

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN
HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO**

AUDIT REPORT

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 2018**

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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority, Hancock County, prepared by James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc., for the audit period January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018. 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 Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

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Keith Faber
Auditor of State
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June 27, 2019

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of the Board
Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority
Findlay, Ohio

Regional Inspector General of Audit
Department of Housing and Urban
Development

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the business-type activities of the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, (the Authority) as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Authority's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Authority's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the business-type activities of the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority as of December 31, 2018, and the changes in financial position and cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1 to the basic financial statements, during 2018, the Authority adopted new accounting guidance in Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions*. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements. The Financial Data Schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

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

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 17, 2019, on our consideration of the Authority's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Authority's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc.
Certified Public Accountants

June 17, 2019

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

This Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) for the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority (Hancock MHA) is intended to assist the reader identify what management feels are significant financial issues, provide an overview of the financial activity for the year, and identify and offer a discussion about changes in Hancock MHA's financial position. It is designed to focus on the financial activity for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2018, resulting changes and currently known facts. Please read it in conjunction with the financial statements found elsewhere in this report.

Overview of the Financial Statements

The basic financial statements included elsewhere in this report are:

The Statement of Net Position.
The Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position, and
The Statement of Cash Flows.

The *Statement of Net Position* is very similar to, and what most people would think of as, a Balance Sheet. In the first half it generally reports the value of assets Hancock MHA holds, that is, the cash Hancock MHA has, the amounts that are owed Hancock MHA from others, and the value of the equipment Hancock MHA owns. In the other half of the statement it generally shows the liabilities Hancock MHA has, that is, what Hancock MHA owes others, and what Net Position (or what is commonly referred to as Equity) Hancock MHA has. The two parts of the report are in balance, thus why many might refer to this type of report as a Balance Sheet, in that the total of the assets and deferred outflow of resources equals the total of the liabilities and deferred inflows of resources plus Net Position (or equity).

In the statement, the Net Position part is broken out into three board categories:

Net Investment in Capital Assets
Restricted Net Position, and
Unrestricted Net Position.

The balance in Net Investment in Capital Assets reflects the value of capital assets, that is assets such as land, buildings, and equipment, reported in the top part of the statement reduced by the amount of accumulated depreciation of those assets and by the outstanding amount of debt yet owed on those assets.

The balance in Restricted Net Position reflects the value of assets reported in the top part of the statements that are restricted for use by law or regulation, or when the use of those assets is restricted by constraints placed on the assets by creditors.

The balance in Unrestricted Net Position is what is left over of Net Position after what is classified in the two previously mentioned components of Net Position. It reflects the value of assets available to Hancock MHA to use to further its purpose.

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The *Statement of Revenues, Expenses & Changes in Net Position* is very similar to and may commonly be referred to as an Income Statement. It essentially is a report showing what Hancock MHA earned, that is what its revenues or incomes were, and what expenses Hancock MHA had over the same period. It shows how the Net Position (or equity) changed because of how the incomes exceeded or were less than what expenses were. It helps the reader to determine if Hancock MHA had more in revenues than in expenses or vice-versa, and then how that net gain or net loss affected the Net Position. The bottom line of the report, the Ending Total Net Position, is what is referred to in the above discussion of the Statement of Net Position that when added to the liabilities and deferred inflow of resources Hancock MHA has equals the total assets and deferred outflow of resources Hancock MHA has.

The *Statement of Cash Flows* is a report that shows how the amount of cash Hancock MHA had at the end of the previous year was impacted by the activities of the current year. It breaks out in general categories the cash coming in and the cash going out. It helps the reader to understand the sources and uses of cash by Hancock MHA during the year to include a measurement of cash gained or used by operating activities, by activities related to acquiring capital assets, and by activities related to investing activities.

Hancock MHA's Business Type Funds

The financial statements included elsewhere in this report are presented using the Authority-wide perspective meaning the activity reported reflects the summed results of all programs, or business-type funds of Hancock MHA. Hancock MHA consists exclusively of Enterprise Funds. The full accrual basis of accounting is used for Enterprise Funds. That method of accounting is very similar to accounting used in the private sector.

Hancock MHA's programs include the following:

The Section 8 Housing Programs (Housing Choice Vouchers and Mainstream Vouchers), and
The State and Local program.

Under the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher and Mainstream Voucher programs, Hancock MHA subsidizes the rent of low to moderate-income families through Housing Assistance Payments contracts when those families rent from private landlords. These are called a tenant-based program because when the tenant family moves, the rental assistance goes with the family to the new rental unit. Under the Mainstream Voucher Program, the rental assistance is targeted to a specific population.

Under its State and Local program, Hancock MHA operates rental assistance programs structured similarly to the Section 8 programs, but funding for the programs flows to Hancock MHA through local governments.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

THE AUTHORITY'S STATEMENTS

Statement of Net Position

The following table reflects the condensed Statement of Net Position compared to the prior year end. Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority is engaged only in business-type activities.

**Table 1 - Condensed Statement of Net Position Compared to Prior Year
(Values rounded to nearest Thousand)**

	2018	2017 Restated
<u>Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>		
<u>Assets</u>		
Current and Other Assets	\$ 175,000	\$ 185,000
Capital Assets	5,000	6,000
Total Assets	180,000	191,000
Deferred Outflows	65,000	130,000
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$ 245,000	\$ 321,000
<u>Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position</u>		
<u>Liabilities</u>		
Current Liabilities	\$ 19,000	\$ 18,000
Long-Term Liabilities	372,000	506,000
Total Liabilities	391,000	524,000
Deferred Inflows of Resources	100,000	40,000
<u>Net Position</u>		
Invested in Capital Assets	5,000	6,000
Restricted	76,000	89,000
Unrestricted	(327,000)	(338,000)
Total Net Position	(246,000)	(243,000)
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position	\$ 245,000	\$ 321,000

For more detail information, see Statement of Net Position presented elsewhere in this report.

The change in current assets, a decrease of approximately \$10,000, corresponded closely with the change in restricted net position. This reflects the work Hancock MHA did to more fully spend funding provided by HUD to make rental assistance payments under the Housing Choice Voucher program. Otherwise, significant changes on the Statement of Net Position were to deferred outflow of resources, non-current liabilities, and deferred inflow of resources, balances reported in accordance with GASB 68 and GASB 75. In addition, the 2017 balances of deferred outflow of resources, non-current liabilities, and unrestricted net position have all been restated from what was reported at December 31, 2017, due to Hancock MHA implementing GASB 75 with this reporting period.

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Reporting of pension and other postemployment benefits (OPEB) activity is required by GASB 68 and GASB 75. GASB 68 and GASB 75 are accounting standards that essentially require employers like Hancock MHA to report what is determined to be its share of the unfunded pension and health insurance liability of the pension system, the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS). Employees of Hancock MHA are required by state law to be members of OPERS, and Hancock MHA is required to make retirement contributions to OPERS for all of its employees. The net pension liability and OPEB liability reported as non-current liabilities are unlike other liabilities Hancock MHA has in that these liabilities do not represent invoices or debts to be paid by Hancock MHA but rather is an attempt to estimate the extent to which contributions to OPERS would have to increase in order for OPERS to fully fund its future pension and healthcare obligations. GASB 68 was implemented a few years ago. GASB 75 is implemented with this reporting period. Implementation of GASB 75 in this financial reporting period caused net position to be restated as of December 31, 2017 by a value of about \$157,000 less than what it was reported in last year's report.

The following is a condensed *Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position*. Hancock MHA is engaged only in business type activities.

**Table 2 - Condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position
(Values rounded to nearest Thousand)**

	2018	2017
<u>Revenues</u>		
Operating Subsidies and Grants	\$ 3,183,000	\$ 3,370,000
Other Revenues	15,000	27,000
Total Revenues	3,198,000	3,397,000
<u>Expenses</u>		
Administrative	361,000	395,000
General and Maintenance	8,000	11,000
Housing Assistance Payments	2,828,000	2,921,000
Depreciation	4,000	5,000
Total Expenses	3,201,000	3,332,000
Net Increase	(3,000)	65,000
Beginning Net Position - Restated	(243,000)	N/A
Total Net Position - Ending	\$ (246,000)	\$ (243,000)

N/A - Information necessary to restate the fiscal year 2017 beginning balance and the 2017 OPEB expense related to implementation of GASB Statement No. 75 is not available.

For more detailed information see Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position presented elsewhere in this report.

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Overall revenues dropped by about \$199,000 (almost 6%). The reduction was primarily in HUD funding for the Housing Choice Voucher Program that the agency must use to make rental assistance payments on behalf of agency clients. HAP expense is the level of rental assistance payments made by the agency. It also dropped by about half of what the revenue for this purpose dropped. Otherwise the reduction in funding for this purpose exceeding the reduction in expense for this purpose is reflected in the reduction in restricted net position noted in the previous section about changes to balances on the Statement of Net Position. This drop in funding and expense does not represent a shrinking of the program but rather more a temporary reduction in flow of funds for this purpose as the agency experienced a temporary drop in lease up in the program.

The other notable change on the statement is to administrative expenses. This change like the large changes on the Statement of Net Position is related to the reporting of balances pursuant to GASB 68. Pension expense to be reported by Hancock MHA as a result of changes in the unfunded pension liability of OPERS, the retirement system, is about \$30,000 less than what it was last year. That amount is just about the change in administrative expense reported by Hancock MHA.

The following is a condensed *Statement of Changes in Capital Assets* comparing the balance in capital assets at the year-end versus at the end of the prior year.

**Table 3 - Condensed Statement of Changes in Capital Assets
(Values rounded to nearest Thousand)**

	2018	2017
Equipment	\$ 101,000	\$ 98,000
Accumulated Depreciation	(96,000)	(92,000)
Total	\$ 5,000	\$ 6,000

The Authority had no equipment additions in the period, however, deletions of fully depreciated equipment no longer in service were recorded.

Debt

The Authority has no debt.

Economic Factors

The continued trend of deep cuts to funding for administration of Authority programs by HUD presents significant challenges to management to find ways to continue to provide services to Authority clients. While the Authority made cuts in the period to produce favorable results, operating with less dollars to administer programs means less staff to perform the work of the agency and ultimately fewer families in the community that are provided rental assistance by the agency.

Financial Contact

Questions concerning this report or requests for additional information should be directed to Casey Ricker, Executive Director of the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority, Suite 114, the Family Center, 1800 N. Blanchard Street, Findlay, Ohio, 45840.

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUND
DECEMBER 31, 2018**

ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES

Assets

Current Assets

Cash and Cash Equivalents - Unrestricted	\$ 37,560
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Restricted	76,398
Accounts Receivable, Net	47,812
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	13,769
Total Current Assets	<u>175,539</u>

Noncurrent Assets

Capital Assets:

Depreciable Capital Assets, Net	4,889
Total Noncurrent Assets	<u>4,889</u>

Deferred Outflows of Resources

Pension	53,299
OPEB	11,508
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>64,807</u>

TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	<u>\$ 245,235</u>
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LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS AND RESOURCES, AND NET POSITION

Liabilities

Current Liabilities

Accounts Payable	\$ 11,697
Accrued Liabilities	3,449
Other Current Liabilities	3,876
Total Current Liabilities	<u>19,022</u>

Noncurrent Liabilities

Accrued Compensated Absences	7,196
Net Pension Liability	208,651
Net OPEB Liability	156,373
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	<u>372,220</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>391,242</u>

Deferred Inflow of Resources

Pension	78,693
OPEB	21,462
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>100,155</u>

Net Position

Investment in Capital Assets	4,889
Restricted Net Position	76,398
Unrestricted Net Position	(327,449)
Total Net Position	<u>(246,162)</u>

TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND NET POSITION	<u>\$ 245,235</u>
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

<u>Operating Revenue</u>	
Government Operating Grants	\$ 3,183,374
Other Revenues	14,622
Total Operating Revenue	<u>3,197,996</u>
 <u>Operating Expenses</u>	
Administrative	361,262
Maintenance	2,059
General	6,242
Housing Assistance Payments	2,827,638
Depreciation	3,559
Total Operating Expenses	<u>3,200,760</u>
Change in Net Position	(2,764)
 Total Net Position at Beginning of Year - Restated	 <u>(243,398)</u>
 Total Net Position at End of Year	 <u><u>\$ (246,162)</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
PROPIETARY FUND TYPE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

Cash Flows from Operating Activities

Operating Grants Received	\$ 3,187,954
Other Revenue Received	11,508
General and Administrative Expenses Paid	(373,988)
Housing Assistance Payments	(2,827,638)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	<u>(2,164)</u>

Cash Flows from Capital and Related Activities

Acquisition of Capital Assets	(2,507)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital and Related Activities	<u>(2,507)</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	(4,671)

Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	118,629
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	<u>\$ 113,958</u>

**Reconciliation of Operating Income to
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities**

Net Operating Income	\$ (2,764)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Loss to Net Cash	
Used by Operating Activities:	
Depreciation	3,559
(Increase) Decrease in:	
Accounts Receivable	6,983
Prepaid Expenses	(1,639)
Deferred Outflows of Resources	64,697
Increase (Decrease) in:	
Accounts Payable	5
Accrued Liabilities	706
Accrued Compensated Absences	931
Other Current Liabilities	286
Other Non-Current Liabilities	(5,517)
Net Pension/OPEB Liability	(129,383)
Deferred Inflows of Resources	59,972
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	<u>\$ (2,164)</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

NOTE 1: **SUMMARY OF ORGANIZATION, SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements of the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority (the Authority) have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the Authority's accounting policies are described below.

Reporting Entity

The Authority is a political subdivision of the State of Ohio, located in Findlay, Ohio. The Authority was created under the Ohio Revised Code, Section 3735.27, to engage in the acquisition, development, leasing, and administration of low-rent housing program. The Authority contracts with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to provide low- and moderate-income persons with safe and sanitary housing through subsidies provided by HUD. The Authority depends on the subsidies from HUD to operate.

The accompanying basic financial statements comply with the provision of Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 61, *The Financial Reporting Entity*, in that the financial statements include all organizations, activities, and functions for which the Authority is financially accountable. This report includes all activities considered by management to be part of the Authority by virtue of Section 2100 of the Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards.

Section 2100 indicates that the reporting entity consists of **a)** the primary government, **b)** organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable, and **c)** other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

The definition of the reporting entity is based primarily on the notion of financial accountability. A primary government is financially accountable for the organizations that make up its legal entity. It is also financially accountable for legally separate organizations if its officials appoint a voting majority of an organization's government body and either it is able to impose its will on that organization or there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or to impose specific financial burdens on, the primary government. A primary government may also be financially accountable for governmental organizations that are fiscally dependent on it.

A primary government has the ability to impose its will on an organization if it can significantly influence the programs, projects, or activities of, or the level of services performed or provided by, the organization. A financial benefit or burden relationship exists if the primary government **a)** is entitled to the organization's resources; **b)** is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the obligation to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or **c)** is obligated in some manner for the debt of the organization.

Management believes the financial statements included in this report represent all of the funds of the Authority over which the Authority is financially accountable.

HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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(CONTINUED)

NOTE 1: **SUMMARY OF ORGANIZATION, SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

Basis of Presentation

The Authority's basic financial statements consist of a Statement of Net Position, a Statement of Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position, and a Statement of Cash Flows.

Pursuant to GASB Statement No. 62, *Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance, Contained in Pre-November 30, 1989 FASB and AICPA Pronouncements*, the Authority follows GASB guidance as applicable to enterprise funds.

The Authority uses a single enterprise fund 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.

Enterprise fund reporting focuses on the determination of the changes in net position, financial position and cash flows. An enterprise fund may be used for any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods and services.

Measurement Focus

The enterprise fund is accounted for on flow of economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operations of the Authority are included on the statement of net position. The statement of change in net position presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in net position. The statement of cash flows provides information about how the Authority finances and meets the cash flow needs of its enterprise activity.

Enterprise Fund

The Authority uses the propriety fund to report on its financial position and the results of its operations for its housing programs. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain government functions or activities.

Funds are classified into three categories: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. The Authority uses the propriety category for its programs.

The following are the various programs which are included in the single enterprise fund:

Section 8 Programs

Under the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher and Mainstream Voucher Programs, the Authority subsidizes the rents of low-income families that rent from private landlords. The program is administered under an Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) with HUD. HUD provides Annual Contributions Funding to enable the Authority to structure a lease that sets the participants' rent at 30 percent of household income.

State and Local Program

The State and Local Program functions similarly to the Section 8 Housing Programs. The source of funding is local government.

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018
(CONTINUED)**

NOTE 1: **SUMMARY OF ORGANIZATION, SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of the statements of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include all highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less, and all non-negotiable certificates of deposits regardless of maturity.

Investments

Investments are restricted by the provisions of the HUD regulations. Investments are valued at market value.

Prepaid Expenses

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit future periods are recorded as prepaid expenses using the consumption method. A current asset for the amount is recorded at the time of the purchase and expense is reported in the year in which the services are consumed.

Capital Assets

Capital assets are stated at cost. The capitalization policy of the Authority is to depreciate all non-expendable personal property having a useful life of more than one year and purchase price of \$1,000 or more per unit. Expenditures for repairs and maintenance are charged directly to expense as they are incurred. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Buildings	25-40 years
Building Improvements	15-25 years
Furniture, Equipment, and Machinery	3-7 years

Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflow of resources compared to liabilities and deferred inflow of resources. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balance of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. Net position is recorded as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use by internal or external restrictions.

Operating Revenues and Expenses

Operating revenues and expenses are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activities of the proprietary fund and expenses incurred for the day to day operation. For the Authority, operating revenues are operating subsidy from HUD and other miscellaneous revenue.

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NOTE 1: **SUMMARY OF ORGANIZATION, SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

Compensated Absences

The Authority accounts for compensated absences in accordance with GASB Statement No. 16. Sick leave and other compensated absences with similar characteristics are accrued as a liability based on the sick leave accumulated at the balance sheet date by those employees who currently are eligible to receive termination payments. To calculate the liability, these accumulated payments are reduced to the maximum amount allowed as a termination payment. All employees who meet the termination policy of the Authority for years of service are included in the calculation of the compensated absence accrual amount.

Vacation leave and other compensated absences with similar characteristics are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned by the employees if both of the following conditions are met: 1) the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee, and 2) it is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means, such as cash payments at termination or retirement.

In the proprietary fund, the compensated absences are expensed when earned with the amount reported as a fund liability.

Pensions/Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

For purposes of measuring the net pension/OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions/OPEB, and pension/OPEB expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the pension/OPEB plans and additions to/deductions from their fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the pension/OPEB 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/OPEB systems report investments at fair value.

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the Statement of Net Position reports a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense) until then. For the Authority, deferred outflows of resources are reported on the Statement of Net Position for pension/OPEB. The deferred outflows of resources related to pension/OPEB plans are explained in Notes 6 and 7.

In addition to liabilities, the Statement of Net Position reports 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 until that time. For the Authority, deferred inflows of resources are reported on the Statement of Net Position for pension/OPEB. Deferred inflows of resources related to pension/OPEB plans are reported on the Statement of Net Position (See Notes 6 and 7).

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NOTE 1: **SUMMARY OF ORGANIZATION, SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

Budgetary Accounting

The Authority is required by contractual agreements to adopt annual, appropriated operating budgets for all its Enterprise Funds receiving federal expenditure awards. All budgets are prepared on a HUD basis, which is materially consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Board of Commissioners adopts the budget through passage of a budget resolution.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Change in Accounting Principle

For fiscal year 2018, the Authority implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 85, Omnibus 2017, Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions*, and related guidance from (GASB) Implementation Guide No. 2017-3, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits other Than Pensions (and Certain Issues Related to OPEB Plan Reporting)*.

GASB 85 addresses a variety of topics including issues related to blending component units, goodwill, fair value measurement and application, and postemployment benefits (pensions and other postemployment benefits (OPEB)). These changes were incorporated in the Authority's fiscal year 2018 financial statements; however, there was no effect on beginning net position/fund balance.

GASB 75 established standards for measuring and recognizing Postemployment benefit liabilities, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources and expense/expenditure. The implementation of this pronouncement had the following effect on net position as reported December 31, 2017:

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Change in Accounting Principle (Continued)

Net Position December 31, 2017	\$	(85,715)
Adjustments:		
Net OPEB liability		(160,595)
Deferred Outflow - Payments Subsequent to Measurement Date		2,912
Restated Net Position December 31, 2017	\$	(243,398)

Other than employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date, the Authority made no restatement for deferred inflows/outflows of resources as the information needed to generate these restatements was not available.

NOTE 2: **DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

Deposits

State statutes classify monies held by the Authority into three categories:

- A. Active deposits are public deposits necessary to meet demands on the treasury. Such monies must be maintained either as cash in the Authority's treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawal on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.
- B. Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Authority has identified as not required for use within the two-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 the depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.
- C. 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.

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

At fiscal year end, December 31, 2018, the carrying amount of the Authority's deposits totaled \$113,958, and its bank balance was \$124,164. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, *Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosure*, as of December 31, 2018, \$124,164 was covered by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation.

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NOTE 2: **DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS** (Continued)

Deposits (Continued)

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the Authority will not be able to recover the deposits. All deposits exceeding FDIC are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105 percent 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 Authority.

NOTE 3: **RESTRICTED CASH AND INVESTMENTS**

The restricted cash balance as of December 31, 2018 was \$76,398 and it represents the following:

Unspent HUD advances for Housing Assistance Payments - HCV Programs	\$ 42,216
Unspent HUD advances for Housing Assistance Payments - MSV	34,182
Total Restricted Cash on Hand	<u><u>\$ 76,398</u></u>

NOTE 4: **CAPITAL ASSETS**

The following is a summary of changes in capital assets for the year:

	Balance 12/31/17	Additions	Deletions	Balance 12/31/18
<u>Capital Assets Being Depreciated</u>				
Furniture, Machinery, and Equipment - Admin	\$ 98,172	\$ 2,507	\$ 0	\$ 100,679
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	<u>98,172</u>	<u>2,507</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>100,679</u>
<u>Accumulated Depreciation</u>				
Furniture, Machinery, and Equipment	(92,231)	(3,559)	0	(95,790)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(92,231)</u>	<u>(3,559)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(95,790)</u>
Total Capital Assets, Net	<u><u>\$ 5,941</u></u>	<u><u>\$ (1,052)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 0</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 4,889</u></u>

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NOTE 5: NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES

A summary of changes in non-current liabilities is as follows:

	Restated Balance 01/01/18	Additions	Deletions	Balance 12/31/18	Current Portion
Compensated Absences	\$ 6,265	\$ 13,335	\$ (12,404)	\$ 7,196	\$ 0
FSS Escrows	5,517	0	(5,517)	0	0
Net Pension Liability	333,812	0	(125,161)	208,651	0
OPEB Liability	160,595	0	(4,222)	156,373	0
Total	\$ 506,189	\$ 13,335	\$ (147,304)	\$ 372,220	\$ 0

NOTE 6: DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

Net Pension Liability

The net pension liability reported on the statement of net position represents a liability 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 represents the Authority’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 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.

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

GASB 68 assumes the 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.

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NOTE 6: **DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN** (Continued)

Net Pension Liability (Continued)

The proportionate share of each plan's unfunded benefits is presented as a long-term *net pension liability* on the accrual basis of accounting. Any liability for the contractually-required pension contribution outstanding at the end of the year is included in *intergovernmental payable* on both the accrual and modified accrual bases of accounting.

Plan Description – Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS)

Plan Description - Authority employees 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. Authority employees) may elect the member-directed plan and the combined plan, substantially all employee members are in OPERS' traditional plan; therefore, the following disclosure focuses on the traditional pension plan.

OPERS provides retirement, disability, survivor and death benefits, and annual cost of living adjustments to members of the traditional 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 plan as per the reduced benefits adopted by SB 343 (see OPERS' CAFR referenced above for additional information):

Group A	Group B	Group C
Eligible to retire prior to January 7, 2013 or five years after January 7, 2013	20 years of service credit prior to January 7, 2013 or eligible to retire ten years after January 7, 2013	Members not in other Groups and members hired on or after January 7, 2013
State and Local	State and Local	State and Local
Age and Service Requirements: Age 60 with 60 months of service credit or Age 55 with 25 years of service credit	Age and Service Requirements: Age 60 with 60 months of service credit or Age 55 with 25 years of service credit	Age and Service Requirements: Age 62 with 5 years of service credit or Age 57 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	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	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

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NOTE 6: **DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN** (Continued)

Plan Description – Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS) (Continued)

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.

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.

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

2017 - 2018 Statutory Maximum Contribution Rates	State and Local
Employer	14.0 %
Employee	10.0 %

With the assistance of the System’s actuary and Board approval, a portion of each employer contribution to OPERS may be set aside for the funding of post-employment health care coverage. The portion of the Traditional Pension Plan and Combined Plan employer contributions allocated to health care was 1.0 percent for 2017, and 0.0 percent for 2018.

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

The Authority’s contractually required contribution for pension was \$28,150 for fiscal year ending December 31, 2018.

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

The net pension liability was measured as of December 31, 2017, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Authority’s proportion of the net pension liability was based on the Authority’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:

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NOTE 6: **DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN** (Continued)

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

	<u>OPERS Traditional Pension Plan</u>
Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	
Prior Measurement Date	0.001470%
Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	
Current Measurement Date	<u>0.001330%</u>
Change in Proportionate Share	<u>-0.000140%</u>
Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 208,651
Pension Expense	\$ 14,792

At December 31, 2018, the Authority reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	<u>OPERS Traditional Pension Plan</u>
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 214
Changes of assumptions	24,935
Authority contributions subsequent to the measurement date	<u>28,150</u>
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>\$ 53,299</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	\$ 44,796
Differences between expected and actual experience	4,110
Changes in proportion and differences between Authority contributions and proportionate share of contributions	<u>29,787</u>
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>\$ 78,693</u>

\$28,150 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pension resulting from the Authority's contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending December 31, 2019. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

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NOTE 6: **DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN** (Continued)

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

Year Ending December 31:	<u>OPERS Traditional Pension Plan</u>
2019	\$ (3,029)
2020	(12,382)
2021	(19,727)
2022	<u>(18,406)</u>
Total	<u>\$ (53,544)</u>

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 in the December 31, 2017, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all prior periods included in the measurement in accordance with the requirements of GASB 67. In 2016, the Board of Trustees' actuarial consultants conducted an experience study for the period 2011 through 2015, comparing assumptions to actual results. The experience study incorporates both a historical view and forward-looking projections to determine the appropriate set of assumptions to keep the plan on a path toward full funding. Information from this study led to changes in both demographic and economic assumptions, with the most notable being a reduction in the actuarially assumed rate of return from 8.0 percent down to 7.5 percent, for the defined benefit investments. Key methods and assumptions used in the latest actuarial valuation, reflecting experience study results, are presented below:

Wage Inflation	3.25 percent
Future Salary Increases, including inflation COLA or Ad Hoc COLA	3.25 to 10.75 percent including wage inflation Pre 1/7/2013 retirees; 3 percent, simple Post 1/7/2013 retirees; 3 percent, simple through 2018, then 2.15 percent simple
Investment Rate of Return	7.5 percent
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age

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NOTE 6: **DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN** (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions – OPERS (Continued)

Pre-retirement mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Employees mortality table for males and females, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observation period base year of 2006. The base year for males and females was then established to be 2015 and 2010, respectively. Post-retirement mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant mortality table for males and females, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observation period base year of 2006. The base year for males and females was then established to be 2015 and 2010, respectively. Post-retirement mortality rates for disabled retirees are based on the RP-2014 Disabled mortality table for males and females, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observation period base year of 2006. The base year for males and females was then established to be 2015 and 2010, respectively. Mortality rates for a particular calendar year are determined by applying the MP-2015 mortality improvement scale to all of the above described tables.

The most recent experience study was completed for the five-year period ended December 31, 2015.

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.

OPERS manages investments in three investment portfolios: the Defined Benefits portfolio, the Health Care 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 and the annuitized accounts of the Member-Directed Plan. 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 annual money-weighted rate of return expressing investment performance, net of investments expenses and adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested, for the Defined Benefit portfolio is 16.82 percent for 2017.

The allocation of investment assets with the Defined Benefit portfolio is approved by the 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 2017 and the long-term expected real rates of return:

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NOTE 6: **DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN** (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions – OPERS (Continued)

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Weighted Average Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return (Arithmetic)</u>
Fixed Income	23.00 %	2.20 %
Domestic Equities	19.00	6.37
Real Estate	10.00	5.26
Private Equity	10.00	8.97
International Equities	20.00	7.88
Other investments	18.00	5.26
Total	<u>100.00 %</u>	<u>5.66 %</u>

Discount Rate The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.5 percent, post-experience study results. 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 was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Authority’s Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate The following table presents the Authority’s proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the current period discount rate assumption of 7.5 percent, as well as what the Authority’s proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one-percentage-point lower (6.5 percent) or one-percentage-point higher (8.5 percent) than the current rate:

	<u>1% Decrease (6.50%)</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate (7.50%)</u>	<u>1% Increase (8.50%)</u>
Authority's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 370,511	\$ 208,651	\$ 73,709

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS**

Net OPEB Liability

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The net OPEB liability represents the Authority's proportionate share of each OPEB plan's collective actuarial present value of projected benefit payments attributable to past periods of service, net of each OPEB plan's fiduciary net position. The net OPEB liability 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 these estimates annually.

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

GASB 75 assumes the liability is solely the obligation of the employer, because they benefit from employee services. OPEB contributions come from these employers and health care plan enrollees which pay a portion of the health care costs in the form of a monthly premium. The Ohio Revised Code permits, but does not require the retirement systems to provide healthcare to eligible benefit recipients. Any change to benefits or funding could significantly affect the net OPEB liability. Resulting adjustments to the net OPEB liability would be effective when the changes are legally enforceable. The retirement systems may allocate a portion of the employer contributions to provide for these OPEB benefits.

The proportionate share of each plan's unfunded benefits is presented as a long-term net OPEB liability on the accrual basis of accounting. Any liability for the contractually-required OPEB contribution outstanding at the end of the year is included in intergovernmental payable on both the accrual and modified accrual bases of accounting.

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (Continued)

Plan Description – Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS) (Continued)

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.

As of December 2016, OPERS maintains one health care trust, the 115 Health Care Trust (115 Trust), which was established in 2014 to initially provide a funding mechanism for a health reimbursement arrangement (HRA), as the prior trust structure could not support the HRA. In March 2016, OPERS received two favorable rulings from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) allowing OPERS to consolidate health care assets into the 115 Trust. The 401(h) Health Care Trust (401(h) Trust) was a pre-funded trust that provided health care funding for eligible members of the Traditional Pension Plan and the Combined Plan through December 31, 2015, when plans funded through the 401(h) Trust were terminated. The Voluntary Employees' Beneficiary Association Trust (VEBA Trust) accumulated funding for retiree medical accounts for participants in the Member-Directed Plan through June 30, 2016. The 401(h) Trust and the VEBA Trust were closed as of June 30, 2016 and the net positions transferred to the 115 Trust on July 1, 2016. Beginning in 2016, the 115 Trust, established under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 115, is the funding vehicle for all health care plans.

The OPERS health care plans are reported as other post-employment benefit plans (OPEB) based on the criteria established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Periodically, OPERS modifies the health care program design to improve the ongoing solvency of the plans. Eligibility requirements for access to the OPERS health care options have changed over the history of the program for Traditional Pension Plan and Combined Plan members. Prior to January 1, 2015, 10 or more years of service were required to qualify for health care coverage. Beginning January 1, 2015, generally, members must be at least age 60 with 20 years of qualifying service credit to qualify for health care coverage or 30 years of qualifying service at any age. Beginning 2016, Traditional Pension Plan and Combined Plan retirees enrolled in Medicare A and B were eligible to participate in the OPERS Medicare Connector (Connector). The Connector, a vendor selected by OPERS, assists eligible retirees in the selection and purchase of Medicare supplemental coverage through the Medicare market. Retirees that purchase supplemental coverage through the Connector may receive a monthly allowance in their HRA that can be used to reimburse eligible health care expenses.

Upon termination or retirement, Member-Directed Plan participants can use vested retiree medical account funds for reimbursement of qualified medical expenses. Members who elect the Member-Directed Plan after July 1, 2015 will vest in health care over 15 years at a rate of 10% each year starting with the sixth year of participation. Members who elected the Member-Directed Plan prior to July 1, 2015, vest in health care over a five-year period at a rate of 20% per year. Health care coverage is neither guaranteed nor statutorily required.

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (Continued)

Plan Description – Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS) (Continued)

The ORC permits, but does not require, OPERS to offer post-employment health care coverage. The ORC allows a portion of the employers' contributions to be used to fund health care coverage. The health care portion of the employer contribution rate for the Traditional Pension Plan and Combined Plan is comparable, as the same coverage options are provided to participants in both plans.

Prior to January 1, 2015, the System provided comprehensive health care coverage to retirees with 10 or more years of qualifying service credit and offered coverage to their dependents on a premium deduction or direct bill basis. Beginning January 1, 2015, the service eligibility criteria for health care coverage increased from 10 years to 20 years with a minimum age of 60, or 30 years of qualifying service at any age. Beginning with January 2016 premiums, Medicare-eligible retirees could select supplemental coverage through the Connector, and may be eligible for monthly allowances deposited to an HRA to be used for reimbursement of eligible health care expenses. Coverage for non-Medicare retirees includes hospitalization, medical expenses and prescription drugs. The System determines the amount, if any, of the associated health care costs that will be absorbed by the System and attempts to control costs by using managed care, case management, and other programs. Additional details on health care coverage can be found in the Plan Statement in the OPERS 2017 CAFR.

Participants in the Member-Directed Plan are not eligible for health care coverage offered to benefit recipients in the Traditional Pension Plan and Combined Plan. A portion of employer contributions for these participants is allocated to a retiree medical account. Upon separation or retirement, participants may be reimbursed for qualified medical expenses from these accounts.

An additional retiree medical account (RMA) was also established several years ago when three health care coverage levels were available to retirees. Monthly allowance amounts in excess of the cost of the retiree's selected coverage were notionally credited to the retiree's RMA. Retirees and their dependents could seek reimbursements from the RMA balances for qualified medical expenses. In 2013, the number of health care options available to retirees was reduced from three to one, eliminating the majority of deposits to the RMA. Wellness incentive payments were the only remaining deposits made to this RMA. Wellness incentives are no longer awarded starting with the 2017 plan year. These RMA balances were transferred to the HRA for retirees with both types of accounts. In addition, OPERS initiated an automatic claims payment process for reimbursements for retiree health care costs paid through pension deduction. This process will reimburse members for eligible health care premiums paid to OPERS, currently through pension deduction, up to the member's available RMA balance.

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

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (Continued)

Plan Description – Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS) (Continued)

	State and Local
2018 Statutory Maximum Contribution Rates	
Employer	14.0 %
Employee	10.0 %

With the assistance of the System’s actuary and Board approval, a portion of each employer contribution to OPERS may be set aside for the funding of post-employment health care coverage. Employer contribution rates are actuarially determined and are expressed as a percentage of covered payroll. The portion of the Traditional Pension Plan and Combined Plan employer contributions allocated to health care was 1.0 percent for 2017, and decreased to 0.0 percent for 2018. The employer contribution as a percent of covered payroll deposited for Member-Directed Plan health care accounts was 4.0 percent for 2017. The Authority’s contractually required contribution was \$0 for fiscal year ending December 31, 2018.

OPEB Liability, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

The net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2016, rolled forward to the measurement date of December 31, 2017, by incorporating the expected value of health care cost accruals, the actual health care payments, and interest accruals during the year. The Authority’s proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on the Authority’s share of total contributions relative to the total contributions of all participating entities. Following is information related to the proportionate share and OPEB expense:

	OPERS
Proportion of the Net OPEB Liability:	
Prior Measurement Date	0.001590%
Proportion of the Net OPEB Liability:	
Current Measurement Date	0.001440%
Change in Proportionate Share	-0.000150%
Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 156,373
OPEB Expense	\$ 8,644

At December 31, 2018, the Authority reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (Continued)

OPEB Liability, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB (Continued)

	OPERS
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 122
Changes of assumptions	11,386
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$ 11,508
 Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on OPEB plan investments	\$ 11,649
Changes in proportion and differences between Authority contributions and proportionate share of contributions	9,813
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	\$ 21,462

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

	OPERS
Year Ending December 31:	
2019	\$ (2,103)
2020	(2,103)
2021	(2,835)
2022	(2,913)
Total	\$ (9,954)

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.

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions – OPERS (Continued)

Projections of health care costs 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 coverage provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of costs between the System and plan members. The total OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2016, rolled forward to the measurement date of December 31, 2017. The total OPEB liability was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all prior periods included in the measurement in accordance with the requirements of GASB 74. In 2016, the Board of Trustees' actuarial consultants conducted an experience study for the period 2011 through 2015, comparing assumptions to actual results. The experience study incorporates both a historical view and forward-looking projections to determine the appropriate set of assumptions to keep the plan on a path toward full funding. Key methods and assumptions used in the latest actuarial valuation, reflecting experience study results, are presented below:

Single Discount Rate	3.85 percent
Investment Rate of Return	6.50 percent
Municipal Bond Rate	3.31 percent
Wage Inflation	3.25 percent
Projected Salary Increases, including inflation	3.25 to 10.75 percent including wage inflation
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age Normal

Pre-retirement mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Employees mortality table for males and females, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observation period base year of 2006. The base year for males and females was then established to be 2015 and 2010, respectively. Post-retirement mortality rates are based on the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant mortality table for males and females, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observation period base year of 2006. The base year for males and females was then established to be 2015 and 2010, respectively. Post-retirement mortality rates for disabled retirees are based on the RP-2014 Disabled mortality table for males and females, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observation period base year of 2006. The base year for males and females was then established to be 2015 and 2010, respectively. Mortality rates for a particular calendar year are determined by applying the MP-2015 mortality improvement scale to all of the above described tables.

The most recent experience study was completed for the five-year period ended December 31, 2015.

The long-term expected rate of return on health care 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.

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions – OPERS (Continued)

OPERS manages investments in three investment portfolios: the Defined Benefits portfolio, the Health Care portfolio, and the Defined Contribution portfolio. The Health Care portfolio includes the assets for health care expenses for the Traditional Pension Plan, Combined Plan and Member-Directed Plan eligible members. Within the Health Care portfolio, contributions into the plans are assumed to be received continuously throughout the year based on the actual payroll payable at the time contributions are made, and health care-related payments are assumed to occur mid-year. Accordingly, the money-weighted rate of return is considered to be the same for all plans within the portfolio. The annual money-weighted rate of return expressing investment performance, net of investment expenses and adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested, for the Health Care portfolio is 15.2 percent for 2017.

The allocation of investment assets with the Health Care portfolio is approved by the 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 continuing to offer a sustainable health care program for current and future retirees. The System’s primary goal is to achieve and maintain a fully funded status for benefits provided through the defined pension plans. The table below displays the Board-approved asset allocation policy for 2017 and the long-term expected real rates of return:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Weighted Average Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return (Arithmetic)</u>
Fixed Income	34.00 %	1.88 %
Domestic Equities	21.00	6.37
REITs	6.00	5.91
International Equities	22.00	7.88
Other investments	17.00	5.39
Total	<u>100.00 %</u>	<u>4.98 %</u>

Discount Rate – A single discount rate of 3.85 percent was used to measure the OPEB liability on the measurement date of December 31, 2017. Projected benefit payments are required to be discounted to their actuarial present value using a single discount rate that reflects (1) a long-term expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments (to the extent that the health care fiduciary net position is projected to be sufficient to pay benefits), and (2) tax-exempt municipal bond rate based on an index of 20-year general obligation bonds with an average AA credit rating as of the measurement date (to the extent that the contributions for use with the long-term expected rate are not met). This single discount rate was based on an expected rate of return on the health care investment portfolio of 6.50 percent and a municipal bond rate of 3.31 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine this single discount rate assumed that employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the actuarially determined contribution rate. Based on these assumptions, the health care fiduciary net position and future contributions were sufficient to finance health care costs through 2034. As a result, the long-term expected rate of return on health care investments was applied to projected costs through the year 2034, and the municipal bond rate was applied to all health care costs after that date.

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NOTE 7: **POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (Continued)

Sensitivity of the Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate – The following table presents the Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability calculated using the single discount rate of 3.85 percent, as well as what the Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (2.85 percent) or one percentage point higher (4.85 percent) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease (2.85%)	Single Discount Rate (3.85%)	1% Increase (4.85%)
Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 207,749	\$ 156,373	\$ 114,811

Sensitivity of the Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Health Care Cost Trend Rate – Changes in the health care cost trend rate may also have a significant impact on the net OPEB liability. The following table presents the Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability calculated using the assumed trend rates, and the expected net OPEB liability if it were calculated using a health care cost trend rate that is 1.0 percent lower or 1.0 percent higher than the current rate.

Retiree health care valuations use a health care cost-trend assumption that changes over several years built into the assumption. The near-term rates reflect increases in the current cost of health care; the trend starting in 2018 is 7.50 percent. If this trend continues for future years, the projection indicates that years from now virtually all expenditures will be for health care. A more reasonable alternative is that in the not-too-distant future, the health plan cost trend will decrease to a level at, or near, wage inflation. On this basis, the actuaries project premium rate increases will continue to exceed wage inflation for approximately the next decade, but by less each year, until leveling off at an ultimate rate, assumed to be 3.25 percent in the most recent valuation.

	1% Decrease	Current Health Care Cost Trend Rate Assumption	1% Increase
Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 149,616	\$ 156,373	\$ 163,354

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NOTE 8: RISK MANAGEMENT

The Authority is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees, and natural disasters. During fiscal year ending December 31, 2018, the Authority maintains comprehensive insurance coverage with private carriers for health, real property, building contents, and vehicles. Vehicle policies include liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage.

Settled claims have not exceeded this coverage in any of the last three years. There has been no significant reduction in coverage from last year.

NOTE 9: RESTRICTED NET POSITION

The restricted net position balance at December 31, 2018 was \$76,398 and it represents the following:

Unspent HUD advances to make Housing Choice Voucher Program Housing Assistance Payments:	\$ 42,216
Unspent HUD advances to make Mainstream 5 Voucher Program Housing Assistance Payments	34,182
Total	\$ 76,398

NOTE 10: CONTINGENCIES

Grants

Amount grantor agencies pay to the Authority are subject to audit and adjustments by the grantor, principally the federal government. Grantors may require refunding any disallowed costs or excess reserve balances. Management cannot presently determine amounts grantors may disallow or recapture. However, based on prior experience, management believes any such disallowed claims or recaptured amounts would not have a material adverse effect on the overall financial position of the Authority at December 31, 2018.

Litigations

In the normal course of operations, the Authority may be subject to litigations and claims. At December 31, 2018, the Authority was not aware of any such matters.

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF THE AUTHORITY'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM – TRADITIONAL PLAN
LAST FIVE FISCAL YEARS (1)**

Traditional Plan	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Authority's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.001330%	0.001470%	0.001783%	0.002054%	0.002054%
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 208,651	\$ 333,812	\$ 308,837	\$ 247,735	\$ 242,140
Authority's Covered Payroll	\$ 180,631	\$ 190,042	\$ 221,908	\$ 251,775	\$ 247,746
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	115.51%	175.65%	139.17%	98.40%	97.74%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	84.66%	77.25%	81.08%	86.45%	86.36%

(1) - Information prior to 2014 is not available. Schedule is intended to show ten years of information and additional years will be displayed as the information becomes available.

Amounts presented as of the Authority's measurement date, which is the prior calendar year end.

See accompanying notes to the required supplementary information

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF THE AUTHORITY'S CONTRIBUTIONS
OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM – TRADITIONAL PLAN
LAST SIX FISCAL YEARS (1)**

Traditional Plan	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Contractually Required Contributions	\$ 28,150	\$ 23,482	\$ 22,805	\$ 26,629	\$ 30,213	\$ 32,207
Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	<u>\$ (28,150)</u>	<u>\$ (23,482)</u>	<u>\$ (22,805)</u>	<u>\$ (26,629)</u>	<u>\$ (30,213)</u>	<u>\$ (32,207)</u>
Contribution Deficiency / (Excess)	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Authority's Covered Payroll	\$ 201,071	\$ 180,631	\$ 190,042	\$ 221,908	\$ 251,775	\$ 247,746
Pension Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	14.00%	13.00%	12.00%	12.00%	12.00%	13.00%

(1) - Information prior to 2013 is not available. Schedule is intended to show ten years of information, and additional years will be displayed as the information becomes available.

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**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF THE AUTHORITY'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY
OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM
LAST TWO FISCAL YEARS (1)**

	2018	2017
Authority's Proportion of the Net OPEB Liability	0.001440%	0.001590%
Authority's Proportionate Share of the OPEB Liability	\$ 156,373	\$ 160,595
Authority's Covered Payroll	\$ 204,600	\$ 220,303
Authority's Proportionate share of the Net OPEB Liability as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	76.43%	72.90%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total OPEB Liability	54.14%	54.05%

(1) Information prior to 2017 is not available. Schedule is intended to show ten years of information, and additional information will be displayed as it becomes available.

Amounts presented as of the Authority's measurement date, which is prior to calendar year end.

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**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF AUTHORITY'S CONTRIBUTIONS - OPEB
OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM
LAST SIX FISCAL YEARS (1)**

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 0	\$ 2,912	\$ 5,011	\$ 4,438	\$ 6,004	\$ 2,809
Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	<u>0</u>	<u>(2,912)</u>	<u>(5,011)</u>	<u>(4,438)</u>	<u>(6,004)</u>	<u>(2,809)</u>
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Authority Covered Payroll	\$ 201,071	\$ 204,600	\$ 220,303	\$ 254,185	\$ 285,459	\$ 280,900
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	0.00%	1.42%	2.27%	1.75%	2.10%	1.00%

(1) Information prior to 2013 is not available. Schedule is intended to show ten years of information, and additional years will be displayed as the information becomes available.

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NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
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OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM (OPERS)

Net Pension Liability

Changes in benefit terms: There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for 2014-2018.

Changes in assumptions: There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for 2014-2016 and 2018. For 2017, the following changes of assumptions affected the total pension liability since the prior measurement date: (a) the expected investment return was reduced from 8.00% to 7.50%, (b) the expected long-term average wage inflation rate was reduced from 3.75% to 3.25%, (c) the expected long-term average price inflation rate was reduced from 3.00% to 2.50%, (d) Rates of withdrawal, retirement and disability were updated to reflect recent experience, (e) mortality rates were updated to the RP-2014 Health Annuitant Mortality Table, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observant period base year of 2006 and then established the base year as 2015 (f) mortality rates used in evaluating disability allowances were updated to the RP-2014 Disabled Mortality tables, adjusted for mortality improvement back to the observation base year of 2006 and a base year of 2015 for males and 2010 for females (g) Mortality rates for a particular calendar year for both healthy and disabled retiree mortality tables are determined by applying the MP-2015 mortality improvement scale to the above described tables.

Net OPEB Liability

Changes in benefit terms: There were no changes in benefit terms from the amounts reported for 2018.

Changes in assumptions: There were no changes in methods and assumptions used in the calculation of actuarial determined contributions for 2018.

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SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL SCHEDULE
ENTITY WIDE BALANCE SHEET SUMMARY
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	14.871 Housing Choice Vouchers	14.879 Mainstream Vouchers	2 State/Local	Subtotal	ELIM	Total
111 Cash - Unrestricted	-	-	37,560	37,560	-	37,560
113 Cash - Other Restricted	42,216	34,182	-	76,398	-	76,398
100 Total Cash	42,216	34,182	37,560	113,958	-	113,958
124 Accounts Receivable - Other Government	-	-	16,683	16,683	-	16,683
125 Accounts Receivable - Miscellaneous	-	-	4,732	4,732	-	4,732
128 Fraud Recovery	115,005	-	-	115,005	-	115,005
128.1 Allowance for Doubtful Accounts - Fraud	-88,608	-	-	-88,608	-	-88,608
120 Total Receivables, Net of Allowances for Doubtful Accounts	26,397	-	21,415	47,812	-	47,812
142 Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	13,769	-	-	13,769	-	13,769
144 Inter Program Due From	-	-	30,755	30,755	-30,755	-
150 Total Current Assets	82,382	34,182	89,730	206,294	-30,755	175,539
164 Furniture, Equipment & Machinery - Administration	100,679	-	-	100,679	-	100,679
166 Accumulated Depreciation	-95,790	-	-	-95,790	-	-95,790
160 Total Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation	4,889	-	-	4,889	-	4,889
180 Total Non-Current Assets	4,889	-	-	4,889	-	4,889
200 Deferred Outflow of Resources	64,807	-	-	64,807	-	64,807
290 Total Assets and Deferred Outflow of Resources	152,078	34,182	89,730	275,990	-30,755	245,235
312 Accounts Payable <= 90 Days	11,697	-	-	11,697	-	11,697
321 Accrued Wage/Payroll Taxes Payable	3,449	-	-	3,449	-	3,449
345 Other Current Liabilities	-	-	3,876	3,876	-	3,876
347 Inter Program - Due To	30,755	-	-	30,755	-30,755	-
310 Total Current Liabilities	45,901	-	3,876	49,777	-30,755	19,022
354 Accrued Compensated Absences - Non Current	7,196	-	-	7,196	-	7,196
357 Accrued Pension and OPEB Liabilities	365,024	-	-	365,024	-	365,024

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ENTITY WIDE BALANCE SHEET SUMMARY
DECEMBER 31, 2018**

	14.871 Housing Choice Vouchers	14.879 Mainstream Vouchers	2 State/Local	Subtotal	ELIM	Total
350 Total Non-Current Liabilities	372,220	-	-	372,220	-	372,220
300 Total Liabilities	418,121	-	3,876	421,997	-30,755	391,242
400 Deferred Inflow of Resources	100,155	-	-	100,155	-	100,155
508.4 Net Investment in Capital Assets	4,889	-	-	4,889	-	4,889
511.4 Restricted Net Position	42,216	34,182	-	76,398	-	76,398
512.4 Unrestricted Net Position	-413,303	-	85,854	-327,449	-	-327,449
513 Total Equity - Net Assets / Position	-366,198	34,182	85,854	-246,162	-	-246,162
600 Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflow of Resources, and Equity - Net	152,078	34,182	89,730	275,990	-30,755	245,235

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SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL SCHEDULE
ENTITY WIDE REVENUE AND EXPENSE SUMMARY
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

	14.871 Housing Choice Vouchers	14.879 Mainstream Vouchers	2 State/Local	Subtotal	ELIM	Total
70600 HUD PHA Operating Grants	2,815,800	315,403	-	3,131,203	-	3,131,203
70800 Other Government Grants	-	-	52,171	52,171	-	52,171
71400 Fraud Recovery	4,546	-	-	4,546	-	4,546
71500 Other Revenue	5,517	-	4,559	10,076	-	10,076
70000 Total Revenue	2,825,863	315,403	56,730	3,197,996	-	3,197,996
91100 Administrative Salaries	175,146	29,020	3,109	207,275	-	207,275
91200 Auditing Fees	10,724	1,100	-	11,824	-	11,824
91400 Advertising and Marketing	20	-	-	20	-	20
91500 Employee Benefit contributions - Administrative	64,962	11,545	1,237	77,744	-	77,744
91600 Office Expenses	55,262	-	-	55,262	-	55,262
91800 Travel	168	-	-	168	-	168
91900 Other	8,969	-	-	8,969	-	8,969
91000 Total Operating - Administrative	315,251	41,665	4,346	361,262	-	361,262
94200 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other	300	-	-	300	-	300
94300 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations Contracts	1,759	-	-	1,759	-	1,759
94000 Total Maintenance	2,059	-	-	2,059	-	2,059
96110 Property Insurance	5,068	-	-	5,068	-	5,068
96100 Total insurance Premiums	5,068	-	-	5,068	-	5,068
96200 Other General Expenses	1,174	-	-	1,174	-	1,174
96000 Total Other General Expenses	1,174	-	-	1,174	-	1,174
96900 Total Operating Expenses	323,552	41,665	4,346	369,563	-	369,563
97000 Excess of Operating Revenue over Operating Expenses	2,502,311	273,738	52,384	2,828,433	-	2,828,433
97300 Housing Assistance Payments	2,539,949	240,263	47,426	2,827,638	-	2,827,638
97400 Depreciation Expense	3,559	-	-	3,559	-	3,559
90000 Total Expenses	2,867,060	281,928	51,772	3,200,760	-	3,200,760

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL SCHEDULE
ENTITY WIDE REVENUE AND EXPENSE SUMMARY
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

	14.871 Housing Choice Vouchers	14.879 Mainstream Vouchers	2 State/Local	Subtotal	ELIM	Total
10100 Total Other financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-
10000 Excess (Deficiency) of Total Revenue Over (Under) Total Expenses	-41,197	33,475	4,958	-2,764	-	-2,764
11030 Beginning Equity	-167,318	707	80,896	-85,715	-	-85,715
11040 Prior Period Adjustments, Equity Transfers and Correction of Errors	-157,683	-	-	-157,683	-	-157,683
11170 Administrative Fee Equity	-408,414	-	-	-408,414	-	-408,414
11180 Housing Assistance Payments Equity	42,216	-	-	42,216	-	42,216
11190 Unit Months Available	9,468	900	117	10,485	-	10,485
11210 Number of Unit Months Leased	7,396	900	117	8,413	-	8,413

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**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

FEDERAL GRANTOR/ Pass-Through Grantor/ Program/Title	Federal CFDA Number	Federal Expenditures
<u>U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development</u>		
<i>Direct Award:</i>		
Housing Voucher Cluster:		
Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program	14.871	\$ 2,815,800
Mainstream Vouchers	14.879	315,403
Total Housing Voucher Cluster		<u>3,131,203</u>
<i>Total Direct Programs</i>		<u>3,131,203</u>
<i>Pass-Through Programs:</i>		
<u>Passed Through Hardin County</u>		
Home Investements Partnership Program	14.239	29,862
<u>Passed Through Putnam County</u>		
Home Investements Partnership Program	14.239	22,309
<i>Total CFDA #14.239</i>		<u>52,171</u>
<i>Total Pass-Through Programs</i>		<u>52,171</u>
Total U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development		<u>3,183,374</u>
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards		<u><u>\$ 3,183,374</u></u>

See accompanying notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

NOTE 1: BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes the federal award activity of the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority under programs of the Federal government for the year ended December 31, 2018. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, or cash flows of Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority.

NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the GAAP basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

NOTE 3: INDIRECT COST RATE

Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority has elected not to use the 10 percent de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

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**REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING
AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN
AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN
ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS**

To the Members of the Board
Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority
Findlay, Ohio

Regional Inspector General of Audit
Department of Housing and Urban
Development

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the business-type activities of the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, (the Authority) as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 17, 2019, wherein we noted the Authority adopted new accounting guidance in Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Authority's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Authority's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Authority's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Authority's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc." The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc.
Certified Public Accountants

June 17, 2019

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**REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON
INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE
UNIFORM GUIDANCE**

To the Members of the Board
Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority
Findlay, Ohio

Regional Inspector General of Audit
Department of Housing and Urban
Development

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's (the Authority) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Authority's major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2018. The Authority's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Authority's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Authority's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Authority's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Hancock Metropolitan Housing Authority complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2018.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Management of the Authority is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Authority's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Authority's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. *A material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. *A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.



James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc.
Certified Public Accountants

June 17, 2019

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
DECEMBER 31, 2018**

1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

2018(i) Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unmodified
2018(ii) Were there any material control weaknesses reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
2018(ii) Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
2018(iii) Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
2018(iv) Were there any material internal control weaknesses reported for major Federal programs?	No
2018(iv) Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported to major Federal programs?	No
2018(v) Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion	Unmodified
2018(vi) Are there any reportable findings under 2 CFR 200.516(a)?	No
2018(vii) Major Programs (list): Housing Voucher Cluster: Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - CFDA #14.871 Mainstream Vouchers - CFDA #14.879	
2018(viii) Dollar Threshold: Type A\B Programs	Type A: \$750,000 Type B: All Others
2018(ix) Low Risk Auditee?	Yes

2. FINDINGS RELATED TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

None.

3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None.

**HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY
HANCOCK COUNTY, OHIO
SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018**

The audit report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2017, contained no audit findings or management letter recommendations.

OHIO AUDITOR OF STATE
KEITH FABER



HANCOCK METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY

HANCOCK 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.

Susan Babbitt

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

**CERTIFIED
JULY 9, 2019**