

**FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 5
OF CATAHOULA PARISH**

Financial Statements

December 31, 2024

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 5 OF CATAHOULA PARISH JONESVILLE, LOUISIANA



* Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish was created by the Catahoula Parish Police Jury, as authorized by Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4562. The Fire District is administered by a board of five commissioners who are appointed by the Catahoula Parish Police Jury. The District owns and operates two fire facilities and engages in activities designed to provide fire services to the Manifest and Aimwell communities.

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S COMPILATION REPORT

Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana

Management is responsible for the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities of the Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish (a component unit of the Catahoula Parish Police Jury, Louisiana), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2024, which collectively comprise the Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish's basic financial statements, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. We did not audit or review the financial statements nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any form of assurance on these financial statements.

Management has omitted management's discussion & analysis and budgetary comparison schedule that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing 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 and for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context.

Management has elected to omit substantially all of the disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. If the omitted disclosures were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish's financial position, results of operations, and cash flows. Accordingly, the financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

The supplementary information has been compiled from information that is the representation of management. We have not audited or reviewed the supplementary information and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on such supplementary information.

The Vercher Group

Jena, Louisiana
May 13, 2025

Basic Financial Statements

**Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana
Statement of Financial Position
December 31, 2024**

ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Cash	\$ 150,481
Ad Valorem Tax Receivable	26,022
Total Current Assets	<u>176,503</u>
Non-Current Assets	
Property, Plant, & Equipment, Net	113,148
Total Non-Current Assets	<u>113,148</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>289,651</u>
LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities	
Total Current Liabilities	<u>-0-</u>
Non-Current Liabilities	
Total Non-Current Liabilities	<u>-0-</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>-0-</u>
NET POSITION	
Net Investment in Capital Assets	113,148
Unrestricted	176,503
TOTAL NET POSITION	<u>\$ 289,651</u>

See independent accountant's compilation report.

**Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana
Statement of Activities
Year Ended December 31, 2024**

<u>FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS</u>	<u>EXPENSES</u>	<u>CHARGES FOR SERVICES</u>	<u>CAPITAL GRANTS</u>	<u>GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES</u>
Governmental Activities				
General Government	\$ (44,607)	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ (44,607)
Total	\$ <u>(44,607)</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	\$ <u>-0-</u>	<u>(44,607)</u>
GENERAL REVENUES				
				36,661
				<u>11,038</u>
				<u>47,699</u>
CHANGE IN NET POSITION				3,092
NET POSITION – BEGINNING				<u>286,559</u>
NET POSITION – ENDING				\$ <u><u>289,651</u></u>

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Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana
Balance Sheet
December 31, 2024

ASSETS

Cash	\$	150,481
Taxes Receivable		<u>26,022</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u><u>176,503</u></u>

LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE

Fund Balance, Unassigned		<u>176,503</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE	\$	<u><u>176,503</u></u>

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**Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana
Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet – Governmental Funds
to the Statement of Financial Position
Year Ended December 31, 2024**

Total fund balance – governmental funds	\$ 176,503
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Amounts reported for governmental activities in the
Statement of Net Position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the balance sheet – governmental funds.	113,148
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Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds.	-0-
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Total net position of governmental activities	\$ <u>289,651</u>
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Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, & Changes in Fund Balance
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

REVENUES	
Ad Valorem Tax	\$ 36,661
2% Fire Insurance Rebate	11,038
TOTAL REVENUES	<u>47,699</u>
EXPENDITURES	
Professional Fees	1,635
Insurance	14,235
Fuel	155
Capital Outlay	9,800
Utilities	3,148
Dues & Subscriptions	165
Office Expense	685
Repairs & Maintenance	2,970
Miscellaneous	315
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>33,108</u>
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	14,591
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING	<u>161,912</u>
FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$ 176,503</u>

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**Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana
Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, & Changes in Fund Balances
of Government Funds to the Statement of Activities
Year Ended December 31, 2024**

Net change in fund balance – total governmental funds	\$ 14,591
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Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period.

Capital Outlay	9,800
Depreciation	(21,299)

The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net assets.

Principal Paid	-0-
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Change in net position of governmental activities	\$ <u>3,092</u>
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Supplementary Information

**Fire Protection District No. 5 of Catahoula Parish
Jonesville, Louisiana**

**Schedule of Compensation Benefits and Other Payments
to Agency Head or Chief Executive Officer
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024**

Fire Protection District No. 5
Ronald Renfrow, President

<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Salary	\$ -0-
Benefits-Insurance	-0-
Benefits-Retirement	-0-
Benefits (List any other here)	-0-
Car Allowance	-0-
Vehicle Provided by Government	-0-
Per Diem	-0-
Reimbursements	-0-
Travel	-0-
Registration Fees	-0-
Conference Travel	-0-
Continuing Professional Education Fees	-0-
Housing	-0-
Un-vouchered Expenses*	-0-
Special Meals	\$ -0-

*An example of an un-vouchered expense would be a travel advance.

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Other Reports

**FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 5 OF CATAHOULA PARISH
JONESVILLE, LOUISIANA**

MANAGEMENT LETTER COMMENTS

During the course of our review, we observed conditions and circumstances that may be improved. Below are findings noted for improvement, our recommendation for improvement and the Fire District's plan for corrective action.

CURRENT YEAR MANAGEMENT LETTER COMMENTS

No findings to report.