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**HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRIDAY, LOUISIANA**

**REPORT ON EXAMINATION OF  
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA**

**TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1988**

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HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRIDAY

SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS AND  
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

Summary of Auditor's Results

- A. We issued an unqualified opinion on the Housing Authority of Ferriday, Louisiana for the audit of its financial statements for the year ended March 31, 1998.
- B. No reportable conditions in internal control were disclosed by our audit of the financial statements.
- C. The audit did not disclose any noncompliance which is material to the financial statements.
- D. No reportable conditions in internal control were disclosed by our audit over major programs.
- E. We issued an unqualified opinion on compliance for major programs.
- F. Our audit disclosed no audit findings that we are required to report under 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133. Our audit procedures also included those of HUD Notice PIH 96-53.
- G. Major programs are as follows, and see Schedule of Federal Expenditures for CFDA numbers and amounts:
  - 1. Low Income Housing
  - 2. CIAP
- H. The dollar threshold to distinguish Type A and Type B programs is \$ 300,000.
- I. The Housing Authority of Ferriday, Louisiana qualified for the year ended March 31, 1998 as a low-risk auditee.

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs

- J. There are no findings in these financial statements that are required to be reported in accordance with GASB.
- K. There are no audit findings or questioned costs for Federal awards which shall include audit findings as described in 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133. Our audit procedures also included those of HUD Notice PIH 96-53.

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## Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Commissioners  
Housing Authority of the  
Town of Ferriday  
Ferriday, Louisiana

Regional Inspector General for Audit  
Office of Inspector General  
Department of Housing and Urban  
Development

We have audited the accompanying general-purpose financial statements and the combining and individual fund and account group financial statements of the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana at and for the year ended March 31, 1998, as listed in the table of contents. These general-purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general-purpose financial statements based on our audit.

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

As described in Note A, the authority's policy is to prepare its financial statements on the basis of accounting practices proscribed or permitted by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. This report is intended solely for filing with the Department of Housing and Urban Development and is not intended for any other purpose.

In our opinion, the general-purpose financial statements and the combining and individual fund and account group financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana as of March 31, 1998 and the results of its operations and changes in its surplus for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting disclosed in Note A.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated September 13, 1998 on our consideration of Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general-purpose financial statement of the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, taken as a whole. 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, *Audit of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, and is not a required part of the general-purpose financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general-purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the general-purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

*Ester and Associates*

Fort Worth, Texas  
September 13, 1998

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDA  
 COMBINED BALANCE SHEET  
 ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS  
 MARCH 31, 1998

	Governmental Fund Types				Fiduciary Fund Types		Account Groups			Total Representative Cdn)
	General	Special Revenues	Cdn. Service	Capital Projects	Trust and Agency	General Fund	Account Groups			
							General Fund Assets	General Long Term Debt		
<b>ASSETS</b>										
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 20,178.26	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1,165.00	\$			\$	\$ 21,343.26
Investments	50,000.00									50,000.00
Receivables, net of allowances:										
Accounts	371.25									371.25
Other	17,312.87									17,312.87
Due from:										
Other funds	20,202.43									20,202.43
Special expenditures	2627.84									2,627.84
Property, plant and equipment						2,084,315.77				2,084,315.77
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 114,528.05</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 1,165.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,084,315.77</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$ 2,199,008.82</b>

The Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

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COMBINED BALANCE SHEET  
ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS (Continued)  
MARCH 31, 1998

	Governmental Fund Types				Specialty Fund Types		Total Interfund Debt
	General	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Traffic and Signage	General Long-Term Debt	
<b>LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY</b>							
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	\$ 2,564.05	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 2,564.05
Accounts payable	2,564.05						2,564.05
Accrued liabilities							
Due to:							
Specials					7,180.00		7,180.00
Other funds							20,300.00
Deferred revenue	438.00						438.00
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<u>31,130.10</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>30,300.00</u>	<u>7,180.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>69,690.10</u>
<b>FUND EQUITY</b>							
Investment in general fund assets							2,094,315.17
Fund balances:							
Reserved for capital projects				60,300.00			60,300.00
Reserved for debt service							0.00
Unassigned	87,400.00						87,400.00
Unassigned							
<b>Total Fund Equity</b>	<u>87,400.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>60,300.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1,081,015.17</u>
<b>Total Liabilities and Fund Equity</b>	<u>\$ 114,630.10</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 0.00</u>	<u>\$ 7,180.00</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 1,081,015.17</u>

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**HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRIDAY**

**COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES  
ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES  
YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 1998**

	Governmental Fund Types				Total (Memorandum Only)
	General	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects	
<b>REVENUES</b>					
Rentals	\$ 95,321.08	\$	\$	\$	\$ 95,321.08
Intergovernmental	54,255.08			577,308.08	431,555.08
Other	3,268.02				3,268.02
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<u>152,844.18</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>577,308.08</u>	<u>531,205.02</u>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
Administration	55,424.87				55,424.87
Utilities	10,128.89				10,128.89
Ordinary maintenance	25,188.83				25,188.83
Tenant services	8,025.37				8,025.37
General expenditures	41,794.21				41,794.21
Capital expenditures				381,532.15	381,532.15
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<u>141,531.34</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>381,532.15</u>	<u>563,093.29</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	12,483.73	0.00	0.00	15,775.93	28,231.63
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES(USES)</b>					
Operating transfers in					0.00
Operating transfers out					0.00
<b>Total other financing sources(uses)</b>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
<b>FUND BALANCE, beginning of year</b>	<u>74,907.00</u>			<u>(38,017.68)</u>	<u>36,889.32</u>
<b>FUND BALANCE, end of year</b>	<u>\$ 87,400.73</u>	<u>\$ 0.00</u>	<u>\$ 0.00</u>	<u>\$ (22,241.75)</u>	<u>\$ 65,159.00</u>

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## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRIS

## COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

## BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

## GENERAL FUND AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 1998

	General Fund		Special Revenue Funds		Over Under Budget
	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	
<b>REVENUES</b>					
Rents	\$ 70,000.00	\$ 66,370.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$	\$ 0.00
Intergovernmental	84,000.00	84,000.00			0.00
Interest	100.00		(100.00)		0.00
Other income	12,500.00	3,300.00	(10,000.00)		0.00
Total Revenues	166,600.00	153,670.00	14,900.00	0.00	0.00
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
Administration	50,000.00	50,000.00	2,000.00		0.00
Utilities	7,100.00	10,000.00	2,000.00		0.00
Ordinary maintenance	68,000.00	25,140.00	(73,750.00)		0.00
Travel - actual		8,000.00	8,000.00		0.00
General expenditures	57,000.00	41,794.21	3,000.00		0.00
Extraordinary maintenance	1,500.00		(1,000.00)		0.00
Total Expenditures	183,600.00	145,934.21	1,000.00	0.00	0.00
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	\$ 2,040.00	\$ 12,400.79	\$ 10,000.79	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Transfer of net income to unencumbered cash					
<b>FUND BALANCES, beginning of year</b>		74,897.00			
<b>FUND BALANCES, end of year</b>		\$ 87,400.00		\$ 0.00	

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HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
MARCH 31, 1998

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Housing Authority of Ferriday, Louisiana (the Authority), a public corporate body, was organized for the purpose of providing decent, safe, and sanitary dwelling accommodations for persons of low income.

The Authority is engaged in the acquisition, modernization, and administration of low-rent housing. In addition, the Authority has administrative responsibility for various other community development programs whose primary purpose is the development of viable urban communities by providing decent housing, a suitable living environment, and economic opportunities primarily for persons of low and moderate income.

The Authority is administered by a governing Board of Commissioners (the Board), whose members are appointed by the Mayor of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana. Each member serves a five-year term on a rotating basis. Substantially all of the Authority's revenue is derived from subsidy contracts with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The Annual Contribution Contracts entered into by the Authority and HUD provide operating subsidies for Authority-owned public housing facilities, housing assistance payments for eligible individuals, and receipt of annual debt service requirements for HUD-related long-term debt.

(1) **Financial Reporting Entity**

Generally accepted accounting principles require that the financial statements present the accounts and operations of the Authority and its component units, entities for which the Authority is considered to be financially accountable. Blended component units, although legally separate entities, are, in substance, part of the Authority's operations and data from those units, if any, are combined with data of the Authority. Each discretely presented component unit, if any, would be reported in a separate column in the combined financial statements to emphasize that it is legally separate from the Authority. As of March 31, 1998, and for the fiscal year then ended, the Authority had no discretely presented component units or any component units required to be blended in these financial statements.

(2) **Fund Accounting**

The accounts of the Authority are organized on the basis of funds and account groups, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures, or expenses, as appropriate. The various funds are grouped by type and listed categorically in the financial statements as follows:

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(Continued)  
MARCH 31, 1998

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(C) Fund Accounting (continued)

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

Governmental Funds are those through which most governmental functions of the Authority are financed. The measurement focus is on determination of financial position and changes in financial position rather than on net income determination. The following are the Authority's governmental fund types:

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Authority. The General Fund is used to account for all revenues and expenditures applicable to the general operations of the Authority which are not properly accounted for in another fund. All general operating revenues which are not restricted or designated as to their use by outside sources are recorded in the General Fund.

Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than major capital projects) requiring separate accounting because of legal or regulatory provisions or administrative action.

Debt Service Fund - The Debt Service Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for the payment of interest, principal, and related costs of general long-term debt.

Capital Projects Funds - Capital Projects Funds are used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of major capital facilities.

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Fiduciary Funds are used to account for assets held by the Authority as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governmental units, and/or other funds. The following is the Authority's fiduciary fund type:

Agency Funds - Agency Funds include Tenant Security Deposit Fund. Agency Funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of result of operations.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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MARCH 31, 1988

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

**ACCOUNT GROUPS**

Account groups are used to establish accounting control and accountability for the Authority's general fixed assets and general long-term debt for governmental fund types. These are not "funds." They are considered only with the measurement of financial position and not with results of operations. The following are the Authority's account groups:

General Fixed Assets Account Group - This account group is established to account for all fixed assets of the Authority.

General Long-Term Debt Account Group - This account group is established to account for all long-term debt of the Authority.

(4) **Basis of Accounting**

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied. All Governmental and Agency Funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Their revenues are recognized when they become measurable and available as net current assets. Revenues are considered "measurable" when received in cash, except for certain revenues which are accrued when they are both measurable and available or have not been received at the normal time of receipt. Certain grant revenues are accrued when funds are expended. Revenues susceptible to accrual are federal grants, interest on investments, and other miscellaneous revenues which are both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred.

Agency Funds are custodial in nature and do not measure results of operations. They are clearing accounts whose assets at all times are equally offset by related liabilities.

(5) **Budgetary Data**

The Authority is required by its HUD Annual Contributions Contracts to adopt annual budgets for the Low-Rent Housing Program, included in the General Fund, and all Assisted Housing (Section 8) Programs, included in Special Revenue Funds. Annual budgets are not required for Capital Projects Funds as their budgets are approved for the length of the project. Both annual and project length budgets require grantor approval.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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MARCH 31, 1988

NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

The Authority is under a limited budget review from HUD with the control category of total operating expenditures. If there are no changes of the total operating expenditures, then HUD does not require budget revisions other than when there are substantial additions to nonroutine expenditures, such as reinstatement of prior-year circumstances. The Board and HUD must approve fund appropriation increases. Any unused appropriations lapse at year-end. Budgeted amounts are as originally adopted or as amended by the Board and HUD.

The original budget has been amended throughout the year to reflect changes in revenue and expenditure estimates.

The budget is prepared on a statutory (HUD) basis and does not contain a provision for uncollectible tenant receivables. The difference is not considered materially different from generally accepted accounting principles.

(6) Cash and Cash Equivalents

The entity defines cash and cash equivalents to include certificates of deposit, money market funds, savings accounts, and demand deposits.

(7) Tenant Receivables

Receivables for rentals and service charges are reported in the General Fund, net of allowances for doubtful accounts amounting to \$ -0- at March 31, 1988.

(8) Interfund Transactions

During the course of normal operations, the Authority has numerous transactions between funds to provide services, construct assets, and service debt. These transactions are generally reflected as operating transfers except for transactions reimbursing a fund for expenditures made by it for the benefit of another fund. Such transactions are recorded as expenditures in the disbursing fund and as a reduction of expenditures in the receiving fund.

(9) General Fixed Assets

General Fixed Assets have been acquired for general governmental purposes. Assets purchased are recorded as expenditures in the Governmental Funds and capitalized at cost in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. Contributed fixed assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the time received. Depreciation is not recorded on general fixed assets. Public domain general fixed assets (infrastructure) consisting of certain improvements other than buildings, including roads, curbs and gutters, streets and sidewalks, drainage systems, and lighting systems, are capitalized along with other general fixed assets.

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## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISWAY

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(Continued)  
MARCH 31, 1998

## NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Costs of completed Modernization projects are reported as construction-in-progress until audited cost certification reports are submitted to HUD, at which time such costs are transferred to the appropriate property categories.

(10) General Long-Term Debt

All long-term indebtedness of the Authority is accounted for in the General Long-Term Debt Account Group and is intended to be paid through the Debt Service Fund.

(11) Compensated Absences

Authority employees accrue personal leave, or compensated absences, by a prescribed formula based on length of service. The cost of this has not been accrued due to immateriality.

(12) Total Columns on Combined Statements

Total columns on the combined statements are captioned "Memorandum Only" to indicate that they are presented only to facilitate financial analysis. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or changes in financial position in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, nor is such data comparable to a consolidation. Interfund eliminations have not been made in the aggregation of this data.

## NOTE B - CASH DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

It is the entity's policy for deposits to be secured by collateral valued at market or par, whichever is lower, less the amount of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insurance. The entity's deposits are categorized to give an indication of the level of risk assumed by the entity at March 31, 1998. The categories are described as follows:

- Category 1 - Insured or collateralized with securities held by the entity or by its agent in the entity's name.  
 Category 2 - Collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the entity's name.  
 Category 3 - Uncollateralized.

Cash Deposits, categorized by level of risk, are:

Total Bank Balances	Category		
	1	2	3
\$ 77,878.28	\$ 77,878.28	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

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## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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MARCH 31, 1998

## NOTE C - ACTIVITIES OF THE PHA

At March 31, 1998, the PHA was managing 68 units of low-rent in reprojects under Program FW - 2145.

## NOTE D - CONTINGENCIES

The entity is subject to possible examinations by federal regulators who determine compliance with terms, conditions, laws and regulations governing grants given to the entity in the current and prior years. These examinations may result in required refund by the entity to federal grants and/or program beneficiaries.

## NOTE E - PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Changes in the general fixed assets account group are as follows:

	<u>Beg. of Period</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>End of Period</u>
Land, land improv.	\$	\$	\$	\$ 0.00
Buildings	2,908,120.00	492,500.00		3,400,620.00
Equipment	28,187.47			28,187.47
Contr. in progress				0.00
Total	<u>\$ 3,036,307.47</u>	<u>\$ 492,500.00</u>	<u>\$ 0.00</u>	<u>\$ 3,528,807.47</u>

All land and building are encumbered by a Declaration of Trust in favor of the United States of America as security for obligations guaranteed by the government and to protect other interests of the government.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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MARCH 31, 1998

NOTE F - DISCLOSURES ABOUT FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair value of each class of financial instruments for which it is practicable to estimate that value:

Cash and Investments

The carrying amount approximates fair value because of the short maturity of these instruments.

Long Term Debt

It is not possible to estimate the fair value of long term debt owed to the federal government by this governmental entity, a housing authority. The housing authority is unable, by law, to secure long term financing from any other source. FASB 157 describes fair value of a financial instrument as the amount at which the instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties.

NOTE G - ACCOUNTING FOR THE IMPAIRMENT OF LONG - LIVED ASSETS

The full amount of the carrying value of buildings and land improvements are deemed recoverable from future cash flows.

NOTE H - USE OF ESTIMATES IN THE PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The preparation of these financial statements requires the use of estimates by management. No significant estimates have been made by management that require disclosure.

The Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

CAPITAL PROJECT FUND TYPES  
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET  
MARCH 31, 1988

CRP Housing Programs

	CRP 1987	Total
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Total Assets	\$ 0.00	0.00
<b>LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY</b>		
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Due to		
Other Funds	20,000.00	20,000.00
Total Liabilities	20,000.00	20,000.00
<b>FUND EQUITY</b>		
Reserved for capital projects	(20,000.00)	(20,000.00)
Total fund equity	(20,000.00)	(20,000.00)
Total liabilities and fund equity	\$ 0.00	0.00

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDA

CAPITAL PROJECT FUND TYPES  
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES  
 MARCH 31, 1938

	CAP Issuing Programs			Total
	CAP 1937	CAP 1938	CAP 1937	
REVENUES				
Intergovernmental	\$ 175,000.00	1,000.00	\$ 185,000.00	\$ 217,200.00
Total Revenues	175,000.00	1,000.00	185,000.00	217,200.00
CONTRIBUTIONS				
Capital expenditures	200,000.12	1,000.00	201,000.00	202,000.12
Total Expenditures	200,000.12	1,000.00	201,000.00	202,000.12
Excess (shortage) of revenues over (under) expenditures	20,000.00	0.00	20,000.00	15,200.00
FUND BALANCE, beginning of year	(20,000.00)	—	—	(20,000.00)
FUND BALANCE, end of year	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,200.00

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## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

FIDUCIARY FUNDS  
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET  
 MARCH 31, 1998

	<u>Agency Funds</u>	
	<u>Tenant Security Deposit Funds</u>	<u>Total Fiduciary Funds</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 7,150.00	\$ 7,150.00
Deferred compensation benefit funds		0.00
<b>Total Assets</b>	<u>\$ 7,150.00</u>	<u>\$ 7,150.00</u>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Due to tenants	\$ 7,150.00	\$ 7,150.00
Funds held in trust		0.00
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<u>\$ 7,150.00</u>	<u>\$ 7,150.00</u>

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HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY  
 FIDUCIARY FUNDS  
 SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN DEPOSITS DUE TO OTHERS  
 MARCH 31, 1998

	<u>Agency Funds</u>	
	<u>Tenant Security Deposit Funds</u>	<u>Total Fiduciary Funds</u>
DEPOSIT BALANCES AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 6,160.00	\$ 6,160.00
ADDITIONS:		
Receipts from tenants	590.00	590.00
_____		0.00
_____		0.00
_____		0.00
Total Additions	<u>590.00</u>	<u>590.00</u>
REDUCTIONS:		
_____		0.00
_____		0.00
_____		0.00
_____		0.00
Total Reductions	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
DEPOSIT BALANCES AT END OF YEAR	\$ <u>7,150.00</u>	\$ <u>7,150.00</u>

The Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

BALANCE SHEET -- STATUTORY BASIS  
MARCH 31, 1999ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
FER - 2145ASSETS

Cash - Exhibit F	\$	27,876.28
Accounts receivable - tenants		371.25
Accounts receivable - other		17,512.87
Investments - Note B		50,000.00
Deferred charges		2,627.64
Land, structures and equipment		<u>3,560,915.80</u>
Total Assets	\$	<u>3,659,303.82</u>

LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

Accounts payable	\$	9,494.05
Accrued liabilities		24,248.20
Deferred credits		<u>445.00</u>
Total Liabilities		34,187.25
Surplus - Exhibit C		<u>3,625,116.57</u>
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$	<u>3,659,303.82</u>

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDALE  
 STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES – STATUTORY BASIS  
 ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
FW – 2145

		<u>Year Ended</u>
		<u>03-31-09</u>
Operating Income		
Dwelling rental	\$	96,321.00
Other income		3,342.00
		<u>99,663.00</u>
Total Operating Income - Exhibit D		<u>99,663.00</u>
Operating Expenses		
Administration		56,424.67
Tenant Expense		6,928.57
Utilities		10,138.66
Ordinary maintenance and operation		26,148.69
General expense		41,794.71
		<u>141,635.24</u>
Total Operating Expense - Exhibit D		<u>141,635.24</u>
Net Operating Income (Loss)		<u>(41,972.24)</u>
Other Credits		
Prior year adjustments - affecting residual receipts		4,639.97
		<u>4,639.97</u>
Total Other Credits		<u>4,639.97</u>
Other Charges		
Prior year adjustments - not affecting residual receipts		6,592.67
		<u>6,592.67</u>
Total Other Charges		<u>6,592.67</u>
Net Loss - Exhibit C	\$	<u>(41,921.22)</u>

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

ANALYSIS OF SURPLUS — STATUTORY BASIS  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1998ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
FW — 2145Unreserved Surplus

Balance per prior audit at 03-31-97	\$	(1,343,598.84)
Net loss for the year ended 03-31-98 - Exhibit B		(61,821.22)
(Provision for) reduction of Operating Reserve for year ended 03-31-98 - Exhibit D		(12,433.78)
Balance at 03-31-98		<u>(1,297,853.84)</u>

Reserved Surplus - Operating Reserve

Balance per prior audit at 03-31-97		81,209.89
Provision for (reduction of) Operating Reserve for the year ended 03-31-98 - Exhibit D		12,433.78
Balance at 03-31-98 - Exhibit F	\$	<u>93,643.67</u>

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

ANALYSIS OF SURPLUS — STATUTORY BASIS  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 1998ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
FW — 2145

<u>Cumulative HUD Contributions</u>	
Balance per prior audit at 03-31-97	\$ 3,991,041.99
Annual contribution for year ended 03-31-98 - Exhibit D	0.00
Operating subsidy for year ended 03-31-98	<u>54,255.00</u>
Balance at 03-31-98	<u>3,995,296.99</u>
<u>Cumulative HUD Grants</u>	
Balance per prior audit at 03-31-97	458,290.00
Advances for year ended 03-31-98	<u>377,300.00</u>
Balance at 03-31-98	<u>1,035,590.00</u>
<u>Cumulative Donations</u>	
Balance per prior audit at 03-31-97	<u>250.00</u>
Balance at 03-31-98	<u>250.00</u>
Total Surplus - Exhibit A	\$ <u>3,625,016.97</u>

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

## COMPUTATION OF RESIDUAL RECEIPTS AND ACCRUING ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS

ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
FW - 2145

	<u>Year Ended</u>
	<u>03-31-08</u>
<b>Computation of Residual Receipts</b>	
<b>Operating Receipts</b>	
Operating Income - Exhibit B	\$ 99,883.02
HUD operating subsidy	64,256.00
Prior year adjustments - affecting residual receipts	<u>47.00</u>
<b>Total Operating Receipts</b>	<u>164,186.02</u>
<b>Operating Expenditures</b>	
Operating expenses - Exhibit B	<u>141,521.24</u>
<b>Total Operating Expenditures</b>	<u>141,521.24</u>
Residual receipts (deficit) per audit before provision for reserve	12,433.78
Audit adjustments (backed out)	<u>                    </u>
Residual receipts per PHA before provision for reserve	12,433.78
(Provision for) or reduction of operating reserve - Exhibit C	<u>(12,433.78)</u>
<b>Residual receipts per PHA</b>	<b>\$ <u>0.00</u></b>

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF PEPPERDAY

## COMPUTATION OF RESIDUAL RECEIPTS AND ACCRUING ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS

ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
FW - 2148

	<u>Year Ended</u>
	<u>03-31-98</u>
<u>Computation of Accruing Annual Contributions</u>	
Flood annual contribution	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Total Annual Contribution - Exhibit C	\$ <u>0.00</u>

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY  
 STATEMENT AND CERTIFICATION OF ACTUAL MODERNIZATION COST  
 ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
FW-2185

- | 1. The Actual Modernization Costs of are as follows: | LA 48P - 598      |
|--|-------------------|
| Funds Approved                                       | \$ 375,000.00     |
| Funds Expended                                       | <u>375,000.00</u> |
| Excess of Funds Approved                             | \$ <u>0.00</u>    |
| Funds Advanced                                       | \$ 375,000.00     |
| Funds Expended                                       | <u>375,000.00</u> |
| Excess of Funds Advanced                             | \$ <u>0.00</u>    |
2. The distribution of costs by project as shown on the Final Statement of Modernization Cost dated October 14, 1987 accompanying the Actual Modernization Cost Certificate submitted to HUD for approval is in agreement with the PHA's records.
3. All modernization costs have been paid and all related liabilities have been discharged through payment.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRIDAY  
 STATEMENT OF MODERNIZATION COSTS — UNCOMPLETED  
 MARCH 31, 1993

		Project LA 48P - 495	
Funds Approved	\$	1,500.00	
Funds Expended		1,500.00	
Excess of Funds Approved	\$	0.00	
Funds Advanced	\$	1,500.00	
Funds Expended		1,500.00	
Excess of Funds Advanced	\$	0.00	

2. The distribution of costs by project as shown on the Final Statement of Modernization Cost dated August 28, 1997 accompanying the Actual Modernization Cost Certificate submitted to HUD for approval is in agreement with the PHA's records.
3. All modernization costs have been paid and all related liabilities have been discharged through payment.

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

STATEMENT OF MODERNIZATION COSTS — UNCOMPLETED  
MARCH 31, 1968

		Project LA 48P - 687
Funds Approved	\$	<u>254,854.00</u>
Funds Expended		<u>220,100.00</u>
Excess of Funds Approved	\$	<u>34,753.97</u>
Funds Advanced	\$	196,800.00
Funds Expended		<u>220,100.00</u>
Excess of Funds Advanced	\$	<u>(23,300.00)</u>

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRIDAY  
 ANALYSIS OF GENERAL FUND CASH BALANCE  
 ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION CONTRACT  
PW – 2145

<i>Composition Before Adjustments</i>	
Net operating receipts retained:	
Operating reserves - Exhibit C	\$ 63,743.67
Audit adjustments to net operating receipts "booked out"	(6,569.87)
Deferred credits	445.00
Excess modernization funds - Exhibit E	(23,200.00)
Cumulative donation	250.00
	<u>64,548.77</u>
 Adjustments	
Expenses/costs not paid:	
Accounts payable	9,494.05
Accrued payments in lieu of taxes	24,348.20
 Income not received:	
Accounts receivable	<u>(17,884.12)</u>
General Fund Cash Available	80,508.90
 General Fund Cash:	
Invested	(50,000.00)
Applied to deferred charges (prepaid insurance, inventories, etc.)	<u>(2,627.64)</u>
General Fund Cash - Exhibit A	<u>\$ 27,879.26</u>

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY

## SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 1988

<u>FEDERAL GRANTOR</u> <u>PROGRAM TITLE</u>	<u>CFDA</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>GRANT</u> <u>ID NO.</u>	<u>AWARD</u> <u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>PROGRAM</u> <u>EXPENDITURES</u>	
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development					
Direct Programs:					
Low-Income Housing					
Annual Contribution	14.850	PW- 2145	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	17
Operating Subsidy	14.850	PW- 2145	54,255.00	54,255.00	
Major Program Total U/			54,255.00	54,255.00	
Comprehensive					
Improvement					
Assistance Program					
Project 1986	14.052	FW- 2145	179,000.00	109,502.12	
Project 1986	14.052	FW- 2145	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Project 1987	14.052	FW- 2145	196,800.00	320,100.00	
Major Program Total			377,300.00	391,502.12	
Total HUD			\$ 431,555.00	\$ 415,757.12	

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**Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable to Each  
Major Program and Internal Control Over Compliance in  
Accordance with OMB Circular A-133**

Housing Authority of the  
Town of Ferriday  
Ferriday, Louisiana

**Compliance**

We have audited the compliance of the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana with the types of compliance requirements described in the *U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* and HUD Notice PH 98-53 that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended March 31, 1998. The Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Governments' Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audit of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations* and HUD Notice PH 98-53. 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 Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana'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. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended March 31, 1998.

## Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of The Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended for the information of the audit committee, management and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

*Estes and Associates*

Fort Worth, Texas  
September 13, 1998

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**Report on Compliance and on Internal Control Over Financial  
Reporting Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in  
Accordance with Government Auditing Standards**

Housing Authority of the  
Town of Ferriday  
Ferriday, Louisiana

We have audited the financial statements of the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana as of and for the year ended March 31, 1998, and have issued our report thereon dated September 13, 1998. We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and provisions of the Louisiana Governmental Audit Guide.

**Compliance**

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

**Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, Louisiana's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing

their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

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*Estes and Associates*

Fort Worth, Texas  
September 13, 1999

## HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISWAY

## SCHEDULE OF ADJUSTING JOURNAL ENTRIES

MARCH 31, 1988

	ACCT. # FOR AUDIT REPORT PURPOSES	DR	CR	ACCT. # FOR POSTING TO FHA BOOKS
-1-	Prior year adjustments - affecting residual receipts	6010	6,892.97	6010
	Prior year adjustments - not affecting residual receipts	6020	8,892.97	6020
	To post prior audit adjustments # 6 & # 7			
-2-	1087 CMAP	1400	45,294.75	1400
	1088 CMAP	1400	45,294.75	1400
	To reclassify CMAP costs			

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF FERRISDAY  
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS  
MARCH 31, 1998

Prior Audit Finding and Questioned Costs

There were no prior audit findings

Current Audit Findings

None