

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Mayor and Board of Selectmen
City of McComb, Mississippi

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of McComb, Mississippi, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of McComb, Mississippi, as of September 30, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Change in Accounting Principle

As described in Note 12 to the financial statements, in 2015, the City adopted new accounting guidance, GASB Statements No. 68, 69, and 71. GASB Statement No. 68 was issued to provide decision-useful information for pensions that are provided by other entities to state and local governmental employers; GASB Statement No. 69 provides reporting guidance for combinations (mergers, acquisitions, and transfers of operations) and disposal of operation in the government environment; and GASB Statement No. 71 was issued to be applied simultaneously with GASB Statement No. 68, and requires the government to recognize a beginning deferred outflows of resources only for pension contributions made subsequent to the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability, but before the start of the government's fiscal year. Our opinion is not modified with respect to the issuance of these GASB Statements listed above.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis and Budgetary Comparison information on pages 4 - 16 and 64 - 70 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of McComb, Mississippi's basic financial statements. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, and schedules required by the State of Mississippi, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by U.S. Office of

Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

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

The Schedule of Surety Bonds has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated May 31, 2016, on our consideration of the City of McComb, Mississippi's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City of McComb, Mississippi's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

The Miller Group, PLLC

Natchez, Mississippi

May 31, 2016

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

INTRODUCTION

Our discussion and analysis of the City of McComb's (the City) financial performance provides an overview of the City's financial activities for the year ended September 30, 2015. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the City's financial performance as a whole. Readers should also review the basic financial statements which begin on page 17 to enhance their understanding of the City's financial performance. A comparative analysis of government-wide data is included in this report.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The net position of the City increased by \$1,183,443 as a result of this year's operations (\$444,973 decrease in 2014). The majority of the increase (\$950,185) was realized by the City's Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund.
- The City implemented GASB Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an amendment of GASB 27*, during the current fiscal year. The implementation resulted in the following items reported in the financial statements:
 - A prior period adjustment resulting in a decrease to beginning net position as previously reported in the amount of \$14,618,537.
 - A net pension liability in the amount of \$18,790,346 at September 30, 2015.
 - An increase in the current year pension expense as determined prior to the implementation of GASB 68 in the amount of \$1,021,457 to \$2,220,583 as determined in accordance with GASB 68.
- The City had \$21,290,685 in total revenues for fiscal year 2015. Program specific revenues related to charges for services, operating and capital grants, and contributions account for \$8,125,695 or 38.2% of total revenues. General revenues in the form of taxes, unrestricted investment earnings and other revenue account for \$13,164,990 or 61.8% of total revenues.
- The City had \$20,107,242 in total expenses. Expenses in the amount of \$8,125,695 were offset by program specific revenues in the form of charges for services, operating and capital grants, and contributions. The remaining expenses were covered with general revenues in the amount of \$13,164,990.
- As of close of the current fiscal year, the City's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balance of \$6,607,725, an increase of \$1,721,535 from the prior year.
- The City's General Fund had \$11,835,374 in revenues and \$11,931,614 in expenditures. The General Fund's fund balance decreased \$302,357 from the prior year.

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FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS - CONTINUED:

- Capital assets used in governmental activities, net of accumulated depreciation, increased by \$1,429,862. Capital assets used in business-type activities, net of accumulated depreciation, decreased by \$644,498.
- Long-term debt for both governmental and business-type activities increased by \$1,017,410. The overall increase in long-term debt is attributed to current year proceeds from the issuance of debt in the amount of \$2,991,406.

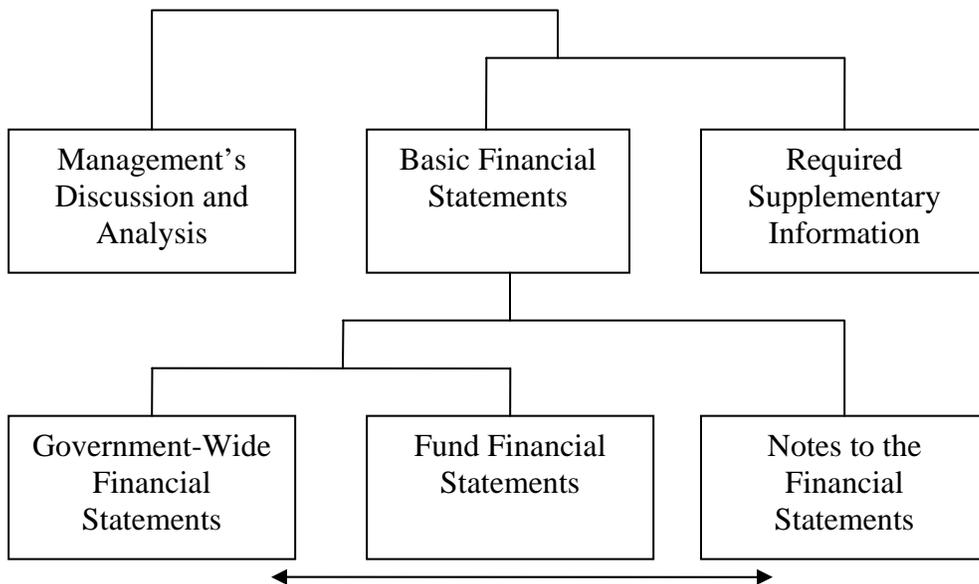
OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the City's basic financial statements. The City's basic financial statements are comprised of three components: 1) Government-wide financial statements, 2) Fund financial statements, and 3) Notes to the basic financial statements. Combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements are included as supplemental information in addition to the basic financial statements.

Figure 1 shows how required parts of this annual report are arranged and relate to one another.

Figure 2 summarizes the major features of the City's financial statements, including the portion of the City's government covered and the types of information the financial statements contain. The remainder of this section of the Management's Discussion and Analysis explains the structure and content of each of the statements.

FIGURE 1 - REQUIRED COMPONENTS OF THE CITY'S ANNUAL REPORT



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**MANAGEMENT’S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
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OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED:

**FIGURE 2 - MAJOR FEATURES OF THE CITY’S GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND
FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

	GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	<u>FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS</u>		
		GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	PROPRIETARY FUNDS	FIDUCIARY FUNDS
Scope	Entire City Government (except fiduciary funds) and component units	All activities of the City that are not business-type or fiduciary in nature	Activities of the City that operate similar to private businesses	The City is the Trustee or agent for someone else’s resources
Required financial statements	Statement of Net Position Statement of Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Balance Sheet • Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statement of Net Position • Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position • Statement of Cash Flows 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statement of Fiduciary Obligations
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset/ liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short and long-term	Only assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short and long-term
Type of inflow/ outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services are received and payment is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

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OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED:

Government-Wide Financial Statements - The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the City's finances in a manner similar to private-sector businesses.

The **Statement of Net Position** presents information on all of the City's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources with the difference reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the City is improving or deteriorating.

The **Statement of Activities** presents information showing how net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

Both of these government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the City that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or part of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the City include general government; public safety; public works (roads and bridges); culture and recreation and disability and relief funding. The business-type activities of the City include the water and sewer authority and sanitation.

The Government-Wide Financial Statements can be found on pages 17 and 18 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements - A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The City uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate finance-related legal compliance. All of the funds of the City can be divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds and fiduciary funds. The City did not have any fiduciary funds for the year ended September 30, 2015.

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

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OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED:

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. The "Governmental Funds Balance Sheet" and the "Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances" both provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities. These reconciliations are on pages 20 and 22.

The City maintains individual governmental funds in accordance with the Municipal Audit and Accounting Guide issued by the Mississippi Office of the State Auditor. Information is presented separately in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet and in the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances for all major funds. All other nonmajor funds are combined together and presented in these reports as Nonmajor Governmental Funds. The basic governmental funds financial statements can be found on pages 19 and 20-21 of this report.

Proprietary Funds - are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. The City uses proprietary funds to account for the Water and Sewer Authority Fund and Sanitation Fund. Fund financial statements for the proprietary funds provide the same type of information as the government-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The financial statements for the proprietary funds can be found on pages 23-25 of this report.

Notes to Financial Statements - provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes can be found on pages 26-63 of this report.

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements as **Supplementary Information**. This information can be found beginning on page 71 of this report.

The City adopts an annual operating budget for all governmental funds. A **Budgetary Comparison Statement** has been provided for the General Fund. This statement is included in the **Required Supplementary Information** beginning on page 64.

Net Position - Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the government's financial position. In the case of the City of McComb, Mississippi, assets and deferred outflows of resources exceeded deferred inflows of resources and liabilities by \$22,271,637 as of September 30, 2015.

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OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED:

The City's net position is comprised of: 1) net investment in capital assets, 2) restricted net position and 3) unrestricted net position. Net investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, furniture and equipment, mobile equipment and infrastructure) represents \$27,535,121 of the City's net position as of September 30, 2015. The City uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently these assets are not available for further spending. Restricted net position of \$4,039,556 as of September 30, 2015 is expendable for public safety, public works, culture and recreation, capital improvements, debt service and other purposes.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

The City's financial position is a product of several financial transactions including the net results of activities, the acquisition and payment of debt, the acquisition and disposal of capital assets and the depreciation of capital assets.

Table 1 provides a summary of the City's net position at September 30, 2015 and 2014. GASB Statement No. 68 was implemented in fiscal year 2015. Prior year amounts were not restated to reflect the implementation of GASB Statement No. 68.

Table 1						
Condensed Statements of Net Position						
At September 30, 2015 and 2014						
	2015			2014		
	Governmental	Business-	Total	Governmental	Business-	Total
	Activities	Type	Primary	Activities	Type	Primary
	Activities	Activities	Government	Activities	Activities	Government
Assets:						
Current and other assets	\$ 12,645,340	4,699,534	17,344,874	10,114,038	4,846,598	14,960,636
Capital assets	14,725,428	48,330,441	63,055,869	13,295,566	48,974,939	62,270,505
Total assets	<u>27,370,768</u>	<u>53,029,975</u>	<u>80,400,743</u>	<u>23,409,604</u>	<u>53,821,537</u>	<u>77,231,141</u>
Deferred outflows of resources:						
Deferred outflows - pensions	2,842,495	215,652	3,058,147	-	-	-
Liabilities:						
Current liabilities	2,193,193	3,084,308	5,277,501	1,607,644	3,373,432	4,981,076
Long-term liabilities	22,444,115	29,957,430	52,401,545	2,861,054	30,176,611	33,037,665
Total liabilities	<u>24,637,308</u>	<u>33,041,738</u>	<u>57,679,046</u>	<u>4,468,698</u>	<u>33,550,043</u>	<u>38,018,741</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources:						
Unavailable property taxes	3,508,207	-	3,508,207	3,505,669	-	3,505,669

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GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS - CONTINUED:

	2015			2014		
	Governmental	Business-	Total	Governmental	Business-	Total
	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Primary Government</u>	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Primary Government</u>
Net Position:						
Net investment in capital						
assets	9,746,586	17,788,535	27,535,121	10,610,795	17,129,596	27,740,391
Restricted	3,031,326	1,008,230	4,039,556	994,804	2,146,554	3,141,358
Unrestricted	(10,710,164)	1,407,124	(9,303,040)	3,829,638	995,344	4,824,982
Total net position	\$ <u>2,067,748</u>	<u>20,203,889</u>	<u>22,271,637</u>	<u>15,435,237</u>	<u>20,271,494</u>	<u>35,706,731</u>

In connection with the implementation of new standards on accounting and financial reporting for pensions, management presents the following additional information:

Total unrestricted net position (deficit)	\$ (9,303,040)
Less unrestricted deficit in net position resulting from implementation of GASB No. 68 and 71	<u>15,732,199</u>
Unrestricted net position, exclusive of the net pension liability effect	\$ <u><u>6,429,159</u></u>

The largest portion of the City's net position reflects its net investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery, equipment and infrastructure). The City uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the City's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

The Changes in Net Position for the years ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 are summarized in **Table 2**. GASB Statement No. 68 was implemented in fiscal year 2015. Prior year amounts were not restated to reflect the implementation of GASB Statement No. 68.

Table 2						
Condensed Statements of Changes in Net Position						
For the Years Ended September 30, 2015 and 2014						
	2015			2014		
	Governmental	Business-	Total	Governmental	Business-	Total
	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Primary Government</u>	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Primary Government</u>
Revenues:						
Program Revenue:						
Charges for services	\$ 245,821	6,094,274	6,340,095	222,318	6,143,574	6,365,892
Operating grants and contributions	671,135	-	671,135	364,698	-	364,698
Capital grants and contributions	1,114,465	-	1,114,465	181,693	528,100	709,793

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GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS - CONTINUED:

	2015			2014		
		Business-	Total		Business-	Total
	Governmental	Type	Primary	Governmental	Type	Primary
	Activities	Activities	Government	Activities	Activities	Government
Revenues - continued:						
General Revenue:						
Property taxes	\$ 3,773,498	-	3,773,498	3,727,252	-	3,727,252
Sales taxes	6,003,388	-	6,003,388	5,790,300	-	5,790,300
General intergovernmental revenue	645,162	-	645,162	632,964	-	632,964
Franchise taxes	583,000	-	583,000	547,284	-	547,284
Licenses and permits	159,518	-	159,518	98,424	-	98,424
Grants and contributions not restricted to specific programs	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unrestricted investment earnings	16,947	11,904	28,851	17,483	9,834	27,317
Fines and forfeitures	656,644	-	656,644	581,931	-	581,931
Interfund charges	180,000	(180,000)	-	180,000	(180,000)	-
Other	1,314,929	-	1,314,929	527,159	-	527,159
Total revenues	<u>15,364,507</u>	<u>5,926,178</u>	<u>21,290,685</u>	<u>12,871,506</u>	<u>6,501,508</u>	<u>19,373,014</u>
Expenses:						
General government	2,225,514	-	2,225,514	1,962,244	-	1,962,244
Public safety	6,327,805	-	6,327,805	6,136,144	-	6,136,144
Public works	4,791,049	-	4,791,049	4,245,269	-	4,245,269
Culture and recreation	1,216,493	-	1,216,493	1,067,370	-	1,067,370
Disability and relief funding	246,939	-	246,939	243,489	-	243,489
Interest and other expenses on long-term debt	139,844	-	139,844	158,388	-	158,388
Water/sewer	-	4,247,047	4,247,047	-	4,898,638	4,898,638
Sanitation	-	828,946	828,946	-	965,938	965,938
Total expenses	<u>14,947,644</u>	<u>5,075,993</u>	<u>20,023,637</u>	<u>13,812,904</u>	<u>5,864,576</u>	<u>19,677,480</u>
CHANGE IN NET POSITION BEFORE TRANSFERS AND SPECIAL ITEM						
	416,863	850,185	1,267,048	(941,398)	636,932	(304,466)
TRANSFERS	(100,000)	100,000	-	-	-	-
SPECIAL ITEM:						
Estimated loss-court fines and fees	(83,605)	-	(83,605)	(140,507)	-	(140,507)
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	233,258	950,185	1,183,443	(1,081,905)	636,932	(444,973)

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GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS - CONTINUED:

	2015			2014		
		Business-	Total		Business-	Total
	Governmental	Type	Primary	Governmental	Type	Primary
	Activities	Activities	Government	Activities	Activities	Government
NET POSITION, BEGINNING						
OF YEAR, as previously reported	\$ 15,435,237	20,271,494	35,706,731	16,517,142	19,634,562	36,151,704
PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT	<u>(13,600,747)</u>	<u>(1,017,790)</u>	<u>(14,618,537)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
NET POSITION, BEGINNING						
OF YEAR, as restated	<u>1,834,490</u>	<u>19,253,704</u>	<u>21,088,194</u>	<u>16,517,142</u>	<u>19,634,562</u>	<u>36,151,704</u>
NET POSITION, END OF YEAR						
OF YEAR	\$ <u>2,067,748</u>	<u>20,203,889</u>	<u>22,271,637</u>	<u>15,435,237</u>	<u>20,271,494</u>	<u>35,706,731</u>

Governmental Activities

Several revenue sources fund our governmental activities. The City's largest source of operating revenue was received from sales tax which accounted for \$6,003,388 or 39.1% of gross revenue. Revenue from property taxes accounted for \$3,773,498 or 24.6% of gross revenues. In addition, capital and operating grants amounted to \$1,785,600 or 11.6%.

Major expense activities include police and fire safety expenses which accounted for \$6,327,805 or 42.3% of total program expenses, and street and public property maintenance in the amount of \$4,791,049 or 32.1%.

Table 3 presents the cost of several major functional activities of the City: general government, public safety, public works, culture and recreation, disability and relief funding, and interest and other expenses on long-term debt.

The table also shows each function's net cost (total cost less charges for services generated by the activity and intergovernmental aid provided for that activity). The net cost shows the financial burden that was placed on taxpayers by each of these functions:

Table 3					
Governmental Activities Cost and Net Cost					
For the Years Ended September 30, 2015 and 2014					
		2015		2014	
			Net (Expense)		Net (Expense)
		Expenses	Revenue	Expenses	Revenue
General government	\$	2,225,514	(2,161,072)	1,962,244	(1,885,971)
Public safety		6,327,805	(5,919,547)	6,136,144	(5,853,559)
Public works		4,791,049	(3,826,120)	4,245,269	(3,958,406)

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS - CONTINUED:

		2015		2014	
		Net (Expense)		Net (Expense)	
		Expenses	Revenue	Expenses	Revenue
Culture and recreation	\$	1,216,493	(622,701)	1,067,370	(944,382)
Disability and relief funding		246,939	(246,939)	243,489	(243,489)
Interest and other expenses on long-term debt		139,844	(139,844)	158,388	(158,388)
Total	\$	14,947,644	(12,916,223)	13,812,904	(13,044,195)

Governmental Funds - At the close of the fiscal year, the City's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$6,607,725, an increase of \$1,721,535.

The General Fund is the principal operating fund of the City. The fund balance of the General Fund decreased \$302,357 for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015.

Business-Type Funds - At the close of the fiscal year, the City's proprietary funds reported total net position of \$20,203,889. Operating revenues totaled \$6,094,274 and operating expenses totaled \$4,686,625 resulting in operating income of \$1,407,649. After net non-operating expenses of \$557,464 and transfers in of \$100,000, the change in net position in the proprietary fund was an increase of \$950,185.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The City's budgets are prepared in accordance to Mississippi law and are based on accounting for transactions on a modified cash basis. The most significant budgeted fund is the General Fund. During 2015, the City of McComb amended its General Fund budget numerous times. All recommendations for a budget come from the City Administrator and are presented to the Mayor and Board of Selectmen at a regular monthly Board meeting. The City does not allow budget changes that modify line items within departments without Board approval.

With the General Fund supporting many of our major activities, such as our police and fire departments as well as public works, the General Fund is monitored closely looking for possible revenue shortfalls or overspending by individual departments. For the General Fund, final budgeted revenues for fiscal year 2015 were \$11,765,968 and actual revenue collections were \$11,840,208. General Fund operating expenditures were \$11,923,587 compared to budgeted amounts of \$12,679,128.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At September 30, 2015, the City had approximately \$63 million invested in a broad range of capital assets, including police and fire equipment, buildings, park facilities, roads, bridges, and water and sewer lines. The table below provides a summary of capital assets for the years ended September 30, 2015 and 2014.

	Governmental		Business-Type	
	Activities		Activities	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
Land	\$ 756,288	756,288	43,925	43,925
Construction in progress	1,536,557	-	-	-
Buildings	7,106,257	7,160,262	87,480	87,703
Improvements other than buildings	466,603	125,445	-	-
Automotive and equipment	1,206,015	1,264,149	229,092	214,497
Infrastructure	3,653,708	3,989,422	47,969,944	48,628,814
Total	\$ 14,725,428	13,295,566	48,330,441	48,974,939

Total accumulated depreciation as of September 30, 2015 was \$30,054,800, including \$2,375,075 of depreciation expense for the year. Additional information on the City's capital assets can be found in Note 6 on pages 40-42 of this report.

Debt

At September 30, 2015 and 2014, the City had \$36,065,048 and \$35,047,638, respectively, in outstanding debt from General Obligation Bonds, Notes Payable and Accrued Vacation. The table below summarizes the total outstanding long-term obligations of the City.

	Governmental		Business-Type	
	Activities		Activities	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
Compensated absences	\$ 510,376	479,106	33,924	38,418
General obligation bonds	4,460,000	2,665,000	-	-
General obligation bonds premium	17,769	19,771	-	-
Notes payable	501,073	-	-	-
Water pollution revolving loans	-	-	30,541,906	31,845,343
Total	\$ 5,489,218	3,163,877	30,575,830	31,883,761

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION - CONTINUED:

Debt - continued:

During the current fiscal year, the City issued debt in the amount of \$391,406 for sewer improvements and \$2,600,000 for the purpose of funding capital improvement and recreational projects within the City.

The liability for compensated absences identified above refers to the current balance of what has been earned as a termination benefit that would be paid as employees leave or retire. The City budgets for this portion of the liability annually in the current year's departmental salary and wages budgets.

Additional information on the City's long-term debt can be found in Note 7 on pages 41-45 of this report.

CURRENT AND FUTURE ITEMS OF IMPACT

The City Administrator continues to seek ways to reduce City expenditures through the following methods:

- Restructuring the workforce to reduce personnel cost.
- Identification of other City issues for which grant money is available.
- The City has engaged with a company to do a new rate study for the water and sewer services.

The City is currently seeking additional funds for the purpose of funding the following projects:

- Parklane Road Expansion
- Well #5 Replacement
- Build a new sewer main, Northwest Interceptor, that will service the western portion of the city.

The City will continue to improve and expand the water and sewer system.

These factors have been considered in preparing the City's budget for the 2016 fiscal year.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

CONTACTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the City's finances and to demonstrate the City's accountability for the funds it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, please contact the City of McComb, Mississippi at P.O. Box 667, McComb, Mississippi 39649.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
<u>ASSETS</u>			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 6,668,552	1,992,698	8,661,250
Net receivables	5,976,788	783,155	6,759,943
Restricted Assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	-	1,923,681	1,923,681
Non-depreciable capital assets:			
Land	756,288	43,925	800,213
Construction in progress	1,536,557	-	1,536,557
Depreciable capital assets, net			
Buildings	7,106,257	87,480	7,193,737
Improvements other than buildings	466,603	-	466,603
Automotive and equipment	1,206,015	229,092	1,435,107
Infrastructure	<u>3,653,708</u>	<u>47,969,944</u>	<u>51,623,652</u>
 Total assets	 \$ <u>27,370,768</u>	 <u>53,029,975</u>	 <u>80,400,743</u>
<u>DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES</u>			
Deferred outflows related to pensions	\$ <u>2,842,495</u>	<u>215,652</u>	<u>3,058,147</u>

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - CONTINUED
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Governmental	Business-Type	
	Activities	Activities	Total
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<u>LIABILITIES</u>			
Accounts payable	\$ 1,008,716	82,815	1,091,531
Accrued liabilities	395,471	13,921	409,392
Payable to other governments	337,926	-	337,926
Interest payable on long-term debt	19,403	49,949	69,352
Customer deposits	-	915,451	915,451
Internal balances	(256,833)	256,833	-
Noncurrent liabilities:			
Due within one year:			
Compensated absences	102,075	6,785	108,860
Loans payable	299,433	1,758,554	2,057,987
Bonds payable	287,002	-	287,002
Due in more than one year:			
Compensated absences	408,301	27,139	435,440
Loans payable	201,640	28,783,352	28,984,992
Bonds payable	4,190,767	-	4,190,767
Net pension liability	<u>17,643,407</u>	<u>1,146,939</u>	<u>18,790,346</u>
Total liabilities	\$ <u>24,637,308</u>	<u>33,041,738</u>	<u>57,679,046</u>
 <u>DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES</u>			
Unavailable property taxes	\$ <u>3,508,207</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,508,207</u>
 <u>NET POSITION</u>			
Net investment in capital assets	\$ 9,746,586	17,788,535	27,535,121
Restricted	3,031,326	1,008,230	4,039,556
Unrestricted	<u>(10,710,164)</u>	<u>1,407,124</u>	<u>(9,303,040)</u>
Total net position	\$ <u><u>2,067,748</u></u>	<u><u>20,203,889</u></u>	<u><u>22,271,637</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

		Program Revenues		
		Charges for Service	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions
	Expenses			
Functions/programs:				
Primary government:				
Governmental activities:				
General government	\$ 2,225,514	-	63,688	754
Public safety	6,327,805	14,774	129,431	264,053
Public works	4,791,049	102,625	478,016	384,288
Culture and recreation	1,216,493	128,422	-	465,370
Disability and relief funding	246,939	-	-	-
Interest and other expenses on long-term debt	139,844	-	-	-
Total governmental activities	<u>14,947,644</u>	<u>245,821</u>	<u>671,135</u>	<u>1,114,465</u>
Business-type activities:				
Water/sewer	4,247,047	5,119,354	-	-
Sanitation	828,946	974,920	-	-
Total business-type activities	<u>5,075,993</u>	<u>6,094,274</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	\$ <u>20,023,637</u>	<u>6,340,095</u>	<u>671,135</u>	<u>1,114,465</u>
General revenues:				
General property taxes				
Sales taxes				
General intergovernmental revenue				
Franchise taxes				
Privilege licenses and permits				
Fines and forfeitures				
Interfund charges				
Miscellaneous				
Unrestricted investment earnings				
Transfer in (out)				
Special item:				
Estimated loss-court fines and fees				
Total general revenues, special item and transfers				
Change in net position				
Net position at beginning of year, as previously reported				
Prior period adjustment				
Net position at beginning of year, as restated				
Net position at end of year				

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - CONTINUED
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

Net (Expenses) Revenues and Changes in Net Position		
Governmental Activities	Business- Type Activities	Total
(2,161,072)	-	(2,161,072)
(5,919,547)	-	(5,919,547)
(3,826,120)	-	(3,826,120)
(622,701)	-	(622,701)
(246,939)	-	(246,939)
<u>(139,844)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(139,844)</u>
<u>(12,916,223)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(12,916,223)</u>
-	872,307	872,307
-	145,974	145,974
<u>-</u>	<u>1,018,281</u>	<u>1,018,281</u>
<u>(12,916,223)</u>	<u>1,018,281</u>	<u>(11,897,942)</u>
3,773,498	-	3,773,498
6,003,388	-	6,003,388
645,162	-	645,162
583,000	-	583,000
159,518	-	159,518
656,644	-	656,644
180,000	(180,000)	-
1,314,929	-	1,314,929
16,947	11,904	28,851
(100,000)	100,000	-
<u>(83,605)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(83,605)</u>
<u>13,149,481</u>	<u>(68,096)</u>	<u>13,081,385</u>
<u>233,258</u>	<u>950,185</u>	<u>1,183,443</u>
15,435,237	20,271,494	35,706,731
<u>(13,600,747)</u>	<u>(1,017,790)</u>	<u>(14,618,537)</u>
<u>1,834,490</u>	<u>19,253,704</u>	<u>21,088,194</u>
<u>2,067,748</u>	<u>20,203,889</u>	<u>22,271,637</u>

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Nonmajor Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
 <u>ASSETS</u>			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,760,650	3,907,902	6,668,552
Taxes receivable	3,249,251	786,499	4,035,750
Fines receivable	571,311	-	571,311
Other receivables	498,143	2,365	500,508
Due from other governments	-	539,739	539,739
Due from other funds	520,633	-	520,633
Total assets	\$ <u>7,599,988</u>	<u>5,236,505</u>	<u>12,836,493</u>
 <u>LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES</u>			
Liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 249,013	759,703	1,008,716
Accrued liabilities	394,455	1,016	395,471
Payable to other governments	8,446	-	8,446
Due to other funds	-	263,800	263,800
Total liabilities	<u>651,914</u>	<u>1,024,519</u>	<u>1,676,433</u>
 Deferred Inflows of Resources:			
Unavailable property taxes	2,750,914	757,293	3,508,207
Unavailable fine revenue	591,185	-	591,185
Unavailable insurance proceeds	452,943	-	452,943
Total deferred inflows of resources	<u>3,795,042</u>	<u>757,293</u>	<u>4,552,335</u>
 Fund Balances:			
Restricted	-	3,031,326	3,031,326
Committed	-	423,367	423,367
Unassigned	3,153,032	-	3,153,032
Total fund balances	<u>3,153,032</u>	<u>3,454,693</u>	<u>6,607,725</u>
 Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances	\$ <u>7,599,988</u>	<u>5,236,505</u>	<u>12,836,493</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET
TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

Total fund balance - governmental funds		\$ 6,607,725
Amounts reported for net position in the Statement of Net Position are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:		
Capital assets	27,568,833	
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(12,843,405)</u>	14,725,428
Certain revenue that was earned in the current period but not received within 60 days is not recognized in the fund statements but recognized under full accrual.		
		1,044,128
Some liabilities, including net pension obligations, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore, are not reported in the funds:		
Net pension liability		(17,643,407)
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods, and therefore, are not reported in the funds:		
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions		2,842,495
Long-term liabilities of governmental funds are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. These long-term liabilities consist of:		
General obligation bonds	(4,477,769)	
Loans payable	(501,073)	
Interest payable on long-term debt	(19,403)	
Compensated absences	<u>(510,376)</u>	<u>(5,508,621)</u>
Net position of governmental activities		\$ <u>2,067,748</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Nonmajor Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
REVENUES:			
General property taxes	\$ 3,171,833	601,665	3,773,498
Privilege licenses and permits	159,518	-	159,518
Intergovernmental revenues	6,360,882	2,052,157	8,413,039
Franchise taxes	583,000	-	583,000
Charges for services	28,774	217,047	245,821
Court fines and forfeitures	487,072	3,663	490,735
Interest income	16,791	156	16,947
Interfund charges	180,000	-	180,000
Contributions	14,303	6,808	21,111
Miscellaneous	833,201	28,785	861,986
Total revenues	<u>11,835,374</u>	<u>2,910,281</u>	<u>14,745,655</u>
EXPENDITURES:			
General government	2,186,403	184,794	2,371,197
Public safety	5,875,054	374,622	6,249,676
Public works	3,148,915	1,548,522	4,697,437
Culture and recreations	721,242	719,736	1,440,978
Disability and relief funding	-	246,939	246,939
Debt service:			
Principal	-	303,927	303,927
Debt issuance costs	-	46,218	46,218
Interest and service charges	-	84,143	84,143
Total expenditures	<u>11,931,614</u>	<u>3,508,901</u>	<u>15,440,515</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	<u>(96,240)</u>	<u>(598,620)</u>	<u>(694,860)</u>

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES - CONTINUED:
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	General Fund	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Other financing sources (uses):			
Proceeds from notes payable	\$ -	600,000	600,000
Proceeds from general obligation bonds	-	2,000,000	2,000,000
Operating transfers in	-	22,512	22,512
Operating transfers out	<u>(122,512)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(122,512)</u>
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(122,512)</u>	<u>2,622,512</u>	<u>2,500,000</u>
Special item:			
Estimated loss-court fines and fees	<u>(83,605)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(83,605)</u>
Net change in fund balances	(302,357)	2,023,892	1,721,535
Fund balances, beginning of year	<u>3,455,389</u>	<u>1,430,801</u>	<u>4,886,190</u>
Fund balances, end of year	\$ <u><u>3,153,032</u></u>	<u><u>3,454,693</u></u>	<u><u>6,607,725</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

Net change in fund balance - total governmental funds	\$ 1,721,535
Amounts reported in the Statement of Activities are different because:	
Capital outlays are reported as expenditures in governmental funds but are not reported as expenses in the Statement of Activities. Instead, costs associated with capital assets are capitalized in the Statement of Net Position.	2,200,969
Depreciation is not an expenditure in governmental funds but is an expense of allocating the cost of capital assets over their useful lives in the Statement of Activities.	(771,107)
Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as fund revenues.	618,852
The Statement of Activities reports pension expense and other activity related to the net pension liability activity:	
Contributions made after the measurement date	264,304
Pension expense	(1,464,469)
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds.	(2,600,000)
The amortization of bond premiums and discounts is reported on the fund financial statements when debt is issued but amortized in the Statement of Activities.	2,002
Repayment of debt principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Position.	303,927
Certain expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds as follows:	
Compensated absences increase	(31,270)
Accrued interest on debt decrease	<u>(11,485)</u>
Change in net position of governmental activities	\$ <u>233,258</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
 PROPRIETARY FUND
 SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	<u>Water/Sewer Authority</u>	<u>Sanitation Fund</u>	<u>Total</u>
 <u>ASSETS</u>			
Current assets:			
Cash in treasury accounts	\$ 1,893,968	98,730	1,992,698
Accounts receivable, net	660,028	123,127	783,155
Due from other funds	203	95,007	95,210
Total current assets	<u>2,554,199</u>	<u>316,864</u>	<u>2,871,063</u>
Noncurrent assets:			
Restricted cash and cash equivalents:			
Customer deposits	915,451	-	915,451
Capital improvements	<u>1,008,230</u>	-	<u>1,008,230</u>
Total restricted assets	<u>1,923,681</u>	-	<u>1,923,681</u>
Property, plant and equipment, at cost:			
Land	43,925	-	43,925
Buildings	410,629	-	410,629
Infrastructure	63,600,590	-	63,600,590
Automotive and equipment	1,486,692	-	1,486,692
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(17,211,395)</u>	-	<u>(17,211,395)</u>
Total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation)	<u>48,330,441</u>	-	<u>48,330,441</u>
Total noncurrent assets	<u>48,330,441</u>	-	<u>48,330,441</u>
 Total assets	 <u>52,808,321</u>	 <u>316,864</u>	 <u>53,125,185</u>
 <u>DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES</u>			
Deferred outflows related to pensions	\$ <u>215,652</u>	-	<u>215,652</u>

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - CONTINUED
 PROPRIETARY FUND
 SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	<u>Water/Sewer</u>	<u>Sanitation</u>	<u>Total</u>
	<u>Authority</u>	<u>Fund</u>	
 <u>LIABILITIES</u>			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 78,715	4,100	82,815
Accrued liabilities	13,921	-	13,921
Interest payable	49,949	-	49,949
Compensated absences	6,785	-	6,785
Due to other funds	274,411	77,632	352,043
State Department of Environmental Quality Loans	<u>1,758,554</u>	-	<u>1,758,554</u>
Total current liabilities	<u>2,182,335</u>	<u>81,732</u>	<u>2,264,067</u>
Current liabilities payable from restricted assets:			
Customer deposits	<u>915,451</u>	-	<u>915,451</u>
Noncurrent liabilities:			
Compensated absences	27,139	-	27,139
State Department of Environmental Quality Loans	28,783,352	-	28,783,352
Net pension liability	<u>1,146,939</u>	-	<u>1,146,939</u>
Total noncurrent liabilities payable	<u>29,957,430</u>	-	<u>29,957,430</u>
Total liabilities	<u>33,055,216</u>	<u>81,732</u>	<u>33,136,948</u>
Net position:			
Net investment in capital assets	17,788,535	-	17,788,535
Restricted for capital improvements	1,008,230	-	1,008,230
Unrestricted	<u>1,171,992</u>	<u>235,132</u>	<u>1,407,124</u>
Total net position	\$ <u>19,968,757</u>	<u>235,132</u>	<u>20,203,889</u>

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	<u>Water/Sewer</u> <u>Fund</u>	<u>Sanitation</u> <u>Fund</u>	<u>Total</u>
OPERATING REVENUES:			
Charges for services	\$ 4,042,230	974,920	5,017,150
Tap, connection and other fees	385,874	-	385,874
Capital improvement fees	676,657	-	676,657
Other revenues	<u>14,593</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,593</u>
Total operating revenues	<u>5,119,354</u>	<u>974,920</u>	<u>6,094,274</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES:			
Personal services	559,904	-	559,904
Operating supplies and expenses	263,830	-	263,830
Contract services and other charges	1,429,995	828,946	2,258,941
Depreciation	<u>1,603,950</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,603,950</u>
Total operating expenses	<u>3,857,679</u>	<u>828,946</u>	<u>4,686,625</u>
OPERATING INCOME	<u>1,261,675</u>	<u>145,974</u>	<u>1,407,649</u>
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):			
Investment earnings	11,904	-	11,904
Interest and service charges on long-term debt	<u>(569,368)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(569,368)</u>
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	<u>(557,464)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(557,464)</u>
INCOME BEFORE TRANSFERS	<u>704,211</u>	<u>145,974</u>	<u>850,185</u>
Transfers in	<u>-</u>	<u>100,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	<u>704,211</u>	<u>245,974</u>	<u>950,185</u>
NET POSITION AT BEGINNING OF YEAR, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	20,282,336	(10,842)	20,271,494
PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT	<u>(1,017,790)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(1,017,790)</u>
NET POSITION AT BEGINNING OF YEAR, AS RESTATED	<u>19,264,546</u>	<u>(10,842)</u>	<u>19,253,704</u>
NET POSITION AT END OF YEAR	\$ <u>19,968,757</u>	<u>235,132</u>	<u>20,203,889</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
ALL PROPRIETARY FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

	Water and Sewer Authority	Sanitation Fund	Total
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Receipts from customers and users	\$ 5,287,656	972,027	6,259,683
Payments to suppliers	(1,980,749)	(1,038,586)	(3,019,335)
Payments to employees	(672,395)	-	(672,395)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	<u>2,634,512</u>	<u>(66,559)</u>	<u>2,567,953</u>
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:			
Transfers from other funds	-	100,000	100,000
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities:	<u>-</u>	<u>100,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:			
Acquisition of fixed assets	(959,452)	-	(959,452)
Proceeds from bonds and notes	391,406	-	391,406
Principal paid on bonds and notes	(1,694,843)	-	(1,694,843)
Interest paid on bonds and notes	(572,259)	-	(572,259)
Net cash used by capital and related financing activities	<u>(2,835,148)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(2,835,148)</u>
Cash flows provided by investing activities:			
Interest received	11,904	-	11,904
Net cash provided by investing activities	<u>11,904</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>11,904</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(188,732)	33,441	(155,291)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	<u>4,006,381</u>	<u>65,289</u>	<u>4,071,670</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<u>\$ 3,817,649</u>	<u>98,730</u>	<u>3,916,379</u>

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**STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - CONTINUED:
ALL PROPRIETARY FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Water and Sewer Authority	Sanitation Fund	Total
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:			
Operating income	\$ <u>1,261,675</u>	<u>145,974</u>	<u>1,407,649</u>
Adjustment to reconcile operating income to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:			
Depreciation expense	1,603,950	-	1,603,950
(Increase) decrease:			
Accounts receivable, net	(5,334)	(2,893)	(8,227)
Due from other funds	442,437	-	442,437
Deferred outflows related to pensions	(172,291)	-	(172,291)
Increase (decrease):			
Accounts payable	(729,361)	(77,319)	(806,680)
Accrued liabilities	(21,494)	-	(21,494)
Customer deposits	173,636	-	173,636
Due to other funds	-	(132,321)	(132,321)
Compensated absences	(4,494)	-	(4,494)
Net pension liability	<u>85,788</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>85,788</u>
	<u>1,372,837</u>	<u>(212,533)</u>	<u>1,160,304</u>
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ <u><u>2,634,512</u></u>	<u><u>(66,559)</u></u>	<u><u>2,567,953</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the City of McComb, Mississippi, have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental entities. 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 (FASB) statements and interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, to its governmental and business-type activities at the government-wide financial reporting level and to its proprietary funds at the fund reporting level, provided they do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements.

The City operates under a Mayor-Selectmen form of government and provides the following services as authorized by its charter: public safety (police and fire), highway and streets, sanitation, health and social services, culture-recreation, education, public improvements, inspections and zoning, and general administrative services. The following is a summary of the more significant policies:

A. Reporting Entity

The financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the City of McComb, Mississippi. There are no component units.

Related Organizations

McComb School District - This potential component unit has both elected and appointed board members and provides services to residents, and non-residents of the government. The City appoints a majority of the board. This potential component unit is excluded from the reporting entity because the government does not have the ability to exercise influence over its daily operations. The school district is responsible for setting its own budget and assessing its own taxes, and the majority of the district's revenues are derived from state sources. If the City of McComb, Mississippi was to cease existing it is probable that the McComb School District would continue in existence. It is the opinion of management that no financial benefit will be provided or that no financial burden will be imposed on the City of McComb, Mississippi by this potential component unit.

McComb Housing Authority - Board members of the Authority are appointed by the City. The City does not provide funding and has no obligation for the debt issued by the Authority and cannot impose its will.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

Pike Amite Walthall Library - This potential component unit has appointed board members and provides services to residents, generally within the geographic boundaries of the government. The City does not appoint a majority of the board. This potential component unit is excluded from the reporting entity because the government does not have the ability to exercise influence over its daily operations.

Southwest Mississippi Regional Medical Center - The Medical Center is a public trust created to provide medical care and is governed by a board composed of appointees by the City, Pike County and Amite County. The City has no equity interest other than approval of property transactions involving the Medical Center. Financial statements for the Medical Center can be obtained directly from the Medical Center.

McComb Pike County Airport Board - The Airport is a public trust created to operate a local airport and is governed by a board composed of appointees from the City and Pike County. Financial statements for the Airport may be obtained from Pike County.

B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the primary government. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include: 1) charges to customers who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are accounted for on a spending or “current financial resources” measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the City considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

Property taxes, franchise taxes, licenses, and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Only the portion of special assessments receivable due within the current fiscal period is considered to be susceptible to accrual as revenue of the current period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

The government reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - The General Fund is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The government reports the following major proprietary funds:

Water and Sewer Authority Fund - This fund accounts for the activities of the City which include the operation of the sewage treatment plant, sewage pumping stations and collection systems and the water distribution system.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

Sanitation Fund - This fund accounts for solid waste collection.

Additionally, the government reports the following fund types:

Governmental Funds

Special Revenue Funds - Special revenue funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The term "proceeds of specific revenue sources" establishes that one or more specific restricted or committed revenues should be the foundation for a special revenue fund.

Debt Service Funds - The Debt Service Funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for principal and interest. These funds are used to report resources if legally mandated. Financial resources that are being accumulated for principal and interest maturing in future years are also reported in Debt Service Funds.

Capital Projects Funds - Capital projects funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. Capital projects funds exclude those types of capital-related outflows financed by proprietary funds or for assets that will be held in trust for individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated for the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the government's water and sewer function and various other functions of the government. Elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

Amounts reported as program revenues include: 1) charges to customers for goods, services, or privileges provided, 2) operating grants and contributions, and 3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all taxes.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the Water and Sewer Authority Fund are charges to customers for services. The City also recognizes sanitation fees as operating revenue. Operating expenses for the City include the costs of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

D. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred outflows of resources*, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred inflows of resources*, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

E. Cash and Cash Equivalents

The City deposits excess funds in the financial institutions selected by the Mayor and governing board. State statute specify how these depositories are to be selected.

Cash and cash equivalents consist of amounts on deposit in demand accounts and certificate of deposits with maturities of 12 months or less. Cash and cash equivalents are valued at cost.

F. Interfund Transactions and Balances

Interfund transactions and balances are the result of timing differences between the date expenses/expenditures occur and the date payments are made.

Short-term (due within one year) interfund loan receivables are reported as "due from other funds" and are considered available expendable resources. Noncurrent portions of long-term interfund loan receivables are reported as advances and are not 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.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

Transfers are used to: (a) move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them and to (b) use unrestricted revenues collected in the General Fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

Interfund receivables and payable between funds within governmental activities are eliminated in the statement of net position. See Note 5 for details for interfund transactions, including receivables and payables at year-end.

G. Restricted Assets

Certain proceeds of the Water and Sewer Authority Proprietary Fund revenue bonds, as well as certain resources set aside for their repayment, are classified as restricted assets on the balance sheet because their use is limited by applicable bond covenants. Cash related to customer deposits are also reported as restricted assets.

H. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

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

Property, plant, and equipment of the City is depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

	Capitalization	Estimated
	<u>Policy</u>	<u>Useful Life</u>
Land	\$ -	-
Buildings	50,000	40 years
Buildings improvements	25,000	20 years
Improvements other than buildings	25,000	20 years
Mobile equipment	5,000	5-10 years
Furniture and equipment	5,000	3-7 years
Leased property under capital lease	*	*

(*) The threshold amount will correspond with the amounts for the asset classification, as listed.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

I. Unearned Revenue and Deferred Inflows of Resources

Unearned revenue is a liability that arises when resources are obtained before revenue recognition criteria, other than time recognition criteria, have been satisfied. Resources that are obtained before time recognition criteria have been satisfied are classified as deferred inflows of resources.

J. Long-Term Liabilities

In the government-wide financial statements, and for the proprietary fund type in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts, and losses on refunding are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are expensed during the current period.

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

K. Compensated Absences

Accumulated unpaid vacation and sick pay are accrued when incurred in the government-wide and proprietary funds (using the accrual basis of accounting). Such amounts are not accrued in governmental funds (using the modified accrual basis of accounting). At September 30, 2015, accumulated unpaid vacation of \$510,376 was reported for the governmental activities and \$33,924 was reported for the business-type activities.

L. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Mississippi Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) and Mississippi Municipal Retirement Systems (MMRS) as well as additions to/deductions from PERS' and MMRS' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by PERS and MMRS. For this purpose, the benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

M. Net Position and Fund Balance

Net position in government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements utilize a net position presentation. Net position is categorized as follows:

Net investment in capital assets - This component of net position consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by any debt outstanding against the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets or related debt is included in this component of net position.

Restricted net position - This component of net position consists of restricted assets reduced by liabilities and deferred inflows of resources related to those assets.

Unrestricted net position - This component of net position is the net amount of the assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources that are not included in the determination of the net investment in capital assets or restricted net position.

In the fund financial statements, fund balances for governmental funds are reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the City is bound to honor constraints on the specific purpose for which amounts in the funds can be spent. Fund balance is reported in five (5) components: nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned and unassigned.

Nonspendable - This component includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted - This component consists of amounts that have constraints placed on them either externally by third-parties (creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments) or by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. Enabling legislation authorizes the City to assess, levy, charge or otherwise mandate payment of resources (from external resource providers) and includes a legally enforceable requirement (compelled by external parties) that those resources be used only for the specific purposes stipulated in the legislation.

Committed - This component consists of amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the City's highest level of decision making authority which includes the city charter, ordinances and resolutions. Those

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the City removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (city charter, ordinance and resolution) it employed previously to commit those amounts.

Assigned - This component consists of amounts that are constrained by the City's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. The authority for assigning fund balance is expressed by the Board of Selectmen, City Administrator or their designee.

Unassigned - This classification represents amounts that have not been restricted, committed or assigned to a specific purpose within the General Fund. The General Fund is the only fund that reports a positive unassigned fund balance amount. Other governmental funds besides the General Fund can only report a negative unassigned fund balance amount.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the City's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources (committed, assigned and unassigned) as they are needed. When unrestricted resources (committed, assigned and unassigned) are available for use it is the City's policy to use committed resources first, then assigned, and then unassigned as they are needed.

N. Encumbrances

Encumbrance accounting, under which purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, is employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the General Fund and Special Revenue Funds. Encumbrances outstanding at year-end are not reported as reservations of fund balances since they did not constitute expenditures or liabilities. All appropriations lapse at year-end.

O. Property Taxes

Property taxes for fiscal year 2015 were levied in September 2014 on the assessed valuation of property located in the City of McComb, Mississippi as of the preceding January 1, the lien date. Revenues from property taxes are recognized in the fiscal year for which property taxes are levied. The financial statements reflect the accrual of the estimated fiscal year 2016 property taxes levied in September 2015. The City has recorded deferred inflows for the estimated fiscal year 2016 property taxes as of September 30, 2015.

In July 2008, the City of McComb, Mississippi entered into an Interlocal Agreement with

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - CONTINUED:

Pike County, Mississippi relating to the collection of the City's and the school district's ad valorem taxes. This agreement took effect with the collection of the 2003 ad valorem taxes. In this agreement the county also agreed to mail the tax statements, collect any penalties and interest on delinquent taxes, and to hold in August a public sale on all unpaid property taxes. The City still holds the responsibility of receiving and adopting the tax levy for the City and the school district. This is done in September of the prior fiscal year.

All taxes not collected within 60 days of the fiscal year-end are shown as deferred inflows for financial reporting purposes.

P. Expenditures

Expenditures are recognized when the related fund liability is incurred.

Q. Use of Estimates

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

NOTE 2 - BUDGETS AND BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING

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

1. Prior to September 1, the City Administrator submits to the Mayor and Board of Selectmen a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following October 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
2. Public hearings are conducted at City Hall to obtain taxpayer comments.
3. Prior to or on September 15th the budget is legally enacted through passage of an ordinance.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 2 - BUDGETS AND BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING - CONTINUED:

4. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for the General Fund and Special Revenue Funds.

The governmental fund types are budgeted in accordance with the laws of the State of Mississippi which require that municipalities budget on a modified-cash basis. Claims that have been incurred prior to the end of the year and that are paid within 30 days are recorded under the accrual basis. Prior year claims that are paid after 30 days revert to the cash basis. All revenue is accounted for under the cash basis. Capital project funds, however, are budgeted per project and do not lapse at year end. The required budgetary basis is therefore not considered a generally accepted accounting principle. Governmental accounting requires that the "Budgetary Comparison Schedule" be prepared according to budgetary laws and the "Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Fund Balance" be prepared according to the modified accrual basis (GAAP).

Budgets of proprietary funds are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Budgetary control is maintained at a department level. Budgets are amended by resolution of the Board of Selectmen to authorize expenditures of various grants received and to adjust department budgets as required.

Budgeted amounts are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Mayor and Board of Selectmen. Appropriations are budgeted at the department level. The management of the City has no authority to amend the budget at department level or higher. City and state laws and ordinances require the Mayor and Board of Selectmen to authorize all budget amendments. Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the department level.

NOTE 3 - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

The collateral for public entities' deposits in financial institutions is now held in the name of the State Treasurer under a program established by the Mississippi State Legislature and is governed by Section 27-105-5, Mississippi Code Ann. (1972). Under this program, the entity's funds are protected through a collateral pool administered by the State Treasurer. Financial institutions holding deposits of public funds must pledge securities as collateral against those deposits.

The carrying amount of the City's deposits with financial institutions in the governmental activities and the business-type activities funds were \$6,668,552 and \$3,916,379, respectively. The carrying amount of deposits reported in the government-wide financial statements was: Cash and Cash Equivalents - \$8,661,250 and Restricted Cash and Cash

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE 3 - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - CONTINUED:

Equivalents - \$1,923,681. The Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents represent the cash balance in the debt service fund which is legally restricted and may not be used for purposes that support the City's programs.

Deposits at September 30, 2015, are summarized as follows:

	<u>Reported Amount</u>	<u>Bank Balance</u>
Cash	\$ 10,584,931	10,789,833

The difference of \$204,902 was principally due to outstanding checks. Of the bank balance, \$250,000 was covered by Federal Depository Insurance.

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits - Custodial credit risk is defined as the risk that, in the event of a failure of a financial institution, the City will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The City does not have a formal policy for custodial credit risk. However, the Mississippi State Treasury manages the risk on behalf of the City. Deposits above FDIC coverage are collateralized by the pledging financial institutions trust department or agent in the name of the Mississippi State Treasurer on behalf of the City. As of September 30, 2015, the entire bank balance was covered by Federal depository insurance or collateralized in accordance with state law.

Interest Rate Risk - The City does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Credit Risk - State law limits investments to those prescribed in Sections 27-105-33(d) and 27-105-33(e), Miss. Code Ann. (1972). The City does not have a formal investment policy that would further limit its investment choices or one that addresses credit risk.

Custodial Credit Risk - Investments - Custodial credit risk is defined as the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the City will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The City does not have a formal investment policy that addresses custodial credit risk. However, the Mississippi State Treasurer manages the risk on behalf of the City. Deposits above FDIC coverage are collateralized by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the name of the Mississippi State Treasurer on behalf of the City. The City held no investments as of September 30, 2015.

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NOTE 3 - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - CONTINUED:

Concentration of Credit Risk - Disclosures of investments by amount and issuer for any issuer that represents five percent or more of total investments is required. This requirement does not apply to investments issued or explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government, investments in mutual funds and external investment pools, and other pooled investments. As of September 30, 2015, the City had no investments.

Following is a list of the City's eligible investments, which in accordance with State statute are limited to the investment of funds in excess of sums required for immediate expenditure or current obligations:

Certificates of deposit with municipal depositories approved annually by the State Treasurer bonds or direct obligations of the:

- United States of America
- State of Mississippi
- County or Municipality of Mississippi
- School Districts

State statute allows the investment of funds received from the sale of bonds, notes, or certificates of indebtedness which are not immediately required for disbursement for the purpose issued, in direct obligations issued by or guaranteed in full by the United States of America, or in certificates of deposit with approved municipal depositories.

NOTE 4 - ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Receivables as of year-end for the government's individual major and nonmajor funds in the aggregate, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts are as follows:

		Water and Sewer Authority	Sanitation Fund	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total
Receivables:					
Taxes	\$ 3,249,251	-	-	786,499	4,035,750
Accounts	-	804,194	151,537	-	955,731
Fines	2,460,309	-	-	-	2,460,309
Other	1,471,319	-	-	2,365	1,473,684
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	539,739	539,739
Gross receivables	7,180,879	804,194	151,537	1,328,603	9,465,213
Less: allowance for uncollectibles	(2,862,174)	(144,166)	(28,410)	-	(3,034,750)
Net receivables	\$ 4,318,705	660,028	123,127	1,328,603	6,430,463

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NOTE 5 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS

The following is a summary of interfund transactions and balances:

<u>Receivable Fund</u>	<u>Payable Fund</u>		<u>Amount</u>
General Fund	Sanitation Fund	\$	77,632
	Nonmajor Funds		263,597
General Fund	Water/Sewer Authority		179,404
Sanitation Fund	Water/Sewer Authority		95,007
Water/Sewer Authority	Nonmajor Funds		<u>203</u>
Total		\$	<u>615,843</u>

The due to/from other funds arise from short-term borrowings to meet cash requirements.

	<u>Transfer In</u>	<u>Transfer Out</u>		<u>Total</u>
	Nonmajor Funds	General Fund	\$	22,512
	Sanitation Fund	General Fund		<u>100,000</u>
			\$	<u>122,512</u>

Operating transfers arise primarily from the Board of Selectmen moving money to the proper fund for expenditures.

NOTE 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS

The following is a summary of changes in capital assets reported for the governmental activities:

		<u>Balance</u>		<u>Balance</u>	
		<u>10/1/2014</u>	<u>Addition</u>	<u>Retirements</u>	
				<u>9/30/2015</u>	
Non-depreciable capital assets:					
Land	\$	756,288	-	-	756,288
Construction in progress		<u>-</u>	<u>1,536,557</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,536,557</u>
Total non-depreciable capital assets		<u>756,288</u>	<u>1,536,557</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,292,845</u>
Depreciable capital assets:					
Buildings		10,989,724	106,567	-	11,096,291
Improvements other than building		147,581	349,995	-	497,576
Furniture and equipment		2,956,058	50,935	-	3,006,993

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NOTE 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS - CONTINUED:

		Balance			Balance
		10/1/2014	Addition	Retirements	9/30/2015
Depreciable capital assets - continued:					
Mobile equipment	\$	3,803,933	156,915	-	3,960,848
Infrastructure		6,714,280	-	-	6,714,280
Total depreciable capital assets		<u>24,611,576</u>	<u>664,412</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>25,275,988</u>
Less accumulated depreciation:					
Buildings		3,829,462	160,572	-	3,990,034
Improvements other than buildings		22,136	8,837	-	30,973
Furniture and equipment		2,229,570	161,657	-	2,391,227
Mobile equipment		3,266,272	104,327	-	3,370,599
Infrastructure		2,724,858	335,714	-	3,060,572
Total accumulated depreciation		<u>12,072,298</u>	<u>771,107</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>12,843,405</u>
Total depreciable capital assets, net		<u>12,539,278</u>	<u>(106,695)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>12,432,583</u>
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$	<u>13,295,566</u>	<u>1,429,862</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,725,428</u>

Infrastructure acquired prior to the implementation of GASB Statement No. 34 is included in the amount above. However, infrastructure acquired prior to fiscal years ended after June 30, 1980 is not included in the amount above.

The following is a summary of changes in capital assets reported for the business-type activities:

		Balance			Balance
		10/1/2014	Addition	Retirements	9/30/2015
Non-depreciable capital assets:					
Land	\$	43,925	-	-	43,925
Total non-depreciable capital assets		<u>43,925</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>43,925</u>
Depreciable capital assets:					
Buildings		410,629	-	-	410,629
Equipment		681,046	-	-	681,046
Mobile equipment		752,146	53,500	-	805,646
Infrastructure		62,694,638	905,952	-	63,600,590
Total depreciable capital assets		<u>64,538,459</u>	<u>959,452</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>65,497,911</u>

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NOTE 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS - CONTINUED:

		Balance 10/1/2014	Addition	Retirements	Balance 9/30/2015
Less accumulated depreciation:					
Building	\$	322,926	223	-	323,149
Equipment		650,248	8,325	-	658,573
Mobile equipment		568,447	30,580	-	599,027
Infrastructure		14,065,824	1,564,822	-	15,630,646
Total accumulated depreciation		<u>15,607,445</u>	<u>1,603,950</u>	-	<u>17,211,395</u>
Total depreciable capital assets, net		<u>48,931,014</u>	<u>(644,498)</u>	-	<u>48,286,516</u>
Business-type activities capital assets, net	\$	<u>48,974,939</u>	<u>(644,498)</u>	-	<u>48,330,441</u>

Infrastructure acquired prior to the implementation of GASB Statement No. 34 is included in the amount reported in the equipment capital asset group above. However, infrastructure acquired prior to fiscal years ended after June 30, 1980 is not included in the amount above.

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of the City as follows:

Governmental activities:			
General government		\$	58,335
Public safety			184,678
Public works			345,853
Culture and recreation			<u>182,241</u>
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities		\$	<u>771,107</u>
Business-type activities:			
Water and sewer		\$	<u>1,603,950</u>
Total depreciation expense - business-type activities		\$	<u>1,603,950</u>

NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT

A. Governmental Activities

During the year ended September 30, 2015, the following changes occurred in long-term liabilities reported for the governmental activities:

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NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT - CONTINUED:

		Balance			Balance	Amount Due
		10/1/2014	Additions	Retirements	9/30/2015	Within One Year
Compensated absences	\$	479,106	31,270	-	510,376	102,075
General obligation bonds		2,665,000	2,000,000	205,000	4,460,000	285,000
General obligation bonds premium		19,771	-	2,002	17,769	2,002
Notes payable		-	600,000	98,927	501,073	299,433
Total	\$	<u>3,163,877</u>	<u>2,631,270</u>	<u>305,929</u>	<u>5,489,218</u>	<u>688,510</u>

General Obligation Bonds

The government issues general obligation bonds to provide for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities. General obligation bonds have been issued for general governmental activities.

General obligation bonds and notes are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the government. General obligation bonds currently outstanding are as follows:

On August 13, 2014, the Mayor and Board of Selectmen authorized the issuance of \$1,260,000 in general obligation refunding bonds with interest rates of 2.00% to 2.50% maturing in fiscal year 2024. The refunding bonds were issued by the City for the purposes of 1.) reducing the net effective interest rate, 2.) reducing the total principal and interest payable and 3.) creating a net present value benefit of \$114,456 for the City on the obligations represented by the current refunding of the 2004 general obligation bonds. The general obligation refunding bonds are recorded net of unamortized premium of \$17,769 at September 30, 2015. This debt will be retired from the City's General Obligation Bond Fund.	\$	1,162,769
On January 10, 2006, the Mayor and Board of Selectmen authorized the issuance of \$2,000,000 in general obligation bonds with interest rates of 3.70% to 5.25% maturing in fiscal year 2026. Proceeds from these bonds were used for capital improvements to the Sports Complex and Street Improvements. This debt will be retired from the City's General Obligation Bond Fund.		1,315,000
On August 13, 2015, the Mayor and Board of Selectmen authorized the issuance of \$2,000,000 in general obligation bonds with interest rates of 3.00% to 4.00% maturing in fiscal year 2035. Proceeds from these bonds will be used for various capital improvements throughout the City of McComb. This debt will be retired from the City's General Obligation Bond Fund.		<u>2,000,000</u>
Total General Obligation Bonds	\$	<u>4,477,769</u>

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NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT - CONTINUED:

Notes Payable

The outstanding notes payable are as follows as of September 30, 2015:

On September 15, 2015, the City executed a promissory tax anticipation note agreement with the Bank of Franklin in the amount of \$600,000 with an interest rate of 1.25% maturing September 1, 2017. The debt will be retired from the Hotel-Motel Tax Fund.	\$	<u>501,073</u>
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Annual debt service requirements to maturity for general obligation bonds and notes payable for the General Government are as follows:

Fiscal year ending September 30,	General					
	Obligation Bonds		Notes Payable		Total	
	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
2016	\$ 287,002	145,363	299,433	4,624	586,435	149,987
2017	297,002	137,414	201,640	957	498,642	138,371
2018	307,002	127,764	-	-	307,002	127,764
2019	317,002	118,379	-	-	317,002	118,379
2020	317,002	108,609	-	-	317,002	108,609
2021-2025	1,647,759	386,573	-	-	1,647,759	386,573
2026-2030	680,000	177,481	-	-	680,000	177,481
2031-2035	<u>625,000</u>	<u>71,742</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>625,000</u>	<u>71,742</u>
Total	\$ <u>4,477,769</u>	<u>1,273,325</u>	<u>501,073</u>	<u>5,581</u>	<u>4,978,842</u>	<u>1,278,906</u>

B. Business-Type Activities

During the year ended September 30, 2015, the following changes occurred in liabilities reported for the business-type activities:

	Balance 10/1/2014	Additions	Retirements	Balance 9/30/2015	Amount Due Within One Year
Compensated absences	\$ 38,418	-	4,494	33,924	6,785
Water pollution revolving loans (DEQ)	<u>31,845,343</u>	<u>391,406</u>	<u>1,694,843</u>	<u>30,541,906</u>	<u>1,758,554</u>
Total	\$ <u>31,883,761</u>	<u>391,406</u>	<u>1,699,337</u>	<u>30,575,830</u>	<u>1,765,339</u>

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NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT - CONTINUED:

The following is outstanding debt related to business-type activities as of September 30, 2015:

East/West Lagoon Pump Station and Force Main - SCRFC280909-01			
2.75% interest with monthly payments of \$13,173, including			
interest, the first payment to begin May 2009, with a			
maturity date of January 2029. This debt will be retired			
from the Water and Sewer Authority Fund.		\$	1,762,857
Wastewater Treatment Plant - SCRFC280909-02			
1.75% interest with monthly payments of \$169,061, including			
interest, the first payment to begin March 2011, with a			
maturity date of November 2030. This debt will be retired			
from the Water and Sewer Authority Fund.		\$	27,007,176
Sewer Improvements - SCRFC280909-03			
1.75% interest with monthly payments of \$9,107, including			
interest, the first payment to begin February 2015, with a			
maturity date of October 2034. This debt will be retired			
from the Water and Sewer Authority Fund.			1,771,873
		\$	<u>30,541,906</u>

Annual debt service requirements to maturity related to the water pollution control revolving loans are as follows:

	Fiscal Year Ending <u>September 30,</u>		<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
	2016	\$	1,758,554	537,547	2,296,101
	2017		1,790,710	505,391	2,296,101
	2018		1,823,464	472,636	2,296,100
	2019		1,856,829	439,272	2,296,101
	2020		1,890,816	405,285	2,296,101
	2021-2025		9,986,494	1,494,008	11,480,502
	2026-2030		10,667,297	549,737	11,217,034
	2031-2035		<u>767,742</u>	<u>16,611</u>	<u>784,353</u>
		\$	<u>30,541,906</u>	<u>4,420,487</u>	<u>34,962,393</u>

Compensated Absences

In addition to the above mentioned debts, the City of McComb, Mississippi has recorded a debt of \$510,376 for the governmental activities and \$33,924 for the business-type activities

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NOTE 7 - LONG-TERM DEBT - CONTINUED:

Compensated Absences - continued:

which represents a liability for unpaid vacation and sick leave of the City's employees which the City will be obligated to pay from the General Fund and the Water/Sewer Authority Fund, respectively, at some point in the future.

NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

General Information about the PERS Pension Plan

Plan Description. The City contributes to the Public Employees' Retirement System of Mississippi (PERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. PERS provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State law and may be amended only by the State of Mississippi Legislature. PERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That information may be obtained by writing to Public Employees' Retirement System, PERS Building, 429 Mississippi Street, Jackson, MS 39201-1005, by calling (601) 359-3589 or 1-800-444-PERS, or by visiting online at www.pers.ms.gov.

Benefits Provided. Membership in PERS is a condition of employment granted upon hiring for qualifying employees and officials of the State of Mississippi (the State), state universities, community and junior colleges, and teachers and employees of the public school districts. For those persons employed by political subdivisions and instrumentalities of the State, membership is contingent upon approval of the entity's participation in PERS by the PERS' Board of Trustees. If approved, membership for the entity's employees is a condition of employment and eligibility is granted to those who qualify upon hiring. Members and employers are statutorily required to contribute certain percentages of salaries and wages as specified by the Board of Trustees. A member who terminates employment from all covered employers and who is not eligible to receive monthly retirement benefits may request a full refund of his or her accumulated member contributions plus interest. Upon withdrawal of contributions, a member forfeits service credit represented by those contributions. Participating members who are vested and retire at or after age 60 or those who retire regardless of age with at least 30 years of creditable service (25 years of creditable service for employees who became members of PERS before July 1, 2011) are entitled, upon application, to an annual retirement allowance payable monthly for life in an amount equal to 2.0 percent of their average compensation for each year of creditable service up to and

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) - continued:

General Information about the PERS Pension Plan - continued:

including 30 years (25 years for those who became members of PERS before July 1, 2011), plus 2.5 percent for each additional year of creditable service with an actuarial reduction in the benefit for each year of creditable service below 30 years or the number of years in age that the member is below 65, whichever is less. Average compensation is the average of the employee's earnings during the four highest compensated years of creditable service. A member may elect a reduced retirement allowance payable for life with the provision that, after death, a beneficiary receives benefits for life or for a specified number of years. Benefits vest upon completion of eight years of membership service (four years of membership service for those who became members of PERS before July 1, 2007). PERS also provides certain death and disability benefits. In the event of death prior to retirement of any member whose spouse and/or children are not entitled to a retirement allowance, the deceased member's accumulated contributions and interest are paid to the designated beneficiary. A Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) payment is made to eligible retirees and beneficiaries. The COLA is equal to 3.0 percent of the annual retirement allowance for each full fiscal year of retirement up to the year in which the retired member reaches age 60 (55 for those who became members of PERS before July 1, 2011), with 3.0 percent compounded for each fiscal year thereafter.

For the year ended September 30, 2015, the City's total payroll for all employees was \$6,556,418. Total covered payroll was \$6,485,439. Covered payroll refers to all compensation paid by the City to active employees covered by the Plan.

Contributions: PERS members are required to contribute 9.00% of their annual covered salary and the City is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The rate for the year ended September 30, 2015 was 15.75% of annual covered payroll. The contribution requirements of PERS members are established and may be amended only by the State of Mississippi Legislature. The City's contributions to PERS for the fiscal years ended September 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 were \$1,021,457, \$988,347 and \$908,629, respectively, which equaled the required contributions for each year.

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

At September 30, 2015, the City reported a liability of \$16,122,723 for its proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability. The PERS net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2015, and the total PERS pension liability used to calculate the PERS net pension

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) - continued:

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to PERS - continued:

liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The City's proportion of the PERS net pension liability was based on a projection of the City's long-term share of contributions to the PERS pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating entities, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2015, the City's proportion was 0.1043 percent, which was an increase of 0.0022 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2014.

For the year ended September 30, 2015, the City recognized pension expense related to PERS of \$2,220,583. At September 30, 2015, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

		Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference between expected and actual results	\$	248,120	-
Changes in assumptions		1,388,918	-
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on Plan investments		943,352	-
Changes in proportion and differences between City contributions and proportionate share of contributions		195,255	-
City contributions subsequent to the measurement date		<u>255,813</u>	-
Total	\$	<u>3,031,458</u>	-

The \$255,813 of deferred outflows of resources resulting from the City's contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending September 30, 2016. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) - continued:

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to PERS - continued:

Deferred Outflows/(Deferred Inflow) Aging:			
Year ended September 30:			
	2016	\$	909,475
	2017		909,475
	2018		720,857
	2019		235,838
		\$	<u>2,775,645</u>

Actuarial Assumptions. The total pension liability in the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	3.00 percent
Salary increases	3.75-19.00 percent, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.75 percent, net of Plan investment expense, including inflation

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2015 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the four year period ending June 30, 2014. As a result of the experience report which is dated May 4, 2015, the Board of Trustees adopted changes in assumptions for PERS since the last Measurement Date.

In 2015 and later, the expectation of retired life mortality was changed to the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Blue Collar Table projected to 2016 using Scale BB rather than the RP-2000 Mortality Table, which was used prior to 2015. In 2015, the expectation of disabled mortality was changed to the RP-2014 Disabled Retiree Table, rather than the RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Table, which was used prior to 2015. Withdrawal rates, pre-retirement mortality rates, disability rates and service retirement rates were also adjusted to more closely reflect actual experience. In 2015, assumed rates of salary increase were adjusted to more closely reflect actual and anticipated experience. Finally, the price inflation and investment rate of return assumptions were changed from 3.50% to 3.00% and 8.00% to 7.75%, respectively.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a log-normal distribution analysis in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected nominal returns, net of pension plan investment expense and the assumed

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) - continued:

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to PERS - continued:

rate of inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target asset allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
US Broad	34.00%	5.20 %
International Equity	19.00%	5.00 %
Emerging Markets Equity	8.00%	5.45 %
Fixed Income	20.00%	0.25 %
Real Assets	10.00%	4.00 %
Private Equity	8.00%	6.15 %
Cash	<u>1.00%</u>	(0.50)%
Total	<u>100.00%</u>	

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.75 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate (9.00%) and that employer contributions will be made at the current employer contribution rate (15.75%). Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate. The following table presents the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability of PERS based on the June 30, 2015, actuarial valuations, calculated using the discount rate of 7.75 percent, as well as what the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.75 percent) or one percentage point higher (8.75 percent) than the current rate:

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) - continued:

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to PERS - continued:

	<u>City's Proportionate Share of Net Pension Liability</u>
1.00% decrease (6.75%)	\$ 21,251,226
Current discount rate (7.75%)	16,122,723
1.00% increase (8.75%)	11,867,025

Plan Fiduciary Net Position. Detailed information about the Plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Public Employees' Retirement System of Mississippi's financial report.

Mississippi Municipal Retirement Systems (MMRS)

General Information about the MMRS Pension Plan

Plan Description. The City of McComb, Mississippi also contributes to the Mississippi Municipal Retirement System of Mississippi ("MMRS"), an agent multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. This plan only covers policemen and firemen employed prior to June, 1976. MMRS provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State law and may be amended only by the State of Mississippi Legislature. MMRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That information may be obtained by writing to Public Employees' Retirement System, PERS Building, 429 Mississippi Street, Jackson, MS 39201-1005 or by calling (601) 359-3589 or 1-800-444-PERS.

Benefits Provided - Service Retirement. A retirement allowance is payable to any member who retires and has completed at least 20 years of creditable service, regardless of age. Any general employee member who has attained age 70 and any fireman or policeman who has attained age 65 shall be retired forthwith. The annual retirement allowance payable to a retired member is equal to:

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Mississippi Municipal Retirement Systems (MMRS) - continued:

General Information about the MMRS Pension Plan - continued:

- 1) 50% of average compensation, plus
- 2) 1.7% of average compensation for each year of credited service over 20.

The aggregate amount of (1) and (2) above shall not exceed 66-2/3% of average compensation regardless of service.

Benefits Provided - Disability Retirement. A retirement allowance is payable to any member who is not eligible for a service retirement benefit but who becomes totally and permanently disabled, either physically or mentally, regardless of creditable service, if the disability is due to causes in the performance of duty. If the disability is not in the performance of duty, the member must have completed at least 5 years of creditable service to be eligible for retirement. The annual disability retirement allowance payable is equal to 50% of his salary at the time of retirement, if the disability is due to causes in the performance of duty. If the disability is not in the performance of duty, the allowance is equal to 2.5% times credited service, not in excess of 20 times his salary at the time of retirement for firemen and policemen, and average compensation for general employees.

Death Benefits. A benefit is payable upon the death of a member under the following conditions.

- a) the member has retired,
- b) the member is eligible to retire,
- c) the death is in the line of duty, or
- d) the death is not in the line of duty, but occurs after the member has 5 years of credited service.

The benefit is payable to the surviving spouse and to children under age 18, to dependent children through age 23 when full time students, and to dependent children of any age if handicapped. The annual benefit payable under all conditions in the case of firemen and policemen and under other than condition (c) above in the case of general employees, is equal to 2.5% of average compensation for each year of credited service up to 20 and 1.7% of average compensation for each year over 20, with a maximum benefit of 66-2/3% of average compensation. For general employee members under condition (c) above the annual benefit payable is equal to 50% of salary at the time of death.

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Mississippi Municipal Retirement Systems (MMRS) - continued:

General Information about the MMRS Pension Plan - continued:

Refund of Contributions. Upon a member's termination of employment for any reason before retirement, his accumulated contributions are refunded. Upon the death of a member who is not eligible for any other death benefit, his accumulated contributions, together with regular interest thereon, are paid to his beneficiary.

Post Retirement Adjustments in Allowances. The allowances of service retirees only are adjusted annually by a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) on the basis of the annual percentage change in each fiscal year of the Consumer Price Index to a maximum of 2.5% per year (not to exceed 10%). This adjustment has been included in System liabilities.

At June 30, 2015 (measurement date), the following City of McComb employees were covered by the plan:

Active participants	\$	-
Retired participants and beneficiaries		
currently receiving benefits		29
Inactive participants		-
Total	\$	<u>29</u>

Actuarial Assumptions

Valuation date	6/30/2015
Actuarial cost method	Entry age
Amortization method	Level dollar closed
Remaining amortization period	19 years
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed market
Investment rate of return	7.75%
Projected salary increases	4.00 - 5.50%
Includes price inflation at	3.00%
Includes wage inflation at	3.75%
Cost of living adjustments	2.50% per year, not to exceed 10%

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

SALARY INCREASES: 3.75% for wage inflation plus the following chart:

<u>Ages</u>	<u>Merit and Seniority Salary Increase</u>
Under 43	1.75%
43 - 47	1.25
48 - 52	0.75
53 and Over	0.25

PRICE INFLATION: 3.00% per annum, compounded annually.

INTEREST RATE: 7.75% per annum, compounded annually (net after investment expenses) for prior funding policy rate determination and GASB disclosure. 6.50% per annum, compounded annually (net after investment expenses) for current funding policy rate determination.

DEATH AFTER RETIREMENT: The mortality table, for post-retirement mortality, used in evaluating allowances to be paid is the RP-2014 Healthy Annuitant Blue Collar Table projected with Scale BB to 2016 with males rates set forward one year. The RP-2014 Disabled Retiree Table set forward 5 years for males and 4 years for females was used for the period after disability retirement. This assumption is used to measure the probabilities of each benefit payment being made after retirement. Mortality improvement is anticipated under this assumption.

MARRIAGE ASSUMPTION: 85% married with the husband three years older than his wife.

VALUATION METHOD: Unfunded employer liabilities are amortized over a closed 30-year period from September 30, 1990 as a level percent of the municipality's assessed property valuation.

ASSESSED PROPERTY VALUE RATE OF INCREASE: 2.0% per annum, compounded annually used in determining the millage rate under the prior funding policy.

EXPENSE LOAD: 2.0% of employer contributions.

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ASSET VALUATION METHOD: The actuarial value of assets recognizes a portion of the difference between the market value of assets and the expected actuarial value of assets, based on the assumed valuation rate of return. The amount recognized each year is 20% of the difference between market value and expected actuarial value. Actuarial value of assets was set equal to the market value on September 30, 2006, and smoothing commenced in 2007. Actuarial assets were allocated to individual cities in the same proportion that their market value of assets was to the total market value of assets for all cities.

Basis of Accounting

MMRS uses the accrual basis of accounting and the economics resources measurement focus. Employee and employer contributions are recognized as revenue in the period in which employees' services are performed. Investment income is recognized when earned.

Expenses, including benefits and refunds paid, are recognized when incurred. Investments are reported at fair value. Securities traded on a national or international exchange are valued at the last reported sales price at current exchange rates. Corporate bonds are valued based on yields currently available on comparable securities from issuers of similar credit ratings. Mortgage securities are valued on the basis of future principal and interest payments and discounted at prevailing interest rates for similar instruments. Short-term investments are reported at market value when published prices are available, or at cost plus accrued interest, which approximates fair value. For individual investments where no readily ascertainable market value exists, PERS, in consultation with its investment advisors and custodial bank, has determined the fair values.

Contributions

Funding policies for MMRS are established by Mississippi statutes. Employer contributions are paid through an annual millage rate on the assessed property values of the City. For the year ended September 30, 2015, the City levied 2.76 mills to help fund MMRS. This millage rate is determined through review of each plan's benefit structure during the MMRS annual actuarial valuation and certification by the actuary as to the funding level required of the City. The contribution requirements of MMRS members are established and may be amended only by the State of Mississippi Legislature. The City of McComb, Mississippi's contributions to MMRS the years ended September 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 were \$246,939, \$241,391 and \$192,176, respectively.

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

Changes in Net Pension Liability

Changes in the City's net pension liability for the MMRS plan for the year ended September 30, 2015 were as follows:

		Total Pension Liability (a)	Plan Fiduciary Net Position (b)	Net Pension Liability (Asset) (a) - (b)
Balance at September 30, 2014	\$	3,684,928	1,009,770	2,675,158
Changes for the year:				
Service cost		-	-	-
Interest		279,753	-	279,753
Changes of assumptions		96,610	-	96,610
Difference between expected and actual experience		(104,846)	-	(104,846)
Contributions - employer		-	252,604	(252,604)
Contributions - employee		-	-	-
Net investment income		-	31,500	(31,500)
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions		(376,034)	(376,034)	-
Administrative expense		-	(5,052)	5,052
Other changes		-	-	-
Net changes		<u>(104,517)</u>	<u>(96,982)</u>	<u>(7,535)</u>
Balances at September 30, 2015	\$	<u>3,580,411</u>	<u>912,788</u>	<u>2,667,623</u>

Sensitivity of the Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

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NOTE 8 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS - CONTINUED:

The following presents the MMRS plan’s net position liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.75 percent, as well as what the plan’s net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.75 percent) or one percentage point higher (8.75 percent) than the current rate:

		1%	Current	1%
		Decrease	Discount	Increase
		(6.75%)	Rate (7.75%)	(8.75%)
Plan's Net Pension Liability (Asset)	\$	2,923,651	2,667,623	2,374,747

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plans’ fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued MMRS financial report.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources Related to MMRS

At September 30, 2015, the City reported a liability of \$2,667,623 for the MMRS net pension liability. The MMRS net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2015, and the total MMRS pension liability used to calculate the MMRS net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date.

For the year ended June 30, 2015, the Plan recognized pension expense related to MMRS of \$207,343. At September 30, 2015, the City reported deferred outflows of resources related to pensions from the following source:

City contributions subsequent to the measurement date	\$ <u>26,689</u>
Total	\$ <u>26,689</u>

The \$26,689 of deferred outflows of resources resulting from the City’s contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the MMRS net pension liability in the year ending September 30, 2016.

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NOTE 9 - FUND BALANCE CLASSIFICATION

The fund balances of the governmental funds are classified by specific purpose as follows:

		General Fund	Nonmajor Funds	Total
Restricted for:				
MESC	\$	-	39,959	39,959
Library Support		-	6,289	6,289
Urban Youth Corp		-	9,156	9,156
Recreation		-	733,573	733,573
Disability and Relief Funding		-	54,886	54,886
Public Safety		-	289,043	289,043
Public Works		-	518	518
		General Fund	Nonmajor Funds	Total
Debt Service	\$	-	292,502	292,502
Capital Projects		-	1,605,400	1,605,400
		-	3,031,326	3,031,326
Committed for:				
Cemetery Maintenance		-	304,108	304,108
Comprehensive Plan		-	21,661	21,661
Parks and Recreation		-	97,598	97,598
		-	423,367	423,367
Unassigned		3,153,032	-	3,153,032
Total fund balance	\$	3,153,032	3,454,693	6,607,725

NOTE 10 - OTHER INFORMATION

Risk Management

The government is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; error and omissions; and natural disasters. The government carries commercial insurance for these risks.

The City has joined with other municipalities to pool its risk as a member of the Mississippi Municipal Liability Plan and the Mississippi Municipal Workers' Compensation Pool, both of which are public entity risk pools. The City pays annual premiums to the liability plan and quarterly premiums to the pool for its workers' compensation coverage. The agreements

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NOTE 10 - OTHER INFORMATION - CONTINUED:

establishing the pools provide that the pools will be self-sustaining through member premiums.

1. Contingent Liabilities:

A. Litigation

As of September 30, 2015, the City has been named in several lawsuits. However, the City's attorney believes that the insurance coverage is adequate to cover any judgment rendered in those lawsuits.

Although the outcome of these lawsuits are not presently determinable, in the opinion of the City's attorney the resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition of the City.

B. Federal Grants

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustments by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures which, may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time, although the City expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

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NOTE 11 - PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT

The City has restated prior year government-wide net position and Water and Sewer Fund net position for the implementation of GASB Statement No. 68, as amended by GASB Statement No. 71.

The following summarizes the prior period adjustments referred to above.

<u>Government-Wide Governmental Activities - Net Position</u>	
Balance, September 30, 2014, as previously reported	\$ 15,435,237
Prior period adjustment for:	
Net pension liability	(14,096,145)
Deferred outflows - FY 2014 contributions made subsequent to the Plans' measurement dates of June 30, 2014	<u>495,398</u>
Balance, September 30, 2014, as restated	\$ <u>1,834,490</u>
Total decrease in governmental activities net position	\$ <u>(13,600,747)</u>
<u>Government-Wide Business-Type Activities - Net Position</u>	
Balance, September 30, 2014, as previously reported	\$ 20,271,494
Prior period adjustment for:	
Net pension liability	(1,061,151)
Deferred outflows - FY 2014 contributions made subsequent to the Plans' measurement dates of June 30, 2014	<u>43,361</u>
Balance, September 30, 2014, as restated	\$ <u>19,253,704</u>
Total decrease in business-type activities net position	\$ <u>(1,017,790)</u>
<u>Water and Sewer Fund - Net Position</u>	
Balance, September 30, 2014, as previously reported	\$ 20,282,336
Prior period adjustment for:	
Net pension liability	(1,061,151)
Deferred outflows - FY 2014 contributions made subsequent to the Plans' measurement dates of June 30, 2014	<u>43,361</u>
Balance, September 30, 2014, as restated	\$ <u>19,264,546</u>
Total decrease in Water and Sewer Fund net position	\$ <u>(1,017,790)</u>

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NOTE 12 - NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

Recently Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

In June 2012, the GASB issued Statement 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - an amendment of GASB Statement 27*. GASB 68 improves accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for pensions. It also improves information provided by state and local governmental employers about financial support for pensions that is provided by other entities. This Statement results from a comprehensive review of the effectiveness of existing standards of accounting and financial reporting for pensions with regard to providing decision-useful information, supporting assessments of accountability and inter-period equity, and creating additional transparency. This Statement is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2014.

GASB No. 69, *Government Combinations and Disposals of Government Operations*, issued in January 2013, provides accounting and financial reporting guidance, including disclosure requirements, for combinations (mergers, acquisitions, or transfers of operations) and disposals of operations in the government environment. GASB No. 69 is effective for such transactions occurring in financial reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2013.

In November 2013, the GASB amended GASB No. 68 by issuing GASB No. 71, *Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 68*, which is to be applied simultaneously with GASB No. 68. At the beginning of the period in which GASB No. 68 is adopted, it may not be practical for a government to determine the amounts of all deferred inflows of resources and deferred outflows of resources related to pensions. In such circumstances, GASB No. 71, paragraph 3, requires the government to recognize a beginning deferred outflow of resources only for any pension contributions it made subsequent to the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability but before the start of the government's fiscal year. No beginning balances for other deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions should be recognized.

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In February 2015, the GASB issued Statement 72, *Fair Value Measurement and Application*. GASB 72 will enhance comparability of financial statements among governments by requiring measurement of certain assets and liabilities at fair value using a consistent and more detailed definition of fair value and accepted valuation techniques. This Statement also will enhance fair value application guidance and related disclosures in order to provide information to financial statement users about the impact of fair value measurements on a government's financial position. The requirements of this Statement are effective for financial statements for periods beginning after June 15, 2015. Management is currently.

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NOTE 12 - NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS - CONTINUED:

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

evaluating the impact of the adoption of this Statement on the City's financial statements.

In February 2015, the GASB issued Statement 72, *Fair Value Measurement and Application*. GASB 72 will enhance comparability of financial statements among governments by requiring measurement of certain assets and liabilities at fair value using a consistent and more detailed definition of fair value and accepted valuation techniques. This Statement also will enhance fair value application guidance and related disclosures in order to provide information to financial statement users about the impact of fair value measurements on a government's financial position. The requirements of this Statement are effective for financial statements for periods beginning after June 15, 2015. Management is currently evaluating the impact of the adoption of this Statement on the City's financial statements.

In June 2015, the GASB issued Statement 73, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions and Related Assets That Are Not Within the Scope of GASB Statement 68, and Amendments to Certain Provisions of GASB Statements 67 and 68*. GASB 73 will improve financial reporting by establishing a single framework for the presentation of information about pensions, which will enhance the comparability of pension-related information reported by employers and nonemployer contributing entities. The requirements of this Statement that address accounting and financial reporting by employers and governmental nonemployer contributing entities for pensions that are not within the scope of Statement 68 are effective for financial statements for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2016, and the requirements of this Statement that address financial reporting for assets accumulated for purposes of providing those pensions are effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2015. The requirements of this Statement for pension plans that are within the scope of Statement 67 or for pensions that are within the scope of Statement 68 are effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2015. Management is currently evaluating the impact of the adoption of this Statement on the City's financial statements.

In June 2015, the GASB issued Statement 74, *Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans*. GASB 74 establishes new accounting and financial reporting requirements for governments whose employees are provided with OPEB, as well as for certain nonemployer governments that have a legal obligation to provide financial support for OPEB provided to the employees of other entities. This Statement is effective for financial statements for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2016. Management is currently evaluating the impact of the adoption of this Statement on the City's financial statements.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 12 - NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS - CONTINUED:

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements - continued:

GASB Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions*, issued in June 2015, will improve accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for postemployment benefits other than pensions (other postemployment benefits or OPEB). It also improves information provided by state and local governmental employers about financial support for OPEB that is provided by other entities. This Statement is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2017. Management is currently evaluating the impact of the adoption of this Statement on the City's financial statements.

In June 2015, the GASB issued Statement 76, *The Hierarchy of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for State and Local Governments*. GASB 76 improves financial reporting by (1) raising the category of GASB Implementation Guides in the GAAP hierarchy, thus providing the opportunity for broader public input on implementation guidance; (2) emphasizing the importance of analogies to authoritative literature when the accounting treatment for an event is not specified in authoritative GAAP; and (3) requiring the consideration of consistency with the GASB Concepts Statements when evaluating accounting treatments specified in nonauthoritative literature. As a result, governments will apply financial reporting guidance with less variation, which will improve the usefulness of financial statement information for making decisions and assessing accountability and enhance the comparability of financial statement information among governments. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2015. Management is currently evaluating the impact of the adoption of this Statement on the City's financial statements.

GASB Statement No. 77, *Tax Abatement Disclosures*, issued in August 2015, improves financial reporting by giving users of financial statements essential information that is not consistently or comprehensively reported to the public at present. Disclosure of information about the nature and magnitude of tax abatements will make these transactions more transparent to financial statement users. As a result, users will be better equipped to understand (1) how tax abatements affect a government's future ability to raise resources and meet its financial obligations and (2) the impact those abatements have on a government's financial position and economic condition. The requirements of this Statement are effective for financial statements for periods beginning after December 15, 2015. Management is currently evaluating the impact of the adoption of this Statement on the City's financial statements.

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NOTE 13 – GAIN CONTINGENCY

In February 2015, the City identified discrepancies in the amount of court fines and fees reported as received and those actually deposited into the bank. During the 2015 fiscal year, a formal investigation was performed. While the investigation was ongoing, management recorded a loss associated with the discrepancies for the year ended September 30, 2015 in the amount of \$83,605. In December 2015, the former municipal court clerk pleaded guilty to embezzling these city funds. In February 2016, a restitution hearing was held. The former municipal court clerk plead guilty to embezzlement in the amount of \$1,018,376 from May 2009 through February 2015. She was ordered to pay restitution of \$38,000 lump sum and \$600 a month until the balance was paid in full.

NOTE 14 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The City had no additional subsequent events of a material nature requiring adjustment to or disclosure in the financial statements through June, 21, 2016, the date the financial statements were approved by the City's management and available to be issued.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		Actual	Variance with
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	Amounts (Budgetary	Final Budget Positive
			Basis)	(Negative)
REVENUES:				
General property taxes	\$ 3,068,449	3,166,611	3,169,887	3,276
Licenses and permits	113,500	135,881	159,518	23,637
Intergovernmental revenues	7,027,876	7,131,112	6,939,153	(191,959)
Charges for services	7,500	8,912	28,443	19,531
Court fines and forfeits	500,000	436,936	498,912	61,976
Interest	10,000	14,007	16,791	2,784
Miscellaneous income	426,800	872,509	1,027,504	154,995
Total revenues	<u>11,154,125</u>	<u>11,765,968</u>	<u>11,840,208</u>	<u>74,240</u>
EXPENDITURES:				
General government:				
Personal services	1,118,654	1,213,654	1,171,825	41,829
Supplies	29,000	39,000	26,707	12,293
Other services and charges	699,350	844,350	889,612	(45,262)
Capital outlay	27,000	49,165	30,865	18,300
Funding to outside agencies	-	67,143	59,798	7,345
Total general government	<u>1,874,004</u>	<u>2,213,312</u>	<u>2,178,807</u>	<u>34,505</u>
Public safety:				
Personal services	5,239,545	5,424,545	5,173,154	251,391
Supplies	101,200	119,200	92,864	26,336
Other services and charges	427,500	559,500	562,788	(3,288)
Capital outlay	2,700	63,489	46,061	17,428
Total public safety	<u>5,770,945</u>	<u>6,166,734</u>	<u>5,874,867</u>	<u>291,867</u>
Public works:				
Personal services	1,552,395	1,567,395	1,488,850	78,545
Supplies	422,250	422,250	387,946	34,304
Other services and charges	531,254	1,261,474	1,253,181	8,293
Capital outlay	257,000	265,990	18,694	247,296
Total public works	<u>2,762,899</u>	<u>3,517,109</u>	<u>3,148,671</u>	<u>368,438</u>
Recreation and parks:				
Personal services	569,548	589,548	564,089	25,459
Supplies	56,200	60,200	47,997	12,203
Other services and charges	116,300	116,300	97,107	19,193
Capital outlay	1,000	15,925	12,049	3,876
Total culture and recreation	<u>743,048</u>	<u>781,973</u>	<u>721,242</u>	<u>60,731</u>
Total expenditures	<u>11,150,896</u>	<u>12,679,128</u>	<u>11,923,587</u>	<u>755,541</u>

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**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - CONTINUED:
GENERAL FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance with</u>
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Amounts</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>
			<u>(Budgetary</u>	<u>Positive</u>
			<u>Basis)</u>	<u>(Negative)</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	\$ 3,229	(913,160)	(83,379)	829,781
Other financing sources (uses):				
Transfers out	-	(122,512)	(122,512)	-
Estimated loss-court fines and fees	-	-	(83,605)	(83,605)
Total other financing uses	<u>-</u>	<u>(122,512)</u>	<u>(206,117)</u>	<u>(83,605)</u>
Net change in fund balance	3,229	(1,035,672)	(289,496)	746,176
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>3,447,234</u>	<u>3,447,234</u>	<u>3,447,234</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance at end of year	\$ <u>3,450,463</u>	<u>2,411,562</u>	<u>3,157,738</u>	<u>746,176</u>
EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCES BETWEEN BUDGETARY FUND BALANCE AND GAAP FUND BALANCE:				
Fund Balance - budgetary basis				\$ 3,157,738
Adjustment to GAAP basis:				
Add: Accrued revenue as of 9-30-15				523,663
Less: Accrued revenue as of 9-30-14				(528,497)
Less: Current year accounts payable paid after October 30, 2015				(8,027)
Add: Prior year accounts payable paid after October 30, 2014				8,155
Fund balance - GAAP basis				<u>\$ 3,153,032</u>

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**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION LIABILITY & RELATED RATIOS - PERS
LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS ***

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
City's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	\$ 16,122,723
City's proportionate of the collective net pension liability	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0.1043%
City's covered employee payroll	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	\$ 6,485,439
City's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability as a percentage of the City's covered payroll	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	248.60%
PERS' fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	61.70%

* Information is unavailable for years prior to the City's implementation of GASB 68 in fiscal year 2015.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS - PERS
LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS ***

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>
Actuarially determined employer contribution	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	\$ 1,021,457
Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contributions	<u>*</u>	<u>1,021,457</u>								
Annual contribution deficiency (excess)	<u><u>*</u></u>	<u><u>\$ -</u></u>								
City's covered-employee payroll	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	\$ 6,485,439
Actual contributions as a percentage of covered-employer payroll	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	15.75%

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS - MMRS
LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS***

Mississippi Municipal Retirement Systems (MMRS)

Plan Year Ended	Plan Fiduciary Net Position	Total Pension Liability	Percent Funded	Net Pension Liability	Annual Covered Payroll	Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
6/30/2015	912,788	3,580,411	25.5%	2,667,623	-	N/A

* Information is unavailable for year's prior to the City's implementation of GASB 68 in fiscal year 2015. The amounts presented were determined as of the measurement date of June 30 of the fiscal year presented.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI
REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF CITY'S CONTRIBUTIONS - MMRS
LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS*

Mississippi Municipal Retirement Systems (MMRS)

Actuarially determined contribution	\$	252,604
Contributions in relation to the actuarially required contribution		<u>252,604</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$	<u> -</u>
City's covered-employee payroll		<u> N/A</u>
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll		<u> N/A</u>

* Information is unavailable for year's prior to the City's implementation of GASB 68 in fiscal year 2015. The amounts presented were determined as of the measurement date of June 30 of the fiscal year presented.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULES
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

Budgetary Comparison Schedules

NOTE A - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The City's governmental fund types are budgeted in accordance with the laws of the State of Mississippi which require that municipalities budget on a modified-cash basis. Claims that have been incurred prior to the end of the year and that are paid within 30 days are recorded under the accrual basis. Prior year claims that are paid after 30 days revert to the cash basis. All revenue is accounted for under the cash basis. Capital project funds, however, are budgeted per project and do not lapse at year end. The required budgetary basis is therefore not considered to be in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Governmental accounting requires that the "Budgetary Comparison Schedule" statement be prepared according to budgetary laws and the "Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Fund Balance" be prepared according to the modified accrual basis (GAAP).

Pension Schedules

NOTE A - VALUATION DATE

Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of June 30, three months prior to the end of the fiscal year in which contributions are reported.

NOTE B - CHANGES OF BENEFIT TERMS

None.

NOTE C - CHANGES OF ASSUMPTIONS

None.

NOTE D - DATA AVAILABLE AND PRESENTED

The required supplementary pension schedules are presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for ten years, as required by GASB 68. GASB 68 was implemented during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015, and only reflects data for years for which trend information is available.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

	Special Revenue								
	Parks and Recreation Fund	Animal Shelter	Fire Protection	MESC Fund	Library Support	Police Forfeiture and Seizure Fund	Fire and Police D & R	Scenic Rivers Fund	Subtotal
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 100,043	5,557	257,119	35,959	9,856	13,452	86,076	-	508,062
Taxes receivable	-	-	-	-	65,860	-	227,182	-	293,042
Other receivables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,365	2,365
Due from other governments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Due from other funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total assets	\$ <u>100,043</u>	<u>5,557</u>	<u>257,119</u>	<u>35,959</u>	<u>75,716</u>	<u>13,452</u>	<u>313,258</u>	<u>2,365</u>	<u>803,469</u>
Liabilities:									
Accounts payable	\$ 2,345	-	1,154	-	4,265	-	15,909	-	23,673
Accrued liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Due to other funds	100	-	-	-	-	-	17,884	2,365	20,349
Total liabilities	\$ <u>2,445</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,154</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,265</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>33,793</u>	<u>2,365</u>	<u>44,022</u>
Deferred inflows of resources:									
Unavailable property taxes	\$ -	-	-	-	65,162	-	224,579	-	289,741
Fund balances:									
Restricted	\$ -	5,557	255,965	35,959	6,289	13,452	54,886	-	372,108
Committed	97,598	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	97,598
Unassigned	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total fund balances	\$ <u>97,598</u>	<u>5,557</u>	<u>255,965</u>	<u>35,959</u>	<u>6,289</u>	<u>13,452</u>	<u>54,886</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>469,706</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances	\$ <u>100,043</u>	<u>5,557</u>	<u>257,119</u>	<u>35,959</u>	<u>75,716</u>	<u>13,452</u>	<u>313,258</u>	<u>2,365</u>	<u>803,469</u>

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**COMBINING BALANCE SHEET - CONTINUED:
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Special Revenue							
	Subtotal from Prior Page	Certified Local Government Clearing Fund	Brownsfield Hazardous Grant	Brownsfield Petro Grant	City Donation Funds	Crime Stoppers and Public Safety Grants	Urban Youth Corp Grant	Subtotal
Assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 508,062	-	-	14,117	6,774	2,829	-	531,782
Taxes receivable	293,042	-	-	-	-	-	-	293,042
Other receivables	2,365	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,365
Due from other governments	-	995	3,584	16,336	-	6,090	35,000	62,005
Due from other funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total assets	<u>\$ 803,469</u>	<u>995</u>	<u>3,584</u>	<u>30,453</u>	<u>6,774</u>	<u>8,919</u>	<u>35,000</u>	<u>889,194</u>
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable	\$ 23,673	-	3,181	30,361	315	-	-	57,530
Accrued liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Due to other funds	20,349	995	403	(403)	-	6,090	25,844	53,278
Total liabilities	<u>\$ 44,022</u>	<u>995</u>	<u>3,584</u>	<u>29,958</u>	<u>315</u>	<u>6,090</u>	<u>25,844</u>	<u>110,808</u>
Deferred inflows of resources:								
Unavailable property taxes	<u>\$ 289,741</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>289,741</u>
Fund balances:								
Restricted	\$ 372,108	-	-	495	6,459	2,829	9,156	391,047
Committed	97,598	-	-	-	-	-	-	97,598
Unassigned	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total fund balances	<u>\$ 469,706</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>495</u>	<u>6,459</u>	<u>2,829</u>	<u>9,156</u>	<u>488,645</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances	<u>\$ 803,469</u>	<u>995</u>	<u>3,584</u>	<u>30,453</u>	<u>6,774</u>	<u>8,919</u>	<u>35,000</u>	<u>889,194</u>

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**COMBINING BALANCE SHEET - CONTINUED:
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Special Revenue								Debt Fund	
	Subtotal from Prior Page	Regional Response Team Funds	MDOT - T- Enhancement Grant	Comprehensive Plan Fund	Hotel - Motel Tax Fund	Regional Recycling Grant Fund	USDA Facility Grant Fund	Cemetery Fund	City General Obligation Bond Fund	Total Debt and Special Revenue Funds
Assets:										
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 531,782	13,899	-	31,704	713,820	82	23	304,108	289,427	1,884,845
Taxes receivable	293,042	-	-	-	22,830	-	-	-	470,627	786,499
Other receivables	2,365	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,365
Due from other governments	62,005	67,394	37,515	-	-	4,682	-	-	-	171,596
Due from other funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total assets	\$ <u>889,194</u>	<u>81,293</u>	<u>37,515</u>	<u>31,704</u>	<u>736,650</u>	<u>4,764</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>304,108</u>	<u>760,054</u>	<u>2,845,305</u>
Liabilities:										
Accounts payable	\$ 57,530	519	15,548	10,043	-	4,764	-	-	-	88,404
Accrued liabilities	-	1,016	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,016
Due to other funds	53,278	70,977	21,967	-	3,077	-	-	-	-	149,299
Total liabilities	\$ <u>110,808</u>	<u>72,512</u>	<u>37,515</u>	<u>10,043</u>	<u>3,077</u>	<u>4,764</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>238,719</u>
Deferred inflows of resources:										
Unavailable property taxes	\$ <u>289,741</u>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<u>467,552</u>	<u>757,293</u>
Fund balances:										
Restricted	\$ 391,047	8,781	-	-	733,573	-	23	-	292,502	1,425,926
Committed	97,598	-	-	21,661	-	-	-	304,108	-	423,367
Unassigned	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total fund balances	\$ <u>488,645</u>	<u>8,781</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>21,661</u>	<u>733,573</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>304,108</u>	<u>292,502</u>	<u>1,849,293</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances	\$ <u>889,194</u>	<u>81,293</u>	<u>37,515</u>	<u>31,704</u>	<u>736,650</u>	<u>4,764</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>304,108</u>	<u>760,054</u>	<u>2,845,305</u>

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**COMBINING BALANCE SHEET - CONTINUED:
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Capital Project Funds											
	Total Debt and Special Revenue Funds	NCRS Watershed Protection Project	Delaware/ Pearl River Project Fund	Fire Station #1 Project	Fire Station #3 Project	GO Zone Downtown Fund	Delaware Ave/Anna Drive Light Fund	Hazard Mitigation Grant Fund	Parklane Drive Improvement Fund	Capital Improvement Fund	Total Capital Project Funds	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Assets:												
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,884,845	-	61,044	49,957	313,826	10,250	1,030,381	-	35,000	522,599	2,023,057	3,907,902
Taxes receivable	786,499	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	786,499
Other receivables	2,365	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,365
Due from other governments	171,596	-	73,789	-	-	-	-	294,354	-	-	368,143	539,739
Due from other funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total assets	\$ <u>2,845,305</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>134,833</u>	<u>49,957</u>	<u>313,826</u>	<u>10,250</u>	<u>1,030,381</u>	<u>294,354</u>	<u>35,000</u>	<u>522,599</u>	<u>2,391,200</u>	<u>5,236,505</u>
Liabilities:												
Accounts payable	\$ 88,404	-	124,860	-	135,248	-	246,028	158,768	6,395	-	671,299	759,703
Accrued liabilities	1,016	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,016
Due to other funds	149,299	-	-	-	-	-	-	114,501	-	-	114,501	263,800
Total liabilities	\$ <u>238,719</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>124,860</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>135,248</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>246,028</u>	<u>273,269</u>	<u>6,395</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>785,800</u>	<u>1,024,519</u>
Deferred inflows of resources:												
Unavailable property taxes	\$ <u>757,293</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>757,293</u>
Fund balances:												
Restricted	\$ 1,425,926	-	9,973	49,957	178,578	10,250	784,353	21,085	28,605	522,599	1,605,400	3,031,326
Committed	423,367	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	423,367
Unassigned	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total fund balances	\$ <u>1,849,293</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,973</u>	<u>49,957</u>	<u>178,578</u>	<u>10,250</u>	<u>784,353</u>	<u>21,085</u>	<u>28,605</u>	<u>522,599</u>	<u>1,605,400</u>	<u>3,454,693</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances	\$ <u>2,845,305</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>134,833</u>	<u>49,957</u>	<u>313,826</u>	<u>10,250</u>	<u>1,030,381</u>	<u>294,354</u>	<u>35,000</u>	<u>522,599</u>	<u>2,391,200</u>	<u>5,236,505</u>

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Special Revenue								
	Parks and Recreation Fund	Animal Shelter	Fire Protection	MESC Fund	Library Support	Police Forfeiture and Seizure Fund	Fire and Police D & R	Scenic Rivers Fund	Subtotal
REVENUES:									
General property taxes	\$ -	-	-	-	66,209	-	246,939	-	313,148
Intergovernmental revenue	-	-	69,593	-	-	-	-	-	69,593
Charges for services	128,421	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	128,421
Court fines and forfeitures	-	-	-	-	-	3,663	-	-	3,663
Interest income	-	-	11	112	-	33	-	-	156
Contributions	-	1,590	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,590
Other	403	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,382	28,785
Total revenues	128,824	1,590	69,604	112	66,209	3,696	246,939	28,382	545,356
EXPENDITURES:									
General government	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,382	28,382
Public safety	-	-	15,198	-	-	-	-	-	15,198
Public works	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	163,108	-	-	-	66,873	-	-	-	229,981
Disability and relief funding	-	-	-	-	-	-	246,939	-	246,939
Debt service:									
Principal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt issuance costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	163,108	-	15,198	-	66,873	-	246,939	28,382	520,500
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	(34,284)	1,590	54,406	112	(664)	3,696	-	-	24,856
Other financing sources (uses):									
Proceeds from notes payable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proceeds from general obligation bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	118,000	-	(82,251)	-	-	-	-	-	35,749
Transfers out	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	118,000	-	(82,251)	-	-	-	-	-	35,749
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures and other sources (uses)	83,716	1,590	(27,845)	112	(664)	3,696	-	-	60,605
Fund balances, beginning of year	13,882	3,967	283,810	35,847	6,953	9,756	54,886	-	409,101
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 97,598	5,557	255,965	35,959	6,289	13,452	54,886	-	469,706

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - CONTINUED:
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Special Revenue							Subtotal
	Subtotal from Prior Page	Certified Local Government Clearing Fund	Brownsfield Hazardous Grant	Brownsfield Petro Grant	City Donation Funds	Crime Stoppers and Public Safety Grants	Urban Youth Corp Grant	
REVENUES:								
General property taxes	\$ 313,148	-	-	-	-	-	-	313,148
Intergovernmental revenue	69,593	995	27,563	59,647	-	27,704	35,000	220,502
Charges for services	128,421	-	-	-	-	-	-	128,421
Court fines and forfeitures	3,663	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,663
Interest income	156	-	-	-	-	-	-	156
Contributions	1,590	-	-	-	5,218	-	-	6,808
Other	28,785	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,785
Total revenues	545,356	995	27,563	59,647	5,218	27,704	35,000	701,483
EXPENDITURES:								
General government	28,382	4,995	-	-	-	-	-	33,377
Public safety	15,198	-	-	-	315	27,704	42,026	85,243
Public works	-	-	27,563	59,647	-	-	-	87,210
Culture and recreation	229,981	-	-	-	-	-	-	229,981
Disability and relief funding	246,939	-	-	-	-	-	-	246,939
Debt service:								
Principal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt issuance costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	520,500	4,995	27,563	59,647	315	27,704	42,026	682,750
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	24,856	(4,000)	-	-	4,903	-	(7,026)	18,733
Other financing sources (uses):								
Proceeds from notes payable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proceeds from general obligation bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	35,749	4,000	-	-	-	-	7,026	46,775
Transfers out	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	35,749	4,000	-	-	-	-	7,026	46,775
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures and other sources (uses)	60,605	-	-	-	4,903	-	-	65,508
Fund balances, beginning of year	409,101	-	-	495	1,556	2,829	9,156	423,137
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 469,706	-	-	495	6,459	2,829	9,156	488,645

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CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - CONTINUED:
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015

	Special Revenue							Debt Fund		
	Subtotal from Prior Page	Regional Response Team Funds	MDOT - T - Enhancement Grant	Comprehensive Plan Fund	Hotel - Motel Tax Fund	Regional Recycling Grant Fund	USDA Facility Grant Fund	Cemetery Fund	City General Obligation Bond Fund	Total Debt and Special Revenue Funds
REVENUES:										
General property taxes	\$ 313,148	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	288,517	601,665
Intergovernmental revenue	220,502	289,379	465,370	13,390	302,475	82,398	-	-	-	1,373,514
Charges for services	128,421	-	-	-	-	-	-	88,626	-	217,047
Court fines and forfeitures	3,663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,663
Interest income	156	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	156
Contributions	6,808	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,808
Other	28,785	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,785
Total revenues	<u>701,483</u>	<u>289,379</u>	<u>465,370</u>	<u>13,390</u>	<u>302,475</u>	<u>82,398</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>88,626</u>	<u>288,517</u>	<u>2,231,638</u>
EXPENDITURES:										
General government	33,377	-	-	151,417	-	-	-	-	-	184,794
Public safety	85,243	289,379	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	374,622
Public works	87,210	-	-	-	-	89,898	-	46,945	-	224,053
Culture and recreation	229,981	-	465,370	-	24,385	-	-	-	-	719,736
Disability and relief funding	246,939	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	246,939
Debt service:										
Principal	-	-	-	-	98,927	-	-	-	205,000	303,927
Debt issuance costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	-	-	2,404	-	-	-	81,739	84,143
Total expenditures	<u>682,750</u>	<u>289,379</u>	<u>465,370</u>	<u>151,417</u>	<u>125,716</u>	<u>89,898</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>46,945</u>	<u>286,739</u>	<u>2,138,214</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	<u>18,733</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(138,027)</u>	<u>176,759</u>	<u>(7,500)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>41,681</u>	<u>1,778</u>	<u>93,424</u>
Other financing sources (uses):										
Proceeds from notes payable	-	-	-	-	600,000	-	-	-	-	600,000
Proceeds from general obligation bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	46,775	-	-	-	(118,000)	7,500	-	-	-	(63,725)
Transfers out	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>46,775</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>482,000</u>	<u>7,500</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>536,275</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures and other sources (uses)	<u>65,508</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(138,027)</u>	<u>658,759</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>41,681</u>	<u>1,778</u>	<u>629,699</u>
Fund balances, beginning of year	<u>423,137</u>	<u>8,781</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>159,688</u>	<u>74,814</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>262,427</u>	<u>290,724</u>	<u>1,219,594</u>
Fund balances, end of year	\$ <u>488,645</u>	<u>8,781</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>21,661</u>	<u>733,573</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>304,108</u>	<u>292,502</u>	<u>1,849,293</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - CONTINUED:
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

	Capital Project Funds											Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
	Total Debt and Special Revenue Funds	NCRS Watershed Protection Project	Delaware / Pearl River Project Fund	Fire Station #1 Project	Fire Station #3 Project	GO Zone Downtown Fund	Delaware Ave / Anna Drive Light Fund	Hazard Mitigation Grant Fund	Parklane Drive Improvement Fund	Capital Improvement Fund	Total Capital Project Funds	
REVENUES:												
General property taxes	\$ 601,665	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	601,665
Intergovernmental revenue	1,373,514	-	73,788	-	-	310,500	-	294,355	-	-	678,643	2,052,157
Charges for services	217,047	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	217,047
Court fines and forfeitures	3,663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,663
Interest income	156	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	156
Contributions	6,808	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,808
Other	28,785	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,785
Total revenues	2,231,638	-	73,788	-	-	310,500	-	294,355	-	-	678,643	2,910,281
EXPENDITURES:												
General government	184,794	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	184,794
Public safety	374,622	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	374,622
Public works	224,053	-	126,351	-	294,325	310,500	281,628	305,270	6,395	-	1,324,469	1,548,522
Culture and recreation	719,736	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	719,736
Disability and relief funding	246,939	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	246,939
Debt service:												
Principal	303,927	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	303,927
Debt issuance costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46,218	46,218	46,218
Interest	84,143	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	84,143
Total expenditures	2,138,214	-	126,351	-	294,325	310,500	281,628	305,270	6,395	46,218	1,370,687	3,508,901
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	93,424	-	(52,563)	-	(294,325)	-	(281,628)	(10,915)	(6,395)	(46,218)	(692,044)	(598,620)
Other financing sources (uses):												
Proceeds from notes payable	600,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	600,000
Proceeds from general obligation bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000
Transfers in	(63,725)	(28,014)	-	-	450,049	-	1,028,385	32,000	35,000	(1,431,183)	86,237	22,512
Transfers out	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	536,275	(28,014)	-	-	450,049	-	1,028,385	32,000	35,000	568,817	2,086,237	2,622,512
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures and other sources (uses)	629,699	(28,014)	(52,563)	-	155,724	-	746,757	21,085	28,605	522,599	1,394,193	2,023,892
Fund balances, beginning of year	1,219,594	28,014	62,536	49,957	22,854	10,250	37,596	-	-	-	211,207	1,430,801
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 1,849,293	-	9,973	49,957	178,578	10,250	784,353	21,085	28,605	522,599	1,605,400	3,454,693

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**SCHEDULE OF SURETY BONDS FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS
SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

<u>Bond Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Company</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Whitney Rawlings	Mayor	Western Surety	\$ 50,000
Tommy McKenzie	Selectman	Western Surety	50,000
Ted Tullos	Selectman	Western Surety	50,000
Michael Cameron	Selectman	Western Surety	50,000
Donovan R. Hill	Selectman	Western Surety	50,000
Tammy F. Witherspoon	Selectwoman	Western Surety	50,000
Ronnie Brock	Selectman	Western Surety	50,000
Joseph Parker	City Administrator	Ohio Casualty	50,000
Janice Dillon	Director of Finance / CFO	Western Surety	50,000
Bryan Scott McKenzie	Chief of Police	Ohio Casualty	50,000
Stephanie Forrest	Deputy Clerk	Western Surety	50,000
Sherry Spears	Deputy Clerk	Ohio Casualty	50,000
Schenika Nacole Garner	Deputy Clerk	Western Surety	50,000

SINGLE AUDIT SECTION

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title / Grant Name	Federal CFDA Number	Agency or Pass-Through Number	Federal Expenditures
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development:			
Pass-through programs from:			
Mississippi Development Authority Community Development Block Grants / State's Program and Non-Entitlement Grants in Hawaii	14.228	1129-12-243-PF-01	\$ 13,230
Katrina Go Zone	14.219	R-110-243-02-GZ	<u>310,500</u>
Total U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development			<u>323,730</u>
U.S. Department of Justice:			
Pass-through programs from:			
Mississippi Department of Transportation Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program	16.738	2014-DJ-BX-0407	<u>5,879</u>
Total U.S. Department of Justice			<u>5,879</u>
U.S. Department of Transportation:			
Pass-through programs from:			
Mississippi Department of Public Safety Alcohol Impaired Driving Countermeasures Incentive Grants	20.601	15-ST-300-1	2,860
Occupant Protection Incentive Grants	20.602	15-OP-300-1	18,965
Mississippi Department of Transportation Highway Planning and Construction:			
Pearl River Avenue - STP	20.205	STP-0310-00(017) LPA/106701-701000	73,789
City of McComb Train Museum Enhancement	20.205	STP-0310-00(016) 106591701-701000	<u>465,370</u>
Total U.S. Department of Transportation			<u>560,984</u>
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency:			
Pass-through programs from:			
Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Division Brownsfield Assessment and Cleanup Cooperative Agreements	66.818	95498812	87,209

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS - CONTINUED:
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title / Grant Name	Federal CFDA Number	Agency or Pass-Through Number	Federal Expenditures
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - continued:			
Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality Capitalization Grants for Clean Water State Revolving Funds	66.458	C280909-03	\$ 374,870
Total U.S. Environmental Protection Agency			<u>462,079</u>
U.S. Department of Homeland Security:			
Mississippi Department of Public Safety			
Homeland Security Cluster:			
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	13HS243T	37,946
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	S13HS243T	6,547
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	A13HS243T	30,288
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	M13HS243T	194,460
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	M14HS243T	1,638
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	S14HS243T	897
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	14HS243T	<u>17,602</u>
Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security			<u>289,378</u>
Urban Youth Corp Transportation Enhancement	20.XX	OG00000823	<u>35,000</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			<u>\$ 1,677,050</u>

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

NOTE A - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of Federal awards includes the Federal grant activity of the City of McComb, Mississippi under programs of the Federal government for the year ended September 30, 2015. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of State, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Because the schedule presents only a selected portion of the City of McComb, Mississippi, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of the City of McComb, Mississippi.

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

- (1) Expenditures presented on the schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in OMB Circular A-87, *Cost Principles for State, Local, and Indian Tribal Governments*, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.
- (2) Pass-through entity identifying numbers are presented where available.

NOTE C - CAPITALIZATION GRANTS FOR CLEAN WATER STATE REVOLVING FUNDS

The balance of the loan under this program at September 30, 2015 was \$1,771,873.

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

To the Mayor and Board of Selectmen
City of McComb, Mississippi

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of McComb, Mississippi, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City of McComb, Mississippi's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated May 31, 2016.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. However, as described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs, we identified a deficiency in internal control that we consider to be a material weakness.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the deficiency described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs to be a material weakness. [2015-1].

Compliance and Other Matters

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

City of McComb, Mississippi's Response to Findings

The City of McComb, Mississippi's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The City of McComb, Mississippi's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

Purpose of this Report

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

The Millon Group, PLLC

Natchez, Mississippi

May 31, 2016



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY OMB CIRCULAR A-133

To the Mayor and Board of Selectmen
City of McComb, Mississippi

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the City of McComb, Mississippi's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the City of McComb, Mississippi's major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2015. The City of McComb, Mississippi's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the City of McComb, Mississippi's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City of McComb, Mississippi's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

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

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the City of McComb, Mississippi, complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2015.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Management of the City of McComb, Mississippi, is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the City of McComb, Mississippi's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of McComb, Mississippi's internal control over compliance.

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

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

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of OMB Circular A-133. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

The Millon Group, PLLC

Natchez, Mississippi

May 31, 2016

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

None.

CITY OF McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2015**

(1) SUMMARY OF AUDIT RESULTS

1. The auditor’s report expresses an unqualified opinion on the financial statements of the City of McComb, Mississippi.
2. One significant deficiency relating to the audit of the financial statements is reported in the “Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*.” It is reported as a material weakness.
3. No instances of noncompliance material to the financial statements of the City of McComb, Mississippi, which would be required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, were disclosed during the audit.
4. No significant deficiencies in internal control over the major Federal award program is reported in the “Independent Auditor’s Report on Compliance with Requirements that could have a Direct and Material Effect on Each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133.”
5. The auditor’s report on compliance for the major Federal award program for the City of McComb, Mississippi expresses an unqualified opinion on the major Federal program.
6. There were no audit findings that are required to be reported in accordance with Section 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133.
7. The programs tested as major programs are as follows:

<u>Program</u>	<u>Federal CFDA Number</u>
Capitalization Grant for Clean Water State Revolving Funds	66.458
Highway Planning and Construction	20.205
Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Division Brownsfield Assessment and Cleanup Cooperative Agreements	66.818

8. The threshold for distinguishing Types A and B programs was \$300,000.
9. The City of McComb, Mississippi qualified as a low-risk auditee.

(2) FINDINGS - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AUDIT

2015-1 Controls over Cash Receipts

Criteria: Amounts collected, from any source, should be reconciled to supporting documentation and deposited daily.

Condition: Municipal court daily collections posted to the fines receivable do not agree to the daily deposits for multiple days during the year. In total, for the year ended September 30, 2015, the amount in question is in excess of \$83,000.

Cause: The municipal court clerk was not reporting the full amounts received every day for police court fines. The reports generated by the municipal court software were not used to support the daily deposit but, instead, a manual form was completed and turned in that agreed to the amount being remitted to City Hall for recording.

Effect: Police fine revenues are understated and the City does not have the use of the funds that were diverted over time.

Recommendation/Benefit: The City should consider making the use of the software-generated reports mandatory for supporting the day's deposit, with any discrepancies noted and reconciled.

Management Response: The City of McComb has engaged an outside firm to conduct a review of all their current internal control systems and determine areas where they could be strengthened. With respect to the current defalcation, an investigation was launched with the State Auditor's Office and measures are being taken to pursue any recovery of the missing funds.

(3) FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS - MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDIT

None.

**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE
WITH STATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS**

To the Mayor and Board of Selectmen
City of McComb, Mississippi

We have audited the basic financial statements of the City of McComb, Mississippi, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2015, and have issued our report dated May 31, 2016. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*.

As required by the state legal compliance audit program prescribed by the Office of the State Auditor, we have also performed procedures to test compliance with certain state laws and regulations. Our procedures were substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on the City of McComb, Mississippi's compliance with those requirements. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

The results of those procedures and our audit of the basic financial statements disclosed no material instances of noncompliance with state laws and regulations. We do, however, direct your attention to the internal control finding reported above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Mayor and Board of Selectmen, management, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

The Gillon Group, PLLC

Natchez, Mississippi

May 31, 2016