net position of governmental activities.	\$ 557,862

Note 2. Deposits, Investments and Investment Income

Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, a government's deposits may not be returned to it. The District's deposit policy for custodial credit risk requires compliance with the provisions of state law.

State law requires collateralization of all deposits with federal depository insurance; a surety bond; bonds and other obligations of the U.S. Treasury, U.S. agencies or instrumentalities of the State of Texas; or certain collateralized mortgage obligations directly issued by a federal agency or instrumentality of the United States, the underlying security for which is guaranteed by an agency or instrumentality of the United States.

At December 31, 2023, none of the District's bank balances were exposed to custodial credit risk.

Investments

The District may legally invest in obligations of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities, direct obligations of Texas or its agencies or instrumentalities, collateralized mortgage obligations directly issued by a federal agency or instrumentality of the United States, the underlying security for which is guaranteed by an agency or instrumentality of the United States, other obligations guaranteed as to principal and interest by the State of Texas or the United States or their agencies and instrumentalities, including obligations that are fully guaranteed or insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or by the explicit full faith and credit of the United States, obligations of states, agencies and counties and other political subdivisions with an investment rating not less than "A," insured or collateralized certificates of deposit, and certain bankers' acceptances, repurchase agreements, mutual funds, commercial paper, guaranteed investment contracts and investment pools.

The District's investment policy may be more restrictive than the Public Funds Investment Act.

The District invests in TexPool, an external investment pool that is not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas has oversight of TexPool. The District's investments in TexPool are reported at amortized cost.

At December 31, 2023, the District had the following investments and maturities:

		Maturities in Years						
Туре	Amortized Cost	Less Than 1	1	-5	6-	10		Than 0
TexPool	\$ 8,360,491	\$ 8,360,491	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0

Interest Rate Risk. As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates, the District's investment policy does not allow investments in certain mortgage-backed securities, collateralized mortgage obligations with a final maturity date in excess of 10 years and interest rate indexed collateralized mortgage obligations. The external investment pool is presented as an investment with a maturity of less than one year because it is redeemable in full immediately.

Credit Risk. Credit risk is the risk that the issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. At December 31, 2023, the District's investments in TexPool were rated "AAAm" by Standard & Poor's.

Summary of Carrying Values

The carrying values of deposits and investments shown previously are included in the balance sheet at December 31, 2023, as follows.

Carrying value: Deposits Investments	\$	5,619,925 8,360,491
Total	\$	13,980,416
Included in the following statement of net position caption	ns:	
Cash Certificates of deposit Short-term investments	\$	2,374,925 3,245,000 8,360,491
Total	\$	13,980,416

Investment Income

Investment income of \$593,007 for the year ended December 31, 2023, consisted of \$525,902 of interest income on deposits and investments and \$15,040 of interest income on capital contributions with the Authority.

Note 3. Capital Assets

A summary of changes in capital assets for the year ended December 31, 2023, is presented below:

	Balances,			Balances,
	Beginning		Reclassi-	End
Governmental Activities	of Year	Additions	fications	of Year
Capital assets, non-depreciable:				
Land and improvements	\$ 1,922,287	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,922,287
Construction in progress	194,788	579,234	(63,250)	710,772
Total capital assets, non-depreciable	2,117,075	579,234	(63,250)	2,633,059
Capital assets, depreciable:				
Water production and distribution				
facilities	5,768,028	219,310	-	5,987,338
Wastewater collection and treatment				
facilities	13,635,985	-	-	13,635,985
Drainage facilities	2,051,219	-	-	2,051,219
Land improvements	80,420	-	-	80,420
Recreational facilities	508,495	79,827	63,250	651,572
Total capital assets, depreciable	22,044,147	299,137	63,250	22,406,534

Governmental Activities (Continued)	Balances, Beginning of Year	Additions	Reclassi- fications	Balances, End of Year
Less accumulated depreciation: Water production and distribution				
facilities Wastewater collection and treatment	\$ (4,728,911)	\$ (126,874)	\$ -	\$ (4,855,785)
facilities	(9,283,684)	(298,293)	_	(9,581,977)
Drainage facilities	(154,192)	(45,582)	-	(199,774)
Land improvements	(10,723)	(5,361)	-	(16,084)
Recreational facilities	(184,660)	(34,682)	<u> </u>	(219,342)
Total accumulated depreciation	(14,362,170)	(510,792)		(14,872,962)
Total governmental activities, net	\$ 9,799,052	\$ 367,579	\$ -	\$ 10,166,631

Note 4. Long-Term Liabilities

Changes in long-term liabilities for the year ended December 31, 2023, were as follows:

Governmental Activities	Balances, Beginning of Year	De	ecreases	Balances, End of Year	mounts Due in One Year
Bonds payable:					
General obligation bonds	\$ 13,480,000	\$	505,000	\$ 12,975,000	\$ 715,000
Less discounts on bonds	115,658		4,182	111,476	-
Add premiums on bonds	251,085		27,565	223,520	_
Total governmental activities long-term liabilities	\$ 13,615,427	\$	528,383	\$ 13,087,044	\$ 715,000

General Obligation Bonds

	Refunding Series 2013	Refunding Series 2017
Amounts outstanding, December 31, 2023	\$330,000	\$3,145,000
Interest rates	3.00% to 3.25%	3.00% to 4.00%
Maturity dates, serially beginning/ending	October 1, 2024/2025	October 1, 2024/2032
Interest payment dates	April 1/ October 1	April 1/ October 1
Callable dates*	October 1, 2019	October 1, 2024

	Series 2020	Series 2022
Amounts outstanding, December 31, 2023	\$2,850,000	\$6,650,000
Interest rates	2.00% to 3.00%	4.00% to 5.00%
Maturity dates, serially beginning/ending	October 1, 2024/2040	October 1, 2024/2044
Interest payment dates	April 1/ October 1	April 1/ October 1
Callable dates*	October 1, 2025	October 1, 2028

^{*}Or any date thereafter; callable at par plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

Annual Debt Service Requirements

The following schedule shows the annual debt service requirements to pay principal and interest on general obligation bonds outstanding at December 31, 2023.

Year	Year Principal			Interest	Total		
2024	\$	715,000	\$	485,543	\$	1,200,543	
2025		715,000		459,682		1,174,682	
2026		750,000		431,818	1,181,8		
2027		745,000	0 402,818			1,147,818	
2028		770,000	374,018			1,144,018	
2029-2033		3,805,000		1,430,796		5,235,796	
2034-2038		2,525,000		878,532		3,403,532	
2039-2043		2,475,000	415,850			2,890,850	
2044		475,000		21,375		496,375	
Total	\$	12,975,000	\$	4,900,432	\$	17,875,432	

The bonds are payable from the proceeds of an ad valorem tax levied upon all property within the District subject to taxation, without limitation as to rate or amount.

Bonds voted	\$ 37,000,000
Bonds sold	17,650,000
Refunding bonds voted	37,000,000
Refunding bond authorization used	180,000

Note 5. Significant Bond Order and Commission Requirements

- A. The Bond Orders require that the District levy and collect an ad valorem debt service tax sufficient to pay interest and principal on bonds when due. During the year ended December 31, 2023, the District levied an ad valorem debt service tax at the rate of \$0.1350 per \$100 of assessed valuation, which resulted in a tax levy of \$1,187,272 on the taxable valuation of \$879,466,533 for the 2023 tax year. The interest and principal requirements to be paid from the tax revenues and available resources are \$1,200,543.
- B. In accordance with the Series 2022 Bond Order, a portion of the bond proceeds was deposited into the debt service fund and reserved for the payment of bond interest during the construction period. This bond interest reserve is reduced as the interest is paid.

Bond interest reserve, beginning of year	\$ 287,738
DeductionsAppropriation from bond interest paid	
Series 2022	251,771
Bond interest reserve, end of year	\$ 35,967

Note 6. Maintenance Taxes

At an election held November 4, 2003, voters authorized a maintenance tax not to exceed \$0.50 per \$100 of assessed valuation on all property within the District subject to taxation. During the year ended December 31, 2023, the District levied an ad valorem maintenance tax at the rate of \$0.0930 per \$100 of assessed valuation, which resulted in a tax levy of \$817,899 on the taxable valuation of \$879,466,533 for the 2023 tax year. The maintenance tax is being used by the general fund to pay expenditures of operating the District.

Note 7. Strategic Partnership Agreement

The District entered into a Strategic Partnership Agreement (SPA) with the City effective November 10, 2003, and as amended. Pursuant to the terms of the SPA, the City annexed portions of the District for limited purposes. The SPA provides for the levy of City sales tax on qualifying retail sales in the District. The District will continue to provide water, sewer and drainage services to all properties within its boundaries until full annexation, which, according to the terms of the SPA, shall not occur prior to 2033, if at all. During the current year, the District recorded \$298,845 in revenues related to the SPA.

Note 8. Regional Water Authority

The District is within the boundaries of the Authority, which was created by the Texas Legislature. The Authority was created to provide a regional entity to acquire surface water and build the necessary facilities to convert from groundwater to surface water in order to meet conversion requirements mandated by the Harris-Galveston Subsidence District, which regulates groundwater withdrawal. As of December 31, 2023, the Authority was billing the District \$4.05 per 1,000 gallons of surface water purchased from the Authority and \$3.60 per 1,000 gallons of water pumped from the District's wells. These amounts are subject to future adjustments.

During a prior year, the District entered into an agreement with the Authority for reimbursement of chloramine conversion costs. The Agreement allows for reimbursement of \$313,619 in chloramine system costs. The District will receive payment through credits for District pumpage fees and water payments as they become due each year. These repayments accrue interest at 6% per year and will be repaid with principal and interest payments through 2041.

At December 31, 2023, the combined repayments outstanding are as follows.

Year	Amount
2024	\$ 22,784
2025	22,784
2026	22,784
2027	22,784
2028	22,784
2029-2033	113,920
2034-2038	113,920
2039-2041	47,467
	389,227
Less interest	(148,473)
Ending balance	\$ 240,754

Note 9. Contracts With Other Districts

Water Supply and Waste Disposal Agreements

On July 31, 1978, amended July 24, 1984, the District entered into agreements with Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 48 (District No. 48) to sell water and waste disposal services. The agreements were amended and restated November 27, 2012, and October 14, 2013, all to be effective July 31, 2013. The Agreements are for a term of 35 years from the November 27, 2012, amendment.

Under the terms of the agreement, monthly waste disposal rates to District No. 48 are charged at a rate of $1\frac{1}{2}$ times the rates charged to the District's customers. Additionally, monthly water rates are charged at a rate of $1\frac{3}{4}$ times the rates charged to the District's customers, plus an additional 10% to cover administrative costs. The $1\frac{3}{4}$ multiplier and the additional 10% are not applied to the portion attributable to the Authority's charges. During the current year, the District recorded revenue of \$130,488.

Sanitary Sewer Treatment Contract

On May 10, 2021, the District entered into a 40-year contract with Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 202 (District No. 202) to provide wastewater treatment service to residential lots to be developed on an Annexation Tract within the boundaries of District No. 202. District No. 202 shall pay all costs of acquisition and installation and will own and have title to the interconnect facilities, as well as be 100% responsible for the costs of operating, maintaining, testing, repairing or replacing of the interconnect facilities. Under the terms of the contract, District No. 202 shall pay the District a one-time Capital Recovery Fee of \$101,520, which was received during 2023. The District shall charge District No. 202 monthly for each connection for which wastewater treatment service is being provided in an amount equal to 110% of the amount paid by the District's residential customers for wastewater treatment service in accordance with the then-current rate order. During the current year, the District did not provide any wastewater treatment service under this contract.

Note 10. Operation of Joint Waste Treatment Plant

On August 3, 1977, the District entered into a 25-year waste disposal agreement with Fountainhead Municipal Utility District (Fountainhead), which superseded all previous waste disposal agreements between the two districts. The District is the operator of and holds title to the facilities for the benefit of the parties. Construction costs were shared based on a pro rata share of costs relative to capacity acquired in the facilities. The agreement was last amended effective March 11, 2011, and has been previously extended through June 1, 2031.

Operations

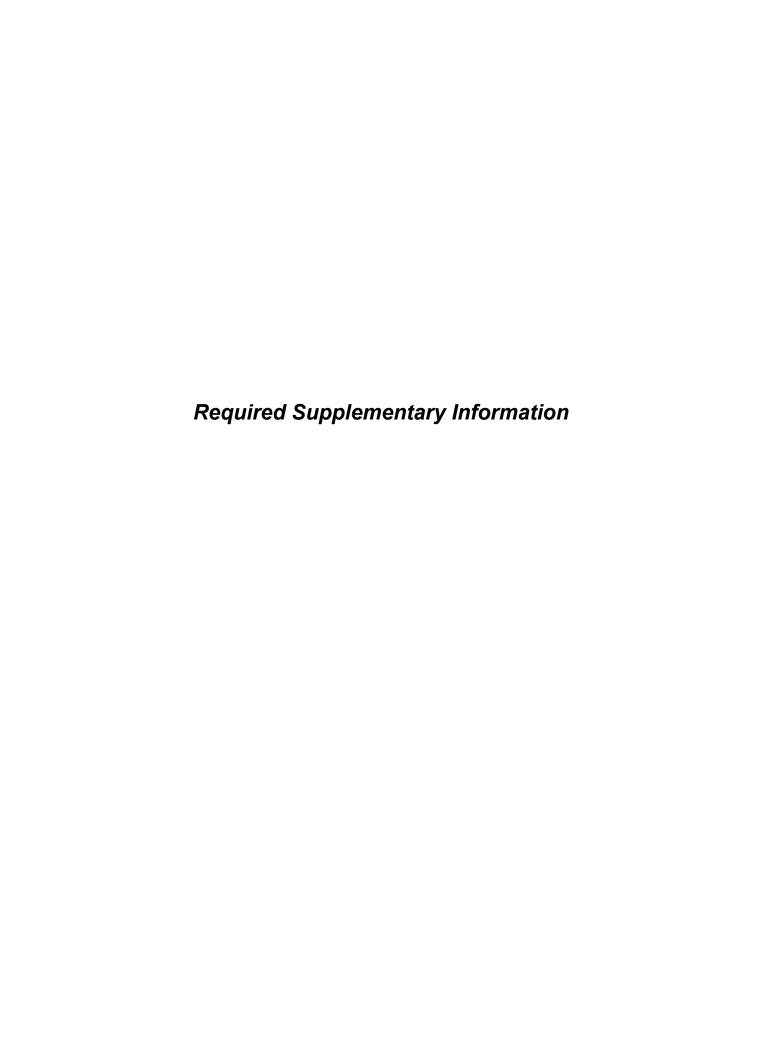
The District and Fountainhead (the districts) share operating costs based on active connections.

During the current year, the districts' shares of net expenditures were \$601,425 for the District and \$314,779 for Fountainhead. An operating reserve of \$105,000 has been established with the District contributing \$70,000 and Fountainhead contributing \$35,000.

At December 31, 2023, the special revenue fund had service receivables of \$93,219 from the District and \$76,894 from Fountainhead.

Note 11. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the District carries commercial insurance. The District has not significantly reduced insurance coverage or had settlements which exceeded coverage amounts in the past three fiscal years.



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Revenues	Ф	622 500	Φ	626 020	Φ	2.420	
Property taxes	\$	633,500	\$	636,939	\$	3,439	
Sales tax rebates		320,000		303,114		(16,886)	
Water service Sewer service		500,000 900,000		672,765 979,381		172,765	
						79,381	
Regional water fee		2,205,000 58,000		1,770,069 130,488		(434,931) 72,488	
Service to other governmental entities Penalty and interest		125,000		136,980		11,980	
Tap connection and inspection fees		9,500		7,380		(2,120)	
Investment income		52,800		258,911		206,111	
Other income		41,200		40,555		(645)	
Total revenues		4,845,000		4,936,582		91,582	
Expenditures							
Service operations:							
Purchased services		1,895,547		1,941,989		(46,442)	
Regional water authority		860,000		532,413		327,587	
Professional fees		222,400		298,157		(75,757)	
Contracted services		237,550		236,633		917	
Garbage service		626,000		623,967		2,033	
Utilities		79,400		76,426		2,974	
Repairs and maintenance		602,000		836,565		(234,565)	
Other expenditures		187,680		163,965		23,715	
Capital outlay		157,000		420,120		(263,120)	
Total expenditures		4,867,577		5,130,235		(262,658)	
Deficiency of Revenues Over Expenditures		(22,577)		(193,653)		(171,076)	
Other Financing Sources							
Return of capital		-		22,784		22,784	
Interfund transfers in				5,402		5,402	
Total other financing sources		-		28,186		28,186	
Deficiency of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Financing Uses		(22,577)		(165,467)		(142,890)	
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year		5,313,850		5,313,850		· ,	
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$	5,291,273	\$	5,148,383	\$	(142,890)	
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Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Budgetary Comparison Schedule – Special Revenue Fund Year Ended December 31, 2023

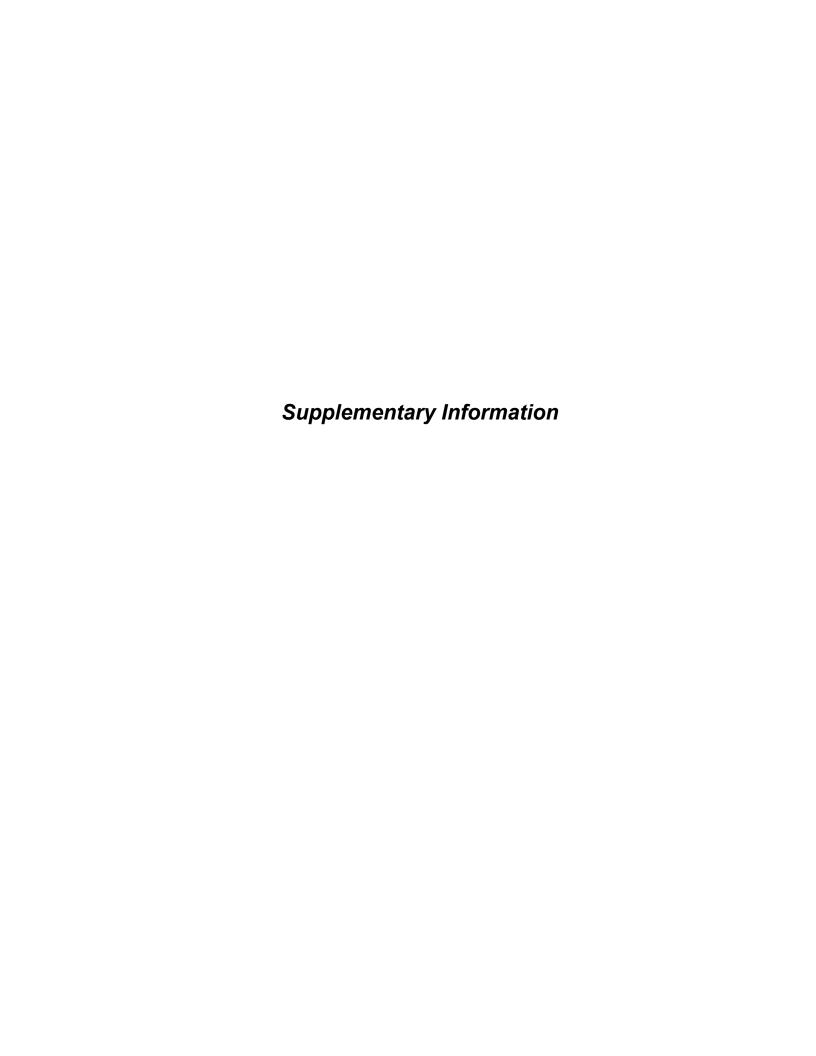
	Original Budget			Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)		
Revenues	' <u>-</u>					_	
Sewer service	\$	832,900	\$	916,204	\$	83,304	
Expenditures							
Service operations:							
Professional fees		44,100		32,506		11,594	
Contracted services		160,200		149,331		10,869	
Utilities		209,450		259,512		(50,062)	
Repairs and maintenance		332,750		380,150		(47,400)	
Other expenditures		86,400		94,705		(8,305)	
Total expenditures		832,900		916,204		(83,304)	
Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures		-		-		-	
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year		70,000		70,000			
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$	70,000	\$	70,000	\$		

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Notes to Required Supplementary Information December 31, 2023

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

Annual operating budgets are prepared for the general and special revenue funds by the District's consultants. The budgets reflect resources expected to be received during the year and expenditures expected to be incurred. The Board of Directors is required to adopt the budgets prior to the start of its fiscal year. The budgets are not a spending limitation (a legally restricted appropriation). The original budgets of the general fund and special revenue fund were not amended during 2023.

The District prepares its annual operating budgets on a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Budgetary Comparison Schedules – General Fund and Special Revenue Fund present the original and revised budget amounts, if revised, compared to the actual amounts of revenues and expenditures for the current year.



Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Other Schedules Included Within This Report December 31, 2023

(Schedules included are checked or explanatory notes provided for omitted schedules.)

[X]	Notes Required by the Water District Accounting Manual See "Notes to Financial Statements," Pages 14-26
[X]	Schedule of Services and Rates
[X]	Schedule of General Fund Expenditures
[X]	Schedule of Temporary Investments
[X]	Analysis of Taxes Levied and Receivable
[X]	Schedule of Long-Term Debt Service Requirements by Years
[X]	Changes in Long-Term Bonded Debt
[X]	Comparative Schedule of Revenues and Expenditures – General Fund and Debt Service Fund – Five Years
[X]	Board Members, Key Personnel and Consultants

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Schedule of Services and Rates Year Ended December 31, 2023

1.	Services provided by the Distri X Retail Water X Retail Wastewater Parks/Recreation X Solid Waste/Garbage X Participates in joint venture Other		X	Whole Fire P Flood	esale Wat esale Was rotection Control or wastev	stewater	<u>X</u> S	Orainage rrigation Security Roads ergency intercon	nect)			
2.	Retail service providers											
	a. Retail rates for a 5/8" meter (or equivalent):											
			nimum harge		nimum sage	Flat Rate Y/N	Rate Per 1,000 Gallons Over Minimum	Usage L	evels			
	Water:	\$	5.00		3,000	N	\$ 1.50 \$ 1.75 \$ 2.00 \$ 2.25	3,001 to 7,001 to 12,001 to 20,001 to	7,000 12,000 20,000 No Limit			
	Wastewater:	\$	31.50		1	Y						
	Regional water fee:	\$	4.05		1,000	<u>N</u>	\$ 4.05	1,001_ to	No Limit			
	Does the District employ winte	r ave	raging for w	astew	ater usag	e?		Yes	No_X			
	Total charges per 10,000 gallons usage (including fees): Water \$ 56.75								\$ 31.50			
	b. Water and wastewater retail connections:											
	Meter Size				Tota Connec		Active Connections	ESFC Factor	Active ESFC*			
	Unmetered					_	_	x1.0	_			
	≤ 3/4"					2,104	2,073	x1.0	2,073			
	1"					38	37	x2.5	93			
	1 1/2"				30 29			x5.0	145			
	2"					46	45	x8.0	360			
	3" 4"					<u>4</u> 10	<u>4</u> 10	x15.0 x25.0	60 250			
	6"					13	13	x50.0	650			
	8"					4	4	x80.0	320			
	10"					<u> </u>	-	x115.0	-			
	Total water					2,249	2,215	-	3,951			
	Total wastewater					2,208	2,176	x1.0	2,176			
3.	Total water consumption (in the		nds) during	the fis	cal year:							
	Gallons pumped into the syste	m:							409,352			
	Gallons billed to customers:								397,892			
	Water accountability ratio (galle	ons b	illed/gallons	s pumr	ped):				97.20%			

^{*&}quot;ESFC" means equivalent single-family connections

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Schedule of General Fund Expenditures Year Ended December 31, 2023

Personnel (including benefits)		\$ -
Professional Fees Auditing Legal Engineering Financial advisor	\$ 21,100 114,672 162,385	298,157
Purchased Services for Resale Bulk water and wastewater service purchases		1,941,989
Regional Water Fee		532,413
Contracted Services Bookkeeping General manager Appraisal district Tax collector Security Other contracted services	21,452 - - - 18,000 197,181	236,633
Utilities		76,426
Repairs and Maintenance		836,565
Administrative Expenditures Directors' fees Office supplies Insurance Other administrative expenditures	11,296 - 48,632 104,037	163,965
Capital Outlay Capitalized assets Expenditures not capitalized	336,709 83,411	420,120
Tap Connection Expenditures		-
Solid Waste Disposal		623,967
Fire Fighting		-
Parks and Recreation		_
Other Expenditures		_
Total expenditures		\$ 5,130,235

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Schedule of Temporary Investments December 31, 2023

	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Face Amount		ied Interest ceivable
General Fund					
Certificate of Deposit					
No. 9009004812	5.54%	10/20/24	\$ 3,245,000	\$	34,477
TexPool	5.38%	Demand	 2,200,027		
			5,445,027		34,477
Debt Service Fund					
TexPool	5.38%	Demand	455,142		-
Capital Projects Fund					
TexPool	5.38%	Demand	 5,705,322		-
Totals			\$ 11,605,491	\$	34,477

	Ma 	intenance Taxes	Debt Service Taxes
Receivable, Beginning of Year	\$	394,509	\$ 677,308
Additions and corrections to prior years' taxes		(10,240)	 (17,655)
Adjusted receivable, beginning of year		384,269	 659,653
2023 Original Tax Levy		764,317	1,109,492
Additions and corrections		53,582	 77,780
Adjusted tax levy		817,899	1,187,272
Total to be accounted for		1,202,168	1,846,925
Tax collections: Current year		(132,294)	(192,039)
Prior years		(352,419)	(625,457)
Receivable, end of year	\$	717,455	\$ 1,029,429
Receivable, by Years			
2023	\$	685,605	\$ 995,233
2022		7,753	13,815
2021		7,234	5,895
2020		7,129	6,073
2019		2,288	1,657
2018		1,602	1,160
2017 2016		1,525	1,299 2,815
2016		3,050 673	2,615 790
2013		466	505
2013		120	166
2012		10	21
Receivable, end of year	\$	717,455	\$ 1,029,429

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Analysis of Taxes Levied and Receivable (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2023

	2023	2022	2021	2020
Property Valuations				
Land	\$ 206,547,272	\$ 207,033,393	\$ 163,249,702	\$ 157,815,532
Improvements	682,607,502	595,611,881	539,469,045	495,946,133
Personal property	39,210,703	33,234,341	28,392,277	29,588,962
Exemptions	(48,898,944)	(45,945,025)	(40,126,248)	(39,408,853)
Total property valuations	\$ 879,466,533	\$ 789,934,590	\$ 690,984,776	\$ 643,941,774
Tax Rates per \$100 Valuation				
Debt service tax rates	\$ 0.1350	\$ 0.1470	\$ 0.1100	\$ 0.1150
Maintenance tax rates*	0.0930	0.0825	0.1350	0.1350
Total tax rates per \$100 valuation	\$ 0.2280	\$ 0.2295	\$ 0.2450	\$ 0.2500
Tax Levy	\$ 2,005,171	\$ 1,812,888	\$ 1,692,900	\$ 1,609,845
Percent of Taxes Collected to Taxes Levied**	<u>16%</u> '	*** 99%	99%	99%

^{*}Maximum tax rate approved by voters: \$0.50 on November 4, 2003.

^{**}Calculated as taxes collected for a tax year divided by taxes levied for that tax year.

^{***2023} taxes were not due until January 31, 2024.

			Refundir	ng Series 2013	
Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31		Principal Due ctober 1		erest Due April 1, ctober 1	Total
2024 2025		\$ 165,000 165,000	\$	10,725 5,363	\$ 175,725 170,363
	Totals	\$ 330,000	\$	16,088	\$ 346,088

				Refundi	ng Series 2017		
Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31			Principal Due October 1		erest Due April 1, ctober 1		Total
2024		\$	200,000	\$	123,800	\$	323,800
2025		*	200,000	•	117,800	•	317,800
2026			400,000		109,800		509,800
2027			395,000		93,800		488,800
2028			395,000		78,000		473,000
2029			390,000		62,200		452,200
2030			390,000		46,600		436,600
2031			390,000		31,000		421,000
2032			385,000		15,400		400,400
	Totals	\$	3,145,000	\$	678,400	\$	3,823,400

			Se	ries 2020		
Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	scal Years Due		Interest Due April 1, October 1		Total	
.						
2024	\$	150,000	\$	63,281	\$	213,281
2025		150,000		58,782		208,782
2026		150,000		54,281		204,281
2027		150,000		51,281		201,281
2028		175,000		48,281		223,281
2029		150,000		44,782		194,782
2030		175,000		41,781		216,781
2031		175,000		38,281		213,281
2032		175,000		34,781		209,781
2033		175,000		31,282		206,282
2034		175,000		27,781		202,781
2035		175,000		24,062		199,062
2036		175,000		20,344		195,344
2037		175,000		16,406		191,406
2038		175,000		12,469		187,469
2039		175,000		8,313		183,313
2040		175,000		4,156		179,156
To	otals \$	2,850,000	\$	580,344	\$	3,430,344

			Se	ries 2022		
Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	Principal Interest Due Due April 1, 31 October 1 October 1		Total			
2024	\$	200,000	\$	287,737	\$	487,737
2025	•	200,000	•	277,737	•	477,737
2026		200,000		267,737		467,737
2027		200,000		257,737		457,737
2028		200,000		247,737		447,737
2029		250,000		237,737		487,737
2030		250,000		227,738		477,738
2031		275,000		217,738		492,738
2032		300,000		206,738		506,738
2033		325,000		194,738		519,738
2034		325,000		181,738		506,738
2035		325,000		168,738		493,738
2036		325,000		155,738		480,738
2037		325,000		142,331		467,331
2038		350,000		128,925		478,925
2039		350,000		114,050		464,050
2040		360,000		99,175		459,175
2041		465,000		83,875		548,875
2042		475,000		63,531		538,531
2043		475,000		42,750		517,750
2044		475,000		21,375		496,375
То	tals \$	6,650,000	\$	3,625,600	\$	10,275,600

		Annual Requirements For All Series						
Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	F	Total Principal Due		Total Interest Due		Total Principal and Interest Due		
9								
2024	\$	715,000	\$	485,543	\$	1,200,543		
2025		715,000		459,682		1,174,68		
2026		750,000		431,818		1,181,81		
2027		745,000		402,818		1,147,81		
2028		770,000		374,018		1,144,01		
2029		790,000		344,719		1,134,71		
2030		815,000		316,119		1,131,11		
2031		840,000		287,019		1,127,01		
2032		860,000		256,919		1,116,91		
2033		500,000		226,020		726,02		
2034		500,000		209,519		709,51		
2035		500,000		192,800		692,80		
2036		500,000		176,082		676,08		
2037		500,000		158,737		658,73		
2038		525,000		141,394		666,39		
2039		525,000		122,363		647,36		
2040		535,000		103,331		638,33		
2041		465,000		83,875		548,87		
2042		475,000		63,531		538,53		
2043		475,000		42,750		517,75		
2044		475,000		21,375		496,37		

					Bon
			efunding ries 2013		Refunding eries 2017
Interest rates		_	.00% to 3.25%		3.00% to 4.00%
Dates interest payable		April 1/ October 1			April 1/ October 1
Maturity dates			ctober 1, 024/2025		October 1, 2024/2032
Bonds outstanding, beginning of current year		\$	500,000	\$	3,345,000
Retirements, principal			170,000		200,000
Bonds outstanding, end of current year		\$	330,000	\$	3,145,000
Interest paid during current year		\$	16,250	\$	129,800
Paying agent's name and address:					
Series 2013 - The Bank of New York Mellon Series 2020 - The Bank of New York Mellon	Trust Company, N.A Trust Company, N.A	., Dalla ., Dalla	s, Texas s, Texas		
Bond authority:	Tax Bonds	Oth	er Bonds	F	Refunding Bonds
Amount authorized by voters Amount issued Remaining to be issued	\$ 37,000,000 \$ 17,650,000 \$ 19,350,000		- - -	\$ \$	37,000,000 180,000 36,820,000
Debt service fund cash and temporary investment ba	nances as of Decemb	per 31, 2	2023:	\$	950,122

\$

851,211

Average annual debt service payment (principal and interest) for remaining term of all debt:

^{*}Amount of amortization used.

Issues

S	eries 2020	S	eries 2022	Totals
	2.00% to 3.00%	4.00% to 5.00%		
(April 1/ October 1	(April 1/ October 1	
	October 1, 2024/2040		October 1, 2024/2044	
\$	2,985,000	\$	6,650,000	\$ 13,480,000
	135,000			505,000
\$	2,850,000	\$	6,650,000	\$ 12,975,000
\$	67,331	\$	251,770	\$ 465,151

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Comparative Schedule of Revenues and Expenditures – General Fund Five Years Ended December 31,

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
General Fund					
Revenues					
Property taxes	\$ 636,939	\$ 910,709	\$ 867,442	\$ 866,552	\$ 825,403
Sales tax rebates	303,114	323,868	303,179	254,668	312,456
Water service	672,765	485,322	427,325	468,602	470,902
Sewer service	979,381	923,642	879,548	867,704	841,739
Regional water fee	1,770,069	2,078,108	1,717,796	1,673,691	1,569,191
Service to other governmental entities	130,488	123,221	114,796	110,770	102,462
Penalty and interest	136,980	140,167	80,212	42,000	77,637
Tap connection and inspection fees	7,380	8,823	9,480	58,190	182,955
Investment income	258,911	48,100	7,839	70,310	136,677
Other income	40,555	47,974	48,488	46,526	415,229
Capital recovery fee		101,520			
Total revenues	4,936,582	5,191,454	4,456,105	4,459,013	4,934,651
Expenditures					
Service operations:					
Purchased services	1,941,989	1,879,151	1,479,979	1,531,694	1,276,098
Regional water fee	532,413	848,985	833,976	771,932	820,134
Professional fees	298,157	248,295	223,849	200,407	246,135
Contracted services	236,633	275,563	237,577	228,165	223,117
Garbage service	623,967	588,564	561,373	535,473	543,042
Utilities	76,426	85,821	76,105	73,771	74,855
Repairs and maintenance	836,565	642,993	527,521	531,550	543,941
Other expenditures	163,965	150,812	149,748	134,370	185,970
Tap connections	-	-	-	34,500	48,504
Capital outlay	420,120	451,457	337,069	1,220,408	376,185
Debt service, debt issuance costs	, -	-	, <u>-</u>	, , , <u>-</u>	47,448
Total expenditures	5,130,235	5,171,641	4,427,197	5,262,270	4,385,429
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues	(400.050)	40.040		(000.057)	5.40.000
Over Expenditures	(193,653)	19,813	28,908	(803,257)	549,222
Other Financing Sources					
Interfund transfers in	5,402	-	-	174,767	=
Return of capital	22,784	22,784	22,784	6,445	6,062
Insurance proceeds		77,354			
Total other financing sources	28,186	100,138	22,784	181,212	6,062
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures	(405.405)	440.054	54.000	(000 045)	555.004
and Other Financing Uses	(165,467)	119,951	51,692	(622,045)	555,284
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	5,313,850	5,193,899	5,142,207	5,764,252	5,208,968
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$ 5,148,383	\$ 5,313,850	\$ 5,193,899	\$ 5,142,207	\$ 5,764,252
Total Active Retail Water Connections	2,215	2,225	2,222	2,213	2,222
Total Active Retail Wastewater Connections	2,176	2,186	2,183	2,174	2,185

2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
12.9 %	17.5 %	19.5 %	19.4 %	16.7
6.1	6.2	6.8	5.7	6.3
13.6	9.4	9.6	10.5	9.5
19.9	17.8	19.7	19.5	17.1
35.9	40.0	38.5	37.5	31.8
2.6	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.1
2.8	2.7	1.8	0.9	1.6
0.2	0.2	0.2	1.3	3.7
5.2	0.9	0.2	1.6	2.8
8.0	0.9	1.1	1.1	8.4
	2.0	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
39.3	36.2	33.2	34.3	25.9
10.8	16.3	18.7	17.3	16.6
6.0	4.8	5.0	4.5	5.0
4.8	5.3	5.3	5.1	4.5
12.6	11.3	12.6	12.0	11.0
1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.5
17.0	12.4	11.8	11.9	11.5
3.3	2.9	3.4	3.0	3.3
-	=	-	8.0	1.0
8.5	8.7	7.6	27.4	7.6
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	1.0
103.9	99.6	99.3	118.0	88.9
(3.9) %	0.4 %	0.7 %	(18.0) %	11.1

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Comparative Schedule of Revenues and Expenditures – Debt Service Fund Five Years Ended December 31,

	2023	2022	Amounts 2021	2020	2019
Debt Service Fund	2023	2022	2021	2020	2013
Revenues					
Property taxes	\$ 1,132,881	\$ 742,115	\$ 739,187	\$ 627,683	\$ 598,587
Penalty and interest	34,996	21,619	20,709	21,064	11,171
Investment income	25,721	5,150	106	1,035	8,078
Total revenues	1,193,598	768,884	760,002	649,782	617,836
Expenditures					
Current:					
Professional fees	12,302	8,989	7,044	9,615	6,661
Contracted services	64,856	59,899	59,738	57,085	51,556
Other expenditures	14,895	18,530	14,004	11,834	14,931
Debt service:					
Principal retirement	505,000	500,000	355,000	365,000	365,000
Interest and fees	467,702	231,906	241,756	203,092	193,025
Total expenditures	1,064,755	819,324	677,542	646,626	631,173
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
Over Expenditures	128,843	(50,440)	82,460	3,156	(13,337)
Other Financing Sources					
General obligation bonds issued		287,738		35,541	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other					
Financing Sources Over Expenditures					
and Other Financing Uses	128,843	237,298	82,460	38,697	(13,337)
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	533,743	296,445	213,985	175,288	188,625
Fund Balance, End of Year	\$ 662,586	\$ 533,743	\$ 296,445	\$ 213,985	\$ 175,288

23	2022	2021	2020	2019	
94.9 %	96.5 %	97.3 %	96.6 %	96.9	
2.9	2.8	2.7	3.2	1.8	
2.2	0.7	0.0	0.2	1.3	
100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1.0	1.2	0.9	1.5	1.1	
5.4	7.8	7.9	8.8	8.3	
1.3	2.4	1.8	1.8	2.4	
42.3	65.0	46.7	56.2	59.1	
39.2	30.2	31.8	31.2	31.3	
89.2	106.6	89.1	99.5	102.2	

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Board Members, Key Personnel and Consultants Year Ended December 31, 2023

Complete District mailing address: Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109

c/o Schwartz, Page & Harding, L.L.P. 1300 Post Oak Boulevard, Suite 2400

Houston, Texas 77056

District business telephone number: 713.623.4531

Submission date of the most recent District Registration Form

(TWC Sections 36.054 and 49.054): June 7, 2022

Limit on fees of office that a director may receive during a fiscal year: \$ 7,200

Board Members	Term of Office Elected & Expires		Fees*	Expense Reimbursements		Title at Year-end
Warren Carroll	Elected 05/20- 05/24	\$	4,823	\$	-	President
Victor Robson	Elected 05/20- 05/24		4,010		-	Vice President
Allen Schreiber	Elected 05/22- 05/26		5,652		1,159	Secretary
W. Kemp Culbreth, III	Appointed 01/22- 05/24		3,860		-	Assistant Secretary
William Lakin	Elected 05/22- 05/26		4,081		-	Assistant Secretary

^{*}Fees are the amounts actually paid to a director during the District's fiscal year from the District's general fund and the special revenue fund.

Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 109 Board Members, Key Personnel and Consultants (Continued) Year Ended December 31, 2023

Consultants	Date Hired	Title	
FORVIS, LLP	09/09/85	\$ 21,100 3,000	Auditor-WCID Auditor-STP
Harris Central Appraisal District	Legislative Action	13,433	Appraiser
Inframark, LLC	06/11/12	813,877 388,640	Operator-WCID Operator-STP
L&S District Services, LLC	11/09/92	21,452 4,295	Bookkeeper-WCID Bookkeeper-STP
Masterson Advisors LLC	05/14/18	-	Financial Advisor
Quiddity Engineering, LLC	01/14/02	783,289 277,023	Engineer-WCID Engineer-STP
Schwartz, Page & Harding, L.L.P.	08/17/76	115,093 -	General Counsel-WCID General Counsel-STP
Ted A. Cox, P.C.	04/08/96	12,302	Delinquent Tax Attorney
Wheeler & Associates, Inc.	11/21/77	64,608	Tax Assessor/ Collector
Investment Officer			
Debra R. Loggins	10/14/19	N/A	Bookkeeper