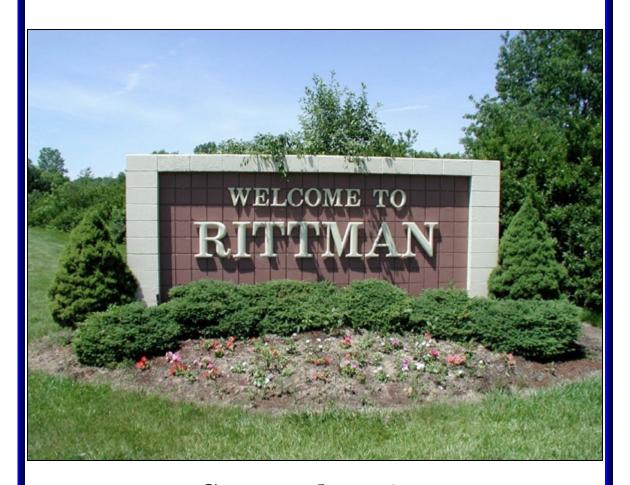
City of Rittman, Ohio



Comprehensive Annual Financial Report For the year ended December 31, 1999



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We have reviewed the Independent Auditor's Report of the City of Rittman, Wayne County, prepared by Lennon & Company for the audit period January 1, 1999 through December 31, 1999. 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 City of Rittman is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

JIM PETRO Auditor of State

August 8, 2000



Comprehensive Annual Financial Report

Year Ended December 31, 1999

Prepared by: Department of Finance

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James Bell, CMFA Finance Director

June 29, 2000

Members of Rittman City Council and Citizens of Rittman, Ohio

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) of the City of Rittman for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1999 is hereby submitted. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data, and the completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the City's management. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the enclosed data are accurate in all material respects and are reported in a manner designed to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the various funds and account groups of the government. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the City's financial activities have been included.

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report is presented in three sections: introductory, financial, and statistical. The introductory section includes this transmittal letter, a list of principal officials, our organizational chart, and a copy of the GFOA Certificate of Achievement. The financial section includes the general purpose financial statements, the combining and individual fund and account group financial statements and schedules, and the independent auditor's report on the financial statements and schedules. The statistical section includes selected financial and demographic information, generally presented on a multiyear basis.

The City of Rittman is located in the north central part of the State of Ohio, within the boundaries of Wayne and Medina Counties. The City of Rittman is a home rule municipal corporation under the laws of the State of Ohio and, as such, operates under its own charter. The current charter was adopted in 1960 and has undergone three amendments since that time. The government consists of a mayor and six-member council. The mayor and all members of council are elected to four-year terms. All of these officials are elected on an at-large basis.

For financial reporting purposes, the City includes in this report all funds, account groups, agencies, boards, and commissions that are controlled by, or dependent on, the City's legislative branch. "Controlled by" or "dependent on" the City is determined on the basis of budget adoption, taxing authority, outstanding debts secured by revenues or general taxing authority of the City, and/or the City's obligation to fund any deficits that may occur.

The City provides the full range of municipal services addressed in its charter. These services include police, fire, public health, recreation and parks, transportation programs, water and sewer programs, planning and zoning, and general administrative services.

1999 Initiatives

The main focus of 1999 and 2000 has been the design, bidding and construction of the 29,000 square foot recreation center, which will be located on Saurer Street next to the high school. The \$3,200,000 facility will include an indoor fitness center, running track, basketball/volleyball courts, and an indoor pool. It is anticipated that the opening of the facility will be April 2001. A full range of recreational programs will be made available to the community.

Efforts by the city to improve Rufener Street from Krabill/Briarhill north to the corporate limits is expected to take place in 2000 and 2001. The city is attempting to secure funds from the Ohio Public Works Commission for Phase I of the project which will include curbs, gutters, sidewalk, storm sewer, and street widening. The city has been actively involved in upgrading its equipment through the purchase of new vehicles for city departments.

Development Activities

After a strong year of business expansion in 1999, future development activity on the horizon looks very strong for the city. The Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery located on Rawiga Road will begin interments of veterans in June 2000. Plans are currently underway to extend water and sanitary sewer to the intersection of 47 acres recently annexed to the city at State Route 57 and Eastern Road. The city anticipates significant development activity in this area in the future. Ambilt Corporation's recent annexation of 14.5 acres at the corner of Krabill Road and Briarhill calls for an additional housing development. Although no specific plans have been presented to the Planning Commission or the city, single-family housing units are expected to be planned in that area. The strong commitment by City Council and City Administration of increasing recreational activities and the infrastructure improvements of the city coupled with the anticipated commercial and residential growth place the City of Rittman in a strong position for the new millennium and continuing positive growth.

Economic Condition and Outlook

The City's two largest employers are Morton Salt, which produces table salt, and Rittman Paperboard, a subsidiary of Caraustar Industries. Caraustar manufactures cardboard containers for the distribution of other company's products. It appears that employment at Caraustar has stabilized and no further layoffs are anticipated at either plant in the immediate future. Unilock of Rittman, which opened in June of 1999 in their new 24,000 square foot plant at Sheets Road and State Route 57, is in full production and is estimated to employ approximately 50 employees. The company manufactures concrete pavers and landscape brick for commercial and residential purposes. Current plans call for the expansion of their storage area as well as consideration to expansion of the plant.

Residential construction in Rittman will increase significantly over the next few years as five new developments are being considered. Two developments currently underway are Hills & Dales Estates on the old Saurer Farm and Seven Ranges on Rufener Street. Approximately 150 new building lots will be available for single family housing when these developments are fully developed. In addition, a 120 lot development on the north end of Rufener Street is being considered on property owned by Leo and Francis Smith and the Rittman Community Improvement Corporation. Thus, over 275 building lots will be available in the immediate future for large-scale development of single family houses in the city. General Dollar will also be locating a new store at North Main and Beech Streets on property recently purchased for the purpose.

This strong activity in commercial and industrial growth and expansion leads us to believe that the City has put itself in a strong position. Because of its adequate natural resources such as water and its capacity through its new wastewater treatment plant the city is in a good position to handle such activities. Ongoing efforts to improve the city storm sewer and streets continues with the recent completion of the Salt Street Storm Sewer Project and Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project and further street improvements are being considered.

Future Projects

The 2001 Street Improvement Project will include the paving of Rufener Street from Krabill/Briarhill to Eastern Road by widening the street, installing new curbs, gutters, sidewalk and storm sewer. A new radio communication system was installed in 2000 and put into operation to improve communication between all City safety forces.

Improvements are planned for several parks in 2000. New playground structures and swings will be installed in the location of the former Junior Achievement building on State Street, First Street Park, and Fritz Park.

Financial Information

Basis of Accounting. The City's accounting system is organized on a "fund" basis. Each fund or account group is a distinct self-balancing accounting entity. During the year, the accounting records are maintained on a cash basis for all fund types. To prepare this report, adjusting entries are prepared for the various funds to convert the cash basis records to modified accrual for all governmental funds and agency funds, and accrual for the proprietary funds. The modified accrual basis of accounting requires revenue to be recognized when measurable and available within the business cycle (within two months after year end), and expenditures are recognized when the fund liability is incurred. Accounting records for the proprietary funds are converted to the accrual basis, whereby revenues are recognized in the period in which they are earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred. The basis of accounting and the various funds and account groups utilized by the City of Rittman are fully described in Note 1 to the General Purpose Financial Statements.

Internal Accounting. In developing the City's accounting system, much consideration was given to the adequacy of internal accounting controls. Internal accounting controls are designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance regarding (1) the safeguarding of assets against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and (2) the reliability of financial records for preparing financial statements and maintaining accountability for assets. The concept of reasonable assurance is based on the assumption that the cost of internal accounting controls should not exceed the benefits expected to be derived from their implementation.

Budgetary Control. The annual tax budget for the City is prepared and filed with the Wayne and Medina County Auditors no later than July 20 of each year. After a public hearing, the County Budget Commissions certify to the City the revenues the City expects to receive during the upcoming calendar year. These amounts are added to the available balances at year-end to calculate the total amounts available for appropriation by fund. In September and October, City Council holds workshops with the City Manager and Finance Director to determine the City's budget requirements for the upcoming year. These amounts are then appropriated by Council ordinance. Additional funding can be procured by a request to Council and the passage of a supplemental appropriation ordinance.

The City maintains budgetary control on a non-GAAP basis by fund, and within each fund by department. Budgetary control is also maintained at major object levels which include personal services, contractual services, supplies and materials, capital outlay, debt service, and other uses (including transfers by fund). For management purposes, the major object level is further defined, with budgeted amounts not to exceed the aggregate appropriated by Council.

Budgetary control is maintained by an encumbrance of the purchase commitment amounts prior to the release of purchase orders to vendors. Upon approval by the department head, the purchase requisitions are submitted to the finance department for the preparation of a purchase order, certification of the availability of funds, and encumbrance against the available appropriation. At the end of the year, outstanding encumbrances are carried forward to the new year if the purchased item has not been received or the project has not been completed.

General Government Functions. The following information, extracted from table one of the statistical section, compares revenues and expenditures for all governmental fund types and similar trust funds for 1998 and 1999.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT REVENUES (\$000 omitted)

REVENUES	 1998	 1999	% Change 1998-1999
Taxes	\$ 1,403	\$ 1,529	9.0 %
Intergovernmental revenues	873	1,002	14.8
Charges for services	435	503	15.6
Special assessments	20	25	25.0
Fines, licenses and permits	63	73	15.9
Investment income	307	247	(19.5)
Miscellaneous	 44	 87	97.7
Total	\$ 3,145	\$ 3,466	10.2 %

GENERAL GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES (\$000 omitted)

EXPENDITURES	 1998	 1999	% Change 1998-1999
Safety services	\$ 1,039	\$ 1,121	7.9 %
Public health and welfare	68	72	5.9
Leisure time activities	95	93	(2.1)
Community environment	3	-	-
Basic utility services	197	198	0.5
Transportation	390	456	16.9
General government	472	539	14.2
Capital outlay	745	646	(13.3)
Debt service			
Principal retirement	71	75	5.6
Interest and fiscal charges	 48	 46	(4.2)
Total	\$ 3,128	\$ 3,246	3.77 %

In 1999, the City's property valuation increased nearly \$9 million from the previous year resulting in an increase of tax revenue. The City also received nearly \$100,000 into its Permanent Tax special revenue fund which is to be used for street improvements. Also, the increase in miscellaneous revenue is largely due to a storm sewer project reimbursement from Community Development Block Grant funds. New vehicles were purchased for the transportation department causing a significant increase in expenditures from 1998. Also, storm sewer and waterline replacement projects were significantly completed during 1998 and continued in 1999 reducing capital outlay expenditures.

General Fund. The General Fund accounts for all financial transactions that are not required to be accounted for in any other fund. It is the City's largest fund and provides for major City services of safety forces, governmental administration, and parks and recreation. The General Fund's balance decreased by \$66,891 to \$1,512,407 in 1999.

Special Revenue Funds. Special Revenue Funds of the City are used to account for revenues derived from specific taxes or other legally restricted revenue sources. All Special Revenue Funds are subject to an annual budget. The Special Revenue Funds include Emergency Medical Services, Street Maintenance & Repair, State Highway, Permissive Tax, Permissive Tax II, Police Pension, Law Enforcement Education, Law Enforcement, COPS, State and Federal Grants, and Fire Department Levy. The General Fund covers any deficits in these funds and provides operating transfers when cash is required, not when accruals occur.

Capital Projects Funds. The Capital Improvements Fund includes all major capital improvement projects of the City other than those accounted for in the Proprietary Funds. The primary sources of financing are twenty-five percent of all the income tax collections for the City and operating transfers from the General Fund. The Capital Projects funds include Capital Improvements and COPS Grant Capital Improvements.

Debt Service Fund. The Debt Retirement Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, general long term and special assessment debt principal and interest other than debt issued by an Enterprise Fund. Property taxes and other financing sources are the major sources of revenue for the Debt Retirement Fund.

Proprietary Funds. Enterprise Funds are used to account for the acquisition, operation, and maintenance of City facilities and services, which are intended to be financed from user charges. Enterprise funds of the City consist of the Water Fund and the Sewer Fund. The City's water system provides for the treatment and distribution of water throughout the City as well as areas outside the corporation limits. Sewage treatment is provided in the \$4,750,000 Wastewater Treatment Plant constructed in 1993. Financial statements for these funds are included in this report. (Please refer to the Notes in the Financial Section for the related segment information).

Fiduciary Funds. Fiduciary Funds are used to account for assets held by the City in a trustee capacity or as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments and/or other funds. The City established the Cemetery Endowment Fund to accumulate funds for any capital expenditures necessary for the cemeteries owned by the City. The Recreation Trust Fund was established to account for the construction, improvement, and maintenance of the City's recreation facilities. This fund reports the estate tax collected in excess of \$17,000. The General Fund receives all Estate Tax revenue up to \$17,000.

Cash Management

The City's investment policy was vastly revised in 1996. The Finance Director may invest, on behalf of and in the name of the City, in obligations of the United States Government and certain federal agencies, certificates of deposit, savings accounts, NOW accounts, repurchase agreements, state and local government securities, and STAR Ohio, a statewide investment pool. The Municipal Treasurers Association of the United States & Canada recognized the City's investment policy with a national certification.

During the fiscal year ended December 31, 1999, the City's cash resources were divided into investments approximately as follows: Star Ohio 4%, time deposits 47%, agencies 47%, and Special Assessment Bonds 2%. The return on investment for 1999 was 5.86%. The average days to maturity as of December 31, 1999 was 404 days with a yield to maturity of 5.73%.

Debt Administration

At December 31, 1999, the City's outstanding general obligation debt was \$896,997, of which \$221,997 is payable from the Enterprise Funds. The City also had special assessment bonds with governmental commitment of \$76,572 outstanding at year-end. General obligation bonds are retired with operating revenues of the Capital Improvements Fund (transferred to the Debt Retirement Fund annually). Special Assessment Bonds are retired with the assessments applied against specific benefited property owners. Given these facts, and with continued prudent management on the part of City Council and Administration, the City of Rittman should be able to meet its capital needs during the foreseeable future.

Risk Management

The primary technique used for risk management is the purchase of insurance policies from commercial insurers. The types of insurance carried include: general liability, public officials liability, police professional liability, employee medical insurance, and State of Ohio Workers' Compensation. Deductibles vary on these policies depending on past experience with the type of liability covered. Should losses occur, the portion of the uninsured loss is not expected to be significant with respect to the financial position of the City.

Pension and Postemployment Benefit Plans

All employees of the City belong to one of two state operated pension plans (both are cost-sharing, defined-benefit, multiple-employer plans). Police and Fire personnel are members of the Police and Firemen's Disability and Pension Fund (PFDPF). All other employees are members of the Public Employees Retirement System of Ohio (PERS). Elected officials participate in PERS on a voluntary basis. These plans provide pension benefits as well as postretirement health care coverage to qualifying employees. Contributions to the plans by both the City and participating employees are mandated by state statute. Because both plans operate pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code, the Ohio General Assembly could decide to amend the format of the plans and could revise contribution and benefit levels.

Fixed Assets

The accounting for land, buildings, building improvements and equipment is essential for the complete record of assets. The General Fixed Assets Account Group includes all fixed assets of the City not used in an enterprise operation. Fixed assets of the enterprise funds are accounted for directly within those funds. As of December 31, 1999, the general fixed assets of the City amounted to \$5,048,749, an increase of \$218,965 from December 31, 1998.

Independent Audit

The City is not legally required to obtain an independent annual audit. The minimum requirement is for the State of Ohio to perform an audit, directly or indirectly through an independent auditing firm, at least every two years. The City, consistent with the professional manner in which it has conducted its financial affairs, has chosen to fund annual audits. The City has engaged Lennon & Company, Inc. to audit the City's financial records. The auditor's unqualified opinion is included herein.

Certification of Achievement

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the City of Rittman, Ohio for its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1998. The Certificate of Achievement is a prestigious national award recognizing conformance to the highest standards for preparation of state and local government financial reports.

In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, the City must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized report whose contents conform to program standards. The report must satisfy Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and applicable legal requirements. A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe that our current Comprehensive Annual Financial Report conforms to Certificate of Achievement Program requirements, and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for a certificate.

Acknowledgments

The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the dedicated services of the administration staff. I would like to express my appreciation to the staff of Lennon & Company for their assistance. The staff of the Wayne County Auditor's Office was helpful as always. A special thanks to Cindy Mann, Deputy Treasurer, whose dedicated and efficient work was invaluable to the completion of this report. I would also like to express my appreciation to Robert Kellogg, City Manager, for providing economic and future project information and to City Council for their support and commitment to responsible fiscal reporting.

Respectfully Submitted,

James A. Bell, CMFA

Finance Director/Treasurer

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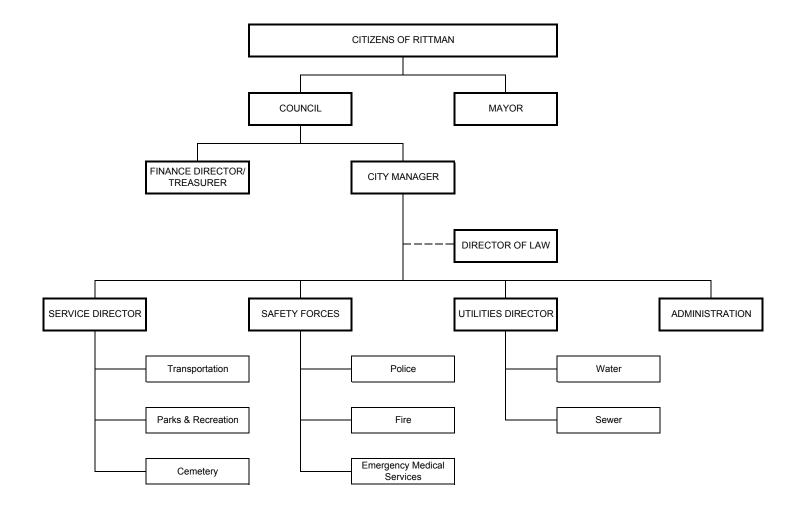
Council Members

Steve Johnson, President Nicholas Bostos Raynor Shook Ralph L. Johnson Ray Mullet Glen Russell

City Manager Robert L. Kellogg

Director of Finance/Treasurer
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A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only.

We believe our current report continues to conform to the Certificate of Achievement program requirements and we are submitting it to GFOA.

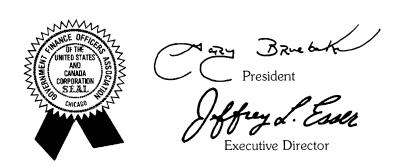
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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Members of the City Council City of Rittman Rittman, Ohio 44270

We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of City of Rittman, as of and for the year ended December 31, 1999, as listed in the table of contents. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of City of Rittman's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

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

In our opinion, the general purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of City of Rittman, as of December 31, 1999, and the results of its operations and the cash flows of its proprietary fund types for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole. The combining and individual fund and account group financial statements and schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the general purpose financial statements of City of Rittman. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

The statistical section, as listed in the table of contents, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the general purpose financial statements of City of Rittman. Such information has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements, and therefore we express no opinion thereon.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 29, 2000 on our consideration of City of Rittman's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants.

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Certified Public Accountant

June 29, 2000

City of Rittman, Ohio
Combined Balance Sheet
All Fund Types and Account Groups
As of December 31, 1999

	Governmental Fund Types								
		General		Special Revenue		Debt Service		Capital Projects	
Assets and other debits									
<u>Assets</u>									
Equity in pooled cash	\$	535,529	\$	382,729	\$	1,307,030	\$	484,721	
Cash with fiscal									
and escrow agents		-		-		2,841		-	
Receivables:									
Taxes		281,477		210,680		-		26,850	
Accounts		39,174		18,616		-		1,047	
Special assessments		-		-		92,079		-	
Accrued interest		35,961		723		-		-	
Due from other governments		15,078		24,511		-		-	
Materials and supplies									
inventory		2,124		3,250		-		-	
Prepaid items		13,945		1,045		-		-	
Deferred charges		-		-		-		-	
Advances to other funds		925,000		-		-		-	
Fixed assets, (net where applicable									
of accumulated depreciation)		-		-		-		-	
Other debits									
Amount available in debt service									
fund for retirement of general									
obligation bonds		-		-		-		-	
Amount to be provided from									
special assessments		-		-		-		-	
Amount to be provided from									
general government resources				-					
Total assets and other debits	\$	1,848,288	\$	641,554	\$	1,401,950	\$	512,618	

Proprietary Fund Type		iduciary and Types	Acco	unt Groi	ıps		
Enterprise	Ez	xpendable Trust	General Fixed Assets	L	General ong-Term bligations	(M	Totals Iemorandum Only)
\$ 1,612,109	\$	343,548	\$ -	\$	-	\$	4,665,666
13,913		-	-		-		16,754
26,850		_	_		_		545,857
202,813		850	_		-		262,500
		-	-		-		92,079
65		1,584	-		-		38,333
-		-	-		-		39,589
19,410		-	-		-		24,784
6,779		-	-		-		21,769
1,302		-	-		-		1,302
-		-	-		-		925,000
11,197,921		-	5,048,749		-		16,246,670
-		-	-		732,030		732,030
-		-	-		92,079		92,079
 			 		21,130		21,130
\$ 13,081,162	\$	345,982	\$ 5,048,749	\$	845,239	\$	23,725,542

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City of Rittman, Ohio
Combined Balance Sheet
All Fund Types and Account Groups
As of December 31, 1999

	Governmental Fund Types							
		Special General Revenue Debt Service				ot Service	Capital Projects	
Liabilities, fund equity and other credits								
<u>Liabilities</u>								
Accounts payable	\$	29,543	\$	18,737	\$	-	\$	46,402
Accrued wages and benefits		22,938		11,120		-		-
Compensated absences payable		17,107		1,053		-		-
Due to other governments		34,118		27,641		-		-
Deferred revenue		232,175		228,540		92,079		-
Matured bonds payable		-		_		2,500		-
Matured interest payable		-		_		341		-
Accrued interest payable		-		_		-		-
Advances from other funds		-		_		925,000		-
OWDA loans payable		-		_		-		-
General obligation bonds payable		-		_		-		-
Mortgage revenue bonds payable		-		_		-		-
Special assessment debt with								
governmental commitment		-				-		
Total liabilities		335,881		287,091		1,019,920		46,402
Fund equity and other credits								
Investment in general fixed assets		-		-		-		-
Contributed capital		-		-		-		-
Retained earnings:								
Unreserved		-		-		-		-
Fund balance:								
Reserved for encumbrances		33,804		31,604		-		402,006
Reserved for inventory		2,124		3,250		-		-
Reserved for prepaid items		13,945		1,045		-		-
Reserved for debt service		-		-		732,030		-
Reserved for advances		925,000		-		-		-
Unreserved:								
Undesignated		537,534		318,564		(350,000)		64,210
Total fund equity and other credits		1,512,407		354,463		382,030		466,216
Total liabilities, fund equity								
and other credits	\$	1,848,288	\$	641,554	\$	1,401,950	\$	512,618

	Proprietary	iduciary						
Fund Type Enterprise		 and Types Apendable Trust	General Fixed Assets	Lo	General General Ing-Term Iligations	Totals (Memorandum Only)		
\$	13,228	\$ -	\$ _	\$	_	\$	107,910	
	5,972	-	_		_		40,030	
	30,830	-	-		93,667		142,657	
	14,447	-	-		-		76,206	
	-	400	-		-		553,194	
	10,200	-	-		-		12,700	
	3,713	-	-		-		4,054	
	13,916	-	-		-		13,916	
	-	-	-		-		925,000	
	2,715,637	-	-		-		2,715,637	
	221,997	-	-		675,000		896,997	
	1,214,700	-	-		-		1,214,700	
		 	 		76,572		76,572	
	4,244,640	 400	 		845,239		6,779,573	
			5.040.540				5.040.540	
	- 2.727.000	-	5,048,749		-		5,048,749	
	2,737,880	-	-		-		2,737,880	
	6,098,642	-	-		-		6,098,642	
	_	-	-		-		467,414	
	-	-	-		-		5,374	
	-	-	-		-		14,990	
	-	-	-		-		732,030	
	-	-	-		-		925,000	
		 345,582	 				915,890	
	8,836,522	345,582	 5,048,749				16,945,969	
\$	13,081,162	\$ 345,982	\$ 5,048,749	\$	845,239	\$	23,725,542	

City of Rittman, Ohio
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures
and Changes in Fund Balances
All Governmental Fund Types and Expendable Trust Funds

For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

	Governmental Fund Types					
	General	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects		
Revenues:	ф 027.17 <i>(</i>	222.160	Φ 25.246	Ф 224.220		
Taxes	\$ 937,176		\$ 25,246	\$ 334,239		
Charges for services	434,002		-	-		
Fines, licenses and permits	69,452		-	07.739		
Intergovernmental	483,206	352,787	-	97,728		
Special assessments	220.466		-	25,023		
Investment income	229,469		-	40.000		
Other	39,243	126		48,000		
Total revenues	2,192,548	654,273	25,246	504,990		
Expenditures:						
Current:						
General government	528,067		73	7,282		
Safety services	822,547		-	12,956		
Public health and welfare	72,297		-	-		
Transportation	223,703		-	58,215		
Basic utility services	198,196		-	-		
Leisure time activities	85,982		-	7,463		
Capital outlay		154,556	-	488,091		
Debt service:						
Principal retirement		-	74,580	-		
Interest and fiscal charges		<u> </u>	45,449			
Total expenditures	1,930,792	618,346	120,102	574,007		
Excess of revenues over						
(under) expenditures	261,756	35,927	(94,856)	(69,017)		
Other financing sources (uses):						
Operating transfers - in		12,895	94,278	316,000		
Operating transfers - out	(328,895	<u> </u>		(94,278)		
Total other financing sources (uses)	(328,895	5) 12,895	94,278	221,722		
Excess of revenues and other financing sources						
over (under) expenditures and other financing uses	(67,139	9) 48,822	(578)	152,705		
Fund balance at beginning of year	1,579,298	312,196	382,608	313,511		
Increase (decrease) in reserve for inventory	248	(6,555)				
Fund balance at end of year	\$ 1,512,407	\$ 354,463	\$ 382,030	\$ 466,216		

Fiduciary Fund Type	
Expendable Trusts	Totals (Memorandum Only)
\$ - 9,438	\$ 1,528,830 503,472
68,225	73,280 1,001,946
11,738	25,023 246,538 87,369
89,401	3,466,458
-	539,371 1,121,141
_	72,297
-	456,121
_	198,196
_	93,445
3,060	645,707
,	,
_	74,580
_	45,449
3,060	3,246,307
86,341	220,151
-	423,173
	(423,173)
86,341	220,151
259,241	2,846,854
	(6,307)
\$ 345,582	\$ 3,060,698

City of Rittman, Ohio

Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual All Governmental Fund Types and Expendable Trust Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

	Governmental Fund Types					
	General Fund					
	Revised Budget Actual				Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenues:						
Taxes	\$ 89	93,800	\$	930,589	\$	36,789
Charges for services	3	90,500		404,309		13,809
Fines, licenses and permits		62,000		69,285		7,285
Intergovernmental	4	71,250		506,899		35,649
Special assessments		-		-		-
Investment income	20	00,000		256,514		56,514
Other		6,100		39,226		33,126
Total revenues	2,02	23,650		2,206,822		183,172
Expenditures:						
Current:						
General government		99,670		532,859		66,811
Safety services		03,002		846,016		56,986
Public health and welfare		82,515		72,964		9,551
Transportation		82,327		235,854		46,473
Basic utility services		16,450		214,643		1,807
Leisure time activities	10	04,923		90,180		14,743
Debt service:						
Principal retirement Interest and fiscal charges		-		-		-
interest and riscal charges		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u> _		<u>-</u> _
Total expenditures	2,1	88,887		1,992,516		196,371
Excess of revenues over						
(under) expenditures	(1)	65,237)		214,306		379,543
Other financing sources (uses):						
Proceeds of bonds Advances - in		-		-		-
Advances - in Advances - out	(2)	50,000)		(350,000)		-
Operating transfers - in	(3.	30,000)		(330,000)		-
Operating transfers - out	(A [*]	20,600)		(328,895)		91,705
Total other sources (uses)	(7'	70,600)	-	(678,895)		91,705
Excess of revenues and other						
financing sources over (under)						
expenditures and other financing uses	(9:	35,837)		(464,589)		471,248
Fund balance at beginning of year	92	27,242		927,242		-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		40,175		40,175		-
Fund balance at end of year	\$	31,580	\$	502,828	\$	471,248

Governmental Fund Types

	Governmental Fund Types Special Revenue Funds Debt Service Fund										
	Revised Budget Actual		Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)		Revised Budget		Actual		Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
\$	204,736	\$	226,866	\$	22,130	\$	30,000	\$	25,246	\$	(4,754)
Ψ	46,250	Ψ	58,389	Ψ	12,139	Ψ	-	Ψ		Ψ	(.,,,)
	2,000		3,218		1,218		-		-		-
	333,289		350,346		17,057		-		-		-
	-		-		-		-		-		-
	1,700		5,183		3,483		-		-		-
	100		126		26		-				-
	588,075		644,128		56,053		30,000		25,246		(4,754)
	4,700		3,949		751		200		73		127
	168,969		161,482		7,487		-		-		127
	243,828		229,385		14,443		_		_		_
	327,319		269,653		57,666		-		-		-
	-		-		-		-		-		-
	-		-		-		-		-		-
	_		_		_		80,000		74,579		5,421
							50,000		45,450		4,550
	744,816		664,469		80,347		130,200		120,102		10,098
	(156,741)		(20,341)		136,400		(100,200)		(94,856)		5,344
	- -		-		- -		20,000 350,000		350,000		(20,000)
	-		12.805		(46.705)		- 04 270		- 04 279		-
	59,600 -		12,895		(46,705)		94,278		94,278		-
	59,600		12,895		(46,705)		464,278		444,278		(20,000)
	(07.141)		(7.440)		00.605		264.070		240 422		(14.650)
	(97,141)		(7,446)		89,695		364,078		349,422		(14,656)
	289,214		289,214		-		957,608		957,608		-
			50,948		50,948						
\$	192,073	\$	332,716	\$	140,643	\$	1,321,686	\$	1,307,030	\$	(14,656)

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City of Rittman, Ohio

Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual All Governmental Fund Types and Expendable Trust Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 1999 (Continued)

	Governmental Fund Types Capital Projects Funds					
	Revi Bud	Actual		Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)		
Revenues: Taxes	\$	325,000	\$	335,217	\$	10,217
Charges for services	·	-	*	-	•	-
Fines, licenses and permits		-		-		-
Intergovernmental		100,000		97,728		(2,272)
Special assessments		-		23,976		23,976
Investment income		-		-		-
Other		48,000		48,000		
Total revenues		473,000		504,921		31,921
Expenditures:						
Current:						
General government		67,956		57,238		10,718
Safety services		80,188		79,155		1,033
Public health and welfare		-		-		-
Transportation		538,249		508,797		29,452
Basic utility services		245 200		222.022		10 177
Leisure time activities Debt service:		345,200		333,023		12,177
Principal retirement		_		_		_
Interest and fiscal charges		-		-		-
Total expenditures	1,	031,593		978,213		53,380
Excess of revenues over						
(under) expenditures	(558,593)		(473,292)		85,301
Other financing sources (uses):		<u></u>		(12, 12, 1	-	
Proceeds of bonds		_		_		_
Advances - in		_		_		_
Advances - out		_		_		_
Operating transfers - in		361,000		316,000		(45,000)
Operating transfers - out		(94,278)		(94,278)		
Total other sources (uses)		266,722		221,722		(45,000)
Excess of revenues and other						
financing sources over (under)						
expenditures and other financing uses	(291,871)		(251,570)		40,301
Fund balance at beginning of year		121,178		121,178		-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		166,705		166,705		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	(3,988)	\$	36,313	\$	40,301

Fiduciary Fund Type Expendable Trust Funds (Memorandum Only) Variance Variance Revised Favorable Revised Favorable (Unfavorable) (Unfavorable) Budget Budget Actual Actual \$ \$ \$ \$ 1,453,536 \$ \$ 1,517,918 64,382 10,000 9,388 (612)446,750 472,086 25,336 64,000 72,503 8,503 20,000 1,023,198 98,659 68,225 48,225 924,539 23,976 23,976 4,000 11,305 7,305 205,700 67,302 273,002 54,200 87,352 33,152 34,000 88,918 54,918 3,148,725 3,470,035 321,310 672,526 78,407 594,119 1,152,159 65,506 1,086,653 10,000 3,060 6,940 30,934 336,343 305,409 1,147,895 1,014,304 133,591 1,807 216,450 214,643 450,123 423,203 26,920 80,000 74,579 5,421 50,000 45,450 4,550 10,000 3,060 6,940 4,105,496 3,758,360 347,136 24,000 85,858 61,858 (956,771) (288, 325)668,446 20,000 (20,000)350,000 350,000 (350,000)(350,000)514,878 423,173 (91,705)(514,878) (423,173)91,705 20,000 (20,000)24,000 85,858 61,858 (936,771)(288, 325)648,446 257,690 257,690 2,552,932 2,552,932 206,880 257,828 50,948 \$ \$ \$ 61,858 \$ \$ \$ 699,394 281,690 343,548 1,823,041 2,522,435

Totals

City of Rittman, Ohio

Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Retained Earnings All Enterprise Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

		Enterprise		
Operating revenues:				
Charges for services	\$	1,261,537		
Other	Ψ	10,714		
Other		10,714		
Total operating revenues		1,272,251		
Operating expenses:				
Personal services		441,771		
Contractual services		508,600		
Materials and supplies		79,827		
Other		77,300		
Depreciation		415,676		
Total operating expenses		1,523,174		
Operating loss		(250,923)		
Non-operating revenues (expenses):				
Interest income		980		
Grants		75,000		
Municipal income tax		329,650		
Interest and fiscal charges		(224,724)		
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)		180,906		
Net loss		(70,017)		
Retained earnings at beginning of year		6,168,659		
Retained earnings at end of year	\$	6,098,642		

City of Rittman, Ohio Combined Statement of Cash Flows All Enterprise Funds

For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

	Enterprise					
Cash flows from operating activities: Operating loss Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net	\$	(250,923)				
cash provided by operating activities: Depreciation Change in assets and liabilities: (Increase) decrease in assets:		415,676				
Accounts receivable		5,366				
Inventory of supplies Prepaid items		(5,204) (80)				
Increase (decrease) in liabilities:		(00)				
Accounts payable		(88,470)				
Accrued wages Compensated absences		1,371 (286)				
Due to other governments		(6,588)				
Net cash provided by operating activities		70,862				
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:						
Income taxes received		335,217				
Operating grants		75,000				
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities		410,217				
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:						
Interest paid on debt		(221,157)				
Principal payment on notes and bonds Payment on matured bonds		(266,994)				
Acquisition of capital assets		(10,200) (409,282)				
Net cash used for capital and related financing activities		(907,633)				
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Sale of investments		24,113				
Investment income		1,017				
Net cash provided by investing activities		25,130				
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(401,424)				
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		2,027,446				
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	1,626,022				

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the City of Rittman (the City) have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The City also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board Statements and Interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, to its proprietary activities provided they do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The more significant of the City's accounting policies are described below.

A. City Government and Reporting Entity

The City is a home rule municipal corporation established under the laws of the State of Ohio which operates under its own charter. The current Charter, which provides for a Mayor-Council-Manager form of government, was adopted in 1960.

The reporting entity is comprised of the primary government, component units and other organizations that are included to ensure that the financial statements of the City are fairly presented and complete. The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards and commissions that are not legally separate from the City. The City provides municipal services such as a police force, a fire fighting and prevention force, street lighting, a street maintenance force, an emergency medical services force, a rubbish collection and recycling service, a parks and recreation system, and a staff to provide the necessary support to these service providers. The City also operates certain enterprise operations such as a sewage treatment plant, and a water treatment plant. The operations of all of these services are included in the reporting entity.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the City is financially accountable. The City is financially accountable for an organization if the City appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the City is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the City is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; the City is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or the City is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations for which the City approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. The City has no blended or discretely presented component units.

B. Basis of Presentation – Fund Accounting

The City uses funds and account groups to report on its financial position and the results of its operations. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain City functions or activities.

Notes to the Financial Statements

A fund is a separate accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. An account group, on the other hand, is a financial reporting device designed to provide accountability for certain assets and liabilities that are not recorded in the funds because they do not directly affect net expendable available financial resources.

Funds are classified into three categories: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. Each category, in turn, is divided into separate fund types. The City uses the following categories and fund types:

Governmental Fund Types

Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. The acquisition, use, and balances of the City's expendable financial resources and the related current liabilities (except those accounted for in the proprietary funds) are accounted for through governmental funds. The measurement focus is upon determination of financial position and changes in financial position. The following are the City's governmental fund types:

<u>General Fund:</u> The general fund is the general operating fund of the City. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The general fund balance is available to the City for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the laws and regulations of the City and/or the general laws of Ohio.

<u>Special Revenue Funds:</u> The special revenue funds are used to account for revenues derived from specific taxes, grants, or other sources (other than amounts relating to major capital projects) whose use is restricted. City ordinances or federal and state statutes specify the uses and limitations of each special revenue fund

<u>Debt Service Fund:</u> The debt service fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, general long-term and special assessment debt principal and interest.

<u>Capital Projects Funds</u>: The capital projects funds are used to account for the financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds).

Proprietary Fund Type

Proprietary funds are used to account for the City's ongoing organizations and activities which are similar to those often found in the private sector. The measurement focus is upon determination of net income, financial position and cash flows. The following is the City's proprietary fund type:

<u>Enterprise Funds</u>: The enterprise funds are used to account for the City's sewer and water operations. These activities are financed and operated in a manner similar to private sector business enterprises where the intent is that the costs (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

Fiduciary Fund Type

Fiduciary funds are used to account for assets held by the City in a trustee capacity or as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments, and other funds. The following is the City's fiduciary fund type:

<u>Expendable Trust Funds:</u> The expendable trust funds are designed to provide stewardship over expendable assets held in trust by the City, and are accounted for in essentially the same manner as governmental funds.

Account Groups

To make a clear distinction between fixed assets related to a specific fund and those of general government, and between long-term liabilities related to specific funds and those of a general nature, the following account groups are used:

<u>General Fixed Assets Account Group:</u> The general fixed assets account group is used to account for fixed assets other than those accounted for in the proprietary funds. These assets do not represent financial resources available for expenditure, but are items for which financial resources have been used and for which the City maintains accountability. They are not assets of any fund but of the City as a whole.

<u>General Long-Term Obligations Account Group:</u> The general long-term obligations account group is used to account for all unmatured long-term obligations of the City that are not a specific liability of the proprietary funds.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. All governmental funds are accounted for using a current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets.

All proprietary funds are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the balance sheet. Fund equity (i.e., net total assets) is segregated into contributed capital and retained earnings components. Proprietary fund-type operating statements present increases (e.g., revenues) and decreases (e.g., expenses) in net total assets.

Governmental fund types and the expendable trust funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting for reporting purposes. Under this method of accounting, the City recognizes revenue when it becomes both measurable and available. Measurable means the amount of the transaction can be determined. Available means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period, which for the City is considered to be fifty-nine days after year-end. Expenditures are recognized in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Principal and interest on general long-term and special assessment debt are recognized as expenditures when due or when amounts have been accumulated in the debt service fund for payments to be made early in the following year.

Revenues accrued at the end of the year included income taxes withheld by employers, interest on investments, intergovernmental revenues (including motor vehicle license fees), fines and forfeitures, rubbish collection billings, and reimbursements due from federal and state funded projects for which corresponding expenditures have been made.

Other revenues, including licenses, permits, certain charges for services, income taxes other than those withheld by employers, and miscellaneous revenues are recorded as revenue when received in cash because they are generally not measurable until actually received.

The accrual basis of accounting is used for reporting purposes by the proprietary funds. Revenues are recognized when they are earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred. Unbilled service charges are recognized as revenue at year-end.

The City reports deferred revenue on its combined balance sheet. Deferred revenues arise when potential revenue does not meet both the measurable and available criteria for recognition in the current period. In subsequent periods, when both revenue recognition criteria are met, the liability for deferred revenue is removed from the combined balance sheet and revenue is recognized. Levied special assessments are measurable, and have been recorded as a receivable. Since all assessments are due outside of the available period, the entire amount has been deferred. Estate taxes receivable are recognized as revenue to the extent available as an advance and the remaining amount as deferred revenue. Property taxes measurable as of December 31, 1999, and delinquent property taxes, whose availability is indeterminate and which are not intended to finance the current year, have also been recorded as deferred revenue.

D. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The City follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reported in the combined financial statements:

<u>Tax Budget:</u> A tax budget of estimated revenue and expenditures for all funds is submitted to the County Auditor, as Secretary of the County Budget Commission, by July 20th of each year, for the period January 1 to December 31 of the following year. All funds, except agency funds, are legally required to be budgeted. The expressed purpose of the tax budget is to reflect the need for existing (or increased) tax rates.

<u>Estimated Resources:</u> The County Budget Commission determines if the budget substantiates a need to levy the full amount of authorized property tax rates and reviews revenue estimates. The Commission certifies its actions to the City by September 1. As part of this certification, the City receives the Official Certificate of Estimated Resources, which states the projected revenue of each fund.

On or about January 1 the certificate of estimated resources is amended to include unencumbered fund balances at December 31. Further amendments may be made during the year if the Treasurer determines that revenue to be collected will be greater than or less than the prior estimates and the budget commission find the revised estimates to be reasonable. The amounts set forth in the financial statements represent estimates from the final amended certificate issued for 1999.

<u>Annual Budget:</u> The City Manager with the assistance of the Treasurer submits to Council an annual budget in November. The annual budget contains an estimate of the revenues and expenditures of each fund and department of the City for the next succeeding fiscal year. As part of the process, Council holds public meetings throughout its review. The annual budget serves as the basis for appropriations (the appropriated budget) in each fund.

<u>Appropriations</u>: An appropriation ordinance (the appropriated budget) to control the level of expenditures for all funds must be legally enacted on or about January 1. Appropriations may not exceed estimated resources as established in the Official Amended Certificate of Estimated Resources. Supplemental appropriations may be adopted by Council action. Amounts shown in the financial statements represent the appropriated budgeted amounts and all supplemental appropriations. During the year, several supplemental appropriation measures were passed.

<u>The Appropriated Budget:</u> For all funds, except agency funds, council appropriations (the legal level) are made for personal services, supplies and materials, contractual and other services, and capital outlay within each department, and also debt principal/interest payments, and transfers-out. Administrative control is maintained through the establishment of detailed line-item budgets. Appropriated funds may not be expended for purposes other than those designated in the appropriation ordinance without authority from Council. Expenditures plus encumbrances may not legally exceed appropriations at the level of appropriation adopted by Council.

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The appropriations set by Council must remain fixed unless amended by Council ordinance. The Treasurer may make more detailed appropriation allocations as long as the allocations are within Council's appropriated amount.

<u>Encumbrances</u>: As part of formal budgetary control, purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are encumbered and recorded as the equivalent of expenditures on the non-GAAP budgetary basis in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation and determine and maintain legal compliance. On a GAAP basis, encumbrances outstanding at year-end are reported as a reservation of fund balance for subsequent year expenditures for governmental funds, and as a note disclosure for proprietary funds.

<u>Lapsing of Appropriations:</u> At the close of each year, the unencumbered balance of each appropriation reverts to the respective fund from which it was appropriated and becomes subject to future appropriations. The encumbered appropriation balance is carried over for the subsequent year's expenditures and is not reappropriated.

E. Deposits and Investments

Cash received by the City is deposited in a central bank account. Monies for all funds, except cash held by a trustee or fiscal agent, are maintained in the account or temporarily used to purchase investments. Individual fund integrity is maintained through City records. Each fund's interest in the pool of cash and investments is presented as "Equity in pooled cash" on the combined balance sheet. Except for investment contracts and money market investments that had a remaining maturity of one year or less at the time of purchase, investments are reported at fair value, which is based on quoted market price.

For purposes of the Combined Statement of Cash Flows and for presentation on the Combined Balance Sheet, investments with original maturities of three months or less and investments of the cash management pool are considered to be cash equivalents.

The City utilizes financial institutions to service bonded debt as principal and interest payments come due. These accounts' balances are presented in the accounts "Cash with fiscal and escrow agents".

F. Advances to Other Funds

Long-term interfund loans receivable are reported as advances and are offset equally by a fund balance reserve account which indicates that they do not constitute expendable available financial resources and therefore are not available for appropriation.

G. Inventory of Supplies

Inventories of governmental funds are stated at cost, while inventories of proprietary funds are stated at the lower of cost or market. For all funds, cost is determined on a first-in, first-out basis. The cost of inventory items is recorded as an expenditure in the governmental fund types when purchased and an expense in the proprietary funds when used.

H. Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond December 31, 1999 are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method. A current asset for the prepaid amount is recorded at the time of the purchase and an expenditure or expense is reported in the year in which services are consumed.

I. Deferred Charges and Bond Discounts

Bond discounts and issuance costs for proprietary fund types are deferred and amortized over the term of the bonds using the bonds outstanding method, which approximates the effective interest method. Bond discounts are presented as a reduction to the face amount of bonds payable, whereas issuance costs are recorded as deferred charges.

J. Fixed Assets and Depreciation

General fixed assets (fixed assets used in governmental fund type operations) are not capitalized in the funds used to acquire or construct them. Instead, capital acquisition and construction are reflected as expenditures in governmental funds, and the related assets are reported in the general fixed assets account group. Fund fixed assets are capitalized in the proprietary fund that reports the activity in which the asset is used.

All purchased fixed assets are valued at cost where historical records are available and at an estimated historical cost where no historical records exist. Donated fixed assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Improvements are capitalized. Improvements to fund fixed assets are depreciated over the useful lives of the related fixed assets.

Public domain ("infrastructure") general fixed assets consisting of roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, streets and sidewalks, drainage systems, and lighting systems are not capitalized, as these assets are immovable and of value only to the City.

Assets in the general fixed assets account group are not depreciated. Proprietary fund fixed assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

<u>Asset Class</u>	Estimated Useful Life
Buildings	20 to 40 years
<i>Improvements</i>	20 to 75 years
Equipment	5 to 30 years

K. Compensated Absences

The City accrues a liability for compensated absences in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 16, "Accounting for Compensated Absences." Vacation benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and it is probable that the City will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means. Sick leave benefits are accrued as a liability using the termination method. The liability is based on the sick leave accumulated at December 31, by those employees whom it is estimated will become eligible to receive termination benefits in the future. The amount is based on accumulated sick leave and employees' wage rates at year-end, taking into consideration any limits specified in the City's termination policy.

For governmental funds, the City's liability for unpaid accumulated sick leave is the amount to be paid using expendable available financial resources and is reported as an accrued liability in the fund from which the individuals who have accumulated the unpaid compensated absences are paid. The balance of the liability is reported in the general long-term obligations account group. In proprietary funds, the entire amount of unpaid compensated absences is reported as a fund liability.

L. Long-term Obligations

Long-term debt is recognized as a liability of a governmental fund when due or when resources have been accumulated in the debt service fund for payment early in the following year. For other long-term obligations, only that portion expected to be financed from expendable available financial resources is reported as a fund liability of a governmental fund. The remaining portion of such obligations is reported in the general long-term obligations account group. Long-term liabilities expected to be financed from proprietary fund operations are accounted for in those funds.

M. Contributed Capital

Contributed capital represents donations by developers, grants restricted for capital construction, and special assessments administered through the enterprise funds. These assets are recorded at their fair market value on the date contributed and are not subject to repayment.

N. Reserves of Fund Equity

Reserves of fund equity indicate that a portion of fund balance is not available for expenditure or is legally segregated for a specific future use. Governmental fund type fund balances are reserved for encumbrances, debt service, inventory, prepaid items, and advances. Enterprise fund reservation of retained earnings indicates that portion of retained earnings which is legally segregated for a specific future use. There is no reservation of retained earnings at December 31, 1999.

O. Interfund Transactions

During the course of normal operations, the City has numerous transactions between funds, most of which are in the form of transfers of resources to provide services, construct assets and service debt. The accompanying financial statements generally reflect such transactions as operating transfers. Operating subsidies are also recorded as operating transfers.

Transactions that constitute reimbursements for expenditures or expenses initially made from a fund that are properly allocable to another fund are recorded as expenditures or expenses in the reimbursing fund and as reductions of the expenditures and expenses in the fund that is reimbursed.

P. Intergovernmental Revenues

In governmental funds, federal and state grants awarded on a non-reimbursement basis and federal entitlements are recorded as intergovernmental receivables and revenues when measurable and available. Federal and state reimbursable type grants are recorded as intergovernmental receivables and revenues when the related liabilities are incurred.

Q. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

R. Memorandum Only – Total Columns on Combined Financial Statements

Total columns on the general purpose financial statements are captioned "Total Memorandum Only" to indicate that they are presented only to facilitate financial analysis. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or cash flows in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Neither is such data comparable to a consolidation. Interfund eliminations have not been made in the aggregation of this data.

NOTE 2 - BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

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

The Combined Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual - All Governmental Fund Types and Expendable Trust Funds is presented on the budgetary basis to provide a meaningful comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and the GAAP basis are that:

- (a) Revenues are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis);
- (b) Expenditures/expenses are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis);
- (c) Encumbrances are recorded as the equivalent of an expenditure (budget basis) in order to determine compliance with Ohio law, and to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation as opposed to a reservation of fund (GAAP basis); and,

(d) Advances-in and Advances-out are operating transactions (budget basis) as opposed to balance sheet transactions (GAAP basis).

The adjustments necessary to convert the results of operations for the year on the GAAP basis to the budget basis for the governmental funds and expendable trusts are as follows:

Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under)

Expenditures and Other Financing Uses

			Special	Debt		Capital	E	xpendable
	<u>General</u>		<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Service</u>	1	<u>Projects</u>		<u>Trust</u>
GAAP Basis	\$ (67,139)	\$	48,822	\$ (578)	\$	152,705	\$	86,341
Revenue accruals	14,274		(10,145)	350,000		(69)		(483)
Expenditure accruals	(377,920)		(14,519)	-		(2,200)		-
Encumbrances (Budget Basis)								
Outstanding at year end	 (33,804)		(31,604)	 		(402,006)		_
Budget Basis	\$ (464,589)	\$	(7,446)	\$ 349,422	\$	(251,570)	\$	85,858

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

The City's policy is to invest public funds in a manner which will provide the highest return with the maximum security while meeting the daily cash flow needs and conforming to state statutes and the City Charter governing the investment of public funds. The Charter of the City of Rittman specifies that the Treasurer has responsibility for selecting depositories and investing idle funds and the authority to choose the types of deposits and investments made. The Charter allows the Treasurer to invest in government securities, direct obligations of the U.S. Treasury and federal agencies, certificates of deposit, savings accounts, NOW accounts, repurchase agreements, state and local government securities, and the State Treasurer's investment pool. The City's practice is to limit deposits and investments to insured and/or collateralized demand deposit accounts, the State Treasurer's investment pool, certificates of deposit, U.S. Treasury bills, or obligations of other U.S. Agencies for which the principal and interest is guaranteed by the U.S. Government. The City also invests in Special Assessment Bond issues in the name of the City. The Charter allows for ten percent of funds to be invested for a maximum maturity of three years from the date of purchase. The City does not enter into reverse repurchase agreements.

Protection of City cash and investments is provided by the various federal deposit insurance corporations as well as qualified pledged or pooled securities by the institutions holding the assets. Such collateral is held by the various institutions or their trustees including the Federal Home Loan Bank and the Federal Reserve Bank.

The City has invested funds in STAR Ohio during 1999. STAR Ohio is an investment pool managed by the State Treasurer's Office, which allows governments within the State to pool their funds for investment purposes. STAR Ohio is not registered with the SEC as an investment company, but does operate in a manner consistent with Rule 2a7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. Investments in STAR Ohio are valued at STAR Ohio's share price, which is the price the investment could be sold for on December 31, 1999.

Interest earnings are distributed to the Street Maintenance and Repair, State Highway special revenue funds and the Recreation expendable trust fund based on daily cash balances and the remainder is reported in the general fund. The interest earned in a Water bond escrow account is credited to the Water enterprise fund. Interest revenue credited to the General fund during the fiscal year 1999 amounted to \$229,469, which includes \$189,976 assigned from other City funds.

<u>Deposits</u>: At year-end, the carrying amount of the City's deposits was \$2,201,346 and the bank balances totaled \$2,225,445. Of the bank balances, \$535,444 was covered by federal depository insurance and \$1,690,001 was covered by pooled and/or pledged collateral, as allowed by the Ohio Revised Code, but not necessarily held in the City's name (uncollateralized, risk Category 3). Cash on hand was \$1,050.

<u>Investments</u>: The City's investments are categorized to give an indication of the level of risk assumed at year-end. Category 1 includes investments that are insured or registered or for which the securities are held by the City or its agent in the City's name. Category 2 includes uninsured and unregistered investments for which the securities are held by the counterparty's trust department or agent in the City's name. Category 3 includes uninsured and unregistered investments for which the securities are held by the financial institution's trust department or agent but not in the City's name.

	 Cate	gor.	y		Carrying		Fair
	<u>1</u>		<u>2</u>		<u>Amounts</u>		<u>Value</u>
<u>Categorized Investments</u>							
Special assessment bonds	\$ 74,572	\$	-	\$	74,572	\$	74,572
U.S. Agency securities	 <u> </u>		2,196,225	_	2,196,225		2,196,225
Total Categorized	\$ 74,572	\$	2,196,225	_	2,270,797	_	2,270,797
Noncategorized Investments							
State Treasurer's pool					209,227		209,227
Total Investments				\$	2,480,024	\$	2,480,024

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Investments with the State Treasurer's Pool are unclassified investments since they are not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book entry form.

NOTE 4 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

The composition of interfund balances as of December 31, 1999 is as follows:

	1	<u>Amount</u>	
Payable Fund	ø	025 000	
	<u>Payable Fund</u> Debt Service fund	Payable Fund	Payable Fund

NOTE 5 - FIXED ASSETS

<u>General Fixed Assets:</u> Changes in general fixed assets during 1999 were as follows:

	Balance January 1	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>D</u>	Balance ecember 31
Land and land improvements	\$ 90,025	\$ 69,943	\$ -	\$	159,968
Buildings Equipment	 2,351,009 2,388,750	40,579 301,004	 36,202 156,359		2,355,386 2,533,395
Total	\$ 4,829,784	\$ 411,526	\$ 192,561	\$	5,048,749

<u>Enterprise Fund:</u> A summary of the enterprise funds' fixed assets as of December 31, 1999 follows:

<u>Classification</u>	<u>Balance</u>
Land	\$ 73,637
Buildings	5,657,652
Infrastructure and improvements	8,123,756
Equipment	1,685,641
Total	15,540,686
Less: accumulated depreciation	(4,342,765)
Net fixed assets	\$ 11,197,921

NOTE 6 - BONDED DEBT AND OTHER LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

A listing of changes in the bonds and other long-term obligations of the City for the year ended December 31, 1999, follows:

	Balance <u>January 1</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>D</u>	<u> Peletions</u>		Balance ecember 31
Enterprise Fund Debt						
General Obligation Bonds						
1994 Waterworks System	Ø 225.000	c)	ø	100.000	ø	225 000
Refinancing Bonds 3.00 - 5.10%	\$ 325,000	\$ -	\$	100,000	\$	225,000
Unamortized cost of refunding Discount	(3,913) (1,960)			1,912 958		(2,001) (1,002)
Total General Obligation Bonds	319,127	-		102,870		221,997
G						
<u>Revenue Bonds</u>						
1993 Mortgage Revenue						
Bonds 5.25%	1,227,900			13,200		1,214,700
Total Bonds	1,547,027			116,070		1,436,697
<i>Loans</i>						
 1977 O.W.D.A. Loan 5.25%	82,143	-		18,949		63,194
1993 O.W.D.A. Loan 5.00%	2,787,289	-		134,846		2,652,443
Total Loans	2,869,432			153,795		2,715,637
Total Enterprise Obligations	\$ 4,416,459	\$ -	\$	269,865	\$	4,152,334
General Long Term Debt						
General Obligation Bonds						
1993 Safety Building						
Bonds 3.00 - 5.85%	\$ 730,000	\$ -	\$	55,000	\$	675,000
Special Assessment Bonds						
1980 North Main Street 9.75%	4,000	-		2,000		2,000
1992 W. Sunset Street 6.00%	41,584	-		9,506		32,078
1994 Street Paving 7.00%	3,587	-		1,733		1,854
1995 Ritter Drive 6.50%	28,807	-		2,859		25,948
1996 Street Improvement	5,536	-		1,256		4,280
1997 Street Improvement	9,081	-		1,595		7,486
1998 Street Improvement	3,557			631		2,926
Total Special Assessment Bonds	96,152			19,580		76,572
Other Obligations						
Compensated absences	90,566	3,101		-		93,667
Total General Long Term Debt	\$ 916,718	\$ 3,101	\$	74,580	\$	845,239

<u>General Obligation Bonds</u>: General obligation bonds are direct obligations of the City for which its full faith and credit are pledged for repayment. General obligation bonds are to be repaid from voted and unvoted general property taxes. The Waterworks System Refinancing Bonds (maturing December 1, 2001) were used to retire the 1978 Waterworks System First Mortgage Revenue Bonds, which were called for redemption on June 1, 1994. The Safety Building Bonds (maturing December 1, 2008) were issued for the purpose of constructing a new building to house the municipal fire and police departments.

<u>Special Assessment Bonds</u>: Special assessment bonds are payable from the proceeds of assessments levied against the specific property owners who primarily benefited from the project. Special assessment debt will be serviced by the Bond Retirement debt service fund from payments received from the property owners. In the event that property owners fail to make their special assessment payments, the City is responsible for providing the resources to meet the annual principal and interest payments.

<u>Revenue Bonds</u>: Revenue bonds are to be repaid from income derived from the constructed and improved assets. The Sewer Mortgage Revenue Bonds (maturing October 15, 2013) were issued for the purpose of constructing and improving the wastewater treatment facilities.

<u>Loans</u>: The Ohio Water Development Authority (OWDA) loans were used for the construction, maintenance and operation of a wastewater facility. The loans are paid from revenues of the wastewater system.

<u>Compensated Absences:</u> Sick leave benefits will be paid from the fund from which the person is paid. Additions and deletions of accrued vacation and sick leave are shown net since it is impractical for the City to determine these amounts separately.

The annual requirements to amortize all debt outstanding as of December 31, 1999, including interest payments of \$2,642,219 are as follows:

	General Ibligation Bonds	As	Special sessment Bonds	O.W.D.A Loans	Revenue Bonds	Total
2000	\$ 218,112	\$	25,557	\$ 295,807	\$ 76,153	\$ 615,629
2001	219,733		21,377	295,807	76,141	613,058
2002	95,618		21,377	295,807	76,193	488,995
2003	97,238		7,760	272,546	76,204	453,748
2004	98,493		4,731	272,546	76,173	451,943
Thereafter	 390,373		9,462	 2,316,636	 2,209,284	 4,925,755
Total	\$ 1,119,567	\$	90,264	\$ 3,749,149	\$ 2,590,148	\$ 7,549,128

NOTE 7 - CONTRIBUTED CAPITAL

Contributions for (or of) capital assets are credited directly to contributed capital. These include donations by developers, contributions made by the City and assets whose construction was financed through special assessments. Depreciation expense on assets acquired through restricted grants is not closed to contributed capital. There was no change in contributed capital from January 1, 1999 to December 31, 1999.

NOTE 8 - PROPERTY TAX

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real and public utility property, and tangible personal (used in business) property located in the City. Real property taxes were levied after October 1, on the assessed value as of the prior January 1, the lien date. Assessed values are established by State law at thirty-five percent of appraised market value. All property is required to be revalued every six years. The last revaluation was in 1996 and 1998 for Wayne and Medina Counties respectively. Public utility property taxes were levied after October 1, on the assessed value as of the prior December 31, and are collected with real property taxes. Public utility property taxes are assessed on tangible personal property at 100 percent of true value and on real property at 35 percent of assessed valuation. Tangible personal property taxes are levied on January 1 of the current year on the value listed as of December 31, of the prior year. Tangible personal property assessments are twenty-five percent of true value. The full-tax rate for all City operations applied to taxable property for the year ended December 31, 1999 was \$7.5 and \$6.2 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in Wayne and Medina Counties respectively. For 1999, only two percent of the total valuations were attributed to property in Medina County.

The assessed values upon which the 1999 taxes were collected are as follows:

<u>Property Category</u>	<u>As</u>	sessed Value	<u>Percent</u>	
<u>Real Property</u>				
Residential and agricultural	\$	56,230,150	62.49	%
Commercial and industrial		10,437,400	11.60	
Public utilities		13,650	0.02	
Tangible Personal Property				
General		20,339,952	22.61	
Public utilities		2,953,850	3.28	
Total	\$	89,975,002	100.00	%

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The full tax rate applied to property in Wayne County is 7.5 mills with 2.3 mills and 1.4 mills allocated to the Emergency Medical Service and Fire Department Levy special revenue funds, respectively. The Emergency Medical Service levy expires in 1999 with a final collection in 2000, and the Fire Department levy expires in 2000 with final collection in 2001.

Real and public utility property taxes are payable annually or semiannually. If paid annually, payment is due February 15. If paid semiannually, the first payment is due February 15 with the remainder payable by July 20. Under certain circumstances, state statute permits earlier or later payment dates to be established. Due dates are normally extended an additional thirty days.

Tangible personal property taxes paid by multi-county taxpayers are due September 20. Single county taxpayers may pay annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due April 30; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due April 30, with the remainder payable by September 20.

The County Treasurer collects property tax on behalf of all taxing districts within the County. The County Auditor periodically remits to the taxing districts their portions of the taxes collected.

Accrued property taxes receivable represents delinquent taxes outstanding and real property, public utility, and tangible personal property taxes which became measurable as of December 31, 1999. However, since these tax collections will not be received during the available period nor are they intended to finance 1999 operations, the receivable is offset by a credit to deferred revenue.

NOTE 9 - INCOME TAX

The City levies and collects an income tax of 1.5% on all income earned within the city as well as on incomes of residents earned outside the City. In the latter case, the City allows a credit of 100% of the tax paid to another municipality, not to exceed the amount owed. Employers within the City are required to withhold income tax on employee earnings and remit the tax to the City at least quarterly. Corporations and other individual taxpayers are also required to pay their estimated taxes at least quarterly and to file a final return annually. Income tax revenues are distributed between the General fund (50%), the Water enterprise fund (25%), and the Capital Improvements capital projects fund (25%).

NOTE 10 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

A few claims and lawsuits are pending against the City. It is Management's opinion that the ultimate liability will be covered by insurance, and/or will not have a material effect on the financial statements.

As of December 31, 1999 the City was involved in a storm sewer project for \$137,000 which is a commitment of the Sewer enterprise fund. The EMS, Capital Improvements and Fire Levy funds all had commitments of \$17,740 each for a city-wide communications project. Also, the Capital improvements fund has commitments for a recreation center and athletic courts for \$206,205 and \$58,900, respectively.

The City has received federal and state grants for specific purposes that are subject to review and audit by the grantor agencies or their designee. These audits could lead to a request for reimbursement to the grantor agency for expenditures disallowed under the terms of the grant. Based on prior experience, City Management believes such disallowance, if any, will be immaterial.

NOTE 11 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS

All employees of the City, with the exclusion of uniformed City police, are required to be members of the Public Employees Retirement System of Ohio (PERS), a multiple-employer, cost-sharing public employee retirement system. However, those students working less than 1,500 hours per calendar year have an option to exclude themselves from membership. All full-time uniformed City police are required to be members of the Police and Firemen's Disability and Pension Fund (PFDPF), also a multiple-employer, cost-sharing public employee retirement system. Both of these retirement plans provide retirement and disability benefits, annual cost of living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Authority to establish and amend benefits for PERS and PFDPF, is provided by the Ohio State Legislature and are codified in the Ohio Revised Code, Chapters 145 and 742 respectively. Each retirement system prepares a standalone financial report that includes financial information and required supplementary information for the plans. These reports can be obtained by writing to PERS at 277 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-4642 and PFDPF at 140 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-5164.

<u>PERS</u>: Plan members are required to contribute 8.5 percent of their covered salary, while employers are required to contribute 13.55 percent. The City's contributions to PERS for the years ending December 31, 1999, 1998, and 1997 were \$170,236 \$157,945, and \$147,278, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

<u>PFDPF</u>: Plan members are required to contribute 10.0 percent of their covered salary, while employers are required to contribute 19.5 percent. The City's contributions to PFDPF for the years ending December 31, 1999, 1998, and 1997 were \$67,475, \$66,328, and \$64,781, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

NOTE 12 - POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

PERS provides post-retirement health care coverage, also referred to as Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB), to age and service retirants with 10 or more years of qualifying Ohio service credit and to primary survivor recipients of such retirants. Health care coverage for disability recipients is available. A portion of each employer's contribution to PERS is set aside for the funding of post retirement health care. The Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority requiring public employers to fund post retirement health care through their contributions to PERS. The employer contribution rate for 1999 was 13.55 percent of covered payroll and 4.2 percent was the portion that was used to fund health care. The employer contributions for 1999 were \$170,236, with \$52,767 used to fund heath care benefits.

OPEB are financed through employer contributions and investment earnings thereon. The contributions allocated to retire health care, along with investment income an allocated assets and periodic adjustments in health care provisions are expected to be sufficient to sustain the program indefinitely. Expenditures for post retirement health care during 1999, for the entire system, were \$523,599,349. As of December 31, 1999, the unaudited estimated net assets available for future OPEB payments for the entire system, were \$9,870,285,641. The number of benefit recipients eligible for OPEB at December 31, 1999 was 118,062 for the entire system. During 1997, the Retirement Board adopted a new calculation method for determining employer contributions applied to OPEB. Under the new method, effective January 1, 1998, employer contributions, equal to 4.2% of member covered payroll, are used to fund health care expenses. Under the prior method, accrued liabilities and normal cost rates were determined for retiree health care coverage.

PFDPF provides post retirement health care coverage, also referred to as Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB), to any person who received or is eligible to receive a monthly benefit check or is a spouse or eligible dependent child of such person. The Ohio Revised code provides that health care cost paid from the funds of the PFDPF shall be included in the employer's contribution rate. The employer contribution rates for 1999 were 19.5 percent and 24.0 percent of covered payroll for police and firefighters, respectively. The Ohio Revised Code provides the statutory authority allowing the Fund's Board of Trustees to provide health care coverage to all eligible individuals. The Board-defined allocation for health care was 7.0 percent at December 31, 1999 for both plans. The employer contributions for 1999 were \$67,475 with \$24,222 used to fund heath care benefits.

PFDPF health care funding and accounting is on a pay-as-you-go basis. The number of participants eligible to receive health care benefits as of December 31, 1998, (latest information available), was 11,424 for police and 9,186 for firefighters. Total expenses for health care for the year ending December 31, 1998 were \$78,596,790.

NOTE 13 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The City 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. These risks are covered by commercial insurance policies purchased from independent third parties. The City purchases extended coverage insurance on all buildings and contents to \$12,683,671. Coverage is purchased on City vehicles for a combined single limit liability of \$1,000,000. The City purchases general liability insurance coverage with a \$1,000,000 limit per occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate. Other policies held by the City include law enforcement, public officials, boiler & machinery, inland marine, and commercial crime An umbrella policy held by the City provides an additional \$5,000,000 of coverage over the policies listed above. There were no settled claims from these risks have exceeded commercial insurance coverage for the past three years.

Workers Compensation coverage is provided by the State of Ohio and is based on a rate per \$100 of salaries. The rate is calculated based on accident history and administrative costs.

NOTE 14 - FUND DEFICITS

As of December 31, 1999, the Police Pension special revenue fund had a deficit balance of \$98. This deficit is a result of the application of generally accepted accounting principles. The general fund provides transfers to cover deficit balances in other funds, however, this is done when cash is needed rather than when accruals occur.

NOTE 15 - SEGMENT INFORMATION- ENTERPRISE FUNDS

Financial segment information as of and for the year ended December 31, 1999 for the enterprise funds is presented as follows:

	<u>Water</u>	<u>Sewer</u>	<u>Total</u>
Operating revenues	\$ 394,625	\$ 877,626	\$ 1,272,251
Depreciation expense	124,618	291,058	415,676
Operating loss	(187,287)	(63,636)	(250,923
Operating grants	_	75,000	75,000
Tax revenues	329,650	-	329,650
Net income (loss)	123,419	(193,436)	(70,017
Fixed asset additions	307,640	99,194	406,834
Fixed asset deletions	17,947	1,105	19,052
Net working capital	96,652	1,404,779	1,501,431
Total assets	3,761,244	9,319,918	13,081,162
Outstanding long-term liabilities:			
Payable from operating sources	-	3,754,851	3,754,851
Payable from other sources	107,979	-	107,979
Total equity	3,488,599	5,347,923	8,836,522
Encumbrances outstanding budget basis			
at December 31, 1999	\$ 22.313	\$ 37,558	\$ 59,871

NOTE 16 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On February 28, 2000, the City issued \$4,585 of special assessment bonds to fund the improvement of Metzger Avenue. The interest rate on the bonds is 6.00 percent and the final maturity is on February 28, 2005. Debt service payments are scheduled annually at \$1,088.

Also on March 1, 2000, the City issued \$1,500,000 of general obligation bonds to fund the cost of a recreation center. The interest rate on the bonds is 5.30 percent and the final maturity is on September 1, 2020. Debt service payments are scheduled semiannually at amounts that range from \$44,000 to \$117,000.



GENERAL FUND

The General Fund is used to account for all financial resources of the City except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

General Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

Tem ended become of, 1777			Favorable		
	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)		
Revenues:					
Taxes	\$ 893,800	\$ 930,589	\$	36,789	
Charges for services	390,500	404,309		13,809	
Fines, licenses and permits	62,000	69,285		7,285	
Intergovernmental	471,250	506,899		35,649	
Investment income	200,000	256,514		56,514	
Other	 6,100	 39,226		33,126	
Total Revenues	 2,023,650	 2,206,822		183,172	
Expenditures: Current:					
General government					
Office of City Council					
Personal services	27,200	26,987		213	
Contractual services	 5,000	 4,190		810	
Total Office of City Council	 32,200	31,177		1,023	
Department of Mayor and Administration					
Personal services	187,009	185,084		1,925	
Contractual services	109,545	107,015		2,530	
Supplies and materials	13,410	12,372		1,038	
Total Department of Mayor and Administration	309,964	304,471		5,493	
Department of Finance					
Personal services	124,600	124,444		156	
Contractual services	1,000	150		850	
Other operating costs	50,000	3,365		46,635	
Total Department of Finance	175,600	127,959		47,641	
Division of Lands and Buildings					
Personal services	12,170	11,336		834	
Contractual services	2,600	1,761		839	
Supplies and materials	5,501	5,168		333	
Total Division of Lands and Buildings	20,271	18,265		2,006	
Department of Law					
Personal services	20,250	20,250		-	
Contractual services	12,000	11,876		124	
Total Department of Law	32,250	32,126		124	
Miscellaneous					
Personal services	14,800	8,000		6,800	
Contractual services	14,585	10,861		3,724	
Total Miscellaneous	 29,385	18,861		10,524	
Tallament	 500 670	 522.050		((011	
Total general government	 599,670	 532,859		66,811	

General Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

Tear ended December 31, 1999	Budget	Actual	Favorable (Unfavorable)
G-C4			
Safety services Division of Police			
Personal services	682,143	648,736	33,407
Contractual services	49,690	40,409	9,281
Supplies and materials	33,243	31,053	2,190
Total Division of Police	765,076	720,198	44,878
Division of Fire			
Personal services	63,535	61,067	2,468
Contractual services	30,516	27,257	3,259
Supplies and materials	15,375	13,231	2,144
Total Division of Fire	109,426	101,555	7,871
Division of Communications	2.500	2 402	17
Contractual services	2,500	2,483	17
Division of Street Lighting			
Contractual services	23,500	20,084	3,416
Supplies and materials	2,500	1,696	804
Total Division of Street Lighting	26,000	21,780	4,220
Total safety services	903,002	846,016	56,986
Public health and welfare			
Cemetery Board	20.140	20.022	200
Personal services Contractual services	39,140 750	38,832 534	308 216
Supplies and materials	5,100	3,570	1,530
	44,990	42,936	2,054
Total Cemetery Board	44,990	42,930	2,034
Board of Health			
Contractual services	23,550	23,189	361
Division of Welfare	2 000		2 000
Contractual services	2,000		2,000
Division of Pest and Animal Control			
Personal services	4,475	1,465	3,010
Contractual services	3,500	3,050	450
Supplies and materials	4,000	2,324	1,676
Total Division of Pest and Animal Control	11,975	6,839	5,136
Total public health and welfare	82,515	72,964	9,551
Transportation			
Division of Street Maintenance Personal services	129,605	121,744	7,861
Contractual services	58,900	41,597	17,303
Supplies and materials	33,300	20,333	12,967
Total Division of Street Maintenance	221,805	183,674	38,131
Total 2113 of Street Manifestance	221,000	103,077	(Continued)

City of Rittman, Ohio General Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999			Variance Favorable
	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)
Division of Vehicle Maintenance			
Personal services	36,500	34,555	1,945
Contractual services	2,500	-	2,500
Supplies and materials	21,522	17,625	3,897
Total Division of Vehicle Maintenance	60,522	52,180	8,342
Total transportation	282,327	235,854	46,473
Basic utility services			
Division of Waste Management			
Contractual services	216,450	214,643	1,807
Leisure time activities			
Division of Parks	57.070	52 202	5.001
Personal services Contractual services	57,373	52,292	5,081
Supplies and materials	8,200 7,800	4,152 6,754	4,048 1,046
Total Division of Parks	73,373	63,198	10,175
Recreation Board	20.150	10.042	2 100
Personal services Contractual services	20,150 3,300	18,042 3,071	2,108 229
Supplies and materials	6,000	4,587	1,413
Total Recreation Board	29,450	25,700	3,750
Junior Achievement Center			
Contractual services	2,000	1,257	743
Other operating costs	100	25	75
Total Junior Achievement Center	2,100	1,282	818
Total Leisure time activities	104,923	90,180	14,743
Total Expenditures	2,188,887	1,992,516	196,371
Excess of revenues over			
(under) expenditures	(165,237)	214,306	379,543
Other financing uses:			
Advances - out	(350,000)	(350,000)	-
Operating transfers - out	(420,600)	(328,895)	91,705
Total other financing uses	(770,600)	(678,895)	91,705
Excess of revenues under			
expenditures and other uses	(935,837)	(464,589)	471,248
Fund balance at beginning of year	927,242	927,242	-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated	40,175	40,175	
Fund balance at end of year	\$ 31,580	\$ 502,828	\$ 471,248

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

Special revenue funds are used to account for types of resources (other than expendable trusts or for major capital projects) for which specific uses are mandated by City ordinances or Federal and State statutes. The title of each special revenue fund is descriptive of the activities accounted for therein. The special revenue funds are:

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES – To account for property taxes levied and other revenues for the operations of the emergency medical services.

<u>STREET MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR</u> – Required by the Ohio Revised Code to account for that portion of the state gasoline tax and motor vehicle registration fees designated for maintenance of streets within the City.

<u>STATE HIGHWAY</u> – Required by the Ohio Revised Code to account for that portion of the state gasoline tax and motor vehicle registration fees designated for maintenance of state highways within the City.

<u>PERMISSIVE TAX</u> – Required by the Ohio Revised Code to account for that portion of motor vehicle registration fees allocated to assist in maintaining those city streets designated as contributing to the effective and efficient flow of traffic through and within the county.

<u>PERMISSIVE TAX II</u> – Required by the Ohio Revised Code to account for that portion of license plate fees approved by the voters of Wayne County for the maintenance of City streets.

<u>POLICE PENSION FUND</u> – To accumulate property taxes levied for the partial payment of the current liability for police disability and pension.

<u>LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION</u> – To account for funds from the municipal court designated to enforce drunk driving laws and related educational programs.

<u>LAW ENFORCEMENT</u> – To account for funds from the municipal court designated for law enforcement programs.

<u>COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES (COPS)</u> – To account for a federal grant and local matching funds used to finance community policing programs.

STATE AND FEDERAL GRANTS – To account for monies received from the federal government for low income housing improvements.

<u>FIRE DEPARTMENT LEVY</u> – To accumulate property taxes levied for the maintenance and acquisition of fire equipment.

City of Rittman, Ohio Combining Balance Sheet All Special Revenue Funds As of December 31, 1999

]	mergency Medical Services	Ma	Street intenance d Repair	H	State lighway	Pe	rmissive Tax	rmissive Tax II
Assets									
Equity in pooled cash	\$	112,528	\$	77,588	\$	33,358	\$	-	\$ 51,499
Receivables:									
Taxes		107,661		-		-		-	-
Accounts		18,616		-		-		-	-
Accrued interest		-		497		226		-	-
Due from other governments		5,000		3,131		254		13,454	1,187
Materials and supplies									
inventory		-		2,043		1,207		-	-
Prepaid items		1,045							
Total assets	\$	244,850	\$	83,259	\$	35,045	\$	13,454	\$ 52,686
Liabilities and fund equity Liabilities Accounts payable Accrued wages and benefits Compensated absences payable Due to other governments Deferred revenue	\$	9,476 8,744 - 4,636 116,263	\$	244 1,857 1,053 4,158	\$	305	\$	- - - 13,454	\$ -
Total liabilities		139,119		7,312		305		13,454	
Fund equity Fund balance:									
Reserved for encumbrances		10,011		852		11,838		_	_
Reserved for inventory		-		2,043		1,207		_	_
Reserved for prepaid items		1,045		-		-		-	-
Unreserved:									
Undesignated		94,675		73,052		21,695			 52,686
Total fund equity (deficit)		105,731		75,947		34,740			 52,686
Total liabilities and fund equity	\$	244,850	\$	83,259	\$	35,045	\$	13,454	\$ 52,686

Police Pension	Enfo	Law reement ucation	Law	(COPS	ate and	De	Fire epartment Levy	 Totals
\$ 16,863	\$	910	\$ 772	\$	1,153	\$ 582	\$	87,476	\$ 382,729
21,432		-	-		-	-		81,587	210,680 18,616
-		-	1,485		-	-		-	723 24,511
 -		- -	- -		<u>-</u>	- -		<u>-</u>	3,250 1,045
\$ 38,295	\$	910	\$ 2,257	\$	1,153	\$ 582	\$	169,063	\$ 641,554
\$ - - 18,000 20,393	\$	- - - -	\$ - - - -	\$	214 - 847	\$ - - - -	\$	9,017 - - - - 78,430	\$ 18,737 11,120 1,053 27,641 228,540
 38,393					1,061	 -		87,447	287,091
- - -		- - -	- - -		- - -	- - -		8,903 - -	31,604 3,250 1,045
 (98)		910	 2,257		92	 582		72,713	 318,564
 (98)		910	 2,257		92	 582		81,616	 354,463
\$ 38,295	\$	910	\$ 2,257	\$	1,153	\$ 582	\$	169,063	\$ 641,554

City of Rittman, Ohio
Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures
and Changes in Fund Balances
All Special Revenue Funds
For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

D.		mergency Medical Services	Ma	Street intenance d Repair	H	State	Permissive Tax			rmissive Γax II
Revenues: Taxes	\$	119,500	\$		\$		\$		\$	
Charges for services	Ф	60,032	Ф	-	Э	-	Ф	-	Ф	-
Fines, licenses and permits		00,032		_		_		_		_
Intergovernmental		14,509		176,135		14,282		81,703		16,304
Investment income				3,631		1,700		-		-
Other		126		-		-				
Total revenues		194,167		179,766		15,982		81,703		16,304
Expenditures:										
Current:										
General government		2,025		-		-		-		-
Safety services		197,907		-		-		-		-
Transportation		-		169,272		3,201		-		-
Capital outlay		20,699	-			1,800		81,703		
Total expenditures		220,631		169,272		5,001		81,703		
Excess of revenues over										
(under) expenditures		(26,464)	-	10,494	-	10,981	-			16,304
Other financing sources: Operating transfers - in		_		_		_		_		-
Excess of revenues and other financing										
sources over (under) expenditures		(26,464)		10,494		10,981		-		16,304
Fund balance (deficit) at beginning of year		132,195		63,410		32,357		-		36,382
Increase (decrease) in reserve for inventory				2,043		(8,598)				
Fund balance (deficit) at end of year	\$	105,731	\$	75,947	\$	34,740	\$		\$	52,686

Police ension	Enfo	Law Enforcement Education		Law recement	COPS			ate and ral Grants	Fire Department Levy		 Totals
\$ 23,206	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	89,463	\$ 232,169
-		1,386		2,442		-		-		-	60,032 3,828
2,354		1,360		2,442		39,299		-		8,201	352,787
-		-		-		-		-		-	5,331
 											126
 25,560		1,386		2,442		39,299				97,664	 654,273
397		_		_		_		_		1,527	3,949
27,000		-		45		51,669		-		9,017	285,638
-		-		-		-		1,730		-	174,203
		1,400		2,656						46,298	154,556
 27,397		1,400		2,701		51,669		1,730		56,842	 618,346
 (1,837)		(14)		(259)		(12,370)		(1,730)		40,822	 35,927
 						12,895					 12,895
(1,837)		(14)		(259)		525		(1,730)		40,822	48,822
1,739		924		2,516		(433)		2,312		40,794	312,196
					_		_				 (6,555)
\$ (98)	\$	910	\$	2,257	\$	92	\$	582	\$	81,616	\$ 354,463

Emergency Medical Services Fund Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year	ended	December	31,	1999
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Teal chaca Becomper C1, 1777	Budget			Favorable (Unfavorable)		
	 Duugei		Actual	(0111	avorable)	
Revenues:						
Taxes	\$ 104,891	\$	117,048	\$	12,157	
Charges for services	46,250		58,389		12,139	
Intergovernmental	11,009		9,509		(1,500)	
Miscellaneous	100		126		26	
Total revenues	 162,250		185,072		22,822	
Expenditures:						
Current:						
General government						
Miscellaneous						
Other operating costs	 2,200		2,025		175	
Safety services						
Division of Emergency Services						
Personal services	162,857		154,499		8,358	
Contractual services	19,527		17,133		2,394	
Supplies and materials	13,644		11,202		2,442	
Other operating costs	8,300		8,112		188	
Capital outlay	 39,500		38,439		1,061	
Total safety services	 243,828		229,385		14,443	
Total expenditures	 246,028		231,410		14,618	
Excess of revenues						
under expenditures	(83,778)		(46,338)		37,440	
Fund balance at beginning of year	138,364		138,364		-	
Prior year encumbrances appropriated	 1,343		1,343			
Fund balance at end of year	\$ 55,929	\$	93,369	\$	37,440	

Street Maintenance and Repair Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

real chaca becomise 51, 1777		Budget			Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenues:						
Intergovernmental	\$	159,000	\$	178,543	\$	19,543
Investment income		1,000		3,565		2,565
Total revenues		160,000		182,108		22,108
Expenditures:						
Current:						
Transportation						
Division of Street Maintenance Personal services		143,275		131,697		11,578
Contractual services		20,500		9,161		11,378
Supplies and materials		38,144		28,828		9,316
Total expenditures		201,919		169,686		32,233
Excess of revenues over						
(under) expenditures		(41,919)		12,422		54,341
Other financing sources:						
Operating transfers-in		25,000		-		(25,000)
Excess of revenues and other						
financing sources over (under) expenditures		(16,919)		12,422		29,341
Fund balance at beginning of year		50,426		50,426		-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		13,644		13,644		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	47,151	\$	76,492	\$	29,341
	-		_	-	-	

State Highway Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

	Budget			Actual	Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenues:						
Intergovernmental	\$	12,900	\$	14,477	\$	1,577
Investment income		700		1,618		918
Total revenues		13,600		16,095		2,495
Expenditures:						
Current:						
Transportation						
Division of Street Maintenance		4.000				2.450
Personal services		4,000		541		3,459
Supplies and materials		21,200		14,193		7,007
Capital outlay		1,800		1,800		
Total expenditures		27,000		16,534		10,466
Excess of revenues						
(under) expenditures		(13,400)		(439)		12,961
Other financing sources:						
Operating transfers-in	-	15,000				(15,000)
Excess of revenues and other						
financing sources over (under) expenditures		1,600		(439)		(2,039)
Fund balance at beginning of year		21,959		21,959		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	23,559	\$	21,520	\$	(2,039)

Permissive Tax Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

ī	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)			
	Judget	 Actual	(Ullia	(VOI able)
\$	82,500	\$ 81,703	\$	(797)
	82,500	81,703		797
	-	-		-
\$	<u>-</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$	
		\$ 82,500 \$	\$ 82,500 \$ 81,703	Budget Actual Fav (Unfa \$ 82,500 \$ 81,703 \$

Permissive Tax II Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999					ariance vorable
	Budget			Actual	avorable)
Revenues:					
Intergovernmental	\$	15,000	\$	16,260	\$ 1,260
Expenditures:					
Current:					
Transportation					
Division of Street Maintenance					
Capital outlay		14,000			 14,000
Excess of revenues					
over expenditures		1,000		16,260	15,260
Fund balance at beginning of year		35,239		35,239	_
Fund balance at end of year	\$	36,239	\$	51,499	\$ 15,260

Police Pension Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Budget		Actual		Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenues:						
Taxes	\$	20,646	\$	22,469	\$	1,823
Intergovernmental		2,354		2,354		
Total revenues		23,000		24,823		1,823
Expenditures:						
Current:						
General government						
Miscellaneous		500		207		102
Other operating costs	-	500	-	397		103
Safety services						
Division of Police						
Personal services		24,000		24,000		_
Total expenditures		24,500		24,397		103
Excess of revenues over						
(under) expenditures		(1,500)		426		1,926
Fund balance at beginning of year		16,437		16,437	r	
Fund balance at end of year	\$	14,937	\$	16,863	\$	1,926

Law Enforcement Education Fund Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999	Budget		Actual		Variance Favorable (Unfavorab	
Revenues:	¢	1.000	¢.	1.561	¢.	5(1
Fines, licenses and permits	\$	1,000	\$	1,561	\$	561
Expenditures: Current:						
Safety services Division of Police						
Capital outlay		1,400		1,400		-
Excess of revenues over						
(under) expenditures		(400)		161		561
Fund balance at beginning of year		749		749		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	349	\$	910	\$	561

Law Enforcement Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999					Fav	riance orable
	Bı	ıdget	Actual		(Unfa	vorable)
Revenues: Fines, licenses and permits	\$	1,000	\$	1,657	\$	657
Thes, needses and permits	Ψ	1,000	Ψ	1,037	Ψ	037
Expenditures: Current:						
Current.						
Safety services Division of Police						
Other operating costs		50		45		5
Capital outlay		2,656		2,656		
Total expenditures		2,706		2,701		5
Excess of revenues						
under expenditures		(1,706)		(1,044)		662
Fund balance at beginning of year		1,816		1,816		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	110	\$	772	\$	662

City of Rittman, Ohio COPS Grant Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

	Budget		Budget Actual		Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenues:						
Intergovernmental	\$	42,325	\$	39,299	\$	(3,026)
Expenditures: Current: Safety services Division of Police						
Personal services		59,425		52,169		7,256
Excess of revenues under expenditures		(17,100)		(12,870)		4,230
Other financing sources: Operating transfers-in		19,600		12,895		(6,705)
Excess of revenues and other financing sources over expenditures		2,500		25		(2,475)
Fund balance at beginning of year		1,128		1,128		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	3,628	\$	1,153	\$	(2,475)

State and Federal Grants Fund Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year	ended	December	31.	1999
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	Budget		Actual		Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenues:						
Total revenues	\$		\$		\$	
Expenditures:						
Current:						
Transportation						
Division of Street Maintenance						
Contractual services		750		600		150
Supplies and materials		1,150		1,130		20
Total expenditures		1,900		1,730		170
Excess of revenues						
under expenditures		(1,900)		(1,730)		170
Fund balance at beginning of year		2,312		2,312		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	412	\$	582	\$	170

Fire Department Levy Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

, and the second	Budget		Actual		Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenues: Taxes Intergovernmental Total revenues	\$	79,199 8,201 87,400	\$	87,349 8,201 95,550	\$	8,150 - 8,150
Total revenues		67,400		75,550		0,130
Expenditures: Current: General government Miscellaneous						
Other operating costs		2,000		1,527		473
Safety services Division of Police						
Capital outlay		81,438		81,212		226
Total expenditures		83,438		82,739		699
Excess of revenues						
over expenditures		3,962		12,811		8,849
Fund balance at beginning of year		20,784		20,784		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	60,707	\$	69,556	\$	8,849

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF INDIVIDUAL FUNDS AND ACCOUNT GROUPS

The Debt Service Fund, and the General Long-term Debt Account Group are not presented separately since individual fund comparatives are not presented and the legal level of budgetary control is not greater than that presented in the General Purpose Financial Statements.

<u>**DEBT SERVICE FUND**</u> – The Debt Retirement Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources and payment of general obligation bond principal and interest.

<u>GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT ACCOUNT GROUP</u> – The General Long-term Debt Account Group is used to account for all long-term indebtedness of the City that is not a specific liability of a proprietary fund.

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

Capital project funds are established to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds and trust funds). The capital projects fund is:

<u>CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS</u> – to account for financial resources used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds).

Capital Improvements Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

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	Fund balance at beginning of year	121,178	121,178		-
Fund balance at end of year \$ (3,988) \$ 36,313 \$ 40,301	Prior year encumbrances appropriated	 166,705	166,705		
	Fund balance at end of year	\$ (3,988)	\$ 36,313	\$	40,301

ENTERPRISE FUNDS

Enterprise funds are used to account for the City's ongoing organizations and activities which are similar to those often found in the private sector. The measurement focus is upon determination of net income, financial position and changes in cash flows. The Enterprise Funds are used to account for the City's water and sewer operations. These operations are financed and operated in a manner similar to a private business enterprise. The intent of the City is that the costs (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges. Following is a description of the City's enterprise funds:

WATER - To account for water services provided to individuals and commercial users in the community.

SEWER - To account for sewer services provided to individuals and commercial users in the community.

City of Rittman, Ohio Combining Balance Sheet All Enterprise Funds As of December 31, 1999

		Water		Sewer		Sewer		Total
<u>Assets</u>						_		
Equity in pooled cash	\$	139,453	\$	1,472,656	\$	1,612,109		
Cash with fiscal								
and escrow agents		13,913		-		13,913		
Receivables:								
Taxes		26,850		-		26,850		
Accounts		60,212		142,601		202,813		
Accrued interest		65		-		65		
Materials and supplies inventory		16,436		2,974		19,410		
Prepaid items		3,087		3,692		6,779		
Deferred charges		1,302		-		1,302		
Fixed assets, (net of accumulated depreciation)		3,499,926		7,697,995		11,197,921		
Total assets	\$	3,761,244	\$	9,319,918	\$	13,081,162		
<u>Liabilities and equity</u> Current liabilities								
Accounts payable	\$	6,077	\$	7,151	\$	13,228		
Accrued wages and benefits	Ψ	3,315	Ψ	2,657	Ψ	5,972		
Compensated absences payable		18,263		12,567		30,830		
Due to other governments		8,133		6,314		14,447		
Matured bonds payable		10,200		0,514		10,200		
Matured interest payable		3,713		_		3,713		
Accrued interest payable		947		12,969		13,916		
OWDA loans payable - current		947		161,586		161,586		
General obligation bonds payable - current		114,018		101,360		114,018		
Mortgage revenue bonds payable - current		114,016		12 000				
	-	164666		13,900		13,900		
Total current liabilities		164,666		217,144		381,810		
Long-term liabilities								
OWDA loans payable		-		2,554,051		2,554,051		
General obligation bonds payable		107,979		-		107,979		
Mortgage revenue bonds payable			-	1,200,800		1,200,800		
Total long-term liabilities		107,979		3,754,851		3,862,830		
Total liabilities		272,645		3,971,995		4,244,640		
Equity								
Contributed capital		193,350		2,544,530		2,737,880		
Retained earnings, unreserved		3,295,249		2,803,393		6,098,642		
retained carmings, unreserved	-	3,473,449		2,003,373		0,070,042		
Total equity		3,488,599		5,347,923		8,836,522		
Total liabilities and equity	\$	3,761,244	\$	9,319,918	\$	13,081,162		

City of Rittman, Ohio Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Retained Earnings All Enterprise Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

	Water			Sewer	Total		
Operating revenues:							
Charges for services	\$	385,149	\$	876,388	\$	1,261,537	
Other		9,476		1,238		10,714	
Total operating revenues		394,625		877,626		1,272,251	
Operating expenses:							
Personal services		245,752		196,019		441,771	
Contractual services		164,441		344,159		508,600	
Materials and supplies		47,101		32,726		79,827	
Other		-		77,300		77,300	
Depreciation		124,618		291,058		415,676	
Total operating expenses		581,912		941,262		1,523,174	
Operating loss		(187,287)		(63,636)		(250,923)	
Non-operating revenues (expenses):							
Interest income		980		_		980	
Grants		-		75,000		75,000	
Municipal income tax		329,650		-		329,650	
Interest and fiscal charges		(19,924)		(204,800)		(224,724)	
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)		310,706		(129,800)		180,906	
Net income (loss)		123,419		(193,436)		(70,017)	
Retained earnings at beginning of year		3,171,830		2,996,829		6,168,659	
Retained earnings at end of year	\$	3,295,249	\$	2,803,393	\$	6,098,642	

City of Rittman, Ohio
Combining Statement of Cash Flows
All Enterprise Funds
For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

	Water		Sewer		Total	
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Operating loss	\$	(187,287)	\$	(63,636)	\$	(250,923)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net	Ф	(167,267)	Ф	(03,030)	Ф	(230,923)
cash provided by (used for) operating activities:						
Depreciation		124,618		291,058		415,676
Change in assets and liabilities:		124,016		271,036		413,070
(Increase) decrease in assets:						
Accounts receivable		793		4,573		5,366
Inventory of supplies		(5,225)		4,373		(5,204)
Prepaid items		(108)		28		
Increase (decrease) in liabilities:		(108)		20		(80)
· /		4.722		(02.102)		(99, 470)
Accounts payable		4,723		(93,193)		(88,470)
Accrued wages		377		994		1,371
Compensated absences		681		(967)		(286)
Due to other governments		(2,822)		(3,766)		(6,588)
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities		(64,250)		135,112		70,862
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:						
Income taxes received		335,217		-		335,217
Operating grants		-		75,000		75,000
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities		335,217		75,000		410,217
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:						
Interest paid on debt		(16,215)		(204,942)		(221,157)
Principal payment on notes and bonds		(100,000)		(166,994)		(266,994)
Payment on matured bonds		(10,200)		-		(10,200)
Acquisition of capital assets		(310,210)		(99,072)		(409,282)
Net cash used for capital and related financing activities		(436,625)		(471,008)		(907,633)
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Sale of investments		24,113		-		24,113
Investment income		1,017				1,017
Net cash provided by investing activities		25,130	-			25,130
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(140,528)		(260,896)		(401,424)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		293,894		1,733,552		2,027,446
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	153,366	\$	1,472,656	\$	1,626,022

Water Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Equity -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

Tear ended December 51, 1777					Fa	vorable
		Budget		Actual		favorable)
Revenues:						
Municipal income tax	\$	325,000	\$	335,217	\$	10,217
Charges for services	•	420,600	Ψ	385,942	Ψ	(34,658)
Investment income		2,000		1,017		(983)
Other		1,000		7,096		6,096
Total revenue		748,600		729,272		(19,328)
Expenses:						
General government						
Miscellaneous						
Other operating costs		3,000		1,682		1,318
Basic utility services						
Division of Water Distribution						
Personal services		270,593		247,944		22,649
Contractual services		159,740		134,303		25,437
Supplies and materials		87,147		62,253		24,894
Other operating costs		50,500		50,200		300
Capital outlay		311,596		293,327		18,269
Total basic utility services		879,576		788,027		91,549
Debt service:						
Principal retirement		100,000		100,000		-
Interest and fiscal charges		16,215		16,215		
Total expenses		998,791		905,924		92,867
Excess of revenues						
under expenses		(250,191)		(176,652)		73,539
Fund equity at beginning of year		228,926		228,926		-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated		68,241		68,241		
Fund equity at end of year	\$	46,976	\$	120,515	\$	73,539

Sewer Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Equity -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

Tear chaca becomber 51, 1777			Favorable
	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)
Revenues:			
Charges for services	\$ 876,500	\$ 880,961	\$ 4,461
Intergovernmental	75,000	75,000	-
Other	500	1,238	738
Total revenue	952,000	957,199	5,199
Expenses:			
Basic utility services			
Division of Wastewater Treatment			
Personal services	233,118	199,593	33,525
Contractual services	785,361	465,199	320,162
Supplies and materials	50,372	34,797	15,575
Other operating costs	77,300	77,300	-
Capital outlay	108,993	106,829	2,164
Total basic utility services	1,255,144	883,718	371,426
Debt service:			
Principal retirement	167,000	166,994	6
Interest and fiscal charges	204,955	204,942	13
Total expenses	1,627,099	1,255,654	371,445
Excess of revenues			
under expenses	(675,099)	(298,455)	376,644
Other financing sources (uses):			
Operating transfers - in	693,754	693,754	-
Operating transfers - out	(693,754)	(693,754)	
Total other sources (uses)	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
Excess of revenues and other			
financing sources under			
expenses and other uses	(675,099)	(298,455)	376,644
Fund equity at beginning of year	1,429,459	1,429,459	-
Prior year encumbrances appropriated	304,094	304,094	
Fund equity at end of year	\$ 1,058,454	\$ 1,435,098	\$ 376,644

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Fiduciary funds are used to account for assets held by the City in a trustee capacity or as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments and/or other funds. The City's Fiduciary Fund type is:

EXPENDABLE TRUST FUNDS

These funds are accounted for in essentially the same manner as governmental funds.

<u>CEMETERY ENDWOMENT FUND</u> – To accumulate funds for any capital expenditures necessary for the municipal owned cemeteries.

<u>**RECREATION TRUST**</u> – To account for the construction, improvement and maintenance of the City's recreation facilities.

City of Rittman, Ohio Combining Balance Sheet All Expendable Trust Funds As of December 31, 1999

	emetery dowment	R	ecreation Trust	Totals
Assets				
Equity in pooled cash	\$ 78,312	\$	265,236	\$ 343,548
Receivables:				
Accounts	850		-	850
Accrued interest	 		1,584	 1,584
Total assets and other debits	\$ 79,162	\$	266,820	\$ 345,982
Liabilities, fund equity and other credits				
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Deferred revenue	\$ 400	\$	-	\$ 400
Total liabilities	 400			 400
Fund equity and other credits				
Unreserved:	50.56 0		266.020	245.502
Undesignated	 78,762	-	266,820	 345,582
Total fund equity and other credits	 78,762		266,820	345,582
Total liabilities, fund equity				
and other credits	\$ 79,162	\$	266,820	\$ 345,982

City of Rittman, Ohio Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances All Expendable Trust Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 1999

		metery owment	Re	ecreation Trust	Totals		
Revenues:							
Charges for services	\$	9,438	\$	-	\$	9,438	
Intergovernmental		-		68,225		68,225	
Investment income				11,738		11,738	
Total revenues		9,438			89,401		
Expenditures:							
Capital outlay		3,060				3,060	
Excess of revenues over expenditures		6,378		79,963		86,341	
Fund balances at beginning of year		72,384		186,857		259,241	
Fund balances at end of year	\$	78,762	\$	266,820	\$	345,582	

Cemetery Endowment Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

]	Budget		Actual		vorable avorable)
Revenues: Charges for services	\$	10,000	\$	9,388	\$	(612)
Charges for services	Ψ	10,000	Ψ	7,300	Ψ	(012)
Expenditures:						
Current:						
Public health services						
Capital outlay		10,000		3,060		6,940
Excess of revenues						
over expenditures		0		6,328		6,328
Fund balance at beginning of year		71,984		71,984		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	71,984	\$	78,312	\$	6,328

Recreation Trust Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances -

Budget (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) and Actual

Year ended December 31, 1999

	E	Budget	 Actual	vorable favorable)
Revenues:				
Intergovernmental	\$	20,000	\$ 68,225	\$ 48,225
Investment income		4,000	 11,305	 7,305
Total revenue		24,000	 79,530	 55,530
Expenditures: Total expenditures			 	
Excess of revenues				
over expenditures		24,000	79,530	55,530
Fund balance at beginning of year		185,706	185,706	
Fund balance at end of year	\$	209,706	\$ 265,236	\$ 55,530

GENERAL FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT GROUP

The General Fixed Assets Account Group accounts for all fixed assets used in general governmental operations. Streets, sidewalks and storm sewers are not included in this account group as the City does not capitalize infrastructure items.

City of Rittman, Ohio General Fixed Assets Account Group Schedule of General Fixed Assets by Source As of December 31, 1999

General fixed assets Land and land improvements Buildings Machinery and equipment	\$ 159,968 2,355,386 2,533,395
Total general fixed assets	\$ 5,048,749
Investments in general fixed assets from	
General fund	\$ 1,649,481
Special revenue funds	1,175,831
Capital project funds	604,524
Trust funds	43,867
Donations	104,125
General obligation bonds	 1,470,921
Total investments in general fixed assets	\$ 5,048,749

City of Rittman, Ohio
General Fixed Assets Account Group
Schedule of General Fixed Assets by Function and Activity
As of December 31, 1999

		and and Land		N	Aachinery and	
	Imp	rovements	 Buildings	E	Equipment	 Total
Safety services						
Police Fire	\$	-	\$ 1,473,045	\$	335,785 1,067,096	\$ 1,808,830 1,067,096
Emergency medical		30,000	 310,190		256,345	 596,535
Total safety services		30,000	 1,783,235		1,659,226	 3,472,461
Public health services						
Cemetery		2,664	 20,871		20,332	 43,867
Leisure time activities						
Pool		86,741	136,884		12,841	236,466
Parks		36,798	 128,153		232,849	 397,800
Total leisure time activities		123,539	 265,037		245,690	 634,266
Transportation services						
Street maintenance and repair			 196,991		489,751	 686,742
General government						
Administration		3,765	 89,252		118,396	 211,413
Total general fixed assets	\$	159,968	\$ 2,355,386	\$	2,533,395	\$ 5,048,749

City of Rittman, Ohio
General Fixed Assets Account Group
Schedule of Changes in General Fixed Assets by Function and Activity
Year ended December 31, 1999

	January 1,					De	cember 31,
	 1999	A	dditions*	D	eletions*		1999
Safety services							
Police	\$ 1,855,921	\$	68,425	\$	115,516	\$	1,808,830
Fire	1,017,197		57,899		8,000		1,067,096
Emergency medical	 536,407		60,128				596,535
Total safety services	 3,409,525		186,452		123,516		3,472,461
Public health services							
Cemetery	 43,867						43,867
Leisure time activities							
Pool	166,523		69,943		-		236,466
Parks	 404,265		32,183		38,648		397,800
Total leisure time activities	 570,788		102,126		38,648		634,266
Transportation services							
Street maintenance and repair	611,154		109,806		34,218		686,742
General government							
Administration	 194,450		46,545		29,582		211,413
Total general fixed assets	\$ 4,829,784	\$	444,929	\$	225,964	\$	5,048,749

^{*} Includes \$21,732 transfer of fixed assets from Police to Transportations Services.

^{*} Includes \$12,031 transfer of fixed assets from Police to Fire.



General Governmental Revenue by Source and Expenditures by Function All Governmental and Expendable Trust Funds Last Ten Years (8000 omitted) CITY OF RITTMAN, OHIO

REVENUES	19	<u>1990</u>	1991	1992	<u>1993</u>	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Taxes Intergovernmental revenues Charges for services Special assessments Fines, licenses and permits Investment income Miscellaneous	∞ -	1,034 602 321 19 39 249	1,176 461 325 19 44 252	1,215 646 361 55 45 92	1,217 567 567 423 44 54 91	1,262 677 395 70 58 138	1,403 666 424 64 69 299	1,364 851 456 63 65 276	1,459 709 431 25 60 311	1,403 873 873 20 20 63 307 44	1,529 1,002 503 25 73 247 87
Total	89	2,264	2,277	2,414	2,396	2,600	2,928	"	П	3,145	3,466
EXPENDITURES											
Safety services	8	605	611	703	650	962	730	915	970	1,039	1,121
Public health and welfare		159	151 65	187	172	181	179	70	72 99	89 02	72 93
Community environment		10	10	1 1	S &	3 6	5	7 -	ę .	3	
Basic utility services		157	174	196	216	204	206	198	197	197	198
Transportation		304	357	361	433	387	387	390	617	390	456
General government		481	425	410	370	420	401	418	470	472	539
Capital outlay Debt service		463	431	610	673	1,115	328	414	88	745	646
Principal retirement		14	14	489	244	81	75	71	73	71	75
Interest and fiscal charges		7	9	7	36	59	26	53	51	48	46
Total	8	2,260	2,244	3,035	2,864	3,312	2,434	2,601	2,637	3,128	3,246

Note: Years prior to 1992 are on a cash basis. Financial information provided excludes other financing sources and uses.

CITY OF RITIMAN, OHIO

Schedules of Property Tax, Tangible Tax, Special Assessments, Levied/Billed and Collections, and Economic Indicators Last Ten Years (\$600 ommitted)

PROPERTY TAX	1990	_1	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Net tax levy	\$	300	323	316	335	288	322	328	312	339	362
Taxes collected		262	312	314	319	282	288	287	315	324	355
Percentage collected	87.33%	3%	%65.96	99.37%	95.22%	%96.76	89.44%	87.59%	100.96%	95.58%	%203
TANGIBLE TAX											
Billed		78	76	108	109	122	130	140	161	125	147
Collected	S	62	86	109	107	116	126	134	155	125	147
Pecentage collected		1%	1%	1%	%86	%56	%16	%96	%96	100%	100%
Delinquent			-	-	2	2	e	S	5	ı	
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS											
Billed		25	26	32	30	20	48	35	29	22	25
Collected	S	20	31	28	47	45	33	30	30	21	25
Pecentage collected	7	77%	%26	93%	94%	%06	%89	85%	104%	%96	100%
Delinquent		9	-	2	3	3	2	1			
L COMMUNITY ECONOMIC INDICATORS	4TORS										
Number of building permits issued		2	2		2	1	2	•	4	7	111
Value of building permits issued Residential	\$ 201,000	00	140,000	500,000	1,300,000	1	534,000	ı	1,961,000	2,043,000	280,100
Number of building permits issued		7	12	14	18	30	8	6	7	14	118
Value of building permits issued	\$ 258,050	50	698,467	888,600	1,710,450	2,315,900	641,600	704,000	610,000	1,161,400	1,312,015
Unemployment rates											
Wayne County	7	4.9	5.8	6.4	4.8	3.9	3.5	4.3	4.2	3.2	3.5
State of Ohio	4,	5.7	6.4	7.1	6.5	6.3	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.3	4.3
United States	41	5.5	6.7	7.0	8.9	7.0	5.2	5.4	4.4	4.3	4.2
Registered voters, November election											
(City of Rittman)	2,616	16	2,558	2,789	2,657	2,748	2,835	3,022	3,087	3,867	3,073
Financial Institution Deposits	\$ 714,000	00	781,000	706,000	786,000	961,594	935,634	856,765	1,785,711	1,833,954	1,598,818

Source: Wayne and Medina County Auditors
Wayne County Board of Elections
Ohio Bureau of Employment Services
Federal Reserve Board and City of Rittman Zoning Department

CITY OF RITTMAN, OHIO
Schedules of Assessed Valuation, Estimated True Value and
Property Tax Rates all Direct and Overlapping Governments
Last Ten Years (\$000 omitted)

1999	66,668 2,968 20,340	89,975	257,071		8.35	54.80	4.10	09.9	4.00	1.00	7.50	1.00	95.33
1998	58,253 3,335 19,632	81,221	232,060		8.35	54.80	4.10	09'9	6.70	1.00	7.50	1.00	98.03
1997	58,945 3,253 18,670	80,868	231,051		8.35	54.80	4.10	09'9	6.70	1.00	7.50	1.00	98.03
1996	46,619 3,363 17,357	67,338	192,396		8.35	54.80	4.10	09.9	6.70	1.00	7.50	1.00	98.03
1995	45,035 3,645 16,060	64,740	184,971	LUATION)	8.35	46.20	4.10	09.9	6.70	1.00	7.10	1.00	89.14
1994	43,171 3,612 15,011	61,794	176,554	S PER \$1.00 VA	7.35	46.20	4.10	5.10	6.70	1.00	6.90	1.00	86.45
1993	44,089 3,704 15,011	62,804	189,717		7.35	46.20	4.10	5.10	6.70	1.00	7.10		85.67
1992	42,584 3,321 13,479	59,384	176,832	PPING GOVERNMENTS (MIL)	7.45	46.20	4.10	5.10	6.70	1.00	7.10		85.15
1991	41,457 3,025 13,243	57,725	170,522		7.35	46.20	4.10	5.10	6.70	1.00	7.10		85.12
1990	\$ 41,979 2,917 13,850	58,746	\$ 172,321	DIRECT AND OF	6.75	39.00	4.10	5.10	5.20	1.00	6.10	1	73.01
ASSESSED VALUATION	Real property Public utility property Tangible personal property	Total	<i>ESTIMATED VALUATION</i> Total	PROPERTY TAX RATES - ALL DIRECT AND OVERLA	Wayne County Medina County	School	Vocational school	Milton Township	Chippewa Township	Mental Health	City of Rittman	Wayne County Library	Total

Source: Wayne County Auditor, Medina County Auditor

CITY OF RITTMAN, OHIO

Schedules of Computation of Legal Debt Margin, Overlapping Debt Analysis, and Ratio of Net Bonded Debt to Assessed Value and Net Bonded Debt Per Capita December 31, 1999

<u>Unvoted</u> <u>Overall</u>	\$ 89,975,002 89,975,002	4,948,625	9,447,375		4,906,910 4,906,910		1,214,700 1,214,700	2,715,637 2,715,637	76,572 76,572	900,001 900,001	\$ 4,048,624 8,547,374
LEGAL DEBT MARGIN	Total assessed valuation	Debt limitation - 5.5% of assessed valuation	Debt limitation - 10.5% of assessed valuation	Debt applicable to limitation:	Gross indebtedness	Exempt debt:	Sewer revenue bonds	OWDA loans	Special assessment bonds	Total debt applicable to limitation	Legal debt margin

OVERLAPPING DEBT ALLOCATIONS (\$000 omitted)

	Asses	Assessed valuations	Net debt outstanding	Percentage applicable to City	Amount applicable to City	
y of Rittman	\$	\$ 526,68	006	100%	900,001	
ittman Exempted Village School District		84,319	•	106.7%	1	
Wayne County, Ohio		1,591,969	1,655	5.7%	93,544	

RATIO OF NET BONDED DEBT TO ASSESSED VALUE AND NET BONDED DEBT PER CAPITA

	89,975				
1998	81,221	6,143	1,055	1.30	172
1997	80,868	6,143	1,210	1.50	197
1996	67,338	6,143	1,043	1.55	170
1995	64,740	6,143	886	1.53	161
1994	62,703	6,143	1,110	1.77	181
1993	62,804	6,143	1,136	1.81	185
1992	59,384	6,143	1,701	2.86	277
1991	57,725	6,143	1,512	2.62	246
<u>1990</u>	58,746	6,143	1,077	1.83	175
	Assessed value (\$000 omitted)	Population	Debt outstanding (\$000 omitted)	Ratio of debt to assessed value	Debt per capita (full \$)

Source: Wayne County Auditor, Census Bureau

Schedules of Ratio of Annual Debt Service Expenditures for General Bonded Debt to Total General Governmental Expenditures and Revenue Bond Coverage Last Ten Years (\$000 omitted) CITY OF RITIMAN, OHIO

GENERAL BONDED DEBT	·¬ı	<u>1990</u>	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	<u>1996</u>	1997	<u>1998</u>	1999
Debt service	↔	21	20	496	280	140	131	124	124	120	120
General governmental expenditures \$	↔	2,259	2,243	3,035	2,864	3,312	2,434	2,600	2,637	3,128	3,195
Ratio of debt service to general governmental expenditures		0.93	0.89	16.34	9.78	4.23	5.38	4.77	4.70	3.84	3.76
REVENUE BOND COVERAGE Sewer:											
Direct revenue	↔	1,927	2,266	2,284	3,480	940	935	606	870	915	882
Operating expense ¹	S	399	460	460	699	398	410	457	838	637	476
Net available	↔	1,528	1,806	1,824	2,811	542	525	452	32	278	406
Principal	8	1,072	992	993	2,665	10	11	11	12	13	13
Interest	↔	81	51	09	95	99	65	65	64	64	63
Total debt service	↔	1,153	1,043	1,053	2,760	92	92	92	92	77	92
Coverage		1.33	1.73	1.73	1.02	7.13	6.91	5.95	0.42	3.61	5.34

Note: 1992 - 1999 are reported on a GAAP basis; all other years on a cash basis.

excludes depreciation

CITY OF RITTMAN, OHIO

Schedules of Principal Taxpayers, Miscellaneous Statistics, and Demographic Statistics

PRINCIPAL TAXPAYERS

			Percentage of	
	Taxab]	le Valuation (1)	Taxable Valuation (1) Taxable Valuation	
CPI	8	1,200,870	1.33%	
Morton International, Inc.		1,013,610	1.13%	
Oscar & Christine Gross		681,660	0.66%	
Northern Health Facilities		597,940	0.60%	
Rittman Shopping Center		536,620	0.76%	
Rittman Acres Limited Partnership		339,670	0.38%	
Unilock Ohio, Inc.		312,540	0.35%	
Villas Limited		293,380	0.33%	
Chippewa Valley Bank		228,210	0.25%	
Imperial Plastics, Inc		219,000	0.24%	
Total of above	S	5,423,500	6.03%	
Total City	8	89,975,002		

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> Number of street lights Number of traffic lights

Fire Protection
Number of stations
Number volunteers

Mayor-Council-Manager

MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

Date of incorporation

Form of government Area (square miles)

Number of parks Miles of Streets 1 29 10

Number of stations Number of full-time officers

Police Protection

(1) Includes Real Estate, Tangible Personal Property and Public Utility Assessed Valuations

POPULATION and SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

School	Enrollment	1,339	1,326	1,335	1,382	1,376	1,364	1,380	1,373	1,344	1,307	
	Population	6,143	6,143	6,143	6,143	6,143	6,143	6,143	6,143	6,143	6,143	
	Year	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	

Source: Wayne County Auditor

U.S. Censuses 1980, 1990 Ohio Department of Education

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

Members of the City Council City of Rittman Rittman, Ohio 44270

We have audited the financial statements of City of Rittman as of and for the year ended December 31, 1999, and have issued our report thereon dated June 29, 2000. We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

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

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered City of Rittman's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended for the information of management and City Council and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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June 29, 2000





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CITY OF RITTMAN

WAYNE COUNTY

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

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

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED SEPTEMBER 21, 2000