Webster Parish Office of Community Services A Component Unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury Minden, Louisiana

Basic Financial Statements And Independent Auditor's Report As of and for the Year Ended December 31, 2022

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### **Independent Auditor's Report**

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### **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

### **Opinions**

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Webster Parish Office of Community Services, a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Office of Community Services' basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying 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 Office of Community Services, as of December 31, 2022, 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.

### **Basis for Opinions**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Governmental Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States *Government Auditing Standards*. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Office of Community Services and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

### **Change in Accounting Principle**

As described in Note 14 to the financial statements, the Office of Community Services adopted new accounting guidance, GASB Statement No. 87-*Leases*. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for 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.

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In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Office of Community Services' ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgement made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we

- exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Office of Community Services' internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- conclude whether, in our judgement, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Office of Community Services' ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

### **Required Supplementary Information**

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis, Budgetary Comparison Schedules, and notes to the required supplementary information, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, 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 GAAS, 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.

### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements of the Office of Community Services, a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury. The accompanying supplementary information, as listed in the table of contents, including the Financial Data Schedule as required by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development and Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit requirements for Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The 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 GAAS. In our opinion, the accompanying supplementary information, as listed in the table of contents, including the Financial Data Schedule as required by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, and Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit requirements for Federal Awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 30, 2023 on our consideration of the Office of Community Services' 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 solely 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 the effectiveness of the Office of Community Services' 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 Office of Community Services' internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Allen, Green & Williamson, LLP

ALLEN, GREEN & WILLIAMSON, LLP

Monroe, Louisiana June 30, 2023



# **REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

Management's Discussion And Analysis (MD&A)

Our discussion and analysis of Webster Parish Office of Community Services' financial performance provides an overview of the Office of Community Services' financial activities for the year ended December 31, 2022.

**FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS** Our financial statements provide these insights into the results of this year's operations for the governmental activities:

- The assets of the Office of Community Services governmental activities exceeded its liabilities at the close of 2022 by \$2,137,603. Of this amount, \$7,790 may be used to meet the ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors in accordance with the Office of Community Services' fund designation and fiscal policies.
- The Office of Community Services' net position of the governmental activities increased by \$241,567 as a result of this year's operations.
- The Office of Community Services' total general and program revenues for governmental activities were \$5,086,599 in 2022 which is an increase of \$12,620 over 2021.
- During the year ended December 31, 2022, the Office of Community Services had total expenses of \$4,845,032, which includes depreciation expense. Expenses for 2021 totaled \$4,587,005. Expenses increased in 2022 by \$258,027.

**USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT** The Office of Community Services' annual report consist of a series of financial statements that show information for the Office of Community Services as a whole, and its funds. The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the Office of Community Services as a whole and present a longer-term view of the Office of Community Services' finances. Our fund financial statements are included later in this report. For our governmental activities, these statements tell how we financed our services in the short-term, as well as what remains for future spending. Fund statements also may give you some insights into the Office of Community Services' overall financial health. Fund financial statements also report the Office of Community Services' operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements by providing information about the Office of Community Services' most significant funds - General fund, Head Start fund, Transportation fund, Food fund, CSBG fund, and LIHEAP Energy fund.

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Management's Discussion & Analysis (MD&A)

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Our auditor has provided assurance in the independent auditor's report, located immediately preceding this Management's Discussion and Analysis, that the basic financial statements are fairly stated. Varying degrees of assurance are being provided by the auditor regarding the Required Supplementary Information (RSI) and the Supplementary Information. A user of this report should read the independent auditor's report carefully to ascertain the level of assurance being provided for each part of this report.

### Reporting the Office of Community Services as a Whole

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities Our analysis of the Office of Community Services as a whole begins with the government-wide financial statements. One of the most important questions asked about the Office of Community Services is, "Is the Office of Community Services, as a whole, better off or worse off financially as a result of the year's activities?" The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, which appear first in the Office of Community Services' financial statements, report information on the Office of Community Services as a whole and its activities in a way that helps you answer this question. We prepare these statements to include all assets, liabilities, and deferred inflows/outflows of resources, using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the Office of Community Services' net position - the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, as reported in the Statement of Net Position as one way to measure the Office of Community Services' financial health, or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the Office of Community Services' net position - as reported in the Statement of Activities - are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. The relationship between revenues and expenses is the Office of Community Services' operating results. However, the Office of Community Services' goal is to provide services to our citizens, not to generate profits as commercial entities do. One must consider many other nonfinancial factors, such as the quality of health and welfare services provided to parish citizens.

In the Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, we divide the Office of Community Services into two kinds of activities:

Governmental activities - Most of the Office of Community Services' services are reported here, which are health and welfare services. Federal and state grants finance most of these activities.

Business-type activities -The Office of Community Services manages the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program and receives administrative fees for the activities.

### Reporting the Office of Community Services' Most Significant Funds

*Fund Financial Statements* The Office of Community Services' fund financial statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds - not the Office of Community Services as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by state law and by grant terms. However, the Office of Community Services establishes many other funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it is meeting legal responsibilities for using certain grants and other money. The Office of Community Services' governmental funds use the following accounting approach:

<u>Governmental funds</u> - Most of the Office of Community Services' services are reported in governmental funds. Governmental fund reporting focuses on showing how money flows into and out of funds and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. They are reported using an accounting method called modified

accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the Office of Community Services' operations and the services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the Office of Community Services' programs. We describe the relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds in the reconciliations on Statements D and F.

<u>Proprietary funds</u> - Proprietary funds are reported in the same way that all activities are reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. In fact, the Office of Community Services' Section 8 enterprise fund (a component of proprietary funds) is the same as the business-type activities we report in the government-wide financial statements but provide more detail and additional information, such as cash flows, for proprietary funds.

**THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY SERVICES AS A WHOLE** The Office of Community Services' governmental activities net position was \$2,137,603, at December 31, 2022. Of this amount, \$7,790 was unrestricted. Restricted net position is reported separately to show grant restrictions, legal restrictions, and enabling legislation that limits the Office of Community Services' ability to use that net position for day-to-day operations. Our analysis below of the Office of Community Services focuses on the net position (Table 1) and change in net position (Table 2) of the Office of Community Services' governmental activities and business-type activities.

# Table 1Net PositionDecember 31,

	Government	al Activities	Business-Ty	pe Activities
	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	2022	<u>2021</u>
Other assets	\$ 1,178,685	\$ 958,816	\$ 205,230	\$ 180,448
Capital assets	1,774,892	1,686,710	23,538	26,172
Total assets	2,953,577	2,645,526	228,768	206,620
Other liabilities	382,499	322,243	3.595	4,098
Long-term liabilities	433,475	427,247	889	3,540
Total liabilities	815,974	749,490	4,484	7,638
Net position				
Investment in capital assets	1,765,552	1,686,710	23,538	26,172
Restricted	364,261	342,455	5,440	16,351
Unrestricted	7,790	(133,129)	195,306	156,459
Total net position	\$ 2,137,603	\$ 1,896,036	\$ 224,284	\$ 198,982

The \$7,790 in unrestricted net position of governmental activities represents the accumulated results of all past years' operations. It means that if we had to pay off all of our bills today including all of our noncapital liabilities (compensated absences, for example) we would have \$7,790 left.

The net position for governmental activities increased by \$241,567. Overall assets increased by \$308,051, which was largely attributed to recognizing an increase in accounts receivable owed to the Office of Community Services at the end of the year by over \$143,000. Also over \$46,000 in prepayments were recognized as prepaid assets for

classroom supplies being held until classes start in January, 2023. Also, approximately \$19,000 was deposited on a 2 wheelchair bus that was not received at year end

The results of this year's operations for the Office of Community Services are reported in the Statement of Activities. Table 2 takes the information from that Statement and rearranges them slightly so you can see our total revenues for the year.

# Table 2 Changes in Net Position For the Years Ended December 31,

	G	overnmental Activi	ties	Bu	ısiness-type Acti	vities
Revenues:	2022	2021	Increase (Decrease) From 2021	2022	2021	Increase (Decrease) From 2021
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$ 71,541	\$ 114,062	\$ (42,521)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Operating grants & contributions	4,863,145	4,876,303	(13,158)	723,348	788,022	(64,674)
General revenues:						
Other revenues	151,913	83,614	68,299	13,795	11,112	2,683
Total revenues	5,086,599	5,073,979	12,620	737,143	799,134	(61,991)
Functions/Program Expenses:						
Health & welfare	4,845,032	4,587,005	258,027	711,841	717,352	(5,511)
Increase (decrease) in net position	241,567	486,974	(245,407)	25,302	81,782	(56,480)
Net Position - Beginning	1,896,036	1,456,038	439,998	198,982	117,200	81,782
Prior period adjustment	-	(46,976)	46,976		-	-
Net Position Beginning - as restated	1,896,036	1,409,062	486,974	198,982	117,200	81,782
Net Position - Ending	\$ 2,137,603	\$ 1,896,036	\$ 241,567	\$ 224,284	\$ 198,982	\$ 25,302

**THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY SERVICES' FUNDS** As we noted earlier, the Office of Community Services uses funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes. Looking at funds helps you consider whether the Office of Community Services is being accountable for the resources state and federal agencies and others provide to it, but may also give you more insight into the Office of Community Services' overall financial health.

As the Office of Community Services completed this year, our governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$728,558 which is an increase of \$95,653 from last year. Some changes in fund balance are explained below:

Our General fund is our principal operating fund. The fund balance in the General fund increased by \$73,747 to \$364,297. The 2022 increase to the General fund balance is attributed largely to the transfer of fund balance from LIHEAP Energy Fund in 2022.

The Head Start fund accounts for funds used for the purpose of providing young children, generally ages 3 to 5 in low income families, with services designed to meet the needs in various areas such as health, education, social services, etc. This fund does not normally have a fund balance. Total federal revenues recognized were higher by over \$155,000 in 2022 compared to prior year and total expenditures for Head Start were up by over \$121,000 compared to the prior year.

The Transportation fund accounts for funds used to provide transportation services to citizens within the parish. The fund balance in this fund increased \$55,038 to \$309,672. While the transportation fares and program revenues collected were down by over \$42,500 compared to amounts recognized in the prior year, expenditures were also down overall by \$39,200. There was a large decrease in expenditures related to gas, oil & repairs in 2022.

The Food Service program receives funds from CACFP to reimburse programs for meals provided to students enrolled in the Head Start Program and the Family Home Daycare program. The fund balance in the Family Home Daycare program increased \$31,054 while the fund balance in the Head Start program decreased \$(20,156). Total fund balance for these two funds increased \$10,898 to \$51,856. The fund balance for the Family Home Daycare program increased by \$31,054, as a result of the expenditures being comparable to the prior year and not exceeding the administration funding of \$158,906. Fund balance decreased in Head Start Food as result of expenditures not being reimbursed at year end.

The CSBG fund accounts for funds used to assist the Office of Community Services with operations. This fund does not normally have a fund balance.

The LIHEAP Energy fund accounts for funding received to assist families with energy costs. The fund balance in this fund decreased \$44,030, leaving an ending fund balance of \$0. Before 2019, LIHEAP Energy fund had reported a fund balance of approximately \$36,000. In 2019, the Office of Community Services incurred expenditures of over \$48,000 which eliminated the surplus. However, late in 2020, a request for reimbursement for the expenditures from 2019 was made resulting in a fund balance in 2020 of \$46,872. In subsequent years, 2020 and 2021, unreimbursed expenditures of \$2,842 were incurred reducing the fund balance to \$44,030. The Executive Director transferred this surplus to the General fund at the end of the year.

The Nonmajor Governmental funds are comprised of the other special revenue funds (Housing and Emergency Assistance). These funds have no activity for the fiscal year; therefore, fund balance remained \$2,733.

The Section 8 Voucher fund accounts for the activity for HUD's Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program. The net position in this fund increased \$25,302 to \$224,284. While the federal funding was \$64,674 less than prior year revenues, the current year expenses did not exceed total revenues. Also, expenses only increased by approximately \$5,500 over last year.

**FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS** Over the course of the year, the Office of Community Services revises its budget as it attempts to deal with unexpected changes in revenues and expenditures. (A schedule showing the Office of Community Services' original and final budget amounts compared with amounts actually paid and received is provided later in this report).

General Fund There were no revisions made to the 2022 General fund original budget.

The final actual revenues exceeded budgeted by \$98,348 due to actual revenues including additional revenues from over \$30,800 in LWCC dividends, over \$28,500 in reimbursements for "Play with a Purpose", and \$16,695 funding from Webster Parish School Board for teacher incentives, which were not included in the original budget.

The final actual expenditures exceeded the budget by \$70,743 due to the General fund incurring over \$19,000 in additional capital outlay costs and \$69,000 in training, incentives and professional services which were not included in the original budget for the General fund.

### CAPITAL ASSETS

*Capital Assets* At December 31, 2022, the Office of Community Services' governmental activities had \$1,774,892 invested in a broad range of capital assets including buildings, furniture and equipment, and intangible assets such as software. This amount represents a net increase (including additions, deductions, and depreciation) of \$72,689, or 4% from last year. The business-type activities net capital assets decreased \$2,633 from the prior year.

	Capital Assets December 31,							
	Governmen	tal Activities	Business-Ty	pe Activities				
	2022	2021	2022	2021				
Construction in progress	\$ 42,681	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -				
Buildings and improvements	1,524,090	1,401,270	-	-				
Furniture, equipment & vehicles	2,172,300	2,147,557	34,467	34,212				
Leased assets	15,493	15,493	-	-				
Intangibles	18,160	18,160						
Total cost of capital net assets	3,772,724	3,582,480	34,467	34,212				
Less: accumulated depreciation & amortization	(1,997,832)	(1,880,277)	(10,929)	(8,040)				
Net capital assets	\$ 1,774,892	\$ 1,702,203	\$ 23,538	\$ 26,172				

Capital asset additions for 2022 included \$10,816 for playground equipment, \$12,747 for a telephone system, \$6,950 for a 5-ton HVAC unit to be used for Head Start, \$122,820 for a roof for a Head Start building, and \$25,267 for a 2022 vehicle for Head Start, and \$25,097 for sinks and tables to be used with Early Head Start. Construction in progress includes payments related to new playgrounds for all 5 Head Start centers that were not completed and placed in service at year end. See Note 6 of the Notes to the Financial Statements.

*Long Term Debt* At December 31, 2022 the Office of Community Services' governmental activities had \$433,475 in long term debt which included \$54,926 in compensated absences, \$9,340 lease liability, and \$369,209 claim payable for which represents disallowed costs from a 2012 monitoring review.

**ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES** Our appointed officials and citizens consider many factors when setting the Office of Community Services' 2023 year budget. The most important factor that affects the budget is the amount of approved federal grant funding. For our regular funding, for the year 2023, we budgeted little change in revenue and expenditures.

**CONTACTING THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY SERVICES' FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT** Our financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, parents, students, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the Office of Community Services' finances and to show the Office of Community Services' accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or wish to request additional financial information, contact Melinda Davidson, Executive Director, at Webster Parish Office of Community Services, P. O. Box 876, Minden, Louisiana, 71058-0876, telephone number 318-377-7022.

# **BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

Government-wide Financial Statements (GWFS)

### STATEMENT OF NET POSITION December 31, 2022

#### Statement A

	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES		BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES		 TOTAL
ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	603,244	\$	200,444	\$ 803,688
Investments		37,398		5,903	43,301
Receivables, net		471,616		-	471,616
Internal balances		1,117		(1,117)	-
Prepaid items		65,310		-	65,310
Capital Assets:					
Land and construction in progress		42,681		-	42,681
Capital assets, net of depreciation and amortization		1,732,211		23,538	 1,755,749
TOTAL ASSETS		2,953,577		228,768	 3,182,345
LIABILITIES					
Accounts, salaries and other payables		325,817		3,595	329,412
Due to other governments		50,836		-	50,836
Unearned revenue		5,846		-	5,846
Long-term liabilities					
Due within one year		8,653		889	9,542
Due in more than one year		424,822		-	 424,822
TOTAL LIABILITIES		815,974		4,484	 820,458
NET POSITION					
Investment in capital assets		1,765,552		23,538	1,789,090
Restricted for grants		364,261		5,440	369,701
Unrestricted	1	7,790		195,306	 203,096
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$	2,137,603	\$	224,284	\$ 2,361,887

### STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Statement B

			PROGRAM REVENUES OPERATING				(EXPENSE) RE	VENUE	AND CHANGE	S IN NE	T POSITION		
	EXPENSES	SE	FOR SERVICES				ANTS AND S		ERNMENTAL CTIVITIES		IESS-TYPE TIVITIES		TOTAL
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS Primary government													
Governmental Activities													
Health and Welfare	\$ (4,845,032)	\$	71,541	\$	4,863,145	\$	89,654	\$	-	\$	89,654		
Total governmental activities	(4,845,032)		71,541		4,863,145		89,654		-		89,654		
Business-type activities													
Health and Welfare	(711,841)		-		723,348		-		11,507		11,507		
Total	\$ (5,556,873)	\$	71,541	\$	5,586,493		89,654		11,507		101,161		
	General revenues:												
	Interest and inves	tment e	arnings				731		120		851		
	Miscellaneous						151,182		13,675		164,857		
	Total general	revenue	es				151,913		13,795		165,708		
	Change in r	net posi	tion				241,567		25,302		266,869		
	Net position -	beginni	ng				1,896,036		198,982		2,095,018		
	Net position -	ending				\$	2,137,603	\$	224,284	\$	2,361,887		



# **BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

# Fund Financial Statements (FFS)

### GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Balance Sheet December 31, 2022

	GENERAL		HE	ADSTART	TRANS	SPORTATION
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	282,303	\$	16,842	\$	276,631
Investments		37,398		-		-
Receivables		8,572		273,573		50,408
Interfund receivables		36,342		-		-
TOTAL ASSETS		364,615		290,415		327,039
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Liabilities:						
Accounts, salaries and other payables		318		223,125		16,501
Interfund payables		-		8,651		719
Payable to other governments		-		50,836		-
Unearned revenue		-		5,846		-
Accrued compensated absences		-		1,957		147
TOTAL LIABILITIES		318		290,415		17,367
Fund balances:						
Restricted		-		-		309,672
Unassigned		364,297		<u> </u>		-
TOTAL FUND BALANCES		364,297				309,672
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	364,615	\$	290,415	\$	327,039

### Statement C

 FOOD		SBG	HEAP NERGY	MAJOR RNMENTAL	 TOTAL
\$ 23,452	\$	-	\$ -	\$ 4,016	\$ 603,244
-		-	-	-	37,398
107,462		19,437	12,164	-	471,616
 -		-	-	 -	 36,342
 130,914		19,437	 12,164	 4,016	 1,148,600
76,633		6,247	2,993	-	325,817
2,425		13,043	9,104	1,283	35,225
-		-	-	-	50,836
-		-	-	-	5,846
 -		147	67	-	 2,318
 79,058		19,437	 12,164	 1,283	 420,042
51,856		-	-	2,733	364,261
 -		-	 -	 	 364,297
 51,856			 	 2,733	 728,558
\$ 130,914	\$	19,437	\$ 12,164	\$ 4,016	\$ 1,148,600



### Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position December 31, 2022

	St	atement D
Total fund balances - governmental funds	\$	728,558
The cost of capital assets (construction in progress, land, buildings, furniture and equipment, and intangibles) purchased or constructed is reported as an expenditure in governmental funds. The Statement of Net Position includes those capital assets among the assets of the Office of Community Services as a whole. The cost of those capital assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives (as depreciation expense) to the various programs reported as governmental activities in the Statement of Activities. Because depreciation expense does not affect financial resources, it is not reported in governmental funds.		
Costs of capital assets\$ 3,772,724Accumulated depreciation(1,997,832)		1,774,892
Prepaid items include purchases of capital assets not yet placed in service		65,310
Long-term liabilities applicable to the Office of Community Service's governmental activities are not due and payable in the current period and accordingly are not reported as fund liabilities. All liabilities - both current and long term - are reported in the Statement of Net Position.		
Balances at December 31, 2022 are: Long-term liabilities		
Compensated absences payable Claims payable Leases payable		(52,608) (369,209) (9,340)
Net position of governmental activities	\$	2,137,603

#### GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	GE	NERAL	HEA	DSTART	TRANS	PORTATION
REVENUES						
Local Sources:						
Interest and investment earnings	\$	731	\$	-	\$	-
Other revenue		142,617		4,791		71,541
Federal Sources		-		2,656,086		390,989
TOTAL REVENUES		143,348		2,660,877		462,530
EXPENDITURES						
Current:						
Health and welfare:						
Personnel		-		1,633,675		235,122
Gas, oil & repairs		7,530		27,553		45,418
Office expense		9,777		533,470		18,929
Insurance		3,155		54,420		59,450
Utilities		158		148,314		14,793
Service providers		-		-		-
Food services		-		21,687		-
Other		74,515		201,546		33,123
Capital outlay		20,608		34,756		-
Debt service						
Interest		-		349		42
Principal		-		5,107		615
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		115,743		2,660,877		407,492
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES		07 605				FF 020
EAFENDITORES		27,605		-		55,038
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out		46,142 -		-		-
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		46,142				
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		73,747		-		55,038
FUND BALANCES BEGINNING		290,550		<u> </u>		254,634
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$	364,297	\$	-	\$	309,672

#### Statement E

FOOD	FOOD CSBG		LIHEAP ENERGY	IAJOR IMENTAL	 TOTAL
\$-	\$	- \$	-	\$ -	\$ 731
3,774		-	-	-	222,723
1,037,776	150,5	64	627,730	 -	 4,863,145
1,041,550	150,5	64	627,730	 	 5,086,599
191,494	137,0	94	52,194	-	2,249,579
120		-	316	-	80,937
13,686	1,1	04	5,966	-	582,932
1,267		-	861	-	119,153
740	2,8	67	686	-	167,558
677,398		-	519,613	-	1,197,011
126,736		-	-	-	148,423
18,974	9,4	99	45,890	-	383,547
-		-	-	-	55,364
13		-	8	-	412
185			123	 -	 6,030
1,030,613	150,5	64	625,657	 	 4,990,946
10,937		<u> </u>	2,073	 	 95,653
-		-	-	-	46,142
(39)			(46,103)	 -	 (46,142)
(39)			(46,103)	 	 
10,898		-	(44,030)	-	95,653
40,958		<u> </u>	44,030	 2,733	 632,905
\$ 51,856	\$	- \$	-	\$ 2,733	\$ 728,558

### Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances to the Statement of Activities For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	State	ement F
Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$	95,653
Amounts reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation expense exceeded capital outlays in the period:		
Capital outlay\$258,544Depreciation expense(185,855)		72,689
The issuance of long term debt provides current financial resources of governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position		
Repayment of lease liability		6,153
In the Statement of Activitities, certain expenses for capital outlay for capital items not placed in service at the end of the year were recorded as prepaid items		65,310
In the Statement of Activities, certain operating expenses-compensated absences (vacation and comp time) and claims payable - are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds however, expenditures for these items are measured by the amount of financial resources used (essentially, the amounts actually paid). This year, vacation and comp time used was more than the amounts earned.		
Vacation and comp time		1,762
Change in net position of governmental activities	\$	241,567

### PROPRIETARY FUND TYPE- ENTERPRISE FUND Statement of Net Position December 31, 2022

	Statement G
	SECTION 8 VOUCHER
ASSETS	
Current assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 200,444
Investments	5,903
Accounts receivable, net	<u> </u>
Totel current assets	206,347
Non-current assets:	
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	23,538
TOTAL ASSETS	229,885
LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities:	
Accounts, salaries and other payables	3,595
Interfund payables	1,117
Compensated absences	889
Totel current liabilities	5,601
NET POSITION	
Investment in capital assets	23,538
Restricted for HAP	5,440
Unrestricted	195,306
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 224,284

### PROPRIETARY FUND TYPE- ENTERPRISE FUND Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	Statement H	
	SECTION 8 VOUCHER	
OPERATING REVENUES	•	
Federal grants Other income	\$	723,348
Other Income		13,675
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES		737,023
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Administration		83,833
Utilities		915
General		5,670
		2,888
Housing assistance payments		618,535
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		711,841
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)		25,182
NON-OPERATING REVENUES		
Interest income		120
TOTAL NON-OPERATING REVENUES		120
CHANGE IN NET POSITION		25,302
NET POSITION AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		198,982
NET POSITION AT END OF YEAR	\$	224,284

### PROPRIETARY FUND TYPE - ENTERPRISE FUND Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

	Statement I	
	SECTION 8 VOUCHER	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Payments to vendors Payments to employees Payments to private landlords and others Federal grants Other receipts	\$	(30,111) (63,382) (618,535) 723,348 13,845
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		25,165
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Purchase of capital assets		(254)
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(254)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Interest		120
NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES		120
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		25,031
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		175,413
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	\$	200,444
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES Opertating income (loss) Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash provided (used) by operating activities:	\$	25,182
Depreciation expense		2,888
Change in assets and liabilities: Accounts receivable		170
Compensated absences		(2,651)
Accounts, salaries and other payables Interfunds		(503) 79
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	25,165

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**NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** The accompanying financial statements of Webster Parish Office of Community Services have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting financial reporting principles.

**A. REPORTING ENTITY** Webster Parish Office of Community Services was established by the Webster Parish Police Jury under the provisions of LSA-R.S. 23:63 to operate state and federally funded programs to assist low-income members of the community in obtaining adequate employment, education and housing, meeting certain medical needs, and obtaining proper assistance to satisfy other needs of low-income families that arise within the community.

As the governing authority of the parish, for reporting purposes, the Webster Parish Police Jury is the financial reporting entity for Webster Parish. The financial reporting entity consists of (a) the primary government (police jury), (b) organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable, and (c) other organizations for which nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statement to be misleading or incomplete.

GASB Statements establish criteria for determining the governmental reporting entity and component units that should be considered part of the Webster Parish Police Jury for financial reporting purposes. The basic criterion for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is financial accountability. The GASB has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. This criteria includes:

- 1. Appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and:
  - a. The ability of the police jury to impose its will on that organization and/or
  - b. The potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to or impose specific financial burdens on the police jury.
- 2. Organizations that are fiscally dependent on the police jury and there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to or impose specific financial burdens on the police jury.
- 3. Organizations for which the reporting entity financial statements would be misleading if data of the organization is not included because of the nature or significance of the relationship.

Because the Police Jury appoints members to Webster Parish Office of Community Services' Board and the Office of Community Services is financially accountable to the Police Jury, Webster Parish Office of Community Services was determined to be a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury, the financial reporting entity. The accompanying financial statements present information only on the funds maintained by the Office of Community Services and do not present information on the Police Jury, the governmental services provided by that governmental unit, or the governmental units that comprise the financial reporting entity.

**B. FUNDS** The accounts of the Office of Community Services are organized and operated on the basis of funds. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain government functions or activities.

**Governmental Funds** The governmental funds are divided into separate "fund types." Governmental funds are used to account for the government's general activities, where the focus of attention is on the providing of services to the public as opposed to proprietary funds where the focus of attention is on recovering the cost of providing services to the public or other agencies through service charges or user fees. The major governmental funds of the Office of Community Services are described as follows:

**General fund** – This fund is the general operating fund of the Office of Community Services. It accounts for all activities except those required to be accounted for in other funds.

**Headstart** – This fund accounts for grant funding received for the purpose of providing young children, generally ages 3 to 5, in low-income families with services designed to meet their needs in various areas such as health, education, social services, etc.

**Transportation** – This fund accounts for the grant funding received and the operations of the transportation program that provides affordable transportation to the residents within the parish.

**Food** – This fund accounts for the operations of the programs providing meal reimbursements to eligible institutions that serve meals to students at various locations within the parish.

**CSBG** – This fund accounts for grant funding received through Community Development Block Grants to assist the Office of Community Services with operations.

**LIHEAP Energy** – This fund accounts for the funding received through the Louisiana Housing Corporation for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program which helps keep families safe and healthy through initiatives that assist families with energy costs.

**Proprietary Funds** The proprietary fund accounts for activities similar to those found in the private sector where the determination of net income is necessary or useful to sound financial administration. The proprietary fund differs from a governmental fund in that its focus is on income measurement which, together with the maintenance of equity, is an important financial indicator.

**Section 8 Voucher** – This fund accounts for the activity for HUD's Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program. The purpose is to assist low-income families in obtaining affordable housing.

### C. MEASUREMENT FOCUS AND BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

<u>Government-Wide Financial Statements (GWFS)</u> The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities displays information about the reporting government as a whole. The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities were prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets, liabilities, and deferred inflows/outflows of resources resulting from exchange and exchange-like transactions are recognized when the exchange takes place. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets, liabilities, and deferred inflow/outflows of resources resulting from nonexchange transactions are recognized in accordance with the requirements of GASB Statement No. 33 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Transactions."

Fiduciary activities are not included in the Government-Wide Financial Statements.

**<u>Program revenues</u>** Program revenues included in the Statement of Activities include charges for services provided and operating grants and contributions; program revenues reduce the cost of the function to be financed from the Office of Community Services' general revenues.

<u>Allocation of indirect expenses</u> The Office of Community Services reports all direct expenses by function in the Statement of Activities. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a function.

### Fund Financial Statements (FFS)

**Governmental Funds** The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. Governmental fund types use the flow of current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they are "measurable and available"). "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. The government considers all revenues available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for unmatured principal and interest on long-term debt which is recognized when due, and certain compensated absences and claims and judgments which are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources.

With this measurement focus, only current assets, current liabilities, and current deferred outflows and inflows of resources are generally included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases and decreases in net current assets. The governmental funds use the following practices in recording revenues and expenditures:

### Revenues

Federal and state grants are recognized when the Office of Community Services is entitled to the funds.

Interest income on investments is recorded when earned and the income is available.

Substantially all other revenues are recorded when they become available to the Office of Community Services.

**Expenditures** Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on long-term obligations, which are recognized when due.

**Other Financing Sources (Uses)** Sale of capital assets, increases in capital lease purchases, and transfers between funds that are not expected to be repaid are accounted for as other financing sources (uses) and are recognized when the underlying events occur.

### **Proprietary Funds**

**Operating Revenues and Expenses** Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services in connection with the fund's principal ongoing operations, which is providing affordable housing. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

**D.** ENCUMBRANCES Outstanding encumbrances lapse at year-end. Authorization for the eventual expenditure will be included in the following year's budget appropriations. Encumbrance accounting is not employed in governmental funds.

Encumbrance accounting (e.g., purchase orders, contracts) is not recognized within the accounting records for budgetary control purposes.

**E.** CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS Cash includes amounts in demand deposits, petty cash, interestbearing demand deposits, and time deposit accounts. Cash equivalents include amounts in time deposits and those investments with original maturities of 90 days or less. Under state law, the Office of Community Services may deposit funds in demand deposits, interest-bearing demand deposits, money market accounts, or time deposits with state banks organized under Louisiana law or any other state in the United States or under the laws of the United States. For purposes of the Proprietary Fund Statement of Cash Flows, the Office of Community Services considers all investments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

**F. INVESTMENTS** Investments are limited by R.S. 33:2955 and the Office of Community Services' investment policy. If the original maturities of investments exceed 90 days, they are classified as investments; however, if the original maturities are 90 days or less, they are classified as cash equivalents.

The investments are reflected at fair value except for the following which are required/permitted as per GASB Statement No. 31:

- 1. Investments in *nonparticipating* interest-earning contracts, such as nonnegotiable certificates of deposit with redemption terms that do not consider market rates, are reported using a cost-based measure.
- 2. The Office of Community Services reports at amortized cost money market investments and *participating* interest-earning investment contracts that have a remaining maturity at time of purchase of one year or less.

### Definitions:

Interest-earning investment contracts include time deposits with financial institutions (such as certificates of deposit), repurchase agreements, and guaranteed investment contracts.

Money market investments are short-term, highly liquid debt instruments that include U. S. Treasury obligations.

The Office of Community Services participates in the Louisiana Asset Management Pool, Inc., (LAMP) which is an external investment pool that, to the extent practical invest in a manner consistent with GASB Statement 79, *Certain External Investment Pools and Pool Participants*.

LAMP is administered by LAMP, Inc., a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana. Only local government entities having contracted to participate in LAMP have an investment interest in its pool of assets. The primary objective of LAMP is to provide a safe environment for the placement of public funds in short-term, high-quality investments. The LAMP portfolio includes only securities and other obligations in which local governments in Louisiana are authorized to invest in accordance with LA-R.S. 33:2955. LAMP issues financial reports which may be obtained at www.lamppool.com.

Investments in LAMP are stated at fair value. The fair value is determined on a weekly basis by LAMP and the value of the position in the external investment pool is the same as the net asset value of the pool shares.

LAMP, Inc. is subject to the regulatory oversight of the state treasurer and the board of directors. LAMP is not registered with the SEC as an investment company.

**G. SHORT-TERM INTERFUND RECEIVABLES/PAYABLES (FFS)** During the course of operations, numerous transactions occur between individual funds for services rendered. These receivables and payables are classified as interfund receivables/payables on the balance sheet. Short-term interfund loans are also classified as interfund receivables/payables.

**H. ELIMINATION AND RECLASSIFICATIONS** In the process of aggregating data for the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities some amounts reported as interfund activity and balances in the funds were eliminated or reclassified. Interfund receivables and payables were eliminated to minimize the "grossing up" effect on assets and liabilities within the governmental activities column.

I. INVENTORY AND PREPAID ITEMS Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items. All inventory items are valued at cost using first-in, first-out method. Inventory is recorded using the consumption method.

**J. CAPITAL ASSETS** Capital assets for the Office of Community Services purchased or acquired with an original cost of \$500 or more are reported at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Contributed assets are reported at their acquisition value as of the date received. Additions, improvements, and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Straight line depreciation is used based on the following estimated useful lives:

Buildings	20-40 years
Furniture and equipment	5-10 years
Vehicles	5-15 years
Intangibles-software	5 years
Intangibles-other	5 vears

**K. COMPENSATED ABSENCES** All full-time employees earn 80 to 160 hours of vacation each year, depending on length of service. Employees can accumulate up to 240 hours of unused vacation time. Upon termination or retirement, an employee is compensated for up to 240 hours of previous years' accumulated annual leave.

All full-time employees earn 4 hours of sick leave every two weeks, effective from date of employment. Other employees considered less than full-time receive 40 hours of sick leave per year. Upon termination or retirement, accrued sick leave is excluded from paid benefits.

All professional staff members are entitled to earn compensatory time for overtime worked. Employees can accumulate up to 80 hours of unused compensatory time. Upon termination or retirement, an employee is compensated for accumulated compensatory time.

The Office of Community Services' recognition and measurement criterion for compensated absences follows:

GASB Statement No. 16 provides that vacation leave and other compensated absences with similar characteristics should be accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned by the employees if both of the following conditions are met:

The employees' right to receive compensation is attributable to services already rendered.

It is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means, such as cash payments at termination or retirement.

**L. RESTRICTED NET POSITION** For the government-wide Statement of Net Position, net position is reported as restricted when constraints placed on net position use are either:

- Externally imposed by creditors (such as debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments;
- Imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

It is the Office of Community Services' policy to first apply restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available.

**M. FUND EQUITY OF FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** Fund balances are reported in the following categories:

**Non-spendable:** Fund balance that is not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. This category includes items that are not easily converted to cash such as inventories and prepaid items.

**<u>Restricted</u>**: Fund balance that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation.

**Committed:** Fund balance that can only be used for specific purposes determined by the Office of Community Services' highest level of decision making authority. The Board is the highest level of decision making authority of the Office of Community Services that can, by adoption of a resolution prior to fiscal year end, commit fund balance. Committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Board removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action it employed to previously commit the funds.

<u>Assigned</u>: Fund balance that is constrained by the Board's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. Intent should be expressed by the Board.

**<u>Unassigned</u>**: Fund balance that is the residual classification for the General fund or a deficit fund balance in other funds.

The Office of Community Services reduces committed amounts, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of those unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used. The Office of Community Services considers restricted amounts to have been spent when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available.

**N. INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS** Quasi-external transactions are accounted for as revenues, expenditures, or expenses. Transactions that constitute reimbursements to a fund for expenditures/expenses initially made from it that are properly applicable to another fund are recorded as expenditures/expenses in the reimbursing fund and as reductions of expenditures/expenses in the fund that is reimbursed.

All other interfund transactions, except quasi-external transactions and reimbursements, are reported as transfers. Nonrecurring or nonroutine permanent transfers of equity are reported as residual equity transfers. All other interfund transfers are reported as operating transfers.

**O. UNEARNED REVENUE** Unearned revenues arise when assets are recognized before the revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied.

**P. USE OF ESTIMATES** The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require 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 expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### NOTE 2 - STEWARDSHIP AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Actual Expenditures Exceeding Budgeted Expenditures For the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022 the following funds reported actual expenditures that exceeded budgeted expenditures:

				Ur	favorable			
	Final Budget		Actual	Variance				
General	\$	45,000 \$	115,743	\$	(70,743)			
Headstart	2,5	14,571	2,660,877		(146,306)			

Budget overruns were the result of unanticipated expenditures in the last month of the fiscal year.

**NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS** Deposits are stated at cost, which approximates market. Under state law, these deposits, or the resulting bank balances, must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The market value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent. These securities are held in the name of the pledging fiscal agent bank in a holding or custodial bank that is mutually acceptable to both parties.

**Custodial Credit Risk-Deposits:** At year-end the Office of Community Services' carrying amount of deposits was \$803,688 and the bank balance was \$849,042. Of the bank balance, \$250,000 was covered by federal deposit insurance. The remaining balance was collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent but not in the Office of Community Services' name. Even though the pledged securities are considered uncollateralized under the provisions of GASB Statement 3, Louisiana Revised Statute 39:1229 imposes a statutory requirement on the custodial bank to advertise and sell the pledged securities within 10 days of being notified by the Office of Community Services that the fiscal agent has failed to pay deposited funds upon demand. The Office of Community Services' policy does not address custodial credit risk.

Interest Rate Risk-Deposits: The Office of Community Services' policy does not address interest rate risk.

**NOTE 4 - INVESTMENTS** Investments are measured at fair value on a recurring basis. Recurring fair value measurements are those that Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statements require or permit in the Statement of Net Position at the end of each reporting period. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

At year end, the Office of Community Services investment balances were as follows:

Type of Investment	Level 2
Louisiana Asset Management Pool (LAMP)	\$ 43,301

Investments held at December 31, 2022 consist of \$43,301 in the Louisiana Asset Management Pool (LAMP). LAMP is an investment pool that, to the extent practical, invests in a manner consistent with GASB Statement No. 79. The following facts are relevant for investment pools:

Credit Risk: LAMP is rated AAAm by Standard and Poor's.

**Custodial Credit Risk-Investments:** LAMP participants' investments in the pool are evidenced by shares of the pool. Investments in pools should be disclosed, but not categorized because they are not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book-entry form. The public entity's investment is with the pool, not the securities that make up the pool; therefore, no disclosure is required.

Concentration of Credit Risk: Pooled investments are excluded from the 5 percent disclosure requirement.

**Interest Rate Risk:** LAMP is designed to be highly liquid to give its participants immediate access to their account balances. LAMP prepares its own interest rate risk disclosure using the weighted average maturity (WAM) method. The WAM of LAMP assets is restricted to not more than 90 days, and consists of no securities with a maturity in excess of 397 days or 762 days for U.S. Government floating/variable rate investments. The WAM for LAMP's total investments is 52 as of December 31, 2022.

Foreign Currency Risk: Not applicable.

**NOTE 5 - RECEIVABLES** The following is a summary of receivables at December 31, 2022:

		Governmental Activities											
Class of Receivables	G	eneral	ŀ	Ieadstart	Tran	sportation		Food		CSBG	LIHE	AP Energy	 Total
Grants Other	\$	8,572	\$	270,267 3,306	\$	50,354 54	\$	107,423 39	\$	19,437 -	\$	12,164	\$ 459,645 11,971
Total	\$	8,572	\$	273,573	\$	50,408	\$	107,462	\$	19,437	\$	12,164	\$ 471,616

The balance of accounts receivable is expected to be collected in full for all governmental funds so no allowance for doubtful accounts has been established. In the Section 8 program, the allowance for doubtful accounts is \$5,733.

<b>NOTE 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS</b>	The following schedule presents changes in capital assets for governmental
activities:	

	Balance Beginning	Additions	Deletions	Balance Ending
Capital assets not depreciated				
Construction in progress	\$ -	\$ 42,681	\$ -	\$ 42,681
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	1,401,270	122,820	-	1,524,090
Furniture, equipment and vehicles	2,147,557	93,043	68,300	2,172,300
Leased assets	15,493	-	-	15,493
Intangibles	18,160	-	-	18,160
Total	3,582,480	258,544	68,300	3,772,724
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization:				
Buildings and improvements	527,412	45,692	-	573,104
Furniture, equipment and vehicles	1,334,705	133,748	68,300	1,400,153
Leased assets	-	6,415	-	6,415
Amortization	18,160	-	-	18,160
Total	1,880,277	185,855	68,300	1,997,832
Governmental Activities, capital assets net	\$ 1,702,203	\$ 72,689	\$ -	\$ 1,774,892

The beginning balance of leased assets was increased by \$15,493 due to implementation of GASB 87, Leases. Depreciation and amortization expense of \$185,855 was charged to the health and welfare function.

The following schedule presents changes in capital assets for the business-type activities:

	Balance Beginning		Additions Deleti					Balance Ending	
Capital assets, being depreciated:									
Furniture, equipment and vehicles	\$	34,212	\$	255	\$	-	\$	34,467	
Total		34,212		255		-		34,467	
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization:									
Furniture, equipment and vehicles		8,041		2,888		-		10,929	
Total		8,041		2,888		-		10,929	
Business-type activities, capital assets net	\$	26,171	\$	(2,633)	\$		\$	23,538	

Depreciation expense of \$2,888 was charged to the health and welfare function.

#### NOTE 7 - RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

The Office of Community Services has an agreement with Mutual of America to participate in a 401(k) defined contribution plan. The plan was approved by the Board and any changes to the plan must be approved by the Board.

The Office of Community Services acts as the plan administrator and establishes separate accounts for each employee. An employee who wishes to participate in the plan will complete an application which is forwarded to the plan trustee for review and approval of the percentages and types of investment options chosen. All participants in the plan may elect to make salary reduction contributions. The employee can decide the percentage of deductions and type(s) of investments but no less than 1% of their salary may be chosen for salary reduction. Included in the options for employees is the option to participate in a Roth account. There is also a catch-up option for those employees who wish to have a larger portion deducted from their salaries. The employer (plan administrator) contributes 4% of the employee's salary per year.

All employees are eligible to participate in the 401(k) plan on the first day of employment. Vesting rules of employees under the plan are as follows:

Employees will be 100% vested under any of the following circumstances:

- 1. The retirement age is reached, which is the date of attainment of age 60.
- 2. Death occurs during employment.
- 3. Total and permanent disability occurs during employment.

If termination of employment occurs for any reason other than retirement, death, or total and permanent disability, the percentage of vesting is determined as follows:

Year of Service	Percentage of Vesting
Less than 2	0%
2 but less than 3	20%
3 but less than 4	40%

4 but less than 5	60%
5 but less than 6	80%
6 or more	100%

Any non-vested amounts are forfeited and used to pay any charges incurred in connection with the termination of employment of the participant whose account was forfeited. Additionally, the employer can elect to use forfeitures to restore the forfeited portion of participants' accounts in the case of re-employment. At December 31, 2022, there were no forfeited non-vested accounts.

The employer contributions by the Office of Community Services for the year ended December 31, 2022 were \$58,642. No employee contributions were made under the retirement plan for fiscal year ended December 31, 2022. The employer has no accounts payable to the retirement plan at December 31, 2022.

**NOTE 8 - LONG-TERM LIABILITIES** The following is a summary of the long-term liabilities transactions and balances for the year ended December 31, 2022:

#### Governmental Activities:

	Com	pensated					
	Absences		Claims Payable		Lease Liability		 Total
Balance, Beginning	\$	58,038	\$	369,209	\$	15,493	\$ 442,740
Additions		67,564		-		-	67,564
Deletions		70,676		-		6,153	76,829
Balance, Ending		54,926		369,209		9,340	 433,475
Amount due within one year	\$	2,318	\$	-	\$	6,335	\$ 8,653

The beginning balance of lease liability was increased \$15,493 due to the implementation of GASB 87, Leases. The compensated absences liability attributable to the governmental activities will be liquidated by the fund in which the salary is paid. Compensated absences primarily have been paid from the General fund, Headstart fund, Transportation fund, and Food fund. See Note 11 for additional information regarding claims payable.

The lease liability is due as follows:

	 Principal	I	nterest	Total		
2023	\$ 6,335	\$	238	\$	6,573	
2024	 3,005		47		3,052	
Total	\$ 9,340	\$	285	\$	9,625	

The lease liability will be liquidated by the Food, LIHEAP, Headstart, and Transportation funds.

#### Business-Type Activities:

	Com	pensated
	Ał	osences
Balance, Beginning	\$	3,540
Additions		1,913
Deletions		4,564
Balance, Ending		889
Amount due within one year	\$	889

#### **NOTE 9 - INTERFUND TRANSACTIONS (FFS LEVEL ONLY)**

#### **Interfund Receivable/Payables:**

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
General fund	Headstart	\$ 8,651
	Transportation	719
	Food	2,425
	CSBG	13,043
	LIHEAP Energy	9,104
	Nonmajor Governmental	1,283
	Section 8	1,117
		\$ 36.342

The purpose of the interfund receivable/payables is to cover expenditures on cost-reimbursement programs until reimbursements are received.

Interfund transfers:		
<u>Transfer In</u>	Transfer Out	
General fund	LIHEAP	\$ 46,103
General fund	Food	39
		\$ 46,142

Transfers are used to move revenues from the fund that statute or budget require to collect them to the fund that statute of budget require to expend them.

NOTE 10 - ACCOUNTS, SALARIES AND OTHER PAYABLES The payables at December 31, 2022, are as follows: D....!

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				(	Bovernmenta	l Activities					A	tivities		
									L	HEAP	Se	ection 8		
	Ge	neral	Headstart	Trar	sportation	Food	(	CSBG	E	nergy	V	oucher	Total	
Salaries	\$	-	\$ 59,438	\$	4,971	\$ 8,747	\$	4,818	\$	1,595	\$	1,180	\$ 80,749	
Accounts		318	163,687		11,530	67,886		1,429		1,398		2,415	248,663	
Total	\$	318	\$ 223,125	\$	16,501	\$ 76,633	\$	6,247	\$	2,993	\$	3,595	\$ 329,412	

#### NOTE 11 - LITIGATION AND CLAIMS

Litigation Per legal counsel, the Office of Community Services was not involved in any litigation at December 31, 2022.

Grant Disallowances The Office of Community Services participates in a number of state and federally assisted grant programs. The programs are subject to compliance audits under the single audit approach. Such audits could lead to requests for reimbursement by the grantor agency for expenditures disallowed under terms of the grant.

**Headstart Program Disallowance** The Department of Health and Human Services' (HHS), Administration for Children and Families conducted a monitoring review of the 2012 Headstart program year. The monitoring reported findings resulting in disallowed costs by the Office of Community Services in the amount of \$369,209 which is reported as a liability due in more than one year on the Statement of Net Position. No more interest is accruing as the Office of Community Services is currently negotiating the interest rate with the Department of Health and Human Services.

**NOTE 12 - RISK MANAGEMENT** The Office of Community Services is exposed to various risk related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Office of Community Services carries commercial insurance to manage these risks. In the past, the insurance has been sufficient to cover any settlements. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three years.

**NOTE 13 - FUND BALANCE CLASSIFICIATION DETAILS** The following are details of the fund balance classifications:

	General Fund	Tra	insportation		Food		HEAP nergy		onmajor ernmental		Total
Restricted for: Grants	\$ -	\$	309.672	\$	51.856	\$	_	\$	2,733	\$	364,261
Unassigned:	<sup>©</sup> 364,297	Ŷ		Ψ	-	Ψ	-	Ψ		Ψ	364,297
Total	\$ 364,297	\$	309,672	\$	51,856	\$	-	\$	2,733	\$	728,558

**NOTE 14 – NEW GASB STANDARDS** In the current fiscal year the Office of Community Services implemented GASB Statement No. 87 – Leases. The principal objective of this statement is to improve accounting and financial reporting for leases by governments. It increases the usefulness of governments' financial statements by requiring recognized as inflows of resources or outflows of resources based on the payment provisions of the contract. It establishes a single model for lease accounting based on the foundational principle that leases are financings of the right to use an underlying asset. The impact to Office of Community Services resulted in an increase in the beginning balance of capital assets and lease liabilities of \$15,493. The restatement had no effect on beginning net position.

# **REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

#### **Budgetary Comparison Schedules**

#### General Fund and Any Major Special Revenue Funds With a Legally Adopted Annual Budget

**GENERAL FUND** - This fund is the general operating fund of the Office of Community Services. It accounts for all activities except those required to be accounted for in other funds.

**HEADSTART** - This fund accounts for grant funding received for the purpose of providing young children, generally ages 3 to 5, in low-income families with services designed to meet their needs in various areas such as health, education, social services, etc.

**TRANSPORTATION** - This fund accounts for the grant funding received for the operations of the transportation program that provides affordable transportation to the residents within the parish.

**FOOD** - This fund accounts for the operations of the programs providing meal reimbursements to eligible institutions that serve meals to students at various locations within the parish.

**CSBG** - This fund accounts for grant funding received through Community Development Block Grants to assist the Office of Community Services with operations.

**LIHEAP ENERGY -** This fund accounts for the funding received through the Louisiana Housing Corporation for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program which helps keep families safe and healthy through initiatives that assist families with energy costs.

#### GENERAL FUND Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 1-1

	I	BUDGETAR	Y AMOU	INTS	A	CTUAL	FINAL	NCE WITH BUDGET SITIVE
	ORI	GINAL		FINAL	AN	IOUNTS	(NE	GATIVE)
REVENUES								
Local Sources:								
Interest and investment earnings	\$	-	\$	-	\$	731	\$	731
Other revenue		45,000		45,000	1	142,617		97,617
TOTAL REVENUES		45,000		45,000		143,348		98,348
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Health and welfare:								
Gas, oil & repairs		600		600		7,530		(6,930)
Office expense		9,800		9,800		9,777		23
Insurance		-		-		3,155		(3,155)
Utilities		-		-		158		(158)
Other		5,400		5,400		74,515		(69,115)
Capital outlay		1,200		1,200		20,608		(19,408)
Debt service - Interest		28,000		28,000	1	-		28,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		45,000		45,000		115,743		(70,743)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES		-		-		27,605		27,605
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in				-		46,142		46,142
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		-		73,747		73,747
FUND BALANCES - BEGINNING		290,550		290,550		290,550		
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$	290,550	\$	290,550	\$	364,297	\$	73,747

#### HEADSTART Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 1-2

		BUDGETAR	Y AMO			ACTUAL	Finai Po	NCE WITH BUDGET DSITIVE
	0	RIGINAL		FINAL	A	MOUNTS	(NE	GATIVE)
REVENUES								
Local Sources:	•		•		•	4 = 0.4	•	4 4
Other revenue	\$	-	\$	-	\$	4,791	\$	4,791
Federal Sources		2,514,571		2,514,571		2,656,086		141,515
TOTAL REVENUES		2,514,571		2,514,571		2,660,877		146,306
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Health and welfare:								
Personnel		1,931,405		1,931,405		1,633,675		297,730
Gas, oil & repairs		51,250		51,250		27,553		23,697
Office expense		171,361		171,361		533,470		(362,109)
Insurance		56,550		56,550		54,420		2,130
Utilities		99,480		99,480		148,314		(48,834)
Food services		58,500		58,500		21,687		36,813
Other		146,025		146,025		201,546		(55,521)
Capital outlay		-		-		34,756		(34,756)
Debt service								
Interest		-		-		349		(349)
Principal		<u> </u>				5,107		(5,107)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		2,514,571		2,514,571		2,660,877		(146,306)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		-		-		-
FUND BALANCES - BEGINNING		<u> </u>		<u> </u>		<u> </u>		
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$		\$	-	\$		\$	

#### TRANSPORTATION Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 1-3

		BUDGETAR	Y AMO			CTUAL	FINA P	ANCE WITH L BUDGET OSITIVE
	0	RIGINAL		FINAL	A	IOUNTS	(N	EGATIVE)
REVENUES								
Local Sources:	•	400 500	•	400 500	•	74 544	•	(54.050)
Other revenue	\$	126,500	\$	126,500	\$	71,541	\$	(54,959)
Federal Sources		590,000		590,000		390,989		(199,011)
TOTAL REVENUES		716,500		716,500		462,530		(253,970)
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Health and welfare:								
Personnel		351,609		351,609		235,122		116,487
Gas, oil & repairs		113,500		113,500		45,418		68,082
Office expense		52,450		52,450		18,929		33,521
Insurance		64,500		64,500		59,450		5,050
Utilities		12,500		12,500		14,793		(2,293)
Other		39,250		39,250		33,123		6,127
Debt service								
Interest		-		-		42		(42)
Principal		-		-		615		(615)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		633,809		633,809		407,492		226,317
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		82,691		82,691		55,038		(27,653)
FUND BALANCES BEGINNING		254,634		254,634		254,634		
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$	337,325	\$	337,325	\$	309,672	\$	(27,653)

#### FOOD Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 1-4

	BUDGETARY AMOUNTS ORIGINAL FINAL				ACTUAL AMOUNTS		VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET POSITIVE (NEGATIVE)	
REVENUES								
Local Sources:								
Other revenue	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,774	\$	3,774
Federal Sources		1,141,174		1,141,174		1,037,776		(103,398)
TOTAL REVENUES		1,141,174		1,141,174		1,041,550		(99,624)
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Health and welfare:								
Personnel		243,760		243,760		191,494		52,266
Gas, oil & repairs		-		-		120		(120)
Office expense		15,539		15,539		13,686		1,853
Insurance		-		-		1,267		(1,267)
Utilities		-		-		740		(740)
Service providers		620,000		620,000		677,398		(57,398)
Food services		230,213		230,213		126,736		103,477
Other		31,662		31,662		18,974		12,688
Debt service								
Interest		-		-		13		(13)
Principal						185		(185)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		1,141,174		1,141,174		1,030,613		110,561
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER								
EXPENDITURES		-		-		10,937		10,937
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers out		<u> </u>		<u> </u>		(39)		(39)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		-		10,898		10,898
FUND BALANCES - BEGINNING		40,958		40,958		40,958		<u> </u>
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$	34,422	\$	34,422	\$	51,856	\$	17,434

#### CSBG Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 1-5

	BUDGETARY AMOUNTS ORIGINAL FINAL				ACTUAL AMOUNTS		VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET POSITIVE (NEGATIVE)	
REVENUES								,
Federal Sources	\$	199,723	\$	199,723	\$	150,564	\$	(49,159)
TOTAL REVENUES		199,723		199,723		150,564		(49,159)
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Health and welfare:								
Personnel		179,619		179,619		137,094		42,525
Office expense		5,999		5,999		1,104		4,895
Utilities		3,725		3,725		2,867		858
Other		10,380		10,380		9,499	,	881
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		199,723		199,723		150,564		49,159
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		-		-		-
FUND BALANCES BEGINNING		<u> </u>		<u> </u>		<u> </u>		<u> </u>
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$		\$	-	\$		\$	-

#### LIHEAP ENERGY Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 1-6

	BUDGETARY AMOUNTS ORIGINAL FINAL		ACTUAL AMOUNTS		VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET POSITIVE (NEGATIVE)		
REVENUES							
Federal Sources	\$	723,435	\$ 723,435	\$	627,730	\$	(95,705)
TOTAL REVENUES		723,435	 723,435		627,730		(95,705)
EXPENDITURES							
Current:							
Health and welfare:							
Personnel		31,832	31,832		52,194		(20,362)
Gas, oil & repairs		-	-		316		(316)
Office expense		7,867	7,867		5,966		1,901
Insurance		1,276	1,276		861		415
Utilities		638	638		686		(48)
Service providers		668,384	668,384		519,613		148,771
Other		13,438	13,438		45,890		(32,452)
Debt service							
Interest		-	-		8		(8)
Principal		<u> </u>	 <u> </u>		123		(123)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		723,435	 723,435		625,657		97,778
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES		-	-		2,073		2,073
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							
Transfers out		-	 -		(46,103)		46,103
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			 		(46,103)		(46,103)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-	-		(44,030)		(44,030)
FUND BALANCES BEGINNING		44,030	 44,030		44,030		
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$	44,030	\$ 44,030	\$		\$	44,030

#### Notes to Budgetary Comparison Schedules For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

#### A. BUDGETS

<u>General Budget Policies</u> Preliminary budgets for the ensuing year are prepared for each program by the Executive Director prior to the beginning of the new grant year according to the related grant terms. During regular Board meetings the Executive Director presents the budgets to the Board for formal approval. The Executive Director answers any questions and makes any necessary changes and the budgets are formally adopted by the Board.

The Executive Director presents necessary budget amendments to the Board during the year when, in her judgment, actual operations or grant funding are differing materially from those anticipated in the original budget. During a regular meeting, the Board reviews the proposed amendments, makes changes as it deems necessary, and formally adopts the amendments.

The Office of Community Services exercises budgetary control at the functional level. Within functions the Executive Director has the discretion to make changes as she deems necessary for proper control. Unexpended appropriations lapse at year end and must be re-appropriated in the next year's budget to be expended. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device.

For the year ended December 31, 2022, modified accrual budgets were adopted for the General fund and all special revenue funds. Budgets are adopted based on the grant budget year which may be different from the fiscal year end. The Headstart, Transportation, Food, CSBG, and LIHEAP Energy budgets are on a grant year end which is different from the fiscal year end.

**Encumbrances** Encumbrance accounting is not recognized within the accounting records for budgetary control purposes. Authorization for the eventual expenditure will be included in the following year's budget appropriations.

**Budget Basis of Accounting** All governmental funds' budgets are prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Budgeted amounts are as originally adopted or as amended by the Board.

#### **B. ACTUAL EXPENDITURES EXCEEDING BUDGETED EXPENDITURES**

			Unfavorable
	Final Budget	Actual	Variance
General	\$ 45,000	\$ 115,743	\$ (70,743)
Headstart	2,514,571	2,660,877	(146,306)



# **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

#### **NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS**

HOUSING – This fund accounts for grants received to assist low-income citizens in obtaining affordable housing.

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE** – This fund accounts for grant funds provided through FEMA to provide emergency assistance to meet needs of low-income citizens within the parish.

### NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Combining Balance Sheet December 31, 2022

	HOUSING		EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE		TOTAL	
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	259	\$	3,757	\$	4,016
TOTAL ASSETS		259		3,757		4,016
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities:						
Interfund payables		169		1,114		1,283
TOTAL LIABILITIES		169		1,114		1,283
Fund balances:						
Restricted		90		2,643		2,733
TOTAL FUND BALANCES		90		2,643		2,733
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	259	\$	3,757	\$	4,016

#### NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 3

	HOUS	ING	GENCY TANCE	тс	DTAL
REVENUES					
Federal Sources	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-
TOTAL REVENUES		-	 		-
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					
Health and welfare:					
Personnel		-	 -		-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		-	 -		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-	-		-
FUND BALANCES - BEGINNING		90	 2,643		2,733
FUND BALANCES - ENDING	\$	90	\$ 2,643	\$	2,733

#### Webster Parish Office of Community Services Schedule of Compensation Paid Board Members For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

#### Exhibit 4

**COMPENSATION PAID BOARD MEMBERS** The schedule of compensation paid to Board Members is presented in compliance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 54 of the 1979 Session of the Louisiana Legislature.

The following board members received no compensation for the year ended December 31, 2022.

Joseph Jefferson	Steve Lemmons
L.R. Clemons	Kertedra Clark
Cat Cox	Virginia Jefferson
Shirley Williams	Vera Davison
Steve Wilson	Angelisa Strayhan
Steve Ramsey	Joe Cornelius
Jim Yocum	Carl Thompson
Bammer Fuller	Charlotte Jones
Debbie Thomas	

#### Webster Parish Office of Community Services Schedule of Compensation, Benefits, and Other Payments to Agency Head For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

#### Exhibit 5

### Agency Head Name: Melinda Davidson, Executive Director

Purpose	
Salary	\$ 63,691
Benefits-insurance	8,461
Benefits-retirement	7,375
Benefits - Other - Workman's Comp	130
Benefits - Medicare	901
Per diem	883
Reimbursments	25

#### Webster Parish Police Jury (LA213) Minden, LA Entity Wide Balance Sheet Summary

### Submission Type: Audited/Single Audit

Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2022

	14.871 Housing Choice Vouchers	Subtotal	<u>ELIM</u>	Total
111 Cash - Unrestricted	\$195,004	\$195,004		\$195,004
112 Cash - Restricted - Modernization and Development	,	• • • • • • •		,
113 Cash - Other Restricted	\$5,440	\$5,440		\$5,440
114 Cash - Tenant Security Deposits				
115 Cash - Restricted for Payment of Current Liabilities				
100 Total Cash	\$200,444	\$200,444		\$200,444
121 Accounts Receivable - PHA Projects				
122 Accounts Receivable - HUD Other Projects	\$0	\$0		\$0
124 Accounts Receivable - Other Government				
125 Accounts Receivable - Miscellaneous				
126 Accounts Receivable - Tenants	\$0	\$0		\$0
126.1 Allow ance for Doubtful Accounts -Tenants	\$0	\$0		\$0
126.2 Allow ance for Doubtful Accounts - Other	\$0	\$0		\$0
127 Notes, Loans, & Mortgages Receivable - Current				
128 Fraud Recovery	\$5,733	\$5,733		\$5,733
128.1 Allow ance for Doubtful Accounts - Fraud	-\$5,733	-\$5,733		-\$5,733
129 Accrued Interest Receivable				
120 Total Receivables, Net of Allow ances for Doubtful Accounts	\$0	\$0		\$0
131 Investments - Unrestricted	\$5,903	\$5,903		\$5,903
132 Investments - Restricted				
135 Investments - Restricted for Payment of Current Liability				
142 Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets				
143 Inventories				
143.1 Allow ance for Obsolete Inventories				
144 Inter Program Due From				
145 Assets Held for Sale				
150 Total Current Assets	\$206,347	\$206,347		\$206,347
161 Land				
162 Buildings				
163 Furniture, Equipment & Machinery - Dw ellings				
164 Furniture, Equipment & Machinery - Administration	\$34,467	\$34,467		\$34,467
165 Leasehold Improvements				
166 Accumulated Depreciation	-\$10,929	-\$10,929		-\$10,929
167 Construction in Progress				
168 Infrastructure				
160 Total Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation	\$23,538	\$23,538		\$23,538
171 Notes, Loans and Mortgages Receivable - Non-Current				
172 Notes, Loans, & Mortgages Receivable - Non Current - Past Due				
173 Grants Receivable - Non Current				
174 Other Assets				
176 Investments in Joint Ventures				
180 Total Non-Current Assets	\$23,538	\$23,538		\$23,538
200 Deferred Outflow of Resources				
290 Total Assets and Deferred Outflow of Resources	\$229,885	\$229,885		\$229,885 (continued)

# Webster Parish Police Jury (LA213) Minden, LA Entity Wide Balance Sheet Summary

Submission Type: Audited/Single Audit

Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2022

		14.871 Housing Choice Vouchers	<u>Subtotal</u>	EIM	Total
311 E	Bank Overdraft				
312 A	Accounts Payable <= 90 Days	\$1,168	\$1,168		\$1,168
313 A	Accounts Payable >90 Days Past Due				
321 A	Accrued Wage/Payroll Taxes Payable	\$1,180	\$1,180		\$1,180
322 A	Accrued Compensated Absences - Current Portion	\$889	\$889		\$889
324 A	Accrued Contingency Liability				
325 A	Accrued Interest Payable				
331 A	Accounts Payable - HUD PHA Programs				
332 A	Account Payable - PHA Projects				
333 A	Accounts Payable - Other Government				
341 T	Fenant Security Deposits				
342 L	Jnearned Revenue				
343 C	Current Portion of Long-term Debt - Capital Projects/Mortgage Revenue				
344 C	Current Portion of Long-term Debt - Operating Borrow ings				
345 C	Other Current Liabilities	\$2,364	\$2,364		\$2,364
346 A	Accrued Liabilities - Other				
347 lr	nter Program - Due To				
348 L	.oan Liability - Current				
310 T	otal Current Liabilities	\$5,601	\$5,601		\$5,601
351 L	ong-term Debt, Net of Current - Capital Projects/Mortgage Revenue				
352 L	ong-term Debt, Net of Current - Operating Borrow ings				
353 N	Non-current Liabilities - Other				
354 A	Accrued Compensated Absences - Non Current				
355 L	.oan Liability - Non Current				
356 F	ASB 5 Liabilities				
357 A	Accrued Pension and OPEB Liabilities				
350 T	otal Non-Current Liabilities	\$0	\$0		\$0
300 T	Total Liabilities	\$5,601	\$5,601		\$5,601
400 E	Deferred Inflow of Resources				
508.4	Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$23,538	\$23,538		\$23,538
511.4	Restricted Net Position	\$5,440	\$5,440		\$5,440
512.4	Unrestricted Net Position	\$195,306	\$195,306		\$195,306
513 T	Total Equity - Net Assets / Position	\$224,284	\$224,284		\$224,284
600 T	otal Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Equity - Net	\$229,885	\$229,885		\$229,885
					(continued)

# Webster Parish Police Jury (LA213) Minden, LA

## Entity Wide Revenue and Expense Summary

	Submission Type: Audited/Single Audit		Fiscal	Year End: 12	/31/2022
		<u>14.871 Housing</u> Choice Vouchers	Subtotal	ELIM	Total
70300	Net Tenant Rental Revenue				
	Tenant Revenue - Other				
70500	Total Tenant Revenue	\$0	\$0		\$0
70600	HUD PHA Operating Grants	\$723,348	\$723,348		\$723,348
70610	Capital Grants				
70710	Management Fee				
70720	Asset Management Fee				
70730	Book Keeping Fee				
70740	Front Line Service Fee				
70750	Other Fees				
70700	Total Fee Revenue				
70800	Other Government Grants				
71100	Investment Income - Unrestricted	\$120	\$120		\$120
71200	Mortgage Interest Income				
71300	Proceeds from Disposition of Assets Held for Sale				
71310	Cost of Sale of Assets				
71400	Fraud Recovery	\$12,010	\$12,010		\$12,010
71500	Other Revenue	\$1,665	\$1,665		\$1,665
71600	Gain or Loss on Sale of Capital Assets				
72000	Investment Income - Restricted	\$0	\$0		\$0
70000	Total Revenue	\$737,143	\$737,143		\$737,143
91100	Administrative Salaries	\$49,688	\$49,688		\$49,688
91200	Auditing Fees	\$2,229	\$2,229		\$2,229
91300	Management Fee	\$0	\$0		\$0
91310	Book-keeping Fee				
91400	Advertising and Marketing				
91500	Employee Benefit contributions - Administrative	\$7,467	\$7,467		\$7,467
91600	Office Expenses	\$12,657	\$12,657		\$12,657
91700	Legal Expense				
91800	Travel	\$700	\$700		\$700
91810	Allocated Overhead				
91900	Other				
91000	Total Operating - Administrative	\$72,741	\$72,741		\$72,741
92000	Asset Management Fee				
92100	Tenant Services - Salaries				
92200	Relocation Costs				
92300	Employee Benefit Contributions - Tenant Services				
92400	Tenant Services - Other				
92500	Total Tenant Services	\$0	\$0		\$0
					(continued)

## Webster Parish Police Jury (LA213) Minden, LA

#### Entity Wide Revenue and Expense Summary

#### Submission Type: Audited/Single Audit

Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2022

19100         Water         19420         Beckinkly         19430			<u>14.871 Housing</u> Choice Vouchers	<u>Subtotal</u>	ELIM	<u>Total</u>
93200         Beciricity         9436         9436         9436         9436           93300         Gas         94340         Full         9300         Sum of         9300         Other Utilities Expanse         9436         \$436 <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>						
93300 Gas         9300 Fuel         94100 Fuel         9400 Fuel         9430         \$436 <td>93100</td> <td>Water</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>	93100	Water				
93400       Fuel         93500       Labor         93500       Exployee Benefit Contributions - Utilities         93600       Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor       \$1,675       \$1,675         94100       Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor       \$1,675       \$1,675         94000       Total Maintenance and Operations - Ordinary Maintenance       \$1,675       \$1,675         94000       Total Maintenance and Operations Contracts       \$1,675       \$1,675         94000       Total Maintenance       \$1,675       \$1,675         9500       Poleticity Services - Labor       \$1,675       \$1,675         9500       Poleticity Services - Other Contract Costs       \$0       \$0       \$0         96000       Total Maintenance       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         96100       Poleticity Services - Other Contract Costs       \$0       \$0       \$0         96100       Total Maintenance       \$1,348       \$1,348       \$1,348         96110       Poperty Insurance       \$1,348       \$1,348       \$1,348         96110       Total Insurance Permiums       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,651         96110       Compensated Absences       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,	93200	Electricity	\$436	\$436		\$436
93500 Labor         93500 Sew er         93500 Der Utalities         93500 Ortari Utilities         93500 Total Utilities         94000 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor         94000 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Internets         94000 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Charitatis and Other         94000 Total Maintenance         9400 Total Maintenance	93300	Gas				
9900 Sew ef         9300 Employee Benefit Contributions - Uilles       \$436       \$436       \$436         94100 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94200 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Unterials and Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94300 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Contracts       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94000 Total Maintenance       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         95100 Protective Services - Unber       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         95000 Total Maintenance       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         95000 Total Maintenance       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         95000 Total Protective Services - Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         95000 Total Protective Services       \$0       \$0       \$0       \$0         96110 Unbustes Scruces - Other       \$1,348       \$1,348       \$1,348         96110 Total Maintenance       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,651         96100 Total Insurance Perturbes       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,651         96100 Total Insurance Perturbes       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,651         96200 Ded debd - Oher       \$7,514	93400	Fuel				
93700       Erptoyee Benefit Contributions - Likites       \$436       \$436       \$436         93000       Total Ulilities       \$436       \$436       \$436         94100       Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94300       Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94300       Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94300       Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94000       Total Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94000       Total Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         94000       Total Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         95000       Total Protective Services - Other       \$1,075       \$1,075       \$1,075       \$1,075         96100       Total Protective Services - Other       \$1,348       \$1,348       \$1,348       \$1,348         96120       Lobity Insurance Penduins       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,651	93500	Labor				
93800         Other Utilities         \$438         \$436         \$436           94100         Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           94200         Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Materials and Other         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           94500         Employee Benefit Contributions - Ordinary Maintenance         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           95100         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$500         \$0         \$0           95000         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$500         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$500         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$500         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$500         \$1,348         \$1,348           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract         \$50         \$1,045         \$4,053           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract         \$5,401         \$5,401         \$2,651           96120         Other Isurance         \$1,348         \$1,348         \$1,348           96100	93600	Sewer				
93000 Total Utilities         5436         5436         5436           94100 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           94200 Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Ordinary Maintenance         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           94000 Total Maintenance and Operations - Ordinary Maintenance         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           95100 Protective Services - Other         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           95000 Total Maintenance         \$0         \$0         \$0           95000 Total View Services - Other         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           95000 Total Protective Services - Other         \$0         \$0         \$0           96110 Protective Services - Other         \$1,348         \$1,348         \$1,348           96120 Lability Insurance         \$1,348         \$1,348         \$1,348           96130 Workmein Compensation         \$5,401         \$5,401         \$5,401           96200 Other General Expenses         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651           96200 Other General Expenses         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651           96200 Other General Expenses         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651           96200 Dead deb1 - Onter	93700	Employee Benefit Contributions - Utilities				
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94300       Ordinary Maintenance and Operations Contracts         94300       Employee Benefit Contributions - Ordinary Maintenance       \$1,675       \$1,675       \$1,675         95100       Protective Services - Labor       \$2000       Protective Services - Other Contract Costs       \$5000       \$000         95000       Protective Services - Other Contract Costs       \$500       \$000       \$000       \$000         95000       Total Maintenance       \$0       \$0       \$0       \$0         96110       Protective Services - Other       \$1,348       \$1,348       \$1,348         96130       Protective Services       \$0       \$0       \$0         96110       Protective Services       \$1,348       \$1,348       \$1,348         96130       Workmen's Compensation       \$4,053       \$4,053       \$4,053         96100       Total Insurance Perniums       \$5,401       \$5,401       \$5,401         96200       Other General Expenses       \$2,651       \$2,651       \$2,651         96300       Payments in Lieu of Taxes       \$30,165       \$10,165       \$10,165         96300       Payments in Lieu of Taxes       \$30,165       \$10,165       \$10,165         96300       Payments in Lieu of Taxes <t< td=""><td>94100</td><td>Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></t<>	94100	Ordinary Maintenance and Operations - Labor				
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94000         Total Maintenance         \$1,675         \$1,675         \$1,675           95100         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         95300         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         9500           95000         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$0         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$0         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$0         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$0         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$0         \$0         \$0           96110         Protective Services - Other Contract Costs         \$1,348         \$1,348         \$1,348           96120         Liability Insurance         \$4,053         \$4,053         \$4,053         \$2,651           96100         Total Insurance Premiums         \$5,401         \$5,401         \$2,651         \$2,651           96200         Compensated Absences         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,651         \$2,	94300	Ordinary Maintenance and Operations Contracts				
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#### Webster Parish Police Jury (LA213) Minden, LA Entity Wide Revenue and Expense Summary

	Submission Type: Audited/Single Audit			Year End:	12/31/2022
		<u>14.871 Housing</u> Choice Vouchers	<u>Subtotal</u>	ELIM	Total
97100	Extraordinary Maintenance				
	Casualty Losses - Non-capitalized				
	Housing Assistance Payments	\$618,535	\$618,535		\$618,535
	HAP Portability-In	+			<i></i> ,,
	Depreciation Expense	\$2,888	\$2,888		\$2,888
	Fraud Losses	, ,	,,		, ,
	Capital Outlays - Governmental Funds				
	Debt Principal Payment - Governmental Funds				
	Dw elling Units Rent Expense				
	Total Expenses	\$711,841	\$711,841		\$711,841
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	Operating Transfer In				
	Operating transfer Out				
	Operating Transfers from/to Primary Government				
	Operating Transfers from/to Component Unit				
	Proceeds from Notes, Loans and Bonds				
	Proceeds from Property Sales				
	Extraordinary Items, Net Gain/Loss				
	Special Items (Net Gain/Loss)				
	Inter Project Excess Cash Transfer In				
	Inter Project Excess Cash Transfer Out				
	Transfers between Program and Project - In				
	Transfers between Project and Program - Out	<b>*</b> 0	<b>*</b> 0		<b>*</b> 0
10100	Total Other financing Sources (Uses)	\$0	\$0		\$0
10000	Excess (Deficiency) of Total Revenue Over (Under) Total Expenses	\$25,302	\$25,302		\$25,302
11020	Required Annual Debt Principal Payments	\$0	\$0		\$0
11030	Beginning Equity	\$198,982	\$198,982		\$198,982
11040	Prior Period Adjustments, Equity Transfers and Correction of Errors	\$0	\$0		\$0
11050	Changes in Compensated Absence Balance				
11060	Changes in Contingent Liability Balance				
11070	Changes in Unrecognized Pension Transition Liability				
11080	Changes in Special Term/Severance Benefits Liability				
11090	Changes in Allow ance for Doubtful Accounts - Dw elling Rents				
11100	Changes in Allow ance for Doubtful Accounts - Other				
11170	Administrative Fee Equity	\$218,844	\$218,844		\$218,844
11180	Housing Assistance Payments Equity	\$5,440	\$5,440		\$5,440
	Unit Months Available	1661	1661		1661
	Number of Unit Months Leased	1661	1661		1661
	Excess Cash				
	Land Purchases				
	Building Purchases				
	Furniture & Equipment - Dw elling Purchases				
	Furniture & Equipment - Administrative Purchases				
	Leasehold Improvements Purchases				
	Infrastructure Purchases				

13901 Replacement Housing Factor Funds



# Other Reports Required by *Government Auditing Standards* and Uniform Guidance

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

#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

**Board Members** Webster Parish Office of Community Services A Component Unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury Minden, Louisiana

We have audited, 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 (Government Auditing Standards), the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Webster Parish Office of Community Services, a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Office of Community Services' basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 30, 2023.

#### **Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Office of Community Services' internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing 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 Office of Community Services' internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Office of Community Services' internal control.

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

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

#### **Report on Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Office of Community Services' 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 financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Office of the Louisiana Legislative Auditor as a public document.

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Monroe, Louisiana June 30, 2023

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#### Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program; and Report on Internal Control over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance

#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

Board Members Webster Parish Office of Community Services A Component Unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury Minden, Louisiana

#### **Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program**

#### **Opinion on Each Major Federal Program**

We have audited Webster Parish Office of Community Services, a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury's, compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Office of Community Services' major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2022. The Office of Community Services' major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

In our opinion, the Office of Community Services complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2022.

#### Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Office of Community Services and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Office of Community Services' compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

#### **Responsibilities of Management for Compliance**

Management is responsible for compliance with the federal requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules, and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the Office of Community Services' federal programs.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the Office of Community Services' compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgement made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the Office of Community Services' compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance, we

- exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the Office of Community Services' compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- obtain an understanding of the Office of Community Services' internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Office of Community Services' internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

#### **Other Matters**

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed instances of noncompliance which are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as items 2022-001 and 2022-002. Our opinion on each major federal program is not modified with respect to these matters.

*Government Auditing Standards* requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the Office of Community Services' response to the noncompliance findings identified in our compliance audit described in the corrective action plan for current year findings and questioned costs. The Office of Community Services' response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

#### **Report on Internal Control over Compliance**

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exit that were not identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we did identify certain deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be significant deficiencies.

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 a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program 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 is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over 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. We consider the deficiencies in internal control over compliance described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as items 2022-001 and 2022-002 to be significant deficiencies.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

*Government Auditing Standards* requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the Office of Community Services' response to the internal control over compliance findings identified in our audit described in the corrective action plan for current year findings and questioned costs. The Office of Community Services' response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Office of the Louisiana Legislative Auditor as a public document.

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Monroe, Louisiana June 30, 2023

# Webster Parish Office of Community Services Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Exhibit 7

FEDERAL GRANTOR/ PASS-THROUGH GRANTOR/PROGRAM NAME	AL <u>Number</u>	Pass-Through _Grantor No.	Expenditures		
FEDERAL AWARDS					
United States Department of Agriculture					
Passed through the State of Louisiana Department of Education: Child and Adult Care Food Program – Family Day Care Child and Adult Care Food Program – Head Start Food Service Total Child and Adult Care Food Program	10.558	FY2021 & FY 2022 FY2021 & FY 2022	\$ 836,203 201,573 \$ 1,037,776		
Total U. S. Department of Agriculture United States Department of Housing and Urban Development			1,037,776		
Direct Programs: Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers Cluster	14.871	LA213	723,348		
<ul> <li>United States Department of Transportation</li> <li>Passed Through Webster Parish Police Jury</li> <li>FTA Section 5311</li> <li>COVID-19 FTA Section 5311</li> <li>U. S. Department of Health and Human Services</li> <li>Direct programs:</li> </ul>	20.509	LA-2020-007	193,466 197,523 390,989		
Head Start Cluster					
Head Start COVID-19 Head Start	93.600	06CH01155702 06CH01218901 06HE00038101C5 06HE00038101C6	2,451,975 204,1112,656,086		
Passed Through Louisiana Office of Workforce Development: Community Services Block Grant (477 Cluster)					
Community Services Block Grant	93.569	2020P0012	150,564		
Passed Through Louisiana Housing Corporation: Low Income Home Energy Assistance COVID-19 Low Income Home Energy Assistance (ARP)	93.568	FY2021 & FY 2022	599,584           28,146         627,730		
Total Department of Health and Human Services TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			3,434,380 \$ 5,586,493		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the schedule.

# Webster Parish Office of Community Services Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

**NOTE 1 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION** The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of Webster Parish Office of Community Services, a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury, under programs of the federal government for the year ended December 31, 2022. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the Webster Parish Office of Community Services, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, or cash flows of the Office of Community Services.

**NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the modified accrual basis of accounting except for Section 8 Voucher which is reported on the full accrual basis which is described in Note 1 of the Notes to the Financial Statements of the Office of Community Service's annual financial report. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

**NOTE 3 - RELATIONSHIP TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** Federal awards revenues are reported in the Office of Community Services' fund financial statements as follows:

	Federal Sources
Major:	
Headstart	\$ 2,656,086
Transportation	390,989
Food	1,037,776
CSBG	150,564
LIHEAP Energy	627,730
Total governmental funds	4,863,145
Business-Type Activities	
Section 8 Voucher	723,348
Total	\$ 5,586,493

**NOTE 4 - RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL FINANCIAL REPORTS** Amounts reported in the accompanying schedule agree with the amounts reported in the related federal financial reports except for changes made to reflect amounts in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

**NOTE 5 - MATCHING REVENUES AND STATE FUNDING** For those funds that have matching revenues and state funding, federal expenditures were determined by deducting matching revenues from total expenditures.

**NOTE 6 - DE MINIMUS INDIRECT COST RATE** The Office of Community Services has not elected to utilize the 10% de minimus indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

# Webster Parish Office of Community Services Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

# PART I - Summary of the Auditor's Results

## **Financial Statement Audit**

- i. The type of audit report issued was unmodified.
- ii. There were no significant deficiencies required to be disclosed by Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States of America.
- iii. There were no instances of noncompliance considered material to the financial statements, as defined by Government Auditing Standards.

# **Audit of Federal Awards**

- iv. There were significant deficiencies identified that are required to be disclosed by the Uniform Guidance (2 CFR 200). The significant deficiencies were not considered to be a material weakness.
- v. The type of report the auditor issued on compliance for major programs was unmodified.
- vi. The audit disclosed two compliance audit findings which the auditor is required to report under Uniform Guidance.

vii.	The major federal programs are:	
	Child and Adult Care Food Program	AL#10.558
	Head Start Cluster	AL#93.600

- viii. The dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs as described in the Uniform Guidance was \$750,000.
- ix. The auditee does not qualify as a low-risk auditee under the Uniform Guidance.

# Webster Parish Office of Community Services Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Part III – Findings and questioned costs for federal awards which are required to be reported under the Uniform Guidance:

# Reference # and Title:2022-001Allowable Costs in Head Start

**Entity-wide or program/department specific:** This finding relates to the Head Start grant program AL#93.600 for the federal award year 2022 received directly from the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services.

<u>Criteria or specific requirement</u>: In order to receive cost reimbursement under Head Start, the Office of Community Services submits claims asserting that allowable and eligible costs have been incurred in accordance with 2 CFR part 200, subpart E.

<u>Condition found</u>: Administrative salaries are allocated among the federal grants based on a cost allocation that is set up in the payroll module at the beginning of the year. The allocation of salaries and benefits was incorrect based on time sheets prepared by some administrative staff which denote the percentage of time spent on each grant. Salaries and benefits in the Transportation program were understated based on the time sheets for that program. Salaries and benefits in the Head Start program were overstated. The salaries and benefits that were recorded in the Head Start fund were reimbursed through the Head Start grant. An adjusting entry was made to move the salaries and benefits to the correct fund which resulted in an overpayment from Head Start of \$31,729. Other salary-related benefit errors were noted in the calculation of worker's compensation and health insurance which resulted in a net overpayment from Head Start of \$12,170. A conference cancelation which had already been paid for and requested resulted in an overpayment of \$6,937. Total questioned costs were \$50,836.

**Identification of Questioned Costs:** Time sheets were used to calculate the salaries and benefits understatement in the Transportation program for each month. This was compared to the amount that was charged to other programs. Accruals for worker's compensation and health insurance benefits were compared to amounts billed to arrive at the amount of the error in employee benefits. These questioned costs were received under grant #06CH01155702.

**Context:** A finding was reported in the prior year regarding the incorrect allocation of salaries and benefits. This error continued in the months of January through June in 2022. Other salary related benefits errors were noted in analysis of expenditure accounts for worker's compensation and health insurance. The conference was actually paid for in September of 2021 and was reimbursed to the Office of Community Services in January 2022 but the money had already been requested.

<u>Cause</u>: The cost allocation for several administrative employees was not correct in the payroll system for the months January through June 2022. The calculation of worker's compensation and health insurance benefits was not correct.

**Effect:** The Head Start program was charged for some administrative salaries and benefits that were reimbursed by another program and was also overcharged for some other salary related benefits.

**Recommendation to prevent future occurrences:** Time sheets should be used to record salaries and benefits for each grant instead of the cost allocation. The amounts that were overcharged to Head Start should be repaid. Expenditures for salary related benefits such as worker's compensation and health insurance should be reviewed monthly to ensure these amounts are correctly calculated and recorded.

**Origination date and prior year reference (if applicable):** This finding originated in the prior year.

**View of responsible official:** All employees paid by cost allocation will be charged to the programs based on time sheets. This was fully implemented June 15, 2022.

# Webster Parish Office of Community Services Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

# Reference # and Title:2022-002Enrollment Documentation

**Entity-wide or program/department specific:** This finding relates to the Child and Adult Care Food Program AL#10.558 for the federal award year 2022 received from the U. S. Department of Agriculture passed through the Louisiana Department of Education.

<u>Criteria or specific requirement</u>: Day care providers should have an approved application form for all children for whom reimbursement is requested. These applications are completed by the parent or guardian and approved by personnel of the Office of Community Services.

<u>Condition found</u>: Samples were selected for testing of disbursements to providers, eligibility, and cash management. For all samples, application or enrollment forms were requested for all children associated with that payment or provider. Six exceptions were noted where enrollment documentation was not provided.

**Context:** A total of 66 payments to providers were selected in testing different compliance requirements.

<u>Cause</u>: Documentation was not provided in the exceptions noted above.

**Effect:** Some payments to providers may not have the required enrollment forms.

**<u>Recommendation to prevent future occurrences</u>:** Provider files should be reviewed to ensure that files are complete and enrollment forms should be obtained for those not located.

**Origination date and prior year reference (if applicable):** This finding originated in the current year.

**View of responsible official:** Provider files will be reviewed to ensure that files are complete and enrollment forms should be obtained for those not located.

# Webster Parish Office of Community Services Status of Prior Year Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

## Reference # and Title:2021-001Advertising the Budget

### Entity-wide or program/department specific: This finding is entity-wide.

**Condition:** Louisiana Revised Statute 39:1306 requires that political subdivisions with a governing authority shall complete a proposed budget and submit it to the governing authority of the political subdivision no later than 15 days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year. The governing authority should make it available for public inspection as provided for in Louisiana Revised Statute 39:1308. The budget for the Office of Community Services was not submitted to the Webster Parish Police Jury.

<u>Corrective action taken</u>: Our budgets are presented to the agencies' board of directors and are now presented to the Webster Parish Police Jury. This finding is considered to be cleared.

# Reference # and Title:2021-002Accounting for Grants

Entity-wide or program/department specific: This finding relates to cost reimbursement funds.

**Condition:** Cost reimbursement grants are reimbursed based on the expenditures for that grant. The total revenue and total expenditures for cost reimbursement grants should agree. Revenues and expenditures should be reconciled each month to ensure that all eligible expenditures are reimbursed. Salaries and benefits expenditures charged to grants should be based on actual time spent on those grants. Several grant funds that were cost reimbursement grants ended the year with an excess or deficiency. There was no monitoring of these funds during the year to ensure that revenues agreed with expenditures in the general ledger. Salaries and benefits of four administrative employees were allocated based on a cost allocation plan. These employees also completed time sheets which did not agree with the cost allocation.

**<u>Corrective action taken:</u>** The Executive Director reviews the financial statements on a regular basis. The financial statements are reconciled monthly by the Fiscal Director and are presented to the Executive Director upon monthly completion. This finding is considered to be cleared.

# Reference # and Title:2021-003Late Submission of the Audit Report to the LegislativeAuditor

**Condition:** Louisiana Revised Statue (R.S.) 24:513 (audit law) establishes the due date of audit reports as no later than six months after the fiscal year end. An audit that is submitted past the statutory due date must include a finding for the non-compliance with the audit law except when an emergency extension request has been approved. The report was filed after the six month deadline and the agency did not have an emergency extension.

**Corrective action taken:** The current year report will be filed timely. This finding is considered to be cleared.

# Reference # and Title:2021-004Allowable Costs in Head Start

**Entity-wide or program/department specific:** This finding relates to the Head Start grant program AL#93.600 for the federal award year 2021 received directly from the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services.

<u>Condition</u>: In order to receive cost reimbursement under Head Start, the Office of Community Services submits claims asserting that allowable and eligible costs have been incurred in accordance with 2 CFR part 200, subpart E.

# Webster Parish Office of Community Services Status of Prior Year Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended December 31, 2022

Administrative salaries are allocated among the federal grants based on a cost allocation that is set up in the payroll module at the beginning of the year. The allocation of salaries and benefits was incorrect based on time sheets prepared by administrative staff which denotes the percentage of time spent on each grant. Salaries and benefits in the Transportation program was understated based on the time sheets for that program. Salaries and benefits in the Head Start program were overstated. The salaries and benefits that were recorded in the Head Start fund were reimbursed through the Head Start grant. An audit adjustment was made to move the salaries and benefits to the correct fund which resulted in an overpayment from Head Start of \$61,979. This error actually began in the prior year and an overpayment of \$46,976 was noted for that year.

**<u>Corrective action planned:</u>** See Corrective Action Plan for current year finding 2022-001.

# Reference # and Title:2021-005Section 8 HQS Inspections and Enforcement

**Entity-wide or program/department specific:** This finding relates to the Section 8 Voucher program AL#14.871 for the federal award year 2021 received directly from the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

**<u>Condition</u>**: For units under HAP contract that fail to meet housing quality standards (HQS), the Office of Community Services must require the owner to correct any life threatening HQS deficiencies within 24 hours after the inspections and all other HQS deficiencies within 30 calendar days or within a specified Office of Community Services approved extension. A sample of inspections was selected to test for repairs being completed within the required time. Documentation of the repairs for 2 of the units was not available and was requested and received from the apartment manager. One unit which had deficiencies was repaired within the 30 day timeline but appears to be emergency repairs which should have been repaired within 24 hours.

<u>Corrective action taken</u>: A list of housing quality standards that fall under the 24 hour life threatening and deficiencies withing 30 calendar days are taken to each inspection. This allows the inspector to immediately identify the deficiency category and implement the proper corrective action. This finding is considered to be cleared.

# Reference # and Title:2021-006Section 8 Rent Reasonableness

**Entity-wide or program/department specific:** This finding relates to the Section 8 Voucher program AL#14.871 for the federal award year 2021 received directly from the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

<u>Condition</u>: The Office of Community Services must determine that the rent to owner is reasonable at the time of initial leasing, before any increase in the rent to owner, and at the HAP anniversary if there is a 5% decrease in the published Fair Market Rent in effect 60 days before the HAP contract anniversary. Office of Community Services was using a computer program to do the rent reasonableness testing but was not using this information to determine reasonable rent. Several units were entered as the wrong type of dwelling in the computer program and appeared to not be reasonable. Once the unit type was corrected, the units then met the reasonableness test.

<u>Corrective action taken</u>: Procedures were put into place to establish rent reasonableness. This finding is considered to be cleared.

Webster Parish Office of Community Services

# **OTHER INFORMATION**



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June 29, 2023

Corrective Action Plan for 2022 Audit

### Allowable Costs in Head Start:

All employees paid by Cost Allocation will be charged to the programs based on time sheets, this was fully implemented June 15, 2022.

### **Enrollment Documentation in Child and Adult Care Food:**

Provider files will be reviewed to ensure that files are complete and enrollment forms should be obtained for those not located.

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# **AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES**



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# **INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON APPLYING STATEWIDE AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES**

**Board Members** Webster Parish Office of Community Services A Component Unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury Minden, Louisiana

We have performed the procedures enumerated below on the control and compliance (C/C) areas identified in the Louisiana Legislative Auditor's (LLA's) Statewide Agreed-Upon Procedures (SAUPs) for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022. Webster Parish Office of Community Services, a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury's, management is responsible for those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs.

The Office of Community Services and the Louisiana Legislative Auditor of the State of Louisiana (the specified parties) have agreed to and acknowledged that the procedures performed are appropriate to meet the intended purpose of the engagement, which is to perform specified procedures on the C/C areas identified in LLA's SAUPs for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022. Additionally, LLA has agreed to and acknowledged that the procedures performed are appropriate for its purposes. This report may not be suitable for any other purpose. The procedures performed may not address all the items of interest to a user of this report and may not meet the needs of all users of this report and, as such, users are responsible for determining whether the procedures performed are appropriate for their purposes.

The procedures and associated findings are as follows:

# 1) Written Policies and Procedures

- A. Obtain and inspect the entity's written policies and procedures and observe whether they address each of the following categories and subcategories if applicable to public funds and the entity's operations
  - i. Budgeting, including preparing, adopting, monitoring, and amending the budget.
  - *Purchasing*, including (1) how purchases are initiated; (2) how vendors are added to the ii. vendor list; (3) the preparation and approval process of purchase requisitions and purchase orders; (4) controls to ensure compliance with the Public Bid Law; and (5) documentation required to be maintained for all bids and price quotes.
- iii. Disbursements, including processing, reviewing, and approving.

- iv. *Receipts/Collections*, including receiving, recording, and preparing deposits. Also, policies and procedures should include management's actions to determine the completeness of all collections for each type of revenue or agency fund additions (e.g., periodic confirmation with outside parties, reconciliation to utility billing after cutoff procedures, reconciliation of traffic ticket number sequences, agency fund forfeiture monies confirmation).
- v. *Payroll/Personnel*, including (1) payroll processing, (2) reviewing and approving time and attendance records, including leave and overtime worked, and (3) approval process for employee(s) rate of pay or approval and maintenance of pay rate schedules.
- vi. *Contracting*, including (1) types of services requiring written contracts, (2) standard terms and conditions, (3) legal review, (4) approval process, and (5) monitoring process.
- vii. *Travel and Expense Reimbursement*, including (1) allowable expenses, (2) dollar thresholds by category of expense, (3) documentation requirements, and (4) required approvers.
- viii. *Credit Cards (and debit cards, fuel cards, P-Cards, if applicable)*, including (1) how cards are to be controlled, (2) allowable business uses, (3) documentation requirements, (4) required approvers of statements, and (5) monitoring card usage (e.g., determining the reasonableness of fuel card purchases).
  - ix. *Ethics* including (1) the prohibitions as defined in Louisiana Revised Statute (R.S.) 42:1111-1121, (2) actions to be taken if an ethics violation takes place, (3) system to monitor possible ethics violations, and (4) a requirement that documentation is maintained to demonstrate that all employees and officials were notified of any changes to the entity's ethics policy.
  - x. *Debt Service*, including (1) debt issuance approval, (2) continuing disclosure/EMMA reporting requirements, (3) debt reserve requirements, and (4) debt service requirements.
  - xi. *Information Technology Disaster Recovery/Business Continuity*, including (1) identification of critical data and frequency of data backups, (2) storage of backups in a separate physical location isolated from the network, (3) periodic testing/verification that backups can be restored, (4) use of antivirus software on all systems, (5) timely application of all available system and software patches/updates, and (6) identification of personnel, processes, and tools needed to recover operations after a critical event.
- xii. *Sexual Harassment*, including R.S. 42:342-344 requirements for (1) agency responsibilities and prohibitions, (2) annual employee training, and (3) annual reporting.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 2) Board or Finance Committee

- A. Obtain and inspect the board/finance committee minutes for the fiscal period, as well as the board's enabling legislation, charter, bylaws, or equivalent document in effect during the fiscal period, and:
  - i. Observe that the board/finance committee met with a quorum at least monthly, or on a frequency in accordance with the board's enabling legislation, charter, bylaws, or other equivalent document.

- ii. For those entities reporting on the governmental accounting model, observe whether the minutes referenced or included monthly budget-to-actual comparisons on the general fund, quarterly budget-to-actual, at a minimum, on proprietary funds, and semi-annual budget- to-actual, at a minimum, on all special revenue funds. *Alternately, for those entities reporting on the nonprofit accounting model, observe that the minutes referenced or included financial activity relating to public funds if those public funds comprised more than 10% of the entity's collections during the fiscal period.*
- iii. For governmental entities, obtain the prior year audit report and observe the unassigned fund balance in the general fund. If the general fund had a negative ending unassigned fund balance in the prior year audit report, observe that the minutes for at least one meeting during the fiscal period referenced or included a formal plan to eliminate the negative unassigned fund balance in the general fund.
- iv. Observe whether the board/finance committee received written updates of the progress of resolving audit findings, according to management's corrective action plan at each meeting until the findings are considered fully resolved.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 3) Bank Reconciliations

- A. Obtain a listing of entity bank accounts for the fiscal period from management and management's representation that the listing is complete. Ask management to identify the entity's main operating account. Select the entity's main operating account and randomly select 4 additional accounts (or all accounts if less than 5). Randomly select one month from the fiscal period, obtain and inspect the corresponding bank statement and reconciliation for each selected account, and observe that:
  - i. Bank reconciliations include evidence that they were prepared within 2 months of the related statement closing date (e.g., initialed and dated or electronically logged);
  - ii. Bank reconciliations include evidence that a member of management/board member who does not handle cash, post ledgers, or issue checks has reviewed each bank reconciliation (e.g., initialed and dated, electronically logged); and
- iii. Management has documentation reflecting it has researched reconciling items that have been outstanding for more than 12 months from the statement closing date, if applicable.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 4) Collections (excluding electronic funds transfers)

- A. Obtain a listing of deposit sites for the fiscal period where deposits for cash/checks/money orders (cash) are prepared and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 deposit sites (or all deposit sites if less than 5).
- B. For each deposit site selected, obtain a listing of collection locations and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select one collection location for each deposit site (i.e., 5 collection locations for 5 deposit sites), obtain and inspect written policies

and procedures relating to employee job duties (if no written policies or procedures, inquire of employees about their job duties) at each collection location, and observe that job duties are properly segregated at each collection location such that:

- i. Employees responsible for cash collections do not share cash drawers/registers.
- ii. Each employee responsible for collecting cash is not responsible for preparing/making bank deposits, unless another employee/official is responsible for reconciling collection documentation (e.g., pre-numbered receipts) to the deposit.
- iii. Each employee responsible for collecting cash is not responsible for posting collection entries to the general ledger or subsidiary ledgers, unless another employee/official is responsible for reconciling ledger postings to each other and to the deposit; and
- iv. The employee(s) responsible for reconciling cash collections to the general ledger and/or subsidiary ledgers, by revenue source and/or agency fund additions, are not responsible for collecting cash, unless another employee/official verifies the reconciliation.
- C. Obtain from management a copy of the bond or insurance policy for theft covering all employees who have access to cash. Observe the bond or insurance policy for theft was enforced during the fiscal period.
- D. Randomly select two deposit dates for each of the 5 bank accounts selected for procedure #3A under "Bank Reconciliations" above (select the next deposit date chronologically if no deposits were made on the dates randomly selected and randomly select a deposit if multiple deposits are made on the same day). *Alternately, the practitioner may use a source document other than bank statements when selecting the deposit dates for testing, such as a cash collection log, daily revenue report, receipt book, etc.* Obtain supporting documentation for each of the 10 deposits and:
  - i. Observe that receipts are sequentially pre-numbered.
  - ii. Trace sequentially pre-numbered receipts, system reports, and other related collection documentation to the deposit slip.
- iii. Trace the deposit slip total to the actual deposit per the bank statement.
- iv. Observe the deposit was made within one business day of receipt at the collection location (within one week if the depository is more than 10 miles from the collection location or the deposit is less than \$100 and the cash is stored securely in a locked safe or drawer).
- v. Trace the actual deposit per the bank statement to the general ledger.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 5) Non-Payroll Disbursements (excluding card purchases/payments, travel reimbursements, and petty cash purchases)

- A. Obtain a listing of locations that process payments for the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 locations (or all locations if less than 5).
- B. For each location selected under #5A above, obtain a listing of those employees involved with non-payroll purchasing and payment functions. Obtain written policies and procedures relating to employee job duties (if the agency has no written policies and procedures, inquire of employees about their job duties), and observe that job duties are properly segregated such that:
  - i. At least two employees are involved in initiating a purchase request, approving a purchase, and placing an order/making the purchase.
  - ii. At least two employees are involved in processing and approving payments to vendors.
- iii. The employee responsible for processing payments is prohibited from adding/modifying vendor files, unless another employee is responsible for periodically reviewing changes to vendor files.
- iv. Either the employee/official responsible for signing checks mails the payment or gives the signed checks to an employee to mail who is not responsible for processing payments; and
- v. Only employees/officials authorized to sign checks approve the electronic disbursement (release) of funds, whether through automated clearinghouse (ACH), electronic funds transfer (EFT), wire transfer, or some other electronic means.

[Note: Exceptions to controls that constrain the legal authority of certain public officials (e.g., mayor of a Lawrason Act municipality) should not be reported.]

- C. For each location selected under #5A above, obtain the entity's non-payroll disbursement transaction population (excluding cards and travel reimbursements) and obtain management's representation that the population is complete. Randomly select 5 disbursements for each location, obtain supporting documentation for each transaction, and:
  - i. Observe whether the disbursement matched the related original itemized invoice and supporting documentation indicates deliverables included on the invoice were received by the entity.
  - ii. Observe whether the disbursement documentation included evidence (e.g., initial/date, electronic logging) of segregation of duties tested under #5B, as applicable.
- D. Using the entity's main operating account and the month selected in Bank Reconciliations procedure #3A, randomly select 5 non-payroll-related electronic disbursements (or all electronic disbursements if less than 5) and observe that each electronic disbursement was (a) approved by only those persons authorized to disburse funds (e.g., sign checks) per the entity's policy, and (b) approved by the required number of authorized signers per the entity's policy. Note: If no electronic payments were made from the main operating account during the month selected the practitioner should select an alternative month and/or account for testing that does include electronic disbursements.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 6) Credit Cards/Debit Cards/Fuel Cards/P-Cards

- A. Obtain from management a listing of all active credit cards, bank debit cards, fuel cards, and Pcards (cards) for the fiscal period, including the card numbers and the names of the persons who maintained possession of the cards. Obtain management's representation that the listing is complete.
- B. Using the listing prepared by management, randomly select 5 cards (or all cards if less than 5) that were used during the fiscal period. Randomly select one monthly statement or combined statement for each card (for a debit card, randomly select one monthly bank statement), obtain supporting documentation, and:
  - i. Observe whether there is evidence that the monthly statement or combined statement and supporting documentation (e.g., original receipts for credit/debit card purchases, exception reports for excessive fuel card usage) were reviewed and approved, in writing (or electronically approved), by someone other than the authorized card holder. [Note: Requiring such approval may constrain the legal authority of certain public officials (e.g., mayor of a Lawrason Act municipality); these instances should not be reported.]; and
  - ii. Observe that finance charges and late fees were not assessed on the selected statements.
- C. Using the monthly statements or combined statements selected under #6B above, <u>excluding fuel</u> <u>cards</u>, randomly select 10 transactions (or all transactions if less than 10) from each statement, and obtain supporting documentation for the transactions (i.e., each card should have 10 transactions subject to testing). For each transaction, observe it is supported by (1) an original itemized receipt that identifies precisely what was purchased, (2) written documentation of the business/public purpose, and (3) documentation of the individuals participating in meals (for meal charges only). For missing receipts, the practitioner should describe the nature of the transaction and note whether management had a compensating control to address missing receipts, such as a "missing receipt statement" that is subject to increased scrutiny.

**<u>Comment</u>**: Two exceptions noted where original receipts were not included in the monthly statements for fuel and one exception noted where a payment included interest.

<u>Management's Response</u>: All receipts for all per diem and credit cards will be obtained and retained in the applicable file according to statement by month.

# 7) Travel and Travel-Related Expense Reimbursements (excluding card transactions)

A. Obtain from management a listing of all travel and travel-related expense reimbursements during the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing or general ledger is complete. Randomly select 5 reimbursements, obtain the related expense reimbursement forms/prepaid expense documentation of each selected reimbursement, as well as the supporting documentation. For each of the 5 reimbursements selected:

- i. If reimbursed using a per diem, observe the approved reimbursement rate is no more than those rates established either by the State of Louisiana or the U.S. General Services Administration (www.gsa.gov).
- ii. If reimbursed using actual costs, observe the reimbursement is supported by an original itemized receipt that identifies precisely what was purchased.
- iii. Observe each reimbursement is supported by documentation of the business/public purpose (for meal charges, observe that the documentation includes the names of those individuals participating) and other documentation required by Written Policies and Procedures procedure #1A(vii); and
- iv. Observe each reimbursement was reviewed and approved, in writing, by someone other than the person receiving reimbursement.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 8) Contracts

- A. Obtain from management a listing of all agreements/contracts for professional services, materials and supplies, leases, and construction activities that were initiated or renewed during the fiscal period. *Alternately, the practitioner may use an equivalent selection source, such as an active vendor list.* Obtain management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 contracts (or all contracts if less than 5) from the listing, <u>excluding the practitioner's contract, and:</u>
  - i.Observe whether the contract was bid in accordance with the Louisiana Public Bid Law (e.g., solicited quotes or bids, advertised), if required by law.
  - ii.Observe whether the contract was approved by the governing body/board, if required by policy or law (e.g., Lawrason Act, Home Rule Charter).
- iii.If the contract was amended (e.g., change order), observe the original contract terms provided for such an amendment and that amendments were made in compliance with the contract terms (e.g., if approval is required for any amendment, was approval documented).
- iv.Randomly select one payment from the fiscal period for each of the 5 contracts, obtain the supporting invoice, agree the invoice to the contract terms, and observe the invoice and related payment agreed to the terms and conditions of the contract.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 9) Payroll and Personnel

A. Obtain a listing of employees and officials employed during the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 employees or officials, obtain related paid salaries and personnel files, and agree paid salaries to authorized salaries/pay rates in the personnel files.

- B. Randomly select one pay period during the fiscal period. For the 5 employees or officials selected under #9A above, obtain attendance records and leave documentation for the pay period, and:
  - i. Observe all selected employees or officials documented their daily attendance and leave (e.g., vacation, sick, compensatory). (Note: Generally, officials are not eligible to earn leave and do not document their attendance and leave. However, if the official is earning leave according to a policy and/or contract, the official should document his/her daily attendance and leave.)
  - ii. Observe whether supervisors approved the attendance and leave of the selected employees or officials.
- iii. Observe any leave accrued or taken during the pay period is reflected in the entity's cumulative leave records.
- iv. Observe the rate paid to the employees or officials agree to the authorized salary/pay rate found within the personnel file.
- C. Obtain a listing of those employees or officials that received termination payments during the fiscal period and management's representation that the list is complete. Randomly select two employees or officials, obtain related documentation of the hours and pay rates used in management's termination payment calculations and the entity's policy on termination payments. Agree the hours to the employee or officials' cumulative leave records, agree the pay rates to the employee or officials' authorized pay rates in the employee or officials' personnel files, and agree the termination payment to entity policy.
- D. Obtain management's representation that employer and employee portions of third-party payroll related amounts (e.g., payroll taxes, retirement contributions, health insurance premiums, garnishments, workers' compensation premiums, etc.) have been paid, and any associated forms have been filed, by required deadlines.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 10) Ethics

- A. Using the 5 randomly selected employees/officials from procedure #9A under "Payroll and Personnel" above, obtain ethics documentation from management, and:
  - a. Observe whether the documentation demonstrates each employee/official completed one hour of ethics training during the calendar year as required by R.S. 42:1170; and
  - b. Observe whether the entity maintains documentation which demonstrates each employee and official were notified of any changes to the entity's ethics policy during the fiscal period, as applicable.
- B. Inquire and/or observe whether the agency has appointed an ethics designee as required by R.S. 42:1170.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 11) Debt Service

- A. Obtain a listing of bonds/notes and other debt instruments issued during the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Select all debt instruments on the listing, obtain supporting documentation, and observe that State Bond Commission approval was obtained for each debt instrument issued as required by Article VII, Section 8 of the Louisiana Constitution.
- B. Obtain a listing of bonds/notes outstanding at the end of the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select one bond/note, inspect debt covenants, obtain supporting documentation for the reserve balance and payments, and agree actual reserve balances and payments to those required by debt covenants (including contingency funds, short-lived asset funds, or other funds required by the debt covenants).

**<u>Comment</u>**: Webster Parish Office of Community Services has no debt issued in the current year nor outstanding from prior years.

# 12) Fraud Notice

- A. Obtain a listing of misappropriations of public funds and assets during the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Select all misappropriations on the listing, obtain supporting documentation, and observe that the entity reported the misappropriation(s) to the legislative auditor and the district attorney of the parish in which the entity is domiciled as required by R.S. 24:523.
- B. Observe the entity has posted, on its premises and website, the notice required by R.S. 24:523.1 concerning the reporting of misappropriation, fraud, waste, or abuse of public funds.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

# 13) Information Technology Disaster Recovery/Business Continuity

- A. Perform the following procedures, verbally discuss the results with management, and report "We performed the procedure and discussed the results with management."
  - i. Obtain and inspect the entity's most recent documentation that it has backed up its critical data (if no written documentation, inquire of personnel responsible for backing up critical data) and observe evidence that such backup (a) occurred within the past week, (b) was not stored on the government's local server or network, and (c) was encrypted.
  - ii. Obtain and inspect the entity's most recent documentation that it has tested/verified that its backups can be restored (if no written documentation, inquire of personnel responsible for

testing/verifying backup restoration) and observe evidence that the test/verification was successfully performed within the past 3 months.

- iii. Obtain a listing of the entity's computers currently in use and their related locations, and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 computers and observe while management demonstrates that the selected computers have current and active antivirus software and that the operating system and accounting system software in use are currently supported by the vendor.
- B. Randomly select 5 terminated employees (or all terminated employees if less than 5) using the list of terminated employees obtained in procedure #9C. Observe evidence that the selected terminated employees have been removed or disabled from the network.

**<u>Comment</u>**: We performed the procedure and discussed the results with management.

# 14) Prevention of Sexual Harassment

- A. Using the 5 randomly selected employees/officials from procedure #9A under "Payroll and Personnel" above, obtain sexual harassment training documentation from management, and observe the documentation demonstrates each employee/official completed at least one hour of sexual harassment training during the calendar year as required by R.S. 42:343.
- B. Observe the entity has posted its sexual harassment policy and complaint procedure on its website (or in a conspicuous location on the entity's premises if the entity does not have a website).
- C. Obtain the entity's annual sexual harassment report for the current fiscal period, observe that the report was dated on or before February 1, and observe it includes the applicable requirements of R.S. 42:344:
  - i. Number and percentage of public servants in the agency who have completed the training requirements;
  - ii. Number of sexual harassment complaints received by the agency;
  - iii. Number of complaints which resulted in a finding that sexual harassment occurred;
  - iv. Number of complaints in which the finding of sexual harassment resulted in discipline or corrective action; and
  - v. Amount of time it took to resolve each complaint.

**<u>Comment</u>**: No exceptions were noted as a result of applying the agreed upon procedures.

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We were engaged by Webster Parish Office of Community Services, a component unit of the Webster Parish Police Jury, to perform this agreed-upon procedures engagement and conducted our engagement in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and applicable standards of *Government Auditing Standards*. We were not engaged to and did not conduct an examination or review engagement, the objective of which

would be the expression of an opinion or conclusion, respectively, on those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion or conclusion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

We are required to be independent of the Office of Community Services and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements related to our agreed-upon procedures engagement.

This report is intended solely to describe the scope of testing performed on those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs, and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on control or compliance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the LLA as a public document.

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Monroe, Louisiana June 30, 2023