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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Village of Carlisle, Warren County, prepared by Perry & Associates, Certified Public Accountants, A.C., for the audit period January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The Village of Carlisle is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Dave Yost Auditor of State

August 30, 2017



BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

June 29, 2017

Village of Carlisle Warren County 760 Central Avenue Carlisle, Ohio 45005

To the Village Council:

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the **Village of Carlisle**, Warren County, Ohio (the Village), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Village's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for preparing and fairly presenting these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes designing, implementing, and maintaining internal control relevant to preparing and fairly presenting financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to opine on these financial statements based on our audit. We audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the financial audit standards in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require us to plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit requires obtaining evidence about financial statement amounts and disclosures. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including assessing the risks of material financial statement misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In assessing those risks, we consider internal control relevant to the Village's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not to the extent needed to opine on the effectiveness of the Village's internal control. Accordingly, we express no opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of management's accounting policies and the reasonableness of their significant accounting estimates, as well as our evaluation of the overall financial statement presentation.

We believe the audit evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to support our audit opinions.

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Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Village of Carlisle, Warren County, Ohio, as of December 31, 2016, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof and the respective budgetary comparisons for the General, Fire, Eagle Ridge TIF, Timber Ridge TIF and Police Services funds thereof for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require this presentation to include *Management's discussion and analysis* and schedules of net pension liabilities/net pension assets and pension contributions listed in the table of contents, to supplement the basic financial statements. Although this information is not part of the basic financial statements, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board considers it essential for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, consisting of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, to the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not opine or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to opine or provide any other assurance.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 29, 2017, on our consideration of the Village's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. That report describes the scope of our internal control testing over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing, and does not opine 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 Village's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Perry and Associates

Certified Public Accountants, A.C.

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Marietta, Ohio

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

The management's discussion and analysis of the Village of Carlisle's (the "Village") financial performance provides an overall review of the Village's financial activities for the year ended December 31, 2016. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Village's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the Village's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for 2016 are as follows:

- The total net position of the Village increased \$876,153. Net position of governmental activities increased \$591,814 or 10.43% from 2015 and net position of business-type activities increased \$284,339 or 5.46% from 2015.
- ➤ General revenues accounted for \$2,184,760 or 74.93% of total governmental activities revenue. Program specific revenues accounted for \$731,037 or 25.07% of total governmental activities revenue.
- ➤ The Village had \$2,323,983 in expenses related to governmental activities; \$731,037 of these expenses was offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. The remaining expenses of the governmental activities of \$1,592,946 were offset by general revenues (primarily income taxes, property taxes and unrestricted grants and entitlements) of \$2,184,760.
- The general fund had revenues of \$1,116,686 in 2016. This represents a decrease of \$42,794 from 2015. The expenditures and other financing uses of the general fund, which totaled \$830,564 in 2016, decreased \$130,905 from 2015. The net increase in fund balance for the general fund was \$286,122 or 32.54%.
- The fire fund had revenues of \$149,176 in 2016. The expenditures of the fire fund totaled \$113,242 in 2016. The net increase in fund balance for the fire fund was \$35,934 or 17.87%.
- ➤ The Eagle Ridge TIF fund had revenues of \$207,175 in 2016. The expenditures and other financing uses of the Eagle Ridge TIF fund totaled \$214,986 in 2016. The net decrease in fund balance for the Eagle Ridge TIF fund was \$7,811 or 37.65%.
- ➤ The Timber Ridge TIF fund had revenues and other financing sources of \$1,878,600 in 2016. The expenditures of the Timber Ridge TIF fund totaled \$1,956,072. The net decrease in fund balance for the Timber Ridge TIF fund was \$77,472 or 20.11%.
- The police services fund had revenues of \$376,764 in 2016. The expenditures of the police services fund totaled \$338,838. The net increase in fund balance for the police services fund was \$37,296 or 13.39%.
- Net position for the business-type activities, which are made up of the sewer, water and refuse enterprise funds, increased in 2016 by \$284,339. This increase in net position was due to revenues exceeding expenses.
- In the general fund, the actual revenues and other financing sources came in \$136,259 higher than they were in the final budget and actual expenditures were \$144,669 less than the final appropriations.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Using this Annual Financial Report

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to these statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand the Village as a financial whole, an entire operating entity. The statements then proceed to provide an increasingly detailed look at specific financial activities.

The statement of net position and statement of activities provide information about the activities of the Village as a whole, presenting both an aggregate view of the Village's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look at the Village's most significant funds with all other nonmajor funds presented in total in one column.

Reporting the Village as a Whole

Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains a large number of funds used by the Village to provide programs and activities, the view of the Village as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during 2016?" The statement of net position and the statement of activities answer this question. These statements include all assets and deferred outflows, liabilities and deferred inflows, revenues and expenses using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting will take into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the Village's *net position* and changes in net position. This change in net position is important because it tells the reader that, for the Village as a whole, the financial position of the Village has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. Non-financial factors include the Village's property tax base, current property tax laws in Ohio restricting revenue growth, facility conditions, required community programs and other factors.

In the statement of net position and the statement of activities, the Village is divided into two distinct kinds of activities:

Governmental activities - Most of the Village's programs and services are reported here including police, fire, street maintenance, capital improvements and general administration. These services are funded primarily by property and income taxes and intergovernmental revenues including federal and state grants and other shared revenues.

Business-type activities - These services are provided on a charge for goods or services basis to recover all or a significant portion of the expenses of the goods or services provided. The Village's sewer, water and refuse operations are reported here.

The Village's statement of net position and statement of activities can be found on pages 21-23 of this report

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Reporting the Village's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The Village, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the Village can be divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds.

Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the Village's major funds. The Village uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. However, these fund financial statements focuses on the Village's most significant funds. The analysis of the Village's major governmental and proprietary funds begins on page 13.

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of the governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, the readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The Village maintains a multitude of individual governmental funds. The Village has segregated these funds into major funds and nonmajor funds. The Village's major governmental funds are the general fund, fire fund, Eagle Ridge TIF fund, Timber Ridge TIF fund, and the police services fund. Information for major funds is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances. Data from the other governmental funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 24-35 of this report.

Proprietary Funds

The Village maintains one type of proprietary fund. Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. The Village uses enterprise funds to account for its sewer, water and refuse management functions. All of the Village's enterprise funds are considered major funds. The basic proprietary fund financial statements can be found on pages 36-38 of this report.

Fiduciary Funds

Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the Village. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statement because the resources of those funds are not available to support the Village's own programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds. An agency fund is the Village's only fiduciary fund type. The statement of fiduciary net position can be found on page 39.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. These notes to the basic financial statements can be found on pages 41-79 of this report.

Required Supplementary Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning the Village's net pension liability. The required supplementary information can be found on pages 81-87 of this report.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Government-Wide Financial Analysis

The table below provides a summary of the Village's net position at December 31, 2016 and 2015:

_	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities			Total					
		2016		2015	2016		2015		2016		2015
<u>Assets</u>											
Current assets	\$	3,789,809	\$	3,152,878	\$ 3,037,85	6	5 2,290,115	\$	6,827,665	\$	5,442,993
Capital assets, net		6,828,930		7,094,411	2,923,55	6	3,267,455	_	9,752,486		10,361,866
Total assets		10,618,739		10,247,289	5,961,41	2_	5,557,570		16,580,151		15,804,859
<u>Deferred outflows of resources</u>											
Pension		365,231		154,243	200,43	<u>5</u>	70,201		565,666		224,444
Total deferred											
outflows of resources		365,231		154,243	200,43	<u>5</u>	70,201		565,666		224,444
<u>Liabilities</u>											
Current liabilities		65,895		64,407	105,52	6	69,140		171,421		133,547
Long-term liabilies:											
Due within one year		1,723,553		1,868,414	46,34		8,887		1,769,894		1,877,301
Net pension liability		1,245,358		970,435	502,39		334,119		1,747,749		1,304,554
Other amounts		1,227,650	_	1,396,273	59	3	43		1,228,243		1,396,316
Total liabilities		4,262,456		4,299,529	654,85	1	412,189		4,917,307		4,711,718
Deferred inflows of resources											
Property taxes and PILOTs		446,164		424,640		-	-		446,164		424,640
Pension		10,141		3,968	12,94	4	5,869		23,085		9,837
Total deferred											
inflows of resources		456,305	_	428,608	12,94	<u>4</u> _	5,869	_	469,249		434,477
Net Position											
Net investment in capital assets		3,968,930		3,955,403	2,923,55	6	3,267,455		6,892,486		7,222,858
Restricted		1,271,706		921,700		-	-		1,271,706		921,700
Unrestricted		1,024,573		796,292	2,570,49	6	1,942,258		3,595,069		2,738,550
Total net position	\$	6,265,209	\$	5,673,395	\$ 5,494,05	2 9	5,209,713	\$	11,759,261	\$	10,883,108

During 2015, the Village adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions—an Amendment of GASB Statement 71" and GASB Statement 71, "Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date - An Amendment of GASB Statement No. 68" which significantly revises accounting for pension costs and liabilities. For reasons discussed below, many end users of this financial statement will gain a clearer understanding of the Village's actual financial condition by adding deferred inflows related to pension and the net pension liability to the reported net position and subtracting deferred outflows related to pension.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Governmental Accounting Standards Board standards are national and apply to all government financial reports prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. When accounting for pension costs, GASB 27 focused on a funding approach. This approach limited pension costs to contributions annually required by law, which may or may not be sufficient to fully fund each plan's *net pension liability*. GASB 68 takes an earnings approach to pension accounting; however, the nature of Ohio's statewide pension systems and state law governing those systems requires additional explanation in order to properly understand the information presented in these statements.

Under the new standards required by GASB 68, the net pension liability equals the Village's proportionate share of each plan's collective:

- 1. Present value of estimated future pension benefits attributable to active and inactive employees' past service
- 2. Minus plan assets available to pay these benefits

GASB notes that pension obligations, whether funded or unfunded, are part of the "employment exchange" – that is, the employee is trading his or her labor in exchange for wages, benefits, and the promise of a future pension. GASB noted that the unfunded portion of this pension promise is a present obligation of the government, part of a bargained-for benefit to the employee, and should accordingly be reported by the government as a liability since they received the benefit of the exchange. However, the Village is not responsible for certain key factors affecting the balance of this liability. In Ohio, the employee shares the obligation of funding pension benefits with the employer. Both employer and employee contribution rates are capped by State statute. A change in these caps requires action of both Houses of the General Assembly and approval of the Governor. Benefit provisions are also determined by State statute. The employee enters the employment exchange with the knowledge that the employer's promise is limited not by contract but by law. The employer enters the exchange also knowing that there is a specific, legal limit to its contribution to the pension system. In Ohio, there is no legal means to enforce the unfunded liability of the pension system as against the public employer. State law operates to mitigate/lessen the moral obligation of the public employer to the employee, because all parties enter the employment exchange with notice as to the law. The pension system is responsible for the administration of the plan.

Most long-term liabilities have set repayment schedules or, in the case of compensated absences (i.e. sick and vacation leave), are satisfied through paid time-off or termination payments. There is no repayment schedule for the net pension liability. As explained above, changes in pension benefits, contribution rates, and return on investments affect the balance of the net pension liability, but are outside the control of the local government. In the event that contributions, investment returns, and other changes are insufficient to keep up with required pension payments, State statute does not assign/identify the responsible party for the unfunded portion. Due to the unique nature of how the net pension liability is satisfied, this liability is separately identified within the long-term liability section of the statement of net position.

In accordance with GASB 68, the Village's statements prepared on an accrual basis of accounting include an annual pension expense for their proportionate share of each plan's *change* in net pension liability not accounted for as deferred inflows/outflows.

Over time, net position can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At December 31, 2016, the Village's assets and deferred outflows exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows by \$11,759,261. At year-end, net position was \$6,265,209 and \$5,494,052 for the governmental activities and the business-type activities, respectively.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Capital assets reported on the government-wide statements represent the largest portion of the Village's assets. At year-end, capital assets represented 64.31% of total assets. Capital assets include land, construction in progress, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment, vehicles and infrastructure. Net investment in capital assets at December 31, 2016, was \$3,968,930 and \$2,923,556 in the governmental activities and business-type activities, respectively. These capital assets are used to provide services to citizens and are not available for future spending. Although the Village's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources to repay the debt must be provided from other sources, since capital assets may not be used to liquidate these liabilities.

A portion of the Village's net position, \$1,271,706, represents resources that are subject to external restriction on how they may be used. In the governmental activities, the remaining balance of unrestricted net position is \$1,024,573.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

The table below shows the changes in net position for 2016 and 2015.

	Governmental Activities 2016	Business-type Activities 2016	Governmental Activities 2015	Business-type Activities 2015	2016 Total	2015 Total
Revenues						
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$ 289,179	\$ 2,385,776	\$ 281,301	\$ 2,738,078	\$ 2,674,955	\$ 3,019,379
Operating grants and contributions	431,518	9,000	680,505	-	440,518	680,505
Capital grants and contributions	10,340		66,232		10,340	66,232
Total program revenues	731,037	2,394,776	1,028,038	2,738,078	3,125,813	3,766,116
General revenues:						
Property taxes	191,825	-	188,224	-	191,825	188,224
Income taxes	1,241,837	-	907,992	-	1,241,837	907,992
Unrestricted grants and entitlements	169,048	-	110,265	-	169,048	110,265
Payment in lieu of taxes	552,820	-	526,497	-	552,820	526,497
Investment earnings	6,457	-	5,740	-	6,457	5,740
Gain on sale of capital asset	-	-	5,202	-	-	5,202
Miscellaneous	22,773		27,119		22,773	27,119
Total general revenues	2,184,760		1,771,039		2,184,760	1,771,039
Total revenues	2,915,797	2,394,776	2,799,077	2,738,078	5,310,573	5,537,155
Expenses:						
General government	838,308	-	814,487	-	838,308	814,487
Security of persons and property	836,123	-	776,745	-	836,123	776,745
Transportation	450,582	-	229,128	-	450,582	229,128
Community environment	113,004	-	134,446	-	113,004	134,446
Leisure time activity	13,285	-	12,368	-	13,285	12,368
Interest and fiscal charges	72,681	-	62,763	-	72,681	62,763
Sewer	-	1,173,169	-	1,904,728	1,173,169	1,904,728
Refuse	-	414,781	-	375,650	414,781	375,650
Water		522,487		517,561	522,487	517,561
Total expenses	2,323,983	2,110,437	2,029,937	2,797,939	4,434,420	4,827,876
Increase (decrease) in net position	591,814	284,339	769,140	(59,861)	876,153	709,279
Transfers	-	-	158,851	(158,851)	-	-
Change in net position	591,814	284,339	927,991	(218,712)	876,153	709,279
Net position at beginning of year	5,673,395	5,209,713	4,745,404	5,428,425	10,883,108	10,173,829
Net position at end of year	\$ 6,265,209	\$ 5,494,052	\$ 5,673,395	\$ 5,209,713	\$ 11,759,261	\$ 10,883,108

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Governmental Activities

Governmental activities net position increased \$591,814 in 2016.

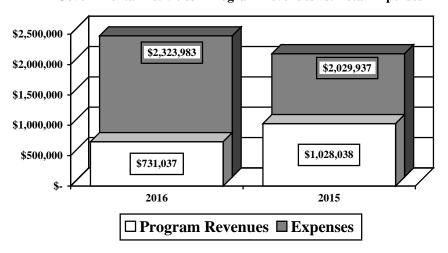
Security of persons and property which primarily supports the operation of police and fire services accounted for \$836,123 or 35.98% of the total expenses of the Village. General government expenses totaled \$838,308. General government expenses were partially funded by \$125,502 in direct charges to users of the services and operating grants and contributions of \$3,643.

The state and federal government contributed to the Village a total of \$431,518 in operating grants and contributions and capital grants and contributions of \$10,340. These revenues are restricted to a particular program or purpose.

General revenues totaled \$2,184,760, and amounted to 74.93% of total governmental revenues. These revenues primarily consist of property and income tax revenue of \$1,433,662. The other primary sources of general revenues are grants and entitlements not restricted to specific programs, including local government and local government revenue assistance, making up \$169,048 and payment in lieu of taxes of \$552,820.

The statement of activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. The following table shows, for governmental activities, the total cost of services and the net cost of services. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State grants and entitlements. As can be seen in the graph below, the Village is highly dependent upon general revenues (primarily property and income taxes as well as unrestricted grants and entitlements) to support its governmental activities as program revenues are not sufficient to cover total governmental expenses for 2016.

Governmental Activities - Program Revenues vs. Total Expenses



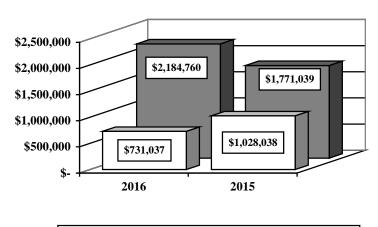
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Governmental Activities

	 otal Cost of Services 2016	_	let Cost of Services 2016	To	otal Cost of Services 2015	 et Cost of Services 2015
Program expenses:						
General government	\$ 838,308	\$	709,163	\$	814,487	\$ 641,878
Security of persons and property	836,123		835,873		776,745	775,636
Transportation	450,582		22,957		229,128	(383,456)
Community environment	113,004		(12,598)		134,446	(47,654)
Leisure time activity	13,285		13,285		12,368	4,719
Interest and fiscal charges	 72,681		24,266	_	62,763	 10,776
Total	\$ 2,323,983	\$	1,592,946	\$	2,029,937	\$ 1,001,899

The dependence upon general revenues for governmental activities is apparent, with 68.54% of expenses supported through taxes and other general revenues. The net cost of transportation activities changed largely due to a decrease in intergovernmental revenue received for the State Route 123 reconstruction project. The chart below illustrates the Village's program revenues versus general revenues for 2016 and 2015.

Governmental Activities - General and Program Revenues



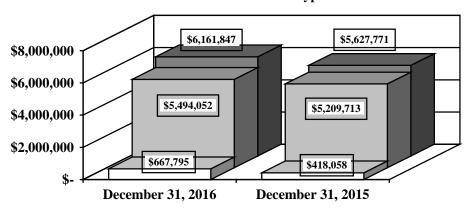
 \square Program Revenues \blacksquare General Revenues

Business-type Activities

Business-type activities include the sewer, water and refuse enterprise funds. These programs had program revenues of \$2,394,776, expenses of \$2,110,437 for 2016. The graph below shows the business-type activities assets, deferred outflows, liabilities, deferred inflows and net position at year-end.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Net Position in Business – Type Activities



☐ Liabilities and Deferred Inflows ☐ Net Position ☐ Assets and Deferred Outflows

Financial Analysis of the Government's Funds

As noted earlier, the Village uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds

The focus of the Village's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Village's financing requirements. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the Village's net resources available for spending at year-end.

The Village's governmental funds (as presented on the balance sheet on pages 24-25) reported a combined fund balance of \$2,947,181 which is \$486,573 higher than last year's balance of \$2,460,608.

The schedule below indicates the fund balances and the total change in fund balances as of December 31, 2016 and 2015 for all major and non-major governmental funds.

	Fund Balances 12/31/16	Fund Balances 12/31/15	Change	
Major funds:				
General	\$ 1,165,393	\$ 879,271	\$ 286,122	
Fire	237,001	201,067	35,934	
Eagle Ridge TIF	12,934	20,745	(7,811)	
Timber Ridge TIF	307,831	385,303	(77,472)	
Police	321,203	283,277	37,926	
Other nonmajor governmental funds	902,819	690,945	211,874	
Total	\$ 2,947,181	\$ 2,460,608	\$ 486,573	

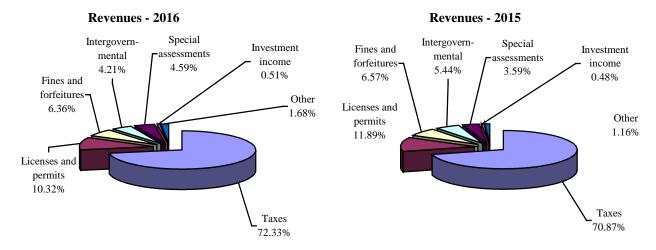
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

General Fund

The Village's general fund balance increased \$286,122. The table that follows assists in illustrating the revenues of the general fund.

	2016 Amount	2015 Amount	Percentage <u>Change</u>
Revenues			
Taxes	\$ 807,661	\$ 736,134	9.72 %
Licenses and permits	115,262	123,517	(6.68) %
Fines and forfeitures	71,004	68,226	4.07 %
Intergovernmental	47,061	56,648	(16.92) %
Special assessments	51,295	37,267	37.64 %
Investment income	5,692	4,970	14.53 %
Other	18,711	12,019	55.68 %
Total	\$ 1,116,686	<u>\$ 1,038,781</u>	7.50 %

Tax revenue represents 72.33% of all general fund revenue. Tax revenue increased 9.72% from prior year. This is due in particular to an increase in income tax revenues. Licenses and permits decreased 6.68% mainly due to a decrease in building permits. All other revenues remained comparable to 2015.

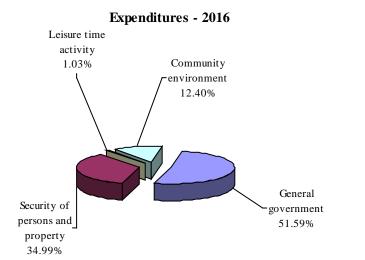


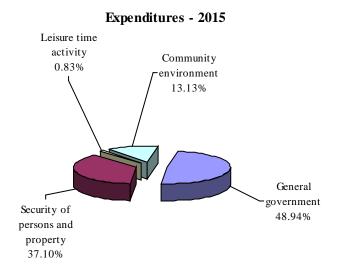
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

The table that follows assists in illustrating the expenditures of the general fund.

	2016 Amount	2015 Amount	Percentage <u>Change</u>	
Expenditures				
General government	\$ 402,654	\$ 421,580	(4.49) %	
Security of persons and property	273,101	319,631	(14.56) %	
Community environment	96,760	113,126	(14.47) %	
Leisure time activity	8,049	7,132	12.86 %	
Total	\$ 780,564	\$ 861,469	(9.39) %	

The Village decreased total expenditures by 9.39%. Other expenditures remained comparable from 2015 to 2016.





Fire Fund

The fire fund had revenues of \$149,176 in 2016. The expenditures of the fire fund totaled \$113,242 in 2016. The net increase in fund balance for the fire fund was \$35,934 or 17.87%.

Eagle Ridge TIF Fund

The Eagle Ridge TIF fund had revenues of \$207,175 in 2016. The expenditures and other financing uses of the Eagle Ridge TIF fund totaled \$214,986. The net decrease in fund balance for the Eagle Ridge TIF fund was \$7,811 or 37.65%.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Timber Ridge TIF Fund

The Timber Ridge TIF fund had revenues and other financing sources of \$1,878,600 in 2016. The expenditures of the Timber Ridge TIF fund totaled \$1,956,072 in 2016. The net decrease in fund balance for the Timber Ridge TIF fund was \$77,472 or 20.11%.

Police Services Fund

The police services fund had revenues of \$376,764 in 2016. The expenditures of the police services fund totaled \$338,838 in 2016. The net increase in fund balance for the police services fund was \$37,926 or 13.39%.

Budgeting Highlights

The Village's budgeting process is prescribed by the Ohio Revised Code (ORC). Essentially the budget is the Village's appropriations which are restricted by the amounts of anticipated revenues certified by the Budget Commission in accordance with the ORC. Therefore, the Village's plans or desires cannot be totally reflected in the original budget. If budgeted revenues are adjusted due to actual activity then the appropriations can be adjusted accordingly.

Budgetary information is presented for the general fund, fire fund, Eagle Ridge TIF, Timber Ridge TIF fund, and police services fund. In the general fund, the actual revenues and other financing sources came in \$52,565 higher than they were in the final budget and actual expenditures and other financing uses were \$136,259 more than the amount in the final budget.

Proprietary Funds

The Village's enterprise funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide financial statements for business-type activities, except in more detail. The Village has three major enterprise funds, the sewer fund, water fund, and refuse fund.

Sewer Fund

The sewer fund had operating revenues of \$1,306,316 in 2016. The operating expenses of the sewer fund, totaled \$1,173,169 in 2016. The net increase in net position for the sewer fund was \$133,147 or 3.75%.

Water Fund

The water fund had operating revenues of \$635,908 in 2016. The operating expenses of the water fund, totaled \$522,487 in 2016. The net increase in net position for the water fund was \$113,421 or 8.59%.

Refuse Fund

The refuse fund had operating and nonoperating revenues of \$452,552 in 2016. The operating expenses of the refuse fund totaled \$414,781 in 2016. The net increase in net position for the refuse fund was \$37,771 or 11.13%.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

At the end of 2016, the Village had \$9,752,487 (net of accumulated depreciation) invested in land, construction in progress, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment, vehicles, and infrastructure. Of this total, \$6,828,930 was reported in governmental activities and \$2,923,556 was reported in business-type activities. See Note 9 for further description of capital assets.

The following table shows December 31, 2016 balances compared to December 31, 2015:

Capital Assets at December 31, 2016 (Net of Depreciation)

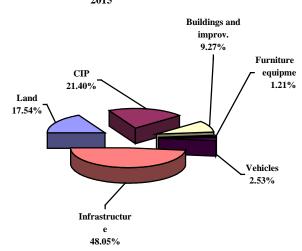
	Governmen	ntal Activities	Business-Ty	pe Activities	Total			
	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015		
Land	\$ 1,244,234	\$ 1,244,234	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,244,234	\$ 1,244,234		
Construction in progress	-	1,518,029	-	-	-	1,518,029		
Buildings and improvements	631,489	657,831	-	-	631,489	657,831		
Furniture and equipment	79,415	90,585	26,093	37,585	105,508	128,170		
Vehicles	128,839	179,334	33,612	43,215	162,451	222,549		
Infrastructure	4,744,953	3,404,398	2,863,851	3,186,655	7,608,804	6,591,053		
Totals	\$ 6,828,930	\$ 7,094,411	\$ 2,923,556	\$ 3,267,455	\$ 9,752,486	\$ 10,361,866		

The following graphs show the breakdown of governmental capital assets by category for 2016 and 2015

Capital Assets - Governmental Activities 2016

Buildings and improv. Land 9.25% Vehicles 1.89% Infrastructur e 69.48%

Capital Assets - Governmental Activities 2015



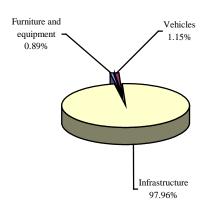
The Village's infrastructure is the largest capital asset category. The net book value of the Village's infrastructure represents approximately 69.48% of the Village's total governmental capital assets.

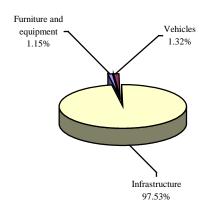
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

The following graphs show the breakdown of business-type capital assets by category for 2016 and 2015.

Capital Assets - Business-Type Activities 2016

Capital Assets - Business-Type Activities 2015





The Village's largest business-type capital asset category is infrastructure, which include water and sewer lines. These items play a vital role in the income producing ability of the business-type activities. The net book value of the Village's infrastructure (cost less accumulated depreciation) represents approximately 97.96% of the Village's total business-type capital assets.

Debt Administration

The Village had the following long-term obligations outstanding at December 31, 2016 and 2015:

Governmental Activities

	2016	2015
General obligation bonds and notes Special assessment bonds	\$ 2,860,000 66,603	\$ 3,134,000 111,545
Total long-term obligations	\$ 2,926,603	\$ 3,245,545

Further detail on the Village's long-term obligations can be found in Note 11 to the financial statements.

Economic Conditions and Outlook

Located in the northernmost corner of Warren County and spreading into southern Montgomery, Carlisle is a community with over 5,000 residents. It is conveniently located within driving distance of two major cities – Cincinnati (approx. 30 mi. south) and Dayton (approx. 15 mi. north). The area is served by both state and U.S. highways. State Route 123 travels through the heart of Carlisle with State Routes 4 and 73 being located just outside its borders and Interstate Route 75 is just three miles from the downtown area. Carlisle's early growth stemmed from the still active railroad community. This combination of geographical location and transportation convenience makes Carlisle an attractive site for both families and business alike. The 2010 census indicated that Carlisle had a population of 4,915 thus reverting back to "village" status. However, 2016 estimated figures from the US Census Bureau indicate that the community has grown to 5,259.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016 (UNAUDITED)

Although Carlisle is often thought of as a quiet bedroom community, the Village has taken active steps to secure its financial future by the development of two business parks within the village limits. The Carlisle Industrial Park has been an established industrial base providing an excellent location for numerous manufacturing and service industries. This park offers direct access to SR-123 as well as connection to the CSX railroad system. The Carlisle Business Park is a newer development that offers over 88 acres of gently rolling land which is an excellent site for manufacturing, warehousing, service business or office needs. Given the current economic climate, development of this shovel-ready business park has been slow. Two existing Carlisle businesses are in the midst of expanding their operations. One is located in the Carlisle Business Park and the other in the Carlisle Industrial Park. The Village continues to work with various agencies – both public and private – to market the economic development opportunities in Carlisle.

Despite the uncertainty surrounding the economy, the Village continues to carefully monitor two primary sources of revenue—local income taxes and shared intergovernmental (state) revenue. In order to stabilize the impact of the fluctuations in these revenue sources, Council continues to pursue economic development and job creation; maintain the community's reputation for high public safety standards; and adoption of a budget designed to promote long-term fiscal stability. In order to meet the objectives of the 2016 budget, the Village utilizes a basic philosophy to submit a budget to Council that balances the needs of the operation with the available revenue sources.

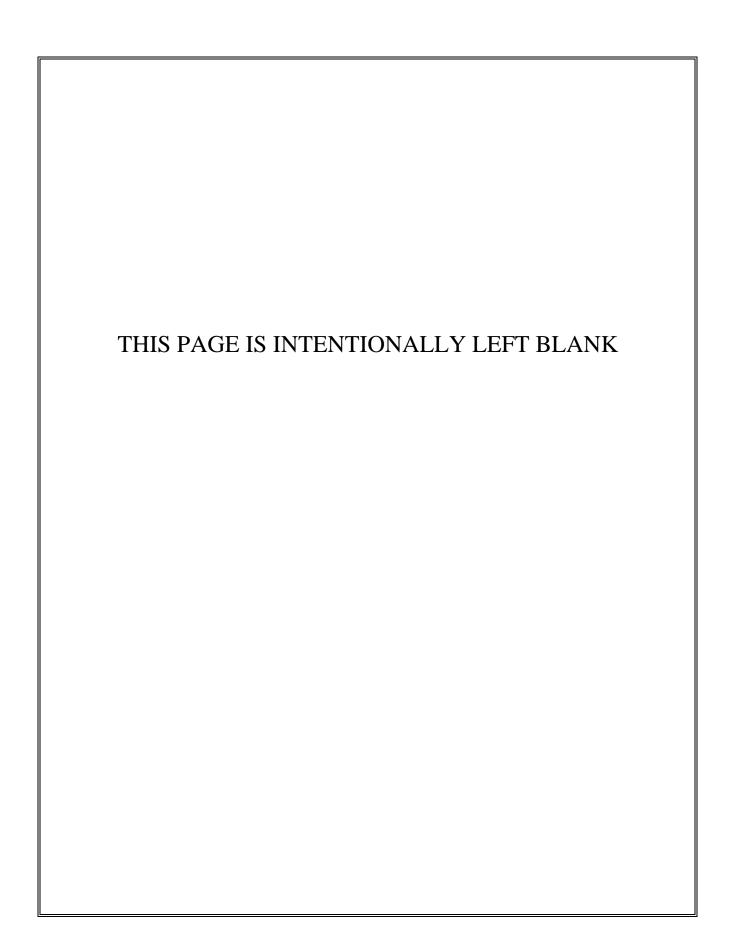
Local income tax collections for 2016 were up as compared to 2015 with an increase of 12.25% from the previous year. The Village's largest employer – the Carlisle Local School system – continues to show financial improvement after the passage of an operational levy in November 2012 and the passage of a new building levy in May 2017.

The Village continues to struggles to find ways to offset the previous funding reductions at both the State and Federal level as well as general downsizing in overall industry. However, the number of new residential housing has continued to increase in 2016 as compared to 2015 and 2014 indicating the continuing economic recovery for the area. The Village continues to prepare itself financially for future lean revenue years with minimal disruption in local services. Management and staff worked with Village Council to stabilize the village's enterprise funds by passing along sewer treatment and water acquisition increases from vendors to the public in late FY2013. In FY2015, the Village was unsuccessful at an attempt to raise the local income tax rate from 1.5% to 2% to help offset increased costs. Council and staff will continue to discuss other economic options in FY2017 to determine options to help insure the long-term financial stability of the village.

These economic factors were considered in preparing the Village's budget for fiscal year 2017. Budgeted revenues and other financing sources in the General Fund for fiscal year 2017 budget are \$1,087,525. The Village will continue conservative budgeting practices and will continue to look at long-term budget forecasts to make adequate plans to maintain solvency.

Contacting the Village's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the Village's finances and to show the Village's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information please contact: Julie Duffy, Finance Director, 760 West Central Avenue, Carlisle, Ohio 45005.



STATEMENT OF NET POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Assets:			
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents Receivables (net of allowances for uncollectibles):	\$ 2,765,158	\$ 2,854,510	\$ 5,619,668
Income taxes	309,841	-	309,841
Property and other taxes	194,562	_	194,562
Payment in lieu of taxes	263,500	_	263,500
Accounts	20,033	141,571	161,604
Special assessments	2,119	31,987	34,106
Due from other governments	203,252	25	203,277
Materials and supplies inventory	17,435	897	18,332
Prepayments	13,899	8,850	22,749
Net pension asset	10	16	26
Capital assets:			
Nondepreciable capital assets	1,244,234	-	1,244,234
Depreciable capital assets, net	5,584,696	2,923,556	8,508,252
Total capital assets, net	6,828,930	2,923,556	9,752,486
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Total assets	10,618,739	5,961,412	16,580,151
Deferred outflows of resources:			
Pension Ohio police and fire	249,785	-	249,785
Pension OPERS	115,446	200,435	315,881
Total deferred outflows of resources	365,231	200,435	565,666
Liabilities:	201	54	225
Accounts payable	281		335
Accrued wages and benefits payable	17,975	14,690	32,665
Due to other governments	14,853 32,786	90,782	105,635
Accrued interest payable	32,780	-	32,786
Due within one year	1,723,553	46,341	1,769,894
Due in more than one year:	1,723,333	40,541	1,709,094
Net pension liability	1,245,358	502,391	1,747,749
Other amounts due in more than one year	1,227,650	593	1,228,243
Total liabilities	4,262,456	654,851	4,917,307
	4,202,430	034,031	4,717,307
Deferred inflows of resources:	100 664		182.664
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year	182,664	-	,
Payment in lieu of taxes levied for the next fiscal year	263,500	-	263,500
Pension Ohio police and fire	2,685	12.044	2,685
Pension OPERS	7,456	12,944	20,400
Total deferred inflows of resources	456,305	12,944	469,249
Net position:			
Net investment in capital assets	3,968,930	2,923,556	6,892,486
Restricted for:			
Capital projects	26,920	-	26,920
Transportation projects	481,771	-	481,771
Public safety	738,265	-	738,265
Other purposes	24,750	-	24,750
Unrestricted	1,024,573	2,570,496	3,595,069
Total net position	\$ 6,265,209	\$ 5,494,052	\$ 11,759,261

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

					Progra	am Revenues												
	Expenses		Expenses		Expenses		Expenses		Expenses		Expenses		Charges for Services		Operating Grants and Contributions		Capital Grants and Contributions	
Governmental activities:				_				_										
General government	\$	838,308 836,123	\$	125,502	\$	3,643 250	\$	-										
Transportation		450,582		_		427,625		_										
Community environment		113,004		115,262		-		10,340										
Leisure time activity		13,285		-		_		, <u>-</u>										
Interest and fiscal charges		72,681		48,415														
Total governmental activities		2,323,983		289,179		431,518		10,340										
Business-type activities:																		
Sewer		1,173,169		1,306,316		-		-										
Water		522,487		635,908		-		-										
Refuse		414,781		443,552		9,000	-											
Total business-type activities		2,110,437		2,385,776		9,000												
Total primary government	\$	4,434,420	\$	2,674,955	\$	440,518	\$	10,340										
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Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position

Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	 Total
\$ (709,163)	\$ -	\$ (709,163)
(835,873)	_	(835,873)
(22,957)	_	(22,957)
12,598	_	12,598
(13,285)	_	(13,285)
(24,266)		 (24,266)
(1,592,946)		 (1,592,946)
_	133,147	133,147
_	113,421	113,421
	37,771	 37,771
<u>-</u>	284,339	 284,339
(1,592,946)	284,339	 (1,308,607)
63,373	-	63,373
128,452	-	128,452
827,504	-	827,504
414,333	-	414,333
169,048	-	169,048
552,820	-	552,820
6,457	-	6,457
22,773		 22,773
2,184,760		 2,184,760
591,814	284,339	876,153
5,673,395	5,209,713	10,883,108
\$ 6,265,209	\$ 5,494,052	\$ 11,759,261

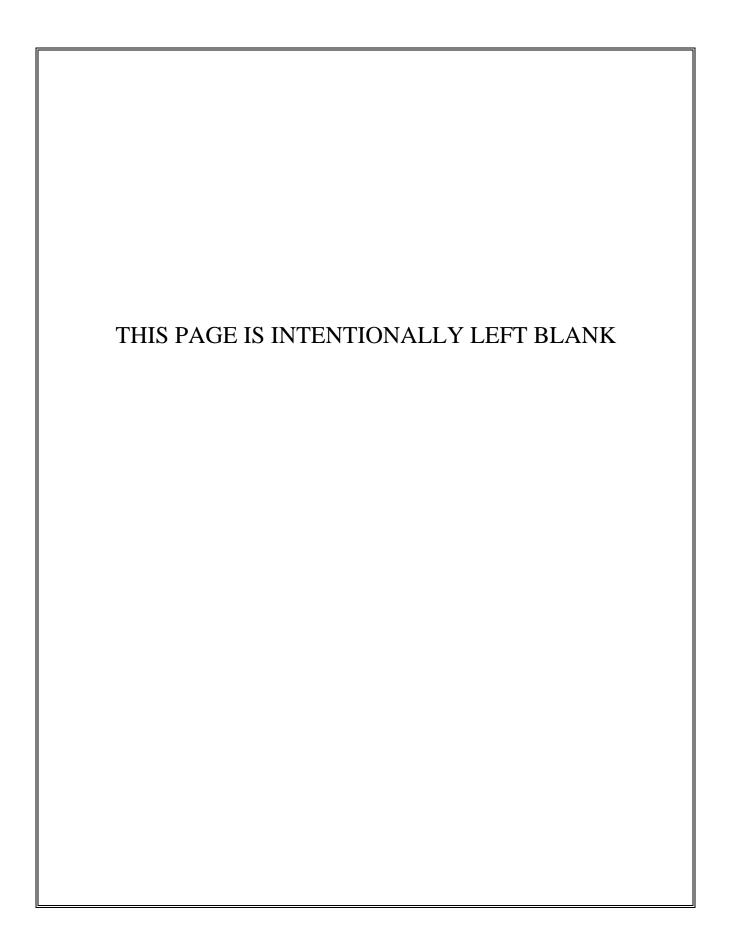
BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2016

		General		Fire	Ea	igle Ridge TIF	Tin	iber Ridge TIF
Assets:	¢.	004.024	ф	005 654	¢.	12.024	¢.	207.021
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents Receivables:	\$	994,934	\$	235,654	\$	12,934	\$	307,831
Income taxes		206,561		-		-		-
Property and other taxes		64,003		130,559		-		-
Payment in lieu of taxes		-		-		83,218		170,164
Accounts		19,833		-		-		-
Special assessments		2,119		-		-		-
Interfund loans		70,000		-		-		-
Due from other governments		18,969		10,751		16,325		33,382
Materials and supplies inventory		3,221		299		_		_
Prepayments		8,539		1,640				
Total assets	\$	1,388,179	\$	378,903	\$	112,477	\$	511,377
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable	\$	178	\$	98	\$	-	\$	_
Accrued wages and benefits		8,227		-		-		_
Compensated absences payable		2,836		-		-		-
Due to other governments		8,257		497		-		-
Interfund loans payable								
Total liabilities		19,498		595				
Deferred inflows of resources:								
Property taxes levied for the next fiscal year		60,160		122,504		-		-
Delinquent property tax revenue not available		3,843		8,055		_		_
Special assessments revenue not available		2,119		-		_		_
Income tax revenue not available		123,946		_		_		_
Other nonexchange transactions not available		13,220		10,748		16,325		33,382
Payment in lieu of taxes		-		-		83,218		170,164
Total deferred inflows of resources		203,288		141,307		99,543		203,546
Fund balances:								
Nonspendable		11,760		1,939		_		_
Restricted		-		235,062		12,934		307,831
Committed		_		233,002		12,73		-
Assigned.		4,805		_		_		-
Unassigned (deficit)		1,148,828		-				
Total fund balances		1,165,393		237,001		12,934		307,831
Total liabilities, deferred inflows								
of resources and fund balances	\$	1,388,179	\$	378,903	\$	112,477	\$	511,377

Polic	e Services	Go	Other vernmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds		
\$	290,901	\$	922,904	\$	2,765,158	
	103,280		-		309,841	
	-		-		194,562	
	-		10,118		263,500	
	-		200		20,033	
	-		-		2,119	
	-		-		70,000	
	12		123,813		203,252	
	-		13,915		17,435	
	2,754		966		13,899	
\$	396,947	\$	1,071,916	\$	3,859,799	
\$	4	\$	1	\$	281	
	8,495		1,253		17,975	
	-		3,509		6,345	
	5,273		826	14,85		
	-		70,000		70,000	
	13,772		75,589		109,454	
	-		-		182,664	
	-		-		11,898	
	-		-		2,119	
	61,972		-		185,918	
	-		83,390		157,065	
	-		10,118		263,500	
	61,972	-	93,508	-	803,164	
	2,754		14,881		31,334	
	318,449		626,464		1,500,740	
	-		331,468		331,468	
	-		-	4,80		
			(69,994)		1,078,834	
	321,203		902,819		2,947,181	
\$	396,947	\$	1,071,916	\$	3,859,799	

RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES TO NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DECEMBER 31, 2016

Total governmental fund balances		\$	2,947,181
Amounts reported for governmental activities on the			
statement of net position are different because:			
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources			
and therefore are not reported in the funds.			6,828,930
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current period			
expenditures and therefore are deferred inflows in the funds.			
Income taxes receivable	\$ 185,918		
Property taxes receivable	11,898		
Special assessments receivable	2,119		
Intergovernmental receivable	 157,065		
Total			357,000
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and			
therefore are not reported in the funds. The long-term liabilities			
are as follows:			
Accrued interest payable	(32,786)		
Special assessment bonds	(66,603)		
General obligation bonds	(185,000)		
General obligation notes	(2,675,000)		
Compensated absences	(18,255)		
			(2,977,644)
The net pension liability is not due and payable in the current period;			
therefore, liability and related deferred inflows are not reported			
in governmental funds.			
Net pension asset	10		
Deferred outflows	365,231		
Deferred inflows	(10,141)		
Net pension liability	 (1,245,358)		(900.259)
		-	(890,258)
Net position of governmental activities		\$	6,265,209



STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	General		Fire	Ea	gle Ridge TIF	Tiı	mber Ridge TIF
Revenues:	_				_		_
Income taxes	\$ 744,915	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Property and other taxes	62,746		127,163		-		-
Licenses and permits	115,262		-		-		-
Fines and forfeitures	71,004		-		-		-
Intergovernmental	47,061		21,760		30,930		60,136
Special assessments	51,295		-		-		-
Investment income	5,692		-		-		-
Payment in lieu of taxes	-		-		176,245		343,464
Other	 18,711		253				
Total revenues	 1,116,686		149,176		207,175		403,600
Expenditures:							
Current:							
General government	402,654		-		129,986		253,226
Security of persons and property	273,101		113,242		-		-
Transportation	-		-		-		-
Community environment	96,760		-		-		-
Leisure time activity	8,049		-		-		-
Capital outlay	-		-		-		76,519
Debt service:							
Principal retirement	-		-		-		1,600,000
Interest and fiscal charges	 				-		26,327
Total expenditures	 780,564		113,242		129,986		1,956,072
Excess (deficiency) of revenues							
over (under) expenditures	 336,122		35,934		77,189		(1,552,472)
Other financing sources (uses):							
Note issuance	-		-		-		1,475,000
Transfers in	-		-		-		-
Transfers (out)	(50,000)		-		(85,000)		-
Total other financing sources (uses)	 (50,000)		-		(85,000)		1,475,000
Net change in fund balances	286,122		35,934		(7,811)		(77,472)
Fund balances at beginning of year	879,271	_	201,067		20,745		385,303
Fund balances at end of year	\$ 1,165,393	\$	237,001	\$	12,934	\$	307,831

_ Poli	ce Services	G	Other overnmental Funds	Ge	Total overnmental Funds
\$	373,038	\$	_	\$	1,117,953
-	-	-	_	-	189,909
	-		432		115,694
	-		2,552		73,556
	-		430,522		590,409
	-		-		51,295
	-		765		6,457
	-		33,111		552,820
	3,726		64,115		86,805
	376,764		531,497		2,784,898
	-		20,166		806,032
	338,838		-		725,181
	-		180,663		180,663
	-		17,421		114,181
	-		-		8,049
	-		-		76,519
	-		1,393,942		2,993,942
	-		42,431		68,758
	338,838		1,654,623		4,973,325
	37,926		(1,123,126)		(2,188,427)
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	-		1,200,000		2,675,000
	-		135,000		135,000
			1 225 000		(135,000)
			1,335,000		2,675,000
	37,926		211,874		486,573
	283,277		690,945		2,460,608
\$	321,203	\$	902,819	\$	2,947,181

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds		\$ 486,573
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the		
statement of activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However,		
in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated		
over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the		
amount by which capital outlay exceeded depreciation expense		
in the current period.		
Capital asset additions	\$ 67,349	
Current year depreciation	 (332,830)	
Total		(265,481)
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current		
financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.		
Income taxes	123,884	
Property taxes	1,913	
Special assessments	651	
Intergovernmental revenues	 4,451	
Total		130,899
The issuance of notes provides current financial resources to		
governmental funds, but issuing debt increases long-term liabilities		
on the statement of net position.		(2,675,000)
Repayment of bond and note proceeds is an expenditure in the governmental		
funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities on the statement		
of net position.		2,993,942
In the statement of activities, interest is accrued on outstanding bonds,		
whereas in governmental funds, an interest expenditure is reported		
when due.		(3,923)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, such as		
compensated absences, do not require the use of current		
financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures		
in governmental funds.		(5,098)
Contractually required pension contributions are reported as expenditures in		
governmental funds; however, the statement of activities reports these amounts		
as deferred outflows.		94,894
Except for amounts reported as deferred inflows/outflows, changes in the net		
pension liability are reported as pension expense in the statement of activities.		 (164,992)
Change in net position of governmental activities		\$ 591,814

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) GENERAL FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts						Fin	iance with al Budget Positive
	(Original		Final		Actual	(Negative)	
Revenues:								
Income taxes	\$	655,000	\$	655,000	\$	738,410	\$	83,410
Property and other taxes		62,000		62,000		62,746		746
Licenses and permits		93,250		93,250		116,540		23,290
Fines and forfeitures		61,500		61,500		68,903		7,403
Intergovernmental		42,685		42,685		46,717		4,032
Special assessments		50,300		50,300		51,295		995
Investment income		2,000		2,000		5,692		3,692
Other		6,000		6,000		18,691		12,691
Total revenues		972,735		972,735		1,108,994		136,259
Expenditures: Current:								
General government		435,679		463,757		406,898		56,859
Security of persons and property		372,710		339,607		268,194		71,413
Community environment		106,240		112,065		98,819		13,246
Leisure time activity		11,000		11,000		7,849		3,151
Total expenditures		925,629		926,429		781,760		144,669
Excess of revenues								
over expenditures		47,106		46,306		327,234		280,928
Other financing (uses):								
Transfers (out)		(50,000)		(50,000)		(50,000)		-
Total other financing (uses)		(50,000)		(50,000)		(50,000)		-
Net change in fund balances		(2,894)		(3,694)		277,234		280,928
Fund balances at beginning of year		704,291		704,291		704,291		-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		8,554		8,554		8,554		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	709,951	\$	709,151	\$	990,079	\$	280,928

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) FIRE FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts						Variance with Final Budget Positive	
	(Original		Final		Actual		egative)
Revenues:								
Property and other taxes	\$	127,441	\$	127,441	\$	127,163	\$	(278)
Intergovernmental		21,808		21,808		21,760		(48)
Other		251		251		250		(1)
Total revenues		149,500		149,500		149,173		(327)
Expenditures:								
Current:								
Security of persons and property		157,169		157,169		117,831		39,338
Total expenditures		157,169		157,169		117,831		39,338
Net change in fund balances		(7,669)		(7,669)		31,342		39,011
Fund balances at beginning of year		191,897		191,897		191,897		-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		9,744		9,744		9,744		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	193,972	\$	193,972	\$	232,983	\$	39,011

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) EAGLE RIDGE TIF FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts						Fina	ance with l Budget ositive
	Original			Final		Actual	(Negative)	
Revenues:							-	
Intergovernmental	\$	29,187	\$	29,187	\$	30,930	\$	1,743
Payment in lieu of taxes		166,313		166,313		176,245		9,932
Total revenues		195,500		195,500		207,175		11,675
Expenditures:								
Current:								
General government		206,210		130,210		129,986		224
Total expenditures		206,210		130,210		129,986		224
Excess (deficiency) of revenues								
over (under) expenditures		(10,710)		65,290		77,189		11,899
Other financing uses:								
Transfers (out)		-		(85,000)		(85,000)		_
Total other financing uses		-		(85,000)		(85,000)		
Net change in fund balances		(10,710)		(19,710)		(7,811)		11,899
Fund balances at beginning of year		20,745		20,745		20,745		-
Fund balance at end of year	\$	10,035	\$	1,035	\$	12,934	\$	11,899

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) TIMBER RIDGE TIF FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

		Budgeted	Amo	unts		Fin	riance with nal Budget Positive
	(Original		Final	Actual		Negative)
Revenues:							
Intergovernmental	\$	59,520	\$	277,044	\$ 60,136	\$	(216,908)
Payment in lieu of taxes		339,948		442,325	 343,464		(98,861)
Total revenues		399,468		719,369	403,600		(315,769)
Expenditures:							
Current:							
General government		311,416		293,240	253,226		40,014
Capital outlay		87,715		107,392	81,527		25,865
Debt service:							
Principal retirement		1,600,000		1,600,000	1,600,000		-
Interest and fiscal charges		26,500		26,500	 26,327		173
Total expenditures		2,025,631		2,027,132	 1,961,080		66,052
Deficiency of revenues							
under expenditures		(1,626,163)		(1,307,763)	 (1,557,480)		(249,717)
Other financing sources:							
Note issuance		1,459,901		1,140,000	 1,475,000		335,000
Total other financing sources		1,459,901		1,140,000	1,475,000		335,000
Net change in fund balances		(166,262)		(167,763)	(82,480)		85,283
Fund balances at beginning of year		271,880		271,880	271,880		-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		118,431		118,431	 118,431		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	224,049	\$	222,548	\$ 307,831	\$	85,283

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) POLICE SERVICES FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts						Fin	Variance with Final Budget Positive	
	Original			Final	Actual		(Negative)		
Revenues:									
Income taxes	\$	328,343	\$	328,343	\$	369,785	\$	41,442	
Other		2,312		2,312		2,604		292	
Total revenues		330,655		330,655		372,389	-	41,734	
Expenditures:									
Current:									
Security of persons and property		328,565		362,065		334,333		27,732	
Total expenditures		328,565		362,065		334,333		27,732	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues									
over (under) expenditures		2,090		(31,410)		38,056		69,466	
Other financing sources:									
Sale of capital assets		1,900		1,900		1,110		(790)	
Total other financing sources		1,900		1,900		1,110		(790)	
Net change in fund balances		3,990		(29,510)		39,166		68,676	
Fund balances at beginning of year		251,006		251,006		251,006		-	
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		725		725		725			
Fund balance at end of year	\$	255,721	\$	222,221	\$	290,897	\$	68,676	

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2016

Business-type A		

	Sewer	Water		Refuse	Total
Assets:					
Current assets:					
Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents Receivables (net of allowance for uncollectibles):	\$ 1,785,145	\$ 657,	761 \$	411,604	\$ 2,854,510
Accounts	79,733	31,	455	30,383	141,571
Special assessments	29,600		-	2,387	31,987
Due from other governments	16		4	5	25
Materials and supplies inventory	800		-	97	897
Prepayments	5,509	2,	129	1,212	8,850
Net pension asset	10		3	3	 16
Total current assets	1,900,813	691,	352	445,691	 3,037,856
Noncurrent assets:					
Capital assets:					
Total depreciable capital assets, net	2,102,974	812,		8,003	 2,923,556
Total capital assets, net	2,102,974	812,	579	8,003	 2,923,556
Total assets	4,003,787	1,503,9	931	453,694	 5,961,412
Deferred outflows of resources:					
Pension - OPERS	124,790	36,	782	38,863	 200,435
Liabilities:					
Current liabilities:					
Accounts payable	50		2	2	54
Accrued wages and benefits	9,423	2,	658	2,609	14,690
Compensated absences	27,779		422	11,140	46,341
Due to other governments	87,185		797	1,800	 90,782
Total current liabilities	124,437	11,	879	15,551	 151,867
Long-term liabilities:					
Compensated absences	503		18	72	593
Net pension liability	312,785	92,	195	97,411	 502,391
Total long-term liabilities	313,288	92,	213	97,483	 502,984
Total liabilities	437,725	104,	092	113,034	 654,851
Deferred inflows of resources:					
Pension - OPERS	8,059		375	2,510	 12,944
Total liabilities and deferred inflows of resources.	445,784	106,	467	115,544	 667,795
Net position:					
Net investment in capital assets	2,102,974	812,	579	8,003	2,923,556
Unrestricted	1,579,819	621,		369,010	 2,570,496
Total net position	\$ 3,682,793	\$ 1,434,	246 \$	377,013	\$ 5,494,052

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Business-type Activities - Enterprise Funds

		Sewer	 Water	Refuse	 Total
Operating revenues:		_	 		_
Charges for services	\$	1,260,772	\$ 595,391	\$ 443,284	\$ 2,299,447
Tap-in fees		41,663	31,113	-	72,776
Other		3,881	 9,404	 268	 13,553
Total operating revenues		1,306,316	 635,908	 443,552	 2,385,776
Operating expenses:					
Personal services		444,877	94,850	120,026	659,753
Contract services		426,340	366,824	287,238	1,080,402
Materials and supplies		16,200	6,435	866	23,501
Transportation		2,080	375	230	2,685
Depreciation		283,582	53,916	6,401	343,899
Other		90	87	 20	 197
Total operating expenses	-	1,173,169	 522,487	 414,781	 2,110,437
Operating income		133,147	 113,421	 28,771	 275,339
Nonoperating revenues:					
Intergovernmental		-	-	9,000	9,000
Total nonoperating revenues			-	 9,000	9,000
Change in net position		133,147	113,421	37,771	284,339
Net position at beginning of year		3,549,646	 1,320,825	 339,242	 5,209,713
Net position at end of year	\$	3,682,793	\$ 1,434,246	\$ 377,013	\$ 5,494,052

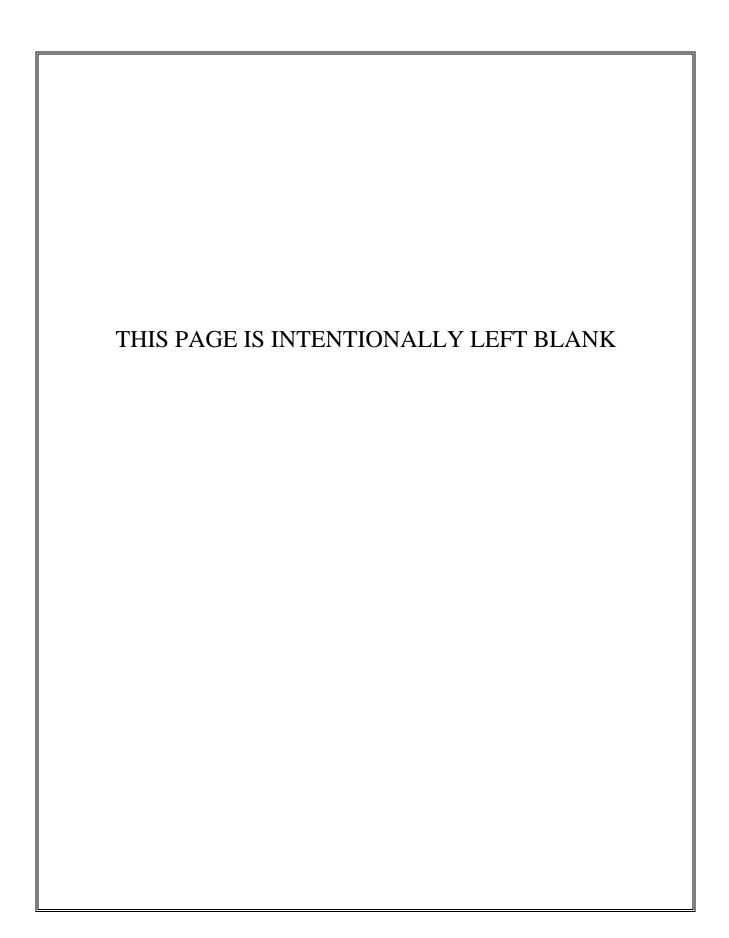
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Business-type Activities - Enterprise Funds

			Justine	ss-type Activity	ics - L	anter prise rund		
		Sewer		Water		Refuse		Total
Cash flows from operating activities:		_		_		_		
Cash received from customers	\$	1,255,978	\$	610,811	\$	433,083	\$	2,299,872
Cash received from other operations		3,865		9,400		263		13,528
Cash payments for personal services		(340,125)		(101,786)		(98,355)		(540,266)
Cash payments for contractual services		(425,786)		(366,879)		(287,059)		(1,079,724)
Cash payments for materials and supplies		(16,211)		(6,435)		(869)		(23,515)
Cash payments for transportation		(2,080)		(375)		(230)		(2,685)
Cash payments for other expenses		(90)		(87)		(20)		(197)
Net cash provided by operating activities		475,551		144,649		46,813		667,013
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:								
Cash received from grants						9,000		9,000
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities						9,000		9,000
Net increase in cash and								
cash equivalents		475,551		144,649		55,813		676,013
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		1,309,594		513,112		355,791		2,178,497
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	1,785,145	\$	657,761	\$	411,604	\$	2,854,510
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash provided by operating activities:								
Operating income	\$	133,147	\$	113,421	\$	28,771	\$	275,339
Adjustments:								
Depreciation		283,582		53,916		6,401		343,899
Changes in assets, deferred outlfows,								
liabilities, and deferred inflows:		(1.1)		(55)		(2)		(60)
Materials and supplies inventory		(11)		(55)		(3)		(69)
Accounts receivable		(37,245)		(15,693)		(9,295)		(62,233)
Special assessments	•	(9,212)		-		(906)		(10,118)
Prepayments		554		- (4)		179		733
Decrease in due from other governments		(16)		(4)		(5)		(25)
Deferred outflows - OPERS		(80,188)		(23,837)		(26,209)		(130,234)
Accounts payable		(25,561)		2		-		(25,559)
Accrued wages and benefits		1,330		322		288		1,940
Due to other governments		81,282		(21,315)		38		60,005
Compensated absences payable		23,066		6,017		8,921		38,004
Net pension liability		100,503		30,585		37,184		168,272
Net pension asset		(10)		(3)		(3)		(16)
Deferred inflows - OPERS		4,330	•	1,293	•	1,452	•	7,075
wet cash provided by operating activities	\$	475,551	\$	144,649	\$	46,813	\$	667,013

STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES FIDUCIARY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2016

	A	gency
Assets: Cash in segregated accounts	\$	9,401
Total assets	\$	9,401
Liabilities: Undistributed monies	\$	9,401
Total liabilities	\$	9,401



NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF THE VILLAGE

The Village of Carlisle, Warren County, Ohio (the "Village"), is a body corporate and politic established to exercise the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of the State of Ohio. The Village is directed by a publicly-elected Mayor and six-member Council. The Village provides water and sewer utilities, park operations, police services and a planning and zoning department. The Village contracts with the Franklin Township Fire Department to provide fire services.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic financial statements (BFS) of the Village have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to local governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial principles. The Village's significant accounting policies are described below.

A. Reporting Entity

The Village's reporting entity has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity", and as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, "Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units". The Village's BFS include all funds, agencies, boards, commissions, and departments for which the Village is financially accountable. Financial accountability, as defined by the GASB, exists if the Village appoints a voting majority of an organization's Governing Board and is either able to impose its will on that organization or there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific burdens on, the Village. The Village may also be financially accountable for governmental organizations with a separately elected Governing Board, a Governing Board appointed by another government, or a jointly appointed Board that is fiscally dependent on the Village. The Village also took into consideration other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the Village are such that exclusion would cause the Village's basic financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

The Village provides various services including fire protection and prevention, water and sewer services, street maintenance and repairs, planning and zoning, building inspection, parks and recreation, refuse collection and general administrative services. The operation of each of these activities is directly controlled by the Council through the budgetary process. None of these services are provided by a legally separate organization; therefore, these operations are included in the primary government.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the Village is financially accountable. The Village is financially accountable for an organization if the Village appoints a voting majority of the organization's Governing Board and (1) the Village is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the Village is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; or (3) the Village is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or (4) the Village is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the Village in that the Village approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. Based upon the application of these criteria, the Village has no component units. The basic financial statements of the reporting entity include only those of the Village (the primary government).

B. Basis of Presentation - Fund Accounting

The Village's BFS consists of government-wide statements, including a statement of net position and a statement of activities, and fund financial statements which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

Government-wide Financial Statements - The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the Village as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds. The statements distinguish between those activities of the Village that are governmental and those that are considered business-type activities.

The statement of net position presents the financial condition of the governmental and business-type activities of the Village at year end. The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each program or function of the Village's governmental activities and for the business-type activities of the Village. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program, grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program and interest earned on grants that is required to be used to support a particular program. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the Village, with certain limited exceptions. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each business segment or governmental functions are self-financing or draw from the general revenues of the Village.

Fund Financial Statements - During the year, the Village segregates transactions related to certain Village functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the Village at this more detailed level. The focus of governmental and enterprise fund financial statements is on major funds. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column. Fiduciary funds are reported by type.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operation. The principal operating revenues of the Village's proprietary funds are charges for sales and services. Operating expenses for the enterprise fund include personnel and other expenses related to sewer, water and refuse operations. All revenues and expenses not meeting these definitions are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

C. Fund Accounting

The Village uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self balancing set of accounts. There are three categories of funds: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary.

Governmental Funds - Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. Governmental fund reporting focuses on the sources, uses and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purposes for which they may or must be used. Current liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be paid. The difference between governmental fund assets and deferred outflows and liabilities and deferred inflows is reported as fund balance. The following are the Village's major governmental funds:

<u>General fund</u> - The general fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund. The general fund balance is available for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio.

<u>Fire fund</u> - The fire fund receives money from property taxes restricted to providing and improving fire services in the Village.

<u>Eagle ridge TIF fund</u> - The eagle ridge TIF fund receives payments in lieu of taxes and money from real estate taxes that is restricted.

<u>Timber ridge TIF fund</u> - The timber ridge TIF fund receives payments in lieu of taxes and money from real estate taxes that is restricted.

<u>Police services fund</u> - The police services fund receives money that is restricted from income taxes to provide and improve police services in the Village.

Other governmental funds of the Village are used to account for (a) financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditures for capital outlays including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets, (b) specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to an expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects and (c) financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for principal and interest.

Proprietary Funds - Proprietary fund reporting focuses on changes in net position, financial position and cash flows. Proprietary funds are classified as either enterprise or internal service. The Village does not have any internal services funds. The enterprise funds may be used to account for any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services. The following are the Village's major enterprise funds:

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

<u>Sewer fund</u> - This fund accounts for the provision of sanitary sewer service to the residents and commercial users located within the Village.

<u>Water fund</u> - This fund accounts for the operations of providing water treatment and distribution to the residents and commercial users located within the Village.

<u>Refuse fund</u> - This fund accounts for the operations of providing refuse removal to its residential and commercial users located within the Village.

Fiduciary Funds - Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net position and changes in net position. The fiduciary fund category is split into four classifications: pension trust funds, investment trust funds, private-purpose trust funds and agency funds. Trust funds are used to account for assets held by the Village under a trust agreement for individuals, private organizations, or other governments and are therefore not available to support the Village's own programs. The Village does not have any trust funds. The Village's only agency fund accounts for monies collected and distributed for court fines and forfeitures. Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations.

D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Government-wide Financial Statements - The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets, all deferred outflows, all liabilities and all deferred inflows associated with the operation of the Village are included on the statement of net position.

Fund Financial Statements - All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets, current deferred outflows, current liabilities and current deferred inflows generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances reports on the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources. This approach differs from the manner in which the governmental activities of the government-wide financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements therefore include a reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the financial statements for governmental funds.

Like the government-wide statements, all proprietary funds are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. All assets, deferred outflows, liabilities and deferred inflows associated with the operation of these funds are included on the statement of net position. The statement of changes in fund net position presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in total net position. The statement of cash flows provides information about how the Village finances and meets the cash flow needs of its proprietary activities

Agency funds do not report a measurement focus as they do not report operations.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

E. Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Proprietary and fiduciary funds also use the accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of deferred revenue and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

Revenues - Exchange and Nonexchange Transactions - Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current year. For the Village, available means expected to be received within sixty days of year end.

Nonexchange transactions, in which the Village receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include income taxes, property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from income taxes is recognized in the period in which the income is earned (See Note 8). Revenue from property taxes is recognized in the year for which the taxes are levied (See Note 6). Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the Village must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the Village on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from nonexchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at year end: income tax, State-levied locally shared taxes (including gasoline tax, local government funds and permissive tax), and special assessments.

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources - In addition to assets, the government-wide statement of net position will report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. Deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. For the Village, See Note 13 for deferred outflows of resources related the Village's net pension liability.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

In addition to liabilities, both the government-wide statement of net position and the governmental fund financial statements report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. For the Village, deferred inflows of resources include property taxes, payments in lieu of taxes and unavailable revenue. Property taxes and payments in lieu of taxes represent amounts for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of December 31, 2016, but which were levied to finance 2017 operations. These amounts have been recorded as a deferred inflow of resources on both the government-wide statement of net position and the governmental fund financial statements. Unavailable revenue is reported only on the governmental funds balance sheet, and represents receivables which will not be collected within the available period. For the Village, unavailable revenue includes, but is not limited to, income taxes, delinquent property taxes and intergovernmental grants. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period the amounts become available.

For the Village, See Note 13 for deferred inflows of resources related to the Village's net pension liability. This deferred inflow of resources is only reported on the government-wide statement of net position.

Expenses/Expenditures - On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred.

The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in governmental funds.

F. Budgetary Data

The budgetary process is prescribed by provisions of the Ohio Revised Code and entails the preparation of budgetary documents within an established timetable. The major documents prepared are the tax budget, the certificate of estimated resources and the appropriations resolution, all of which are prepared on the budgetary basis of accounting. The certificate of estimated resources and the appropriations ordinance are subject to amendment throughout the year with the legal restriction that appropriations cannot exceed estimated resources, as certified. All funds, other than agency funds, are required to be budgeted and appropriated. The legal level of budgetary control is at the object level for all funds. Budgetary modifications may only be made by resolution of the Village Council at the legal level of control.

Tax Budget - During the first Council meeting in July, the Mayor presents the following year's annual operating budget to Village Council for consideration and passage. The adopted budget is submitted to the County Auditor, as Secretary of the County Budget Commission, by July 20 of each year, for the period January 1 to December 31 of the following year.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

Estimated Resources - The County Budget Commission determines if the budget substantiates a need to levy all or part of previously authorized taxes and reviews estimated revenue. The Commission certifies its actions to the Village by September 1. As part of this certification, the Village receives the official certificate of estimated resources, which states the projected revenue of each fund. Prior to January 1, the Village must revise its budget so that the total contemplated expenditures from any fund during the ensuing year will not exceed the amount available as stated in the certificate of estimated resources. The revised budget then serves as the basis for the annual appropriations measure. On or about January 1, the certificate of estimated resources is amended to include unencumbered cash balances at December 31 of the preceding year. The certificate may be further amended during the year if the Finance Director determines, and the Budget Commission agrees, that estimates need to be either increased or decreased. The amounts reported on the budgetary statements reflect the amounts in the first and final amended official certificate of estimated resources issued during 2016.

Appropriations - A temporary appropriation ordinance to control expenditures may be passed on or about January 1 of each year for the period January 1 to March 31. An annual appropriation ordinance must be passed by April 1 of each year for the period January 1 to December 31. The appropriation ordinance fixes spending authority at the fund, department and object level. The appropriation ordinance may be amended during the year as new information becomes available, provided that total fund appropriations do not exceed current estimated resources, as certified. The appropriations for a fund may only be modified during the year by an ordinance of Council. The amounts on the budgetary statement reflect the final appropriation amounts, including all amendments and modifications legally enacted by Council.

Lapsing of Appropriations - At the close of each year, the unencumbered balance of each appropriation reverts to the respective fund from which it was appropriated and becomes subject to future appropriations. Encumbrances are carried forward and are not reappropriated as part of the subsequent year appropriations.

G. Cash and Cash Equivalents

To improve cash management, cash received by the Village is pooled. Monies for all funds are maintained in this pool. Individual fund integrity is maintained through the Village's records. Each fund's interest in the pool is presented as "equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents" on the financial statements.

The Village has segregated bank accounts for monies held separate from the Village's central bank account. These interest bearing depository accounts are presented as "cash and cash equivalents in segregated accounts" since they are not required to be deposited in the Village treasury.

During 2016, investments were limited to nonnegotiable certificates of deposit which are reported at cost.

Investment procedures are restricted by the provisions of the Ohio Revised Code. Interest revenue credited to the general fund during 2016 amount to \$5,692 which includes \$3,508 assigned from other Village funds.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows and for presentation on the statement of net position, investments with an original maturity of three months or less and investments of the cash management pool are considered to be cash equivalents.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

An analysis of the Village's investment account at year end is provided in Note 4.

H. Inventories of Materials and Supplies

Inventories of all funds are stated at cost which is determined on a first-in, first-out basis. Inventory in governmental funds consists of expendable supplies held for consumption. The cost of inventory items is recorded as expenditures in the governmental fund types and as expenses in the proprietary fund type.

I. Capital Assets

General capital assets are those assets not specifically related to activities reported in the proprietary funds. These assets generally result from expenditures in the governmental funds. These assets are reported in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net position, but are not reported in the fund financial statements. Capital assets utilized by the proprietary funds are reported both in the business-type activities column of the government-wide statement of net position and in the respective funds.

All capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and deductions during the year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date received. The Village maintains a capitalization threshold of \$5,000. The Village's infrastructure consists of storm sewers, streets, and water and sewer lines. The Village did not retroactively report governmental activities infrastructure, in accordance with Phase III implementation of GASB Statement No. 34. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not. Interest incurred during the construction of capital assets is also capitalized for business-type activities.

All reported capital assets are depreciated except for land and construction in progress. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. Useful lives for infrastructure were estimated based on the Village's historical records of necessary improvements and replacement.

Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

	Governmental	Business-type
	Activities	Activities
Description	Estimated Lives	Estimated Lives
Buildings and improvements	50 years	50 years
Furniture and equipment	10 years	10 years
Vehicles	5 - 15 years	5 - 15 years
Infrastructure	25 - 50 years	40 years

J. Compensated Absences

Compensated absences of the Village consist of vacation leave and sick leave to the extent that payments to the employee for these absences are attributable to services already rendered and are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the Village and the employee.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

In conformity with GASB Statement No. 16, "Accounting for Compensated Absences", vacation benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and it is probable that the Village will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means. Sick leave benefits are accrued as a liability using the vesting method. The liability is based on the sick leave accumulated at December 31 by those employees who are currently eligible to receive termination payments and by those employees for whom it is probable they will become eligible to receive termination benefits in the future.

The total liability for vacation and sick leave payments has been calculated using pay rates in effect at the balance sheet date, and reduced to the maximum payment allowed by labor contract and/or statute, plus applicable additional salary related payments. Village employees are granted vacation and sick leave in varying amounts. In the event of termination, an employee is reimbursed for accumulated vacation and sick leave at various rates.

The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements.

On governmental fund financial statements, compensated absences are recognized as liabilities and expenditures to the extent payments come due each period upon the occurrence of employee resignations and retirements. These amounts are recorded in the account "compensated absences payable" in the fund from which the employees who have accumulated leave are paid. The noncurrent portion of the liability is not reported. For proprietary funds, the entire amount of compensated absences is reported as a fund liability.

K. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

All payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements, and all payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations payable from proprietary funds are reported on the proprietary fund financial statements.

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources are reported as obligations of the funds. However, compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year.

L. Interfund Activity

Transfers between governmental and business-type activities on the government-wide statements are reported in the same manner as general revenues.

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds and after nonoperating revenues/expenses in proprietary funds. Repayments from funds responsible for particular expenditures/expenses to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the BFS.

Interfund transfers between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financial statements.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

M. Prepayments

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit beyond December 31, 2016, are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method by recording a current asset for the prepaid amount and reflecting the expenditure/expense in the year in which it was consumed.

N. Fund Balance

Fund balance is divided into five classifications based primarily on the extent to which the Village is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in the governmental funds. The classifications are as follows:

<u>Nonspendable</u> - The nonspendable fund balance classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form or legally required to be maintained intact. The "not in spendable form" criterion includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash. It also includes the long-term amount of loans receivable.

<u>Restricted</u> - Fund balance is reported as restricted when constraints are placed on the use of resources that are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

<u>Committed</u> - The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes imposed by a formal action (ordinance) of Village Council (the highest level of decision making authority). Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless Village Council removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (ordinance) it employed to previously commit those amounts. Committed fund balance also incorporates contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

<u>Assigned</u> - Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the Village for specific purposes, but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted nor committed. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed. In the general fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by policies of Village Council, which includes giving the Finance Director the authority to constrain monies for intended purposes.

<u>Unassigned</u> - Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is only used to report a deficit fund balance resulting from overspending for specific purposes for which amounts had been restricted, committed, or assigned.

The Village applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which restricted and unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) fund balance is available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund balance, committed amounts are reduced first followed by assigned, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

O. Estimates

The preparation of the BFS in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the BFS and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

P. Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets plus deferred outflows less liabilities plus deferred inflows. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets or related debt also should be included in this component of net position. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on its use either through the enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. The Village applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position is available.

Q. Extraordinary and Special Items

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of the Village Council and that are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. During 2016, the Village had no extraordinary or special items.

R. Interfund Balances

On fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from short-term interfund loans are classified as "interfund loans receivable/payable". These amounts are eliminated in the governmental and business-type activities columns of the statement of net position, except for any net residual amounts due between governmental and business-type activities, which are presented as internal balances.

S. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the pension plans and additions to/deductions from their fiduciary net positon have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the pension systems. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. The pension systems report investments at fair value.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE

A. Change in Accounting Principles

For 2016, the Village has implemented GASB Statement No. 72, "Fair Value Measurement and Application", GASB Statement No. 73 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions and Related Assets That Are Not within the Scope of GASB Statement 68, and Amendments to Certain Provisions of GASB Statements 67 and 68", GASB Statement No. 76, "The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments", GASB Statement No. 77, "Tax Abatement Disclosures", GASB Statement No. 78, "Pensions Provided Through Certain Multiple-Employer Defined Benefit Pension Plans" and GASB Statement No. 79, "Certain External Investment Pools and Pool Participants".

GASB Statement No. 72 addresses accounting and financial reporting issues related to fair value measurement. This Statement also provides guidance for applying fair value to certain investments and disclosures related to all fair value measurements. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 72 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Village.

GASB Statement No. 73 improves the usefulness of information about pensions included in the general purposes external financial reports of state and local governments for making decisions and assessing accountability. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 73 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Village.

GASB Statement No. 76 identifies - in the context of the current governmental financial reporting environment - the hierarchy of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). This Statement reduces the GAAP hierarchy to two categories of authoritative GAAP and addresses the use of authoritative and nonauthoritative literature in the event that the accounting treatment for a transaction or other event is not specified within a source of authoritative GAAP. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 76 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Village.

GASB Statement No. 77 requires governments that enter into tax abatement agreements to disclosure certain information about the agreement. GASB Statement No. 77 also requires disclosures related to tax abatement agreements that have been entered into by other governments that reduce the reporting government's tax revenues. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 77 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Village.

GASB Statement No. 78 establishes accounting and financial reporting standards for defined benefit pensions provided to the employees of state or local governmental employers through a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan (cost-sharing pension plan) that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of Statement 68 and that (a) is not a state or local governmental pension plan, (b) is used to provide defined benefit pensions both to employees of state or local governmental employers and to employees of employers that are not state or local governmental employers, and (c) has no predominant state or local governmental employer (either individually or collectively with other state or local governmental employers that provide pensions through the pension plan). The implementation of GASB Statement No. 78 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Village.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 3 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE - (Continued)

GASB Statement No. 79 establishes accounting and financial reporting standards for qualifying external investment pools that elect to measure for financial reporting purposes all of their investments at amortized cost. This Statement provides accounting and financial reporting guidance also establishes additional note disclosure requirements for governments that participate in those pools. The implementation of GASB 79 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the Village.

B. Deficit Fund Balances

Fund balances at December 31, 2016 included the following individual fund deficit:

Nonmajor fund	<u>Deficit</u>
SR 123/Reconstruction Phase X	\$ 69,994

The general fund is liable for any deficit in this fund and provides transfers when cash is required, not when accruals occur. The deficit fund balances resulted from adjustments for accrued liabilities.

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

State statutes classify monies held by the Village into three categories.

Active deposits are public deposits necessary to meet current demands on the treasury. Such monies must be maintained either as cash in the Village treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Village Council has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.

Interim deposits are deposits of interim monies. Interim monies are those monies which are not needed for immediate use, but which will be needed before the end of the current period of designation of depositories.

Interim deposits must be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts including passbook accounts.

Interim monies may be deposited or invested in the following securities:

- 1. United States Treasury Notes, Bills, Bonds, or any other obligation or security issued by the United States Treasury or any other obligation guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States;
- 2. Bonds, notes, debentures, or any other obligations or securities issued by any federal government agency or instrumentality, including, but not limited to, the Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Government National Mortgage Association, and Student Loan Marketing Association. All federal agency securities shall be direct issuances of federal government agencies or instrumentalities;

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

- 3. Written repurchase agreements in the securities listed above provided that the market value of the securities subject to the repurchase agreement must exceed the principal value of the agreement by at least two percent and be marked to market daily, and that the term of the agreement must not exceed thirty days;
- 4. Bonds and other obligations of the State of Ohio;
- 5. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in items 1 or 2 above, of this section and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions;
- 6. The State Treasurer's investment pool State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio (STAR Ohio);
- 7. Certain banker's acceptance and commercial paper notes for a period not to exceed one hundred eighty days from the purchase date in an amount not to exceed twenty-five percent of the interim monies available for investment at any one time; and,
- 8. Under limited circumstances, corporate debt interests rated in either of the two highest classifications by at least two nationally recognized rating agencies.

The Village may also invest any monies not required to be used for a period of six months or more in the following:

- 1. Bonds of the State of Ohio;
- 2. Bonds of any municipal corporation, village, county, township, or other political subdivision of this State, as to which there is no default of principal, interest or coupons;
- 3. Obligations of the Village.

Investments in stripped principal or interest obligations, reverse repurchase agreements and derivatives are prohibited. The issuance of taxable notes for the purpose of arbitrage, the use of leverage and short selling are also prohibited. An investment must mature within five years from the date of purchase unless matched to a specific obligation or debt of the Village, and must be purchased with the expectation that it will be held to maturity. Investments may only be made through specified dealers and institutions. Payment for investments may be made only upon delivery of the securities representing the investments to the Treasurer or, if the securities are not represented by a certificate, upon receipt of confirmation of transfer from the custodian.

Protection of the Village's deposits is provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), by eligible securities pledged by the financial institution as security for repayment, by surety company bonds deposited with the Treasurer by the financial institution or by a single collateral pool established by the financial institution to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited with the institution.

A. Cash in Segregated Accounts

At December 31, 2016, \$9,401 was deposited in a segregated account for the Village's Mayor's Court. This amount is excluded from the internal cash pool and is reported on the statement of fiduciary net assets and liabilities as "cash in segregated accounts".

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 4 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS - (Continued)

B. Deposits with Financial Institutions

At December 31, 2016, the carrying amount of all Village deposits was \$5,619,668. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "<u>Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures</u>", as of December 31, 2016, \$5,445,613 of the Village's bank balance of \$5,701,827 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$256,214 was covered by the FDIC.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the Village's deposits may not be returned. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105% of the carrying value of the deposits. Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio Revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at Federal Reserve Banks, or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the Village. The Village has no deposit policy for custodial credit risk beyond the requirements of State statute. Although the securities were held by the pledging institutions' trust department and all statutory requirements for the deposit of money had been followed, noncompliance with federal requirements could potentially subject the Village to a successful claim by the FDIC.

C. Reconciliation of Cash and Investments to the Statement of Net Position

The following is a reconciliation of cash and investments as reported in the note above to cash and investments as reported on the statement of net position as of December 31, 2016:

Cash and investments per note		
Carrying amount of deposits	\$	5,619,668
Cash in segregated accounts		9,401
Total	\$	5,629,069
Cash and investments per statement of net position	<u>n</u>	
Governmental activities	\$	2,765,158
Business type activities		2,854,510
Agency funds		9,401
Total	\$	5,629,069

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS

A. Interfund transfers for the year ended December 31, 2016, consisted of the following, as reported on the fund financial statements:

Transfers to	<u>Transfers from</u>	Amount			
Nonmajor governmental funds Nonmajor governmental funds	General fund Eagle Ridge TIF funds	\$	50,000 85,000		
Total		\$	135,000		

Transfers are used to (1) move revenues from the fund that statute or budget required to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them, (2) move receipts restricted to debt service from the funds collecting the receipts to the debt service fund as debt service payments become due, and (3) use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations, (4) to move principal payments made by proprietary funds to the governmental fund that made the principal payments. All transfers were made in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Sections 5705.14, 5705.15 and 5705.16.

Interfund balances between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financial statements.

B. Interfund loans consisted of the following at December 31, 2016, as reported on the fund financial statements:

Receivable fund	Payable fund	Amount
General fund	Nonmajor governmental fund	\$ 70,000

The interfund loan balances result from resources provided by the receivable fund to the payable fund to provide cash flow resources until anticipated revenues are received. Interfund loans payable/receivable between governmental funds are eliminated on the government-wide financial statements.

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real and public utility property located in the Village. Taxes collected from real property taxes (other than public utility) in one calendar year are levied in the preceding calendar year on the assessed value as of January 1 of that preceding year, the lien date. Assessed values are established by the County Auditor at 35 percent of appraised market value. All property is required to be revaluated every six years. Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due December 31, with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstances, State statute permits later payment dates to be established.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY TAXES - (Continued)

Public utility real and tangible personal property taxes collected in one calendar year are levied in the preceding calendar year on assessed values determined as of December 31 of the second year preceding the tax collection year, the lien date. Public utility tangible personal property is assessed at varying percentages of true value; public utility real property is assessed at 35 percent of true value. 2016 public utility property taxes became a lien December 31, 2015, are levied after October 1, 2016, and are collected in 2017 with real property taxes. Public utility property taxes are payable on the same dates as real property taxes described previously.

The County Treasurer collects property taxes on behalf of all taxing districts in the County, including the Village of Carlisle. The County Auditor periodically remits to the Village its portion of the taxes collected. Property taxes receivable represents real property taxes, public utility taxes, delinquent tangible personal property taxes and other outstanding delinquencies which are measurable as of December 31, 2016 and for which there is an enforceable legal claim. In the governmental funds, the current portion receivable has been offset by deferred inflows since the current taxes were not levied to finance 2016 operations and the collection of delinquent taxes has been offset by deferred inflows since the collection of the taxes during the available period is not subject to reasonable estimation. On a full accrual basis, collectible delinquent property taxes have been recorded as a receivable and revenue while on a modified accrual basis the revenue is deferred inflows.

The full tax rate for all Village operations for the year ended December 31, 2016 was \$3.81 per \$1,000 of assessed value. The assessed values of real and public utility property upon which 2016 property tax receipts were based are as follows:

Real property

Total assessed value

Residential/agricultural	\$ 61,051,700
Commercial/industrial/mineral	9,789,710
Public utility	
Personal	5,408,300

\$ 76,249,710

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 7 - RECEIVABLES

Receivables at December 31, 2016, consisted of taxes, accounts (billings for user charged services), accrued interest, special assessments and intergovernmental receivables arising from grants, entitlements, and shared revenue. All intergovernmental receivables have been classified as "due from other governments" on the BFS. Receivables have been recorded to the extent that they are measurable at December 31, 2016.

A summary of the principal items of receivables reported on the statement of net position follows:

Governmental activities:

Governmental activities.	
Income taxes	\$ 309,841
Property and other taxes	194,562
Payment in lieu of taxes	263,500
Accounts	20,033
Special assessments	2,119
Due from other governments	203,252
Business-type activities:	
Accounts	141,571
Special assessments	31,987

Receivables have been disaggregated on the face of the financial statements. The only receivable not expected to be collected within the subsequent year is the special assessments which are collected over the life of the assessment.

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NOTE 8 - MUNICIPAL INCOME TAXES

Due from other governments

The Village levies a 1.5 percent income tax on substantially all income earned in the Village. In addition, Village residents employed in municipalities having an income tax less than 1.5 percent must pay the difference to the Village. Additional increases in the income tax rate require voter approval. Employers within the Village withhold income tax on employee compensation and remit at least quarterly and file an annual declaration.

The Village's income tax ordinance requires a portion of the income tax receipts to be used to finance public safety forces. As a result, this portion of the receipts is allocated to the police services special revenue fund each year. The remaining income tax receipts are to be used to pay the cost of administering the tax and general fund operations, as determined by Council. Income tax revenue for 2016 was \$1,117,953 as reported in the fund financial statements.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 9 - CAPITAL ASSETS

A. Governmental Activities

Capital asset activity for the governmental activities for the year ended December 31, 2016, was as follows:

Governmental activities:	Balance 12/31/15	Additions	Disposals	Balance 12/31/16
Capital assets, not being depreciated: Land Construction in progress	\$ 1,244,234 1,518,029	\$ - 58,449	\$ - (1,576,478)	\$ 1,244,234
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	2,762,263	58,449	(1,576,478)	1,244,234
Capital assets, being depreciated: Buildings and improvements Furniture and equipment Vehicles Infrastructure	1,317,185 314,183 768,132 4,305,021	8,900 - 1,576,478	(21,332)	1,317,185 323,083 746,800 5,881,499
Total capital assets, being depreciated	6,704,521	1,585,378	(21,332)	8,268,567
Less: accumulated depreciation: Buildings and improvements Furniture and equipment Vehicles Infrastructure	(659,354) (223,598) (588,798) (900,623)	(26,342) (20,070) (50,495) (235,923)	21,332	(685,696) (243,668) (617,961) (1,136,546)
Total accumulated depreciation	(2,372,373)	(332,830)	21,332	(2,683,871)
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	4,332,148	1,252,548	_	5,584,696
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 7,094,411	\$ 1,310,997	\$ (1,576,478)	\$ 6,828,930

 $Depreciation\ expense\ was\ charged\ to\ functions/programs\ of\ the\ Village\ as\ follows:$

Governmental activities:

General government	\$ 13,624
Security of persons and property	5,236
Community environment	36,042
Transportation	270,134
Leisure time activity	 7,794
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	\$ 332,830

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 9 - CAPITAL ASSETS - (Continued)

B. Business-type activities

Capital asset activity for the business-type activities for the year ended December 31, 2016, was as follows:

		Balance 12/31/15		Additions	Disposals	Balance 12/31/16	
Business-type activities:							
Capital assets, being depreciated							
Furniture and equipment	\$	206,457	\$	-	\$ -	\$ 206,457	
Vehicles		231,159		-	-	231,159	
Infrastructure	_	12,912,124	_			12,912,124	
Total capital assets, being							
depreciated	_	13,349,740	_			13,349,740	
Less: accumulated depreciation:							
Furniture and equipment		(168,872)		(11,492)	-	(180,364)	
Vehicles		(187,944)		(9,603)	-	(197,547)	
Infrastructure	_	(9,725,469)		(322,804)		(10,048,273)	
Total accumulated depreciation	_	(10,082,285)	_	(343,899)		(10,426,184)	
Business-type activities capital							
assets, net	\$	3,267,455	\$	(343,899)	\$ -	\$ 2,923,556	

Depreciation was charged to departments of the Village as follows:

Business-type activities:

Sewer Water	\$ 283,582 53,916
Refuse	 6,401
Total depreciation expense - business-type activities	\$ 343,899

NOTE 10 - OTHER EMPLOYEE BENEFITS - COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The criteria for determining vacation and sick leave benefits are derived from negotiated agreements and State laws. Employees earn ten to thirty days of vacation per year, depending upon length of service. Earned, unused vacation time is paid upon termination of employment. Employees earn sick leave at different rates depending upon length of service and type of employment. Sick leave accrual is continuous, without limit. Upon retirement or death, an employee can be paid a maximum of one-half of the 960 hours maximum of accumulated, unused sick leave. As of December 31, 2016, the liability for unpaid compensated absences was \$71,534 for the entire Village.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 11 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

During 2016, the following changes occurred in the Village's long-term obligations:

Governmental activities:	Balance 12/31/15				Reductions		Reductions			Balance 12/31/16		Amounts Due in One Year
General obligation bonds and notes:												
Road Improvements - 4.26%	\$	205,000	\$	-	\$	(20,000)	\$	185,000	\$	25,000		
Real Estate Acquisition - 1.90%		16,000		-		(16,000)		-		-		
Business Park Improvements - 1.65%		350,000		300,000		(350,000)		300,000		300,000		
Road Improvement Note - 1.75% Road Improvement		963,000		900,000		(963,000)		900,000		900,000		
Bond Anticipation Note - 1.65%		1,600,000	1	1,475,000		(1,600,000)		1,475,000		460,000		
Total general obligation bonds and notes	_	3,134,000	2	2,675,000	_	(2,949,000)	_	2,860,000	_	1,685,000		
Special assessment bonds:		10.717				(1.0.10)		11 500		2.050		
Jamaica Road Improvements - 6.00%		13,545		-		(1,942)		11,603		2,058		
Union Road Extension - 6.25%		18,000		-		(18,000)		- 55 000		25,000		
Road Improvements - 4.15%		80,000			_	(25,000)	_	55,000	_	25,000		
Total special assessment bonds		111,545				(44,942)		66,603		27,058		
Other long-term obligations:												
Net pension liability		970,435		274,923		-		1,245,358		-		
Compensated absences		19,142		16,040	_	(10,582)		24,600	_	11,495		
Total other long-term obligations		989,577		290,963	_	(10,582)	_	1,269,958	_	11,495		
Total governmental activities												
long-term obligations	\$	4,235,122	\$ 2	2,965,963	\$	(3,004,524)	\$	4,196,561	\$	1,723,553		
Other long-term obligations: Net pension liability Compensated absences	\$	334,119 8,930	\$	168,272 46,891	\$	S - (8,887)	\$	502,391 46,934	\$	46,341		
Total business-type activities long-term obligations	\$	343,049	\$	215,163	9	8 (8,887)	\$	549,325	\$	46,341		

<u>General obligation bond and notes</u> - On July 1, 2003, the Village issued \$400,000 in roadway improvement bonds. These bonds were issued for the purpose of making road improvements within the Village. The bonds bear interest rates ranging from 3.0% to 5.1%. The bonds mature on December 1, 2023.

On April 29, 2015, the Village issued \$1,600,000 in bond anticipation notes. The notes were issued for the purpose of funding construction of infrastructure property. The notes bear interest rates ranging from 1.65% to 3% and will be paid from the Timber Ridge TIF fund. The notes matured on April 18, 2016.

On April 29, 2016, the Village issued \$1,475,000 in general obligation notes. The notes were issued for the purpose of making road improvements within the Village. The note bears interest at 1.75%. The notes mature April 28, 2017.

On May 13, 2016, the Village issued \$900,000 in general obligation notes. The notes were issued for the

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

purpose of making road improvements within the Village. The notes bear interest at 1.75%. The notes mature May 12, 2017.

On December 2, 2016, the Village issued \$300,000 in general obligation notes. The notes were issued for the purpose of improving the Village's business parks. The notes bear interest at 2.00%. The notes mature December 1, 2017.

Net pension liability - See Note 13 for more information on net pension liability.

<u>Special assessment bonds</u> - The special assessment bonds are for road extensions and improvements. The special assessment bond issues are backed by the full faith and credit of the Village. In the event that an assessed property owner fails to make payments, the Village will be required to pay the related debt. The Union Road extension bonds were issued for \$208,000 on July 19, 1996, bear an interest rate of 6.25%, and mature on December 1, 2016. The Jamaica Road improvement bonds were issued on May 3, 2001, bear an interest rate of 6.00% and mature on May 3, 2021. The road improvement bonds were issued to improve Eagle Court. These bonds were issued on August 13, 1998 for \$360,000, bear an interest rates ranging from 4.00% to 5.35%, and mature on December 1, 2018.

<u>Compensated absences</u> - will be paid from the fund from which the employees' salaries are paid which for the Village is primarily the general fund, road, fire and police services special revenue funds and the sewer fund.

<u>Debt margin</u> - The Ohio Revised Code provides that the net debt of a municipal corporation, whether or not approved by the electors, shall not exceed 10.5% of the total value of all property in the municipal corporation as listed and assessed for taxation. In addition, the unvoted net debt of municipal corporations cannot exceed 5.5% of the total taxation value of property. The assessed valuation used in determining the Village's legal debt margin has been modified by House Bill 530 which became effective March 30, 2006. In accordance with House Bill 530, the assessed valuation used in calculating the Village's legal debt margin calculation excludes tangible personal property used in business, telephone or telegraph property, interexchange telecommunications company property, and personal property owned or leased by a railroad company and used in railroad operations. The statutory limitations on debt are measured by a direct ratio of net debt to tax valuation and expressed in terms of a percentage. At December 31, 2016, the Village's total debt margin was \$5,091,852 and the unvoted debt margin was \$4,193,734.

Principal and interest requirements to retire the Village's bonds outstanding at December 31, 2016 were:

Year Ending		Jamaica Road Improvements								
December 31,	<u>P</u>	rincipal	<u> I</u> 1	nterest	<u>Total</u>					
2017	\$	2,058	\$	696	\$	2,754				
2018	Ψ	2,182	Ψ	573	Ψ	2,755				
2019		2,313		442		2,755				
2020		2,452		303		2,755				
2021		2,598		156		2,754				
2022										
Total	\$	11,603	\$	2,170	\$	13,773				

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 11 - LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS - (Continued)

Year Ending	_		Eag	gle Court		General Obligation Bonds and Notes						
December 31,	P	rincipal	Interest		Interest		 Total	Principal		Interest	_	Total
2017	\$	25,000	\$	2,930	\$ 27,930	\$1,685,000	\$	38,179	\$	1,723,179		
2018		30,000		1,605	31,605	150,000		40,458		190,458		
2019		-		-	-	150,000		33,810		183,810		
2020		-		-	-	150,000		28,733		178,733		
2021		-		-	-	650,000		23,624		673,624		
2022 - 2026					 	75,000		4,560		79,560		
Total	\$	55,000	\$	4,535	\$ 59,535	\$2,860,000	\$	169,364	\$	3,029,364		

NOTE 12 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The Village is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, thefts of, damage to, and destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees and natural disasters. During 2016, the Village contracted with several companies for various types of insurance as follows. The risk of loss transfers to the insurance carrier upon payment of the premium. The following is a summary of the Village's insurance coverage:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Deductible</u>	<u>Coverage</u>
The Ohio Plan	Commercial Property	\$1,000	\$3,727,461
The Ohio Plan	Scheduled & Misc.	\$1,000	\$688,514
	Equipment		
The Ohio Plan	Auto Comprehensive &	\$500	ACV
	Collision		
The Ohio Plan	Emergency Auto	\$500	\$919,519
	Comprehensive &		
	Collision		
The Ohio Plan	Auto Liability	=	\$5,000,000
The Ohio Plan	General Liability	-	\$5,000,000
The Ohio Plan	Public Officials Liability	\$1,000	\$5,000,000
The Ohio Plan	Employee Bonding		
	- Village Manager	-	\$35,000
	- Finance Director	-	\$35,000
	- Public Employee	=	\$35,000
The Ohio Plan	Law Enforcement	\$1,000	\$5,000,000
	Operations		
The Ohio Plan	Wrongful Acts	\$5,000	\$5,000,000

There has been no material change in this coverage for the prior year. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three years.

Health insurance is provided to eligible employees through a commercial carrier.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS

Net Pension Liability/Asset

The net pension liability/asset reported on the statement of net position represents a liability or asset to employees for pensions. Pensions are a component of exchange transactions—between an employer and its employees—of salaries and benefits for employee services. Pensions are provided to an employee—on a deferred-payment basis—as part of the total compensation package offered by an employer for employee services each financial period. The obligation to sacrifice resources for pensions is a present obligation because it was created as a result of employment exchanges that already have occurred.

The net pension liability/asset represents the Village's proportionate share of each pension plan's collective actuarial present value of projected benefit payments attributable to past periods of service, net of each pension plan's fiduciary net position. The net pension liability/asset calculation is dependent on critical long-term variables, including estimated average life expectancies, earnings on investments, cost of living adjustments and others. While these estimates use the best information available, unknowable future events require adjusting this estimate annually.

The Ohio Revised Code limits the Village's obligation for this liability to annually required payments. The Village cannot control benefit terms or the manner in which pensions are financed; however, the Village does receive the benefit of employees' services in exchange for compensation including pension.

GASB 68 assumes any net pension liability is solely the obligation of the employer, because (1) they benefit from employee services; and (2) State statute requires all funding to come from these employers. All contributions to date have come solely from these employers (which also includes costs paid in the form of withholdings from employees). State statute requires the pension plans to amortize unfunded liabilities within 30 years. If the amortization period exceeds 30 years, each pension plan's board must propose corrective action to the State legislature. Any resulting legislative change to benefits or funding could significantly affect the net pension liability. Resulting adjustments to the net pension liability would be effective when the changes are legally enforceable.

The proportionate share of each plan's unfunded benefits or overfunded benefits is presented as a long-term *net pension liability* or *net pension asset*, respectively, on the accrual basis of accounting. Any liability for the contractually-required pension contribution outstanding at the end of the year is included in *due to other governments/pension and postemployment benefits payable* on both the accrual and modified accrual bases of accounting.

Plan Description - Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS)

Plan Description - Village employees, other than full-time police and firefighters, participate in the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS). OPERS administers three separate pension plans. The Traditional Pension Plan is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. The Member-Directed Plan is a defined contribution plan and the Combined Plan is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan with defined contribution features. While members (e.g. Village employees) may elect the Member-Directed Plan and the Combined Plan, substantially all employee members are in OPERS' Traditional Pension Plan.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

OPERS provides retirement, disability, survivor and death benefits, and annual cost of living adjustments to members of the Traditional Pension Plan. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Chapter 145 of the Ohio Revised Code. OPERS issues a stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements, required supplementary information and detailed information about OPERS' fiduciary net position that may be obtained by visiting https://www.opers.org/financial/reports.shtml, by writing to the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System, 277 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-4642, or by calling 800-222-7377.

Senate Bill (SB) 343 was enacted into law with an effective date of January 7, 2013. In the legislation, members were categorized into three groups with varying provisions of the law applicable to each group. The following table provides age and service requirements for retirement and the retirement formula applied to final average salary (FAS) for the three member groups under the Traditional Pension Plan as per the reduced benefits adopted by SB 343 (see OPERS CAFR referenced above for additional information):

Group A		
Eligible to retire prior to		
January 7, 2013 or five years		
after January 7, 2013		

State and Local

Age and Service Requirements:

Age 60 with 60 months of service credit or Age 55 with 25 years of service credit

Formula:

2.2% of FAS multiplied by years of service for the first 30 years and 2.5% for service years in excess of 30

Group B

20 years of service credit prior to January 7, 2013 or eligible to retire ten years after January 7, 2013

State and Local

Age and Service Requirements: Age 60 with 60 months of service credit or Age 55 with 25 years of service credit

Formula:

2.2% of FAS multiplied by years of service for the first 30 years and 2.5% for service years in excess of 30

Group C

Members not in other Groups and members hired on or after January 7, 2013

State and Local

Age and Service Requirements:

Age 57 with 25 years of service credit or Age 62 with 5 years of service credit

Formula:

2.2% of FAS multiplied by years of service for the first 35 years and 2.5% for service years in excess of 35

Final average Salary (FAS) represents the average of the three highest years of earnings over a member's career for Groups A and B. Group C is based on the average of the five highest years of earnings over a member's career.

Members who retire before meeting the age and years of service credit requirement for unreduced benefits receive a percentage reduction in the benefit amount.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

When a benefit recipient has received benefits for 12 months, an annual cost of living adjustment (COLA) is provided. This COLA is calculated on the base retirement benefit at the date of retirement and is not compounded. For those retiring prior to January 7, 2013, the COLA will continue to be a 3 percent simple annual COLA. For those retiring subsequent to January 7, 2013, beginning in calendar year 2019, the COLA will be based on the average percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index, capped at 3 percent.

Benefits in the Combined Plan consist of both an age-and-service formula benefit (defined benefit) and a defined contribution element. The defined benefit element is calculated on the basis of age, FAS, and years of service. Eligibility regarding age and years of service in the Combined Plan is the same as the Traditional Pension Plan. The benefit formula for the defined benefit component of the plan for State and Local members in transition Groups A and B applies a factor of 1.0% to the member's FAS for the first 30 years of service.

A factor of 1.25% is applied to years of service in excess of 30. The benefit formula for transition Group C applies a factor of 1.0% to the member's FAS and the first 35 years of service and a factor of 1.25% is applied to years in excess of 35. Persons retiring before age 65 with less than 30 years of service credit receive a percentage reduction in benefit. The defined contribution portion of the benefit is based on accumulated member contributions plus or minus any investment gains or losses on those contributions. Members retiring under the Combined Plan receive a 3% COLA adjustment on the defined benefit portion of their benefit.

Defined contribution plan benefits are established in the plan documents, which may be amended by the OPERS's Board of Trustees. Member-Directed Plan and Combined Plan members who have met the retirement eligibility requirements may apply for retirement benefits. The amount available for defined contribution benefits in the Combined Plan consists of the member's contributions plus or minus the investment gains or losses resulting from the member's investment selections. The amount available for defined contribution benefits in the Member-Directed Plan consists of the members' contributions, vested employer contributions and investment gains or losses resulting from the members' investment selections. Employer contributions and associated investment earnings vest over a five-year period, at a rate of 20% each year. For additional information, see the Plan Statement in the OPERS CAFR.

Funding Policy - The Ohio Revised Code (ORC) provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions as follows:

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

	State	
	and Local	
2016 Statutory Maximum Contribution Rates		
Employer	14.0 %	Ś
Employee	10.0 %	,)
2016 Actual Contribution Rates		
Employer:		
Pension	12.0 %	Ś
Post-employment Health Care Benefits	2.0 %	ó
Total Employer	14.0 %	<u>,</u>
Employee	10.0 %	, o

Employer contribution rates are actuarially determined and are expressed as a percentage of covered payroll.

The Village's contractually required contribution for the Traditional Pension Plan, the Combined Plan and Member-Directed Plan was \$82,933 for 2016. Of this amount, \$14,522 is reported as due to other governments.

Plan Description - Ohio Police & Fire Pension Fund (OP&F)

Plan Description - Village full-time police and firefighters participate in Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund (OP&F), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by OP&F. OP&F provides retirement and disability pension benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by the Ohio State Legislature and are codified in Chapter 742 of the Ohio Revised Code. OP&F issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial information and required supplementary information and detailed information about OP&F fiduciary net position. The report that may be obtained by visiting the OPF website at www.opf.org or by writing to the Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund, 140 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-5164.

Upon attaining a qualifying age with sufficient years of service, a member of OP&F may retire and receive a lifetime monthly pension. OP&F offers four types of service retirement: normal, service commuted, age/service commuted and actuarially reduced. Each type has different eligibility guidelines and is calculated using the member's average annual salary. The following discussion of the pension formula relates to normal service retirement.

For members hired after July 1, 2013, the minimum retirement age is 52 for normal service retirement with at least 25 years of service credit. For members hired on or before after July 1, 2013, the minimum retirement age is 48 for normal service retirement with at least 25 years of service credit.

The annual pension benefit for normal service retirement is equal to a percentage of the allowable average annual salary. The percentage equals 2.5 percent for each of the first 20 years of service credit, 2.0 percent for each of the next five years of service credit and 1.5 percent for each year of service credit in excess of 25 years. The maximum pension of 72 percent of the allowable average annual salary is paid after 33 years of service credit.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

Under normal service retirement, retired members who are at least 55 years old and have been receiving OPF benefits for at least one year may be eligible for a cost-of-living allowance adjustment. The age 55 provision for receiving a COLA does not apply to those who are receiving a permanent and total disability benefit and statutory survivors.

Members retiring under normal service retirement, with less than 15 years of service credit on July 1, 2013, will receive a COLA equal to either three percent or the percent increase, if any, in the consumer price index (CPI) over the 12-month period ending on September 30 of the immediately preceding year, whichever is less. The COLA amount for members with at least 15 years of service credit as of July 1, 2013 is equal to three percent of their base pension or disability benefit.

Funding Policy - The Ohio Revised Code (ORC) provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions as follows:

	Police	Firefighters
2016 Statutory Maximum Contribution Rates		
Employer	19.50 %	24.00 %
Employee	12.25 %	12.25 %
2016 Actual Contribution Rates		
Employer:		
Pension	19.00 %	23.50 %
Post-employment Health Care Benefits	0.50 %	0.50 %
Total Employer	19.50 %	24.00 %
Employee	12.25 %	6 12.25 %

Employer contribution rates are expressed as a percentage of covered payroll. The Village's contractually required contribution to OP&F was \$64,584 for 2016. Of this amount \$2,391 is reported as due to other governments.

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

The net pension liability and net pension asset for the OPERS Traditional Pension Plan and Combined Plan and Member-Directed Plan, respectively, were measured as of December 31, 2015, and the total pension liability or asset used to calculate the net pension liability or asset was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. OP&F's total pension liability was measured as of December 31, 2015, and was determined by rolling forward the total pension liability as of January 1, 2015, to December 31, 2015. The Village's proportion of the net pension liability or asset was based on the Village's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating entities. Following is information related to the proportionate share and pension expense:

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

		OPERS		OP&F	 Total
Proportion of the net pension				_	
liability prior measurement date		0.004643%	(0.0143725%	
Proportion of the net pension					
liability current measurement date		<u>0.004571</u> %	().0148610 <mark></mark> %	
Change in proportionate share	-	-0.000072%	(0.0004885%	
Proportion of the net pension					
asset prior measurement date	0.0	00000000%			
Proportion of the net pension					
asset current measurement date		<u>0.006787</u> %			
Change in proportionate share		<u>0.006787</u> %			
Proportionate share of the net					
pension liability	\$	791,755	\$	955,994	\$ 1,747,749
Proportionate share of the net					
pension asset		26		-	26
Pension expense		127,006		135,706	262,712

At December 31, 2016, the Village reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	OPERS		OP&F		Total
Deferred outflows of resources					
Differences between expected and					
actual experience	\$	180	\$	-	\$ 180
Net difference between projected and					
actual earnings on pension plan investments		232,768		155,604	388,372
Changes in employer's proportionate percentage/					
difference between employer contributions		-		29,597	29,597
Village contributions subsequent to the					
measurement date		82,933		64,584	147,517
Total deferred outflows of resources	\$	315,881	\$	249,785	\$ 565,666
Deferred inflows of resources					
Differences between expected and					
actual experience		15,297		2,685	17,982
Changes in employer's proportionate percentage/					
difference between employer contributions		5,103		_	5,103
Total deferred inflows of resources	\$	20,400	\$	2,685	\$ 23,085

\$147,517 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pension resulting from Village contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability/asset in the year ending December 31, 2017.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

	OPERS		OP&F	 Total		
Year Ending December 31:						
2017	\$	46,920	\$ 46,645	\$ 93,565		
2018		53,635	46,645	100,280		
2019		59,203	46,644	105,847		
2020		52,698	37,200	89,898		
2021		22	4,524	4,546		
Thereafter		70	858	928		
Total	\$	212,548	\$ 182,516	\$ 395,064		

Actuarial Assumptions - OPERS

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the values of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and cost trends. Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual review or modification as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employers and plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation. The total pension liability/asset in the December 31, 2015, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Wage inflation
Future salary increases, including inflation
COLA or ad hoc COLA

Investment rate of return Actuarial cost method 3.75 percent
4.25 to 10.05 percent including wage inflation
Pre 1/7/2013 retirees: 3 percent, simple
Post 1/7/2013 retirees: 3 percent, simple
through 2018, then 2.80% simple
8 percent
Individual entry age

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Mortality Table projected 20 years using Projection Scale AA. For males, 105 percent of the combined healthy male mortality rates were used. For females, 100 percent of the combined healthy female mortality rates were used. The mortality rates used in evaluating disability allowances were based on the RP-2000 mortality table with no projections. For males 120 percent of the disabled female mortality rates were used set forward two years. For females, 100 percent of the disabled female mortality rates were used.

The most recent experience study was completed for the five year period ended December 31, 2010.

The long-term rate of return on defined benefit investment assets was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected real rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage, adjusted for inflation.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

OPERS manages investments in four investment portfolios: the Defined Benefits portfolio, the Health Care portfolio, the 401 (h) Health Care Trust portfolio, the 115 Health Care Trust portfolio and the Defined Contribution portfolio. The Defined Benefit portfolio includes the investment assets of the Traditional Pension Plan, the defined benefit component of the Combined Plan, the annuitized accounts of the Member-Directed Plan and the VEBA Trust. Within the Defined Benefit portfolio, contributions into the plans are all recorded at the same time, and benefit payments all occur on the first of the month. Accordingly, the money-weighted rate of return is considered to be the same for all plans within the portfolio. The money weighted rate of return, net of investments expense, for the Defined Benefit portfolio is 0.40 percent for 2015.

The allocation of investment assets with the Defined Benefit portfolio is approved by the OPERS Board of Trustees as outlined in the annual investment plan. Plan assets are managed on a total return basis with a long-term objective of achieving and maintaining a fully funded status for the benefits provided through the defined benefit pension plans. The table below displays the Board-approved asset allocation policy for 2015 and the long-term expected real rates of return:

	Weighted Ave				
		Long-Term Expected			
	Target	Real Rate of Return			
Asset Class	Allocation	(Arithmetic)			
Fixed income	23.00 %	2.31 %			
Domestic equities	20.70	5.84			
Real estate	10.00	4.25			
Private equity	10.00	9.25			
International equities	18.30	7.40			
Other investments	18.00	4.59			
Total	100.00 %	5.27 %			

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability/asset was 8 percent for both the Traditional Pension Plan, the Combined Plan and Member-Directed Plan. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members and those of the contributing employers are made at the contractually required rates, as actuarially determined. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefits payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments for the Traditional Pension Plan, Combined Plan and Member-Directed Plan was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Village's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - The following table presents the Village's proportionate share of the net pension liability/asset calculated using the current period discount rate assumption of 8 percent, as well as what the Village's proportionate share of the net pension liability/asset would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one-percentage-point lower (7 percent) or one-percentage-point higher (9 percent) than the current rate:

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

	Current						
	1% Decrease			scount Rate	- /	6 Increase	
		(7.00%)		(8.00%)	(9.00%)		
Village's proportionate share							
of the net pension liability (asset):							
Traditional Pension Plan	\$	1,261,459	\$	791,755	\$	395,574	
Member-Directed Plan		68		(26)		(68)	

Actuarial Assumptions - OP&F

OP&F's total pension liability as of December 31, 2015 is based on the results of an actuarial valuation date of January 1, 2015, and rolled-forward using generally accepted actuarial procedures. The total pension liability is determined by OP&F's actuaries in accordance with GASB Statement No. 67, as part of their annual valuation. Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of reported amounts and assumptions about probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment mortality, salary increases, disabilities, retirements and employment terminations. Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual review and potential modifications, as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Key methods and assumptions used in calculating the total pension liability in the latest actuarial valuation, prepared as of January 1, 2015, are presented below:

Valuation date	January 1, 2015
Actuarial cost method	Entry age normal
Investment rate of return	8.25 percent
Projected salary increases	4.25 percent to 11 percent
Payroll increases	3.75 percent
Inflation assumptions	3.25 percent
Cost of living adjustments	2.60 and 3.00 percent simple

Rates of death are based on the RP2000 Combined Table, age-adjusted as follows. For active members, set back six years. For disability retirements, set forward five years for police and three years for firefighters. For service retirements, set back zero years for police and two years for firefighters. For beneficiaries, set back zero years. The rates are applied on a fully generational basis, with a base year of 2009, using mortality improvement Scale AA.

The most recent experience study was completed for the five-year period ended December 31, 2011. The recommended assumption changes based on this experience study were adopted by OPF's Board and were effective beginning with the January 1, 2012 actuarial valuation.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block approach and assumes a time horizon, as defined in the Statement of Investment Policy. A forecasted rate of inflation serves as the baseline for the return expected. Various real return premiums over the baseline inflation rate have been established for each asset class. The long-term expected nominal rate of return has been determined by calculating a weighted averaged of the expected real return premiums for each asset class, adding the projected inflation rate and adding the expected return from rebalancing uncorrelated asset classes.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

Best estimates of the long-term expected geometric real rates of return for each major asset class included in OPF's target asset allocation as of December 31, 2015 are summarized below:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	10 Year Expected Real Rate of Return **	30 Year Expected Real Rate of Return **
7 BSCt Class	Tuiocation	Real Rate of Return	Real Rate of Return
Cash and Cash Equivalents	- %		
Domestic Equity	16.00	4.47 %	7.80 %
Non-US Equity	16.00	4.47	8.00
Core Fixed Income *	20.00	1.62	5.35
Global Inflation			
Protected Securities *	20.00	1.33	4.73
High Yield	15.00	3.39	7.21
Real Estate	12.00	3.93	7.43
Private Markets	8.00	6.98	10.73
Timber	5.00	4.92	7.35
Master Limited Partnerships	8.00	7.03	10.75
Total	120.00 %		

^{*} levered 2x

OPF's Board of Trustees has incorporated the "risk parity" concept into OP&F's asset liability valuation with the goal of reducing equity risk exposure, which reduces overall Total Portfolio risk without sacrificing return, and creating a more risk-balanced portfolio based on their relationship between asset classes and economic environments. From the notional portfolio perspective above, the Total Portfolio may be levered up to 1.2 times due to the application of leverage in certain fixed income asset classes.

Discount Rate - The total pension liability was calculated using the discount rate of 8.25 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed the contributions from employers and from the members would be computed based on contribution requirements as stipulated by State statute. Projected inflows from investment earning were calculated using the longer-term assumed investment rate of return 8.25 percent. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, a long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefits to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Village's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate - Net pension liability is sensitive to changes in the discount rate, and to illustrate the potential impact the following table presents the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 8.25 percent, as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (7.25 percent), or one percentage point higher (9.25 percent) than the current rate.

^{**} numbers include inflation

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 13 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - (Continued)

		Current	
	1% Decrease	Discount Rate	1% Increase
	(7.25%)	(8.25%)	(9.25%)
Village's proportionate share			
of the net pension liability	\$ 1,260,860	\$ 955,994	\$ 697,787

NOTE 14 - POSTRETIREMENT BENEFIT PLANS

A. Ohio Public Employees Retirement System

Plan Description - OPERS maintains a cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit post-employment healthcare plan, which includes a medical plan, prescription drug program and Medicare Part B premium reimbursement, to qualifying members of both the Traditional Pension Plan and the Combined Plan. Members of the Member-Directed Plan do not qualify for ancillary benefits, including post-employment health care coverage.

To qualify for post-employment health care coverage, age-and-service retirees under the Traditional Pension and Combined Plans must have ten years or more of qualifying Ohio service credit. The Ohio Revised Code permits, but does not mandate, OPERS to provide OPEB benefits to its eligible members and beneficiaries. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided in Chapter 145 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Disclosures for the healthcare plan are presented separately in the OPERS financial report which may be obtained by visiting https://www.opers.org/financial/reports.shtml, writing to OPERS, 277 East Town Street, Columbus, OH 43215-4642 or by calling (800) 222-7377.

Funding Policy - The post-employment healthcare plan was established under, and is administered in accordance with, Internal Revenue Code Section 401(h). State statute requires that public employers fund post-employment healthcare through contributions to OPERS. A portion of each employer's contribution to the Traditional or Combined Plans is set aside for the funding of post-employment health care.

Employer contribution rates are expressed as a percentage of the covered payroll of active employees. In 2016, local government employers contributed 14.00% of covered payroll. Each year the OPERS' Retirement Board determines the portion of the employer contribution rate that will be set aside for the funding of the postemployment health care benefits. The portion of employer contributions allocated to fund post-employment healthcare for members in the Traditional Plan and Combined Plan for 2016 was 2.00%.

The OPERS Retirement Board is also authorized to establish rules for the payment of a portion of the health care benefits provided, by the retiree or their surviving beneficiaries. Payment amounts vary depending on the number of covered dependents and the coverage selected. Active members do not make contributions to the post-employment healthcare plan.

The Village's contributions allocated to fund post-employment health care benefits for the years ended December 31, 2016, 2015, and 2014 were \$13,822, \$7,484, and \$11,389, respectively; 84.99% has been contributed for 2016 and 100% has been contributed for 2015 and 2014. The remaining 2016 post-employment health care benefits liability has been reported as due to other governments on the basic financial statements.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 14 - POSTRETIREMENT BENEFIT PLANS - (Continued)

Changes to the health care plan were adopted by the OPERS Board of Trustees on September 19, 2012, with a transition plan commencing January 1, 2014. With the recent passage of pension legislation under State Bill 343 and the approved health care changes, OPERS expects to be able to consistently allocate 4.00% of the employer contributions toward the health care fund after the end of the transition period.

B. Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund

Plan Description - The Village contributes to the OP&F Pension Fund sponsored health care program, a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined postemployment health care plan administered by OP&F. OP&F provides healthcare benefits including coverage for medical, prescription drugs, dental, vision, Medicare Part B Premium and long term care to retirees, qualifying benefit recipients and their eligible dependents.

OP&F provides access to post-employment health care coverage to any person who receives or is eligible to receive a monthly service, disability or survivor benefit check or is a spouse or eligible dependent child of such person. The health care coverage provided by OP&F meets the definition of an Other Post Employment Benefit (OPEB) as described in GASB Statement 45.

The Ohio Revised Code allows, but does not mandate OP&F to provide OPEB benefits. Authority for the OP&F Board of Trustees to provide health care coverage to eligible participants and to establish and amend benefits is codified in Chapter 742 of the Ohio Revised Code.

OP&F issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan. That report may be obtained by writing to the OP&F, 140 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-5164 or by visiting the website at www.op-f.org.

Funding Policy - The Ohio Revised Code provides for contribution requirements of the participating employers and of plan members to the OP&F (defined benefit pension plan). Participating employers are required to contribute to the pension plan at rates expressed as percentages of the payroll of active pension plan members, currently, 19.50% and 24.00% of covered payroll for police and fire employers, respectively. The Ohio Revised Code states that the employer contribution may not exceed 19.50% of covered payroll for police employer units and 24.00% of covered payroll for fire employer units. Active members do not make contributions to the OPEB Plan.

OP&F maintains funds for health care in two separate accounts, one account is for health care benefits under an Internal Revenue Code Section 115 trust and the other account is for Medicare Part B reimbursements administered as an Internal Revenue Code Section 401(h) account, both of which are within the defined benefit pension plan, under the authority granted by the Ohio Revised Code to the OP&F Board of Trustees.

The Board of Trustees is authorized to allocate a portion of the total employer contributions made into the pension plan into the Section 115 trust and the Section 401(h) account as the employer contribution for retiree health care benefits. The portion of employer contributions allocated to health care was .5% of covered payroll from January 1, 2016 thru December 31, 2016. The amount of employer contributions allocated to the health care plan each year is subject to the Trustees' primary responsibility to ensure that the pension benefits are adequately funded and is limited by the provisions of Sections 115 and 401(h).

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 14 - POSTRETIREMENT BENEFIT PLANS - (Continued)

The OP&F Board of Trustees also is authorized to establish requirements for contributions to the health care plan by retirees and their eligible dependents, or their surviving beneficiaries. Payment amounts vary depending on the number of covered dependents and the coverage selected.

The Village's contributions to OP&F which were allocated to fund post-employment healthcare benefits for police officers were \$1,700 for the year ended December 31, 2016, \$1,894 for the year ended December 31, 2015, and \$1,728 for the year ended December 31, 2014. 100% has been contributed for 2015 and 2014. 96.39% has been contributed for police for 2016. The remaining 2016 post-employment health care benefits liability has been reported as due to other governments on the basic financial statements.

NOTE 15 - BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

While reporting financial position, results of operations, and changes in fund balance on the basis of generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), the budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts and disbursements.

The statement of revenue, expenditures and changes in fund balance - budget and actual (non-GAAP budgetary basis) presented for the general fund, fire fund, Eagle Ridge TIF fund, timber ridge TIF fund, and the police services fund, are presented on the budgetary basis to provide a meaningful comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and the GAAP basis are that:

- (a) Revenues and other financing sources are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis);
- (b) Expenditures and other financing uses are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis);
- (c) In order to determine compliance with Ohio law, and to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, total outstanding encumbrances (budget basis) are recorded as the equivalent of an expenditure, as opposed to assigned or committed fund balance for that portion of outstanding encumbrances not already recognized as an account payable (GAAP basis);
- (d) Advances-in and advances-out are operating transactions (budget basis) as opposed to balance sheet transactions (GAAP basis);
- (e) Some funds are included in the general fund (GAAP basis), but have separate legally adopted budgets (budget basis).

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 15 - BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING - (Continued)

The following table summarizes the adjustments necessary to reconcile the GAAP basis statements (as reported in the fund financial statements) to the budgetary basis statements for all governmental funds for which a budgetary basis statement is presented:

Net Change in Fund Balance

	<u>Ger</u>	neral fund	Fire	_	Eagle Ridge TIF	Гimber Ridge <u>TIF</u>		Police ervices
Budget basis	\$	277,234	\$ 31,342	\$	(7,811)	\$ (82,480)	\$	39,166
Net adjustment for revenue accruals		7,692	3		-	-		4,375
Net adjustment for expenditure accruals		(3,659)	1,918		-	5,008		(4,509)
Net adjustment for other sources/uses		-	-		-	-		(1,110)
Adjustment for encumbrances		4,855	 2,671	_		 _	_	4
GAAP basis	\$	286,122	\$ 35,934	\$	(7,811)	\$ (77,472)	\$	37,926

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NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 16 - FUND BALANCE

Fund balance is classified as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned and/or unassigned based primarily on the extent to which the Village is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of resources in the governmental funds. The constraints placed on fund balance for the major governmental funds and all other governmental funds are presented below:

Fund cash balance	General	Fire	Eagle Ridge TIF	Timber Ridge TIF	Police Services	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Nonspendable:		_					
Materials and supplies inventory	\$ 3,221	\$ 299	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 13,915	\$ 17,435
Prepaids	8,539	1,640		<u>-</u> _	2,754	966	13,899
Total nonspendable	11,760	1,939			2,754	14,881	31,334
Restricted:							
General government	-	-	-	-	-	123,725	123,725
Capital improvements	-	-	12,934	307,831	-	16,238	337,003
Security of persons and property	-	235,062	-	-	318,449	816	554,327
Community environment programs	-	-	-	-	-	10,682	10,682
Transportation	-	-	-	-	-	450,253	450,253
Other purposes						24,750	24,750
Total restricted		235,062	12,934	307,831	318,449	626,464	1,500,740
Committed:							
Transportation	-	-	-	-	-	252,377	252,377
Debt service	-	-	-	-	-	12,235	12,235
Capital improvements						66,856	66,856
Total committed						331,468	331,468
Assigned:							
General government	3,691	-	-	-	-	-	3,691
Security of persons and property	886	-	-	-	-	-	886
Community environment programs	228						228
Total assigned	4,805					<u>-</u>	4,805
Unassigned	1,148,828					(69,994)	1,078,834
Total fund cash balances	\$ 1,165,393	\$ 237,001	\$ 12,934	\$ 307,831	\$ 321,203	\$ 902,819	\$ 2,947,181

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

NOTE 17 - OTHER COMMITMENTS

The Village utilizes encumbrance accounting as part of its budgetary controls. Encumbrances outstanding at year end may be reported as part of restricted, committed, or assigned classifications of fund balance. At year end, the Village's commitments for encumbrances in the governmental funds were as follows:

	Year-End				
<u>Fund</u>	Encumbrances				
General fund	\$	4,856			
Fire		2,671			
Police		4			
Nonmajor governmental funds		55,460			
Total	\$	62,991			

NOTE 18 - CONTINGENCIES

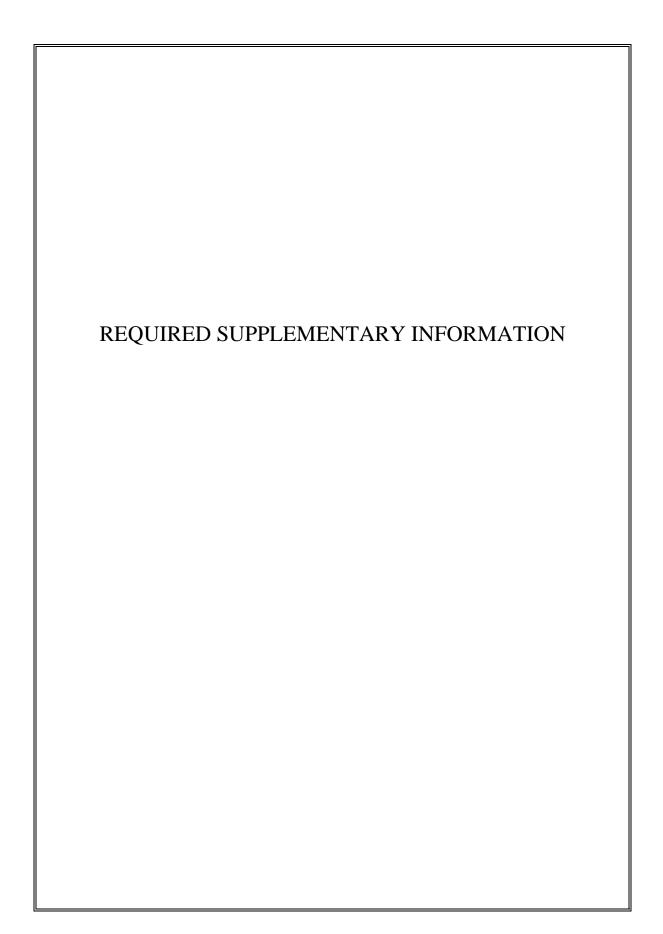
A. Grants

The Village receives significant financial assistance from numerous federal and State agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the general fund or other applicable funds. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on any of the financial statements of the individual fund types included herein or on the overall financial position of the Village at December 31, 2016.

B. Litigation

The Village is currently not involved in litigation for which the Village's legal counsel anticipates a loss.

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SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF THE VILLAGE'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY/NET PENSION ASSET OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (OPERS)

LAST THREE YEARS

		2016		2015	2014		
Traditional Plan:	·					_	
Village's proportion of the net pension liability	0.004571%			0.004643%	0.004643%		
Village's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$	791,755	\$	559,999	\$	547,348	
Village's covered-employee payroll	\$	666,625	\$	664,133	\$	552,838	
Village's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll		118.77%		84.32%		99.01%	
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability		81.08%		86.45%		86.36%	
Member Directed Plan:							
Village's proportion of the net pension asset		0.006787%		n/a		n/a	
Village's proportionate share of the net pension asset	\$	26		n/a		n/a	
Village's covered-employee payroll	\$	37,800		n/a		n/a	
Village's proportionate share of the net pension asset as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll		0.07%		n/a		n/a	
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension asset		103.91%		n/a		n/a	

Note: Information prior to 2014 was unavailable. Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.

Amounts presented for each year were determined as of the Village's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF THE VILLAGE'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY OHIO POLICE AND FIRE (OP&F) PENSION FUND

LAST THREE YEARS

		2016		2015	2014		
Village's proportion of the net pension liability	0.	01486100%	0.	.01437250%	0.	.01437250%	
Village's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$	955,994	\$	744,555	\$	699,986	
Village's covered-employee payroll	\$	368,916	\$	346,826	\$	333,035	
Village's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll		259.14%		214.68%		210.18%	
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability		66.77%		72.20%		73.00%	

Note: Information prior to 2014 was unavailable. Schedule is intended to show information for 10 years. Additional years will be displayed as they become available.

Amounts presented for each year were determined as of the Village's measurement date which is the prior year-end.

SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF VILLAGE'S CONTRIBUTIONS OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (OPERS)

LAST TEN YEARS

	2016 2015		2014	2013		
Traditional Plan:	 					
Contractually required contribution	\$ 77,736	\$	79,995	\$ 79,696	\$	71,869
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	 (77,736)		(79,995)	(79,696)		(71,869)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	\$		\$ 	\$	
Village's covered-employee payroll	\$ 647,800	\$	666,625	\$ 664,133	\$	552,838
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	12.00%		12.00%	12.00%		13.00%
Member Directed Plan:						
Contractually required contribution	\$ 5,197	\$	4,536			
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(5,197)		(4,536)			
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	\$				
Village's covered-employee payroll	\$ 43,308	\$	37,800			
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	12.00%		12.00%			

 2012 2011		 2010		2009		2008	2007		
\$ 50,656	\$	51,687	\$ 41,367	\$	52,461	\$	34,595	\$	41,544
(50,656)		(51,687)	(41,367)		(52,461)		(34,595)		(41,544)
\$ 	\$		\$ 	\$		\$		\$	
\$ 506,560	\$	516,870	\$ 463,929	\$	645,674	\$	494,214	\$	497,533
10.00%		10.00%	8.92%		8.13%		7.00%		8.35%

SCHEDULES OF REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF VILLAGE'S CONTRIBUTIONS OHIO POLICE AND FIRE (OP&F) PENSION FUND

LAST TEN YEARS

Police:	2016		2015		 2014	2013	
Contractually required contribution	\$	64,584	\$	70,094	\$ 65,897	\$	52,886
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution		(64,584)		(70,094)	(65,897)		(52,886)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$		\$		\$ <u>-</u>	\$	
Village's covered-employee payroll	\$	339,916	\$	368,916	\$ 346,826	\$	332,965
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll		19.00%		19.00%	19.00%		15.88%

 2012	2011		2010		2009		2008		2007	
\$ 31,387	\$	21,211	\$	33,601	\$	27,782	\$	48,545	\$	32,813
 (31,387)		(21,211)		(33,601)		(27,782)		(48,545)		(32,813)
\$ 	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	<u>-</u>
\$ 246,173	\$	166,361	\$	263,537	\$	217,898	\$	380,745	\$	257,357
12.75%		12.75%		12.75%		12.75%		12.75%		12.75%

NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (OPERS)

Changes in benefit terms: There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for 2014-2016.

Changes in assumptions: There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for 2014-2016. See the notes to the basic financial statements for the methods and assumptions in this calculation.

OHIO POLICE AND FIRE (OP&F) PENSION FUND

Changes in benefit terms: There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for 2014-2016.

Changes in assumptions: There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for 2014-2016. See the notes to the basic financial statements for the methods and assumptions in this calculation.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

June 29, 2017

Certified Public Accountants, A.C.

Village of Carlisle Warren County 760 Central Avenue Carlisle, Ohio 45005

To the Village Council:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the **Village of Carlisle**, Warren County, (the Village) as of and for the year ended December 31, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Village's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated June 29, 2017.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

As part of our financial statement audit, we considered the Village's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures appropriate in the circumstances to the extent necessary to support our opinions on the financial statements, but not to the extent necessary to opine on the effectiveness of the Village's internal control. Accordingly, we have not opined on it.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and timely correct misstatements. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of internal control deficiencies resulting in a reasonable possibility that internal control will not prevent or detect and timely correct a material misstatement of the Village's financial statements. 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.

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 internal control deficiencies that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider material weaknesses. However, unidentified material weaknesses may exist.

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Compliance and Other Matters

As part of reasonably assuring whether the Village's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect the determination of financial statement amounts. However, opining on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and accordingly, we do not express an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We did note certain matters not requiring inclusion in this report that we reported to the Village's management in a separate letter dated June 29, 2017.

Purpose of this Report

This report only describes the scope of our internal control and compliance testing and our testing results, and does not opine on the effectiveness of the Village's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed under *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Village's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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VILLAGE OF CARLISLE WARREN COUNTY

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED SEPTEMBER 12, 2017