Jefferson County, Arkansas

Regulatory Basis Financial Statements and Other Reports

December 31, 2012



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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Jefferson County, Arkansas Officials and Quorum Court Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements of the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Jefferson County, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2012 as listed in the table of contents, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of Arkansas Code, as described in Note 1, to meet the requirements permitted by the State of Arkansas. Management is also responsible 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

As described in Note 1 to the financial statements, to meet the financial reporting requirements permitted by the State of Arkansas, the financial statements are prepared by the County on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Arkansas Code, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the Basis for Adverse Opinion on Generally Accepted Accounting Principles paragraphs, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of Jefferson County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2012, or the revenues, expenditures, and changes in net position and when applicable, cash flows, thereof for the year then ended.

Basis for Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

The County's financial statements do not disclose all the required information concerning deposit and investment risks. In our opinion, disclosure of this information is required by the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1.

Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, except for the omission of the information described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting paragraph, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the regulatory basis financial position of the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Jefferson County, Arkansas, as of December 31, 2012, and the regulatory basis revenues, expenditures, and changes in net position, and the budgetary comparisons for the general fund and road fund for the year then ended in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of the Arkansas Code described in Note 1.

Supplementary and Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements. The accompanying supplementary information and other information listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements.

The supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from, and relates directly to, the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the regulatory basis financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, except for the omission of the information described above, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the regulatory basis financial statements as a whole on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

The other information has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the regulatory basis financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on such information.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated March 20, 2014 on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of the state constitution, laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the County's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Jefferson County, Arkansas Officials and Quorum Court Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

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, the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements of the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate of Jefferson County, Arkansas, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2012, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated March 20, 2014. We issued an adverse opinion because the financial statements are prepared by the County on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Arkansas Code, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effect on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material. However, with respect to the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1, our opinions on the general fund, road fund, and other funds in the aggregate were qualified because required disclosures were not made concerning deposit and investment risks.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. However, as discussed below, we identified a certain deficiency in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be a material weakness.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the County's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the following deficiency to be a material weakness:

2012-1 To ensure the proper safeguarding of assets, financial accounting duties relating to initiating, receipting, depositing, disbursing, and recording transactions should be distributed among appropriate employees. The County officials, as specified in the Other Issues section of this report, did not segregate these duties to sufficiently reduce the risks of fraud or error and properly safeguard the County's assets, because of limited financial resources. We recommend that the financial accounting duties in each office be segregated among employees to the extent possible.

The County officials, as specified in the Other Issues section of this report, responded and indicated that their offices will segregate the duties relating to initiating, receipting, depositing, disbursing, and recording transactions to the extent possible with the current staffing levels.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Entity's Response to Findings

The County's response to the findings identified in our audit is described above. The County's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements, and accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

Other Issues

The commentary contained in this section relates to the following officials that held office during 2012:

County Judge: Mike Holcomb Treasurer: Elizabeth Rinchuso Sheriff: Gerald Robinson Tax Collector: Stephanie Stanton County Clerk: Patricia Johnson

County Clerk: Patricia Johnson Circuit Clerk: Lafayette Woods, Sr. Assessor: Yvonne H. Humphrey

Our audit procedures indicated that the offices above were in substantial compliance with Arkansas fiscal and financial laws.

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 result 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. However, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-417, all reports presented to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee are matters of public record and distribution is not limited.

DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

June M. Barron, CPA, CFE Deputy Legislative Auditor

Little Rock, Arkansas March 20, 2014

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2012

100770	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,327,346	\$ 295,542	\$ 3,303,039
Investments	1,193,412	φ 293,342 271,876	2,064,098
Accounts receivable	629,181	136,219	737,543
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 3,149,939	\$ 703,637	\$ 6,104,680
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
Liabilities:	\$ 115.673	Ф 440.4 7 0	Ф 404.0 7 0
Accounts payable Settlements pending	\$ 115,673	\$ 119,176	\$ 101,376 1,227,388
Total Liabilities	115,673	119,176	1,328,764
Fund Balances:	20.474	E40 202	4 270 020
Restricted	28,471	540,303	4,378,836
Assigned Unassigned	1,346,600 1,659,195	44,158	397,080
Total Fund Balances	3,034,266	584,461	4,775,916
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 3,149,939	\$ 703,637	\$ 6,104,680

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

REVENUES	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
State aid	\$ 816,092	\$ 1,680,494	\$ 936,370
Federal aid	463,472	φ 1,000,494 452	\$ 930,370 26,943
Property taxes	3,968,076	1,682,057	522,193
Sales taxes	2,336,532	1,002,037	5,702,344
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	2,330,332 1,139,889		489,981
Interest	40,200	6,385	69,854
Officers' fees	471,512	0,363	157,480
Franchise fees	19,765		157,400
Jail fees	1,256,898		
Sanitation fees	1,391,795		
School District contributions	1,391,793		552,628
Recycling fees			59,467
911 fees			694,915
Treasurer's commission	146,685		52,376
Collector's commission	948,996		81,518
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	765,675		01,010
Other	836,440	19,986	62,213
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TOTAL REVENUES	14,602,027	3,389,374	9,408,282
Less: Treasurer's commission	97,475	27,300	34,331
NET REVENUES	14,504,552	3,362,074	9,373,951
EXPENDITURES			
Current:			
General government	4,198,389		604,705
Law enforcement	12,167,151		1,015,249
Highways and streets	,,	3,534,924	1,010,210
Public safety	824,683	3,00 1,02 1	920,071
Sanitation	1,180,018		298,865
Health	98,341		200,000
Recreation and culture	69,650		555,402
Social services	18,138		000,102
Total Current	18,556,370	3,534,924	3,394,292
Debt Service:			
Lease principal	32,269	94,520	
Lease interest	1,753	16,472	
Note principal		61,501	38,489
Note interest		5,010	2,796
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	18,590,392	3,712,427	3,435,577

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

	General	Road	Other Funds in the Aggregate
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$ (4,085,840)	\$ (350,353)	\$ 5,938,374
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Sales tax remitted to Economic Development Corporation	3,450,928 (319,158)	144,158	1,727,000 (5,002,928) (3,420,122)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	3,131,770	144,158	(6,696,050)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(954,070)	(206,195)	(757,676)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	3,983,789	790,656	5,224,341
Restatement adjustment	4,547		309,251
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED	3,988,336	790,656	5,533,592
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 3,034,266	\$ 584,461	\$ 4,775,916

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND ROAD FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

		General			Road	
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES						
State aid	\$ 693,200	\$ 816,092	\$ 122,892	\$ 1,915,670	\$ 1,680,494	\$ (235,176)
Federal aid	8,400	463,472	455,072		452	452
Property taxes	3,822,600	3,968,076	145,476	1,405,350	1,682,057	276,707
Sales taxes	2,280,000	2,336,532	56,532			
Fines, forfeitures, and costs	1,138,050	1,139,889	1,839			
Interest	45,100	40,200	(4,900)	8,700	6,385	(2,315)
Officers' fees	460,300	471,512	11,212			
Franchise fees	6,800	19,765	12,965			
Jail fees	1,383,101	1,256,898	(126,203)			
Sanitation fees	1,300,000	1,391,795	91,795			
Treasurer's commission	153,000	146,685	(6,315)			
Collector's commission	690,000	948,996	258,996			
Taxes apportioned - Assessor's salary and expense	620,000	765,675	145,675			
Other	1,546,698	836,440	(710,258)	384,000	19,986	(364,014)
TOTAL REVENUES	14,147,249	14,602,027	454,778	3,713,720	3,389,374	(324,346)
Less: Treasurer's commission		97,475	(97,475)		27,300	(27,300)
NET REVENUES	14,147,249	14,504,552	357,303	3,713,720	3,362,074	(351,646)
EXPENDITURES Current:						
General government	4,624,002	4,198,389	425,613			
Law enforcement	13,808,775	12,167,151	1,641,624			
Highways and streets	10,000,770	12,107,101	1,041,024	3,882,331	3,534,924	347,407
Public safety	471,806	824,683	(352,877)	0,002,001	0,004,024	047,407
Sanitation	1,510,485	1,180,018	330,467			
Health	110,414	98,341	12,073			
Recreation and culture	69,650	69,650	12,070			
Social services	107,457	18,138	89,319			
Total Current	20,702,589	18,556,370	2,146,219	3,882,331	3,534,924	347,407
Debt Service:						
Lease principal		32,269	(32,269)		94,520	(94,520)
Lease interest		1,753	(1,753)		16,472	(16,472)
Note principal		1,700	(1,700)		61,501	(61,501)
Note interest					5,010	(5,010)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	20,702,589	18,590,392	2,112,197	3,882,331	3,712,427	169,904

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND ROAD FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

		General		Road			
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
EXPENDITURES	\$ (6,555,340)	\$ (4,085,840)	\$ 2,469,500	\$ (168,611)	\$ (350,353)	\$ (181,742)	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out	3,722,507	3,450,928 (319,158)	(271,579) (319,158)	190,000	144,158	(45,842)	
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	3,722,507	3,131,770	(590,737)	190,000	144,158	(45,842)	
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(2,832,833)	(954,070)	1,878,763	21,389	(206,195)	(227,584)	
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	3,360,196	3,983,789	623,593	650,000	790,656	140,656	
Restatement adjustment		4,547	4,547				
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED	3,360,196	3,988,336	628,140	650,000	790,656	140,656	
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$ 527,363	\$ 3,034,266	\$ 2,506,903	\$ 671,389	\$ 584,461	\$ (86,928)	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

A. Financial Reporting Entity

The County is a political subdivision of the state governed by an elected quorum court. The reporting entity includes all the funds of the County.

B. Basis of Presentation - Regulatory Fund Accounting

The financial statements are presented in accordance with the regulatory basis of presentation as prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code. The law requires that the financial statements be presented on a fund basis with, as a minimum, the general fund and road fund presented separately with all other funds included in the financial statements presented in the aggregate. This law also stipulates that the financial statements consist of a balance sheet; a statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances; a comparison of the final adopted budget to actual expenditures for the general and road funds; notes to financial statements; and a supplemental schedule of capital assets.

A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts recording cash and other financial resources, together with related liabilities and residual balances, and changes therein, which are segregated for purposes of carrying on specific activities or attaining certain objectives in accordance with special regulations, restrictions, or limitations.

The following types of funds are recognized in the accompanying regulatory basis financial statements.

<u>General Fund</u> - The General Fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund. The General Fund heading as it appears in the financial statements includes the following accounts: County General, Jefferson County Department of Correction Sales Proceeds, Drug Task Force, Sanitation, Adult Jail, Jefferson County 1992-A Escrow, Sales Tax, Family in Need of Service and Truancy, Environmental Enforcement Officer, Juvenile Justice, Weed and Seed, District Court, Federal Funds, and Insurance.

Road Fund - The Road Fund (Special Revenue Fund) is used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The Road Fund accounts for and reports proceeds of state highway turnback and property taxes that are restricted or committed for maintaining and constructing roads.

<u>Other Funds in the Aggregate</u> - Other Funds in the Aggregate consist of all funds included in the financial statements except for the General and Road Funds. The following types of funds are included in this column as follows:

Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The following Special Revenue Funds are reported with other funds in the aggregate: Assessor's Amendment no. 79, Sheriff's Radio, Juvenile Justice, Recycling, Indigent Defense, Judicial Enhancement, Prosecuting Attorney, District Court Cost, Support Collection Cost, Boating Safety, Recorder's Cost, Jail Operation, Emergency 911, Library, Tax Collector's Cost, Fire Equipment and Training (Act 833), Treasurer's Automation, Economic Development, County Clerk's Cost, Circuit Court Automation, Reappraisal, Arkansas Fish and Wildlife, Courthouse Security, Drug Court, Justice Equitable Sharing Program, Juvenile Justice Education, Local Law Enforcement Block Grant, and Victims of Crime.

<u>Capital Projects Fund</u> - Capital Projects Funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. The following Capital Projects Funds are reported with other funds in the aggregate: Jefferson County Construction and Watson Chapel Water District Generator.

Agency Funds - Agency Funds are used to account for assets held by the entity as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governmental units, and other funds. The following Agency Funds are reported with other funds in the aggregate: Treasurer's Accounts – Administration of Justice, Property Tax Relief, Tax Protest, Law Library, and Improvement Districts; Collector's Account – Current Tax; Sheriff's Accounts – Bond and Fines and Commissary; County Clerk's Accounts – Fees, Payroll, and Trust; Circuit Clerk's Accounts – Fees and Trust; Juvenile Court Accounts – Juvenile Court and Justice Center; and Sanitation Account – Sanitation Department.

NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

C. Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared on the regulatory basis of accounting as prescribed or permitted by Arkansas Code. This regulatory basis differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available except for Treasurer's and Collector's commission and Taxes apportioned – Assessor's salary and expense which are recognized when earned. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. As a result of the use of this regulatory basis of accounting, capital assets and long-term debt are not recorded in these financial statements.

D. Assets, Liabilities, and Fund Balances

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of financial reporting, "cash and cash equivalents" includes all demand and savings accounts, certificates of deposit, treasury bills, and short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less.

Investments

Investments are reported at cost.

Settlements Pending

Settlements pending are considered fines, forfeitures, costs, state aid, property taxes, officers' fees, trust funds, payroll taxes, and sanitation fees that have not been transferred to the appropriate entities.

Fund Balance Classifications

- 1. Restricted fund balance amounts that are restricted when constraints placed on the use of resources are either (a) externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or (b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- 2. Assigned fund balance amounts that are constrained by the Quorum Court's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.
- 3. Unassigned fund balance amounts that have not been assigned to other funds and that have not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund. This classification may also include negative amounts in other governmental funds, if expenditures incurred for specific purposes exceeded the amounts restricted, committed, or assigned to those purposes.

E. Property Taxes

A lien attaches to the real property in January and on personal property in June of each year. Property taxes are collectible beginning the first business day of March of the subsequent year, but are not considered delinquent until after October 15.

NOTE 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

F. Budget Law

1. Legal Requirements

State law requires that the Quorum Court, before the end of each fiscal year, make appropriations, by ordinance, for the expenditures of County government for the following year. The Quorum Court may make appropriation amendments at any time during the current fiscal year. Appropriations lapse at the end of each year. Under certain conditions, the budget may be amended subsequent to the year-end.

Accounting

The County prepared an annual budget on the regulatory basis for the General Fund, Road Fund, and the other Special Revenue Funds.

G. Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures

The County's highest level of decision-making authority is its Quorum Court. The establishment of amounts classified as committed fund balances and any subsequent modifications to such balances are the result of formal action taken by the Quorum Court through passage of an ordinance. The Quorum Court is authorized to assign amounts to a specific purpose, although a formal policy has not been established.

The County does not have a policy addressing whether it considers restricted or unrestricted amounts to have been spent when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted amounts are available. For classification of fund balance amounts, restricted resources are considered spent before unrestricted. The County does not have a policy addressing which resources to use within the unrestricted fund balance when committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available. When expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used, committed amounts are reduced first, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts.

There were no committed fund balances at December 31, 2012.

NOTE 2: Cash and Investments

Deposit and investment risks related to credit risk, concentration of credit risk, interest rate risk, and foreign currency risk have not been provided as required by Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement no. 40.

NOTE 3: Legal or Contractual Provisions for Deposits and Investments

State law generally requires that county funds be deposited in federally insured banks located in the State of Arkansas. The county deposits may be in the form of checking accounts, savings accounts, and time deposits. Public funds may be invested in eligible investment securities having a maturity of not longer than 5 years from the date of acquisition unless, as documented at the time of acquisition, the investment is to fund or support a specific purpose and there are no expectations that the investment will be sold before maturity; an Arkansas bank certificate of deposit; an account established by a local government joint investment trust; or an Arkansas financial institution repurchase agreement for eligible investment securities in which the seller agrees to repurchase the investment at a price including interest earned during the holding period as determined by the repurchase agreement.

NOTE 4: Public Fund Investments

A summary of investments by fund types is as follows:

	December 31, 2012					
Fund Type		orted Amount	Fair Value			
General Road Other Funds in the Aggregate	\$	1,193,412 271,876 2,064,098	\$	1,190,095 271,120 2,058,361		
Totals	\$	3,529,386	\$	3,519,576		

These investments are composed of the following:

December 31, 2012					
Repo	rted Amount	Fair Value			
\$	3,529,386	\$	3,519,576		
	Repo	Reported Amount	Reported Amount F		

NOTE 5: Accounts Receivable

The accounts receivable balance at December 31, 2012 is composed of the following:

Description	General Fund		 Road Fund	 ner Funds e Aggregate
State aid Federal aid	\$	66,556	\$ 132,546 214	\$ 100,563
Officer's fees		31,826		15,340
Sales taxes		188,522		458,744
Fines, forfeitures, and costs		71,688		18,918
Sanitation fees		105,787		
911 fees				143,978
Jail fees		140,135		
Other		24,667	 3,459	
Totals	\$	629,181	\$ 136,219	\$ 737,543

NOTE 6: Accounts Payable

The accounts payable balance at December 31, 2012 is composed of the following:

Description	General Fund		Road Fund		Other Funds in the Aggregate	
Vendor payables	\$	115,673	\$	119,176	\$	101,376

NOTE 7: Legal Debt Limit

A. Property Tax Secured Bonded Debt

The County is subject to a constitutional limitation for bonded indebtedness equal to 10% of the total assessed value for tax purposes of real and personal property as determined by the last tax assessment. At December 31, 2012, the legal debt limit for bonded debt was \$69,958,649. There were no property tax secured bond issues.

B. Short-term Financing Obligations

The County is subject to a constitutional limitation for short-term financing obligations equal to 2.5% of the assessed value of taxable property within the County as determined by the last tax assessment. At December 31, 2012, the legal debt limit for short-term financing obligations was \$21,015,218. The amount of short-term financing obligations was \$292,378 leaving a legal debt margin of \$20,722,840

NOTE 8: Details of Fund Balance Classifications

Fund balance classifications at December 31, 2012 are composed of the following:

					Other Funds in		
Description		General		Road		the Aggregate	
Fund Balances:							
Restricted for:							
General government					\$	539,280	
Law enforcement	\$	28,471				1,365,259	
Highw ays and streets			\$	540,303			
Public safety						628,196	
Recreation and culture						649,262	
Capital outlay						1,196,839	
Total Restricted		28,471		540,303		4,378,836	
Assigned to:							
General government		87,717					
Law enforcement		1,037,018					
Highw ays and streets				44,158			
Sanitation		221,865				122,080	
Capital outlay						275,000	
Total Assigned		1,346,600		44,158		397,080	
Unassigned		1,659,195					
Totals	\$	3,034,266	\$	584,461	\$	4,775,916	

NOTE 9: Commitments

Total commitments consist of the following at December 31, 2012:

	December 31,	
	2012	
	_	
Long-term liabilities	\$	625,627
Construction contract		1,676,005
Total Commitments	\$	2,301,632

NOTE 9: Commitments (Continued)

Long-term Liabilities

Long-term liabilities at December 31, 2012 are comprised of the following:

	Dec	ember 31, 2012
Lease- purchase agreement with Scott Financial Services, LLC for a 2009 Nissan pothole patcher; 5 annual payments of \$26,058 due each February through 2013; interest - 5.25%. Payments are to be made from the Road Fund.	\$	24,738
Lease-purchase agreement with Scott Financial Services, LLC for a used Gradall XL3100 excavator and bucket; 5 annual payments of \$47,819 due each January through 2013; interest - 4%. Payments are to be made from the Road Fund.		45,708
Lease-purchase agreement with Scott Financial Services, LLC for a 2002 Caterpillar 140H motor grader; 9 semiannual payments of \$18,557 through May 2016; Interest - 4.5%. Payments are to be made from the Road Fund.		118,824
Promissory note with Simmons First National Bank for a 2009 Mack hook lift truck; 3 annual payments of \$41,285 and a final payment of \$40,579 due each April through 2013; Interest - 3.59%. Payments are to be made from the Recycling Fund.		39,173
Promissory note with Pine Bluff National Bank for a 2010 Rosco pothole patcher; 4 annual payments of \$41,381 due each January through 2013; Interest - 4.0%. Payments are to be made from the Road Fund.		39,785
Promissory note with Pine Bluff National Bank for a 2006 Linkbelt excavator; 4 annual payments of \$25,131 due each January through 2013; Interest - 4.0%. Payments are to be made from the Road Fund.		24,151
Compensated absences		333,249
Total Long-term liabilities	\$	625,627

Due to the County's regulatory basis of accounting, these liabilities are not recorded in the financial statements.

Post Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions

The amount of any actuarially determined accrued liability for post employment benefits other than pensions was not determined.

Debt Service Requirements to Maturity

The County is obligated for the following amounts at December 31, 2012:

Years Ending December 31,	Notes	Leases	Total
2013	\$ 107,090	\$ 110,992	\$ 218,082
2014		37,114	37,114
2015		37,114	37,114
2016		18,557	18,557
Total Obligations	107,090	203,777	310,867
Less Interest	3,981	14,508	18,489
Total Principal	\$ 103,109	\$ 189,269	\$ 292,378

NOTE 9: Commitments (Continued)

Construction Contract

The County was contractually obligated for the following construction contract at December 31, 2012:

		Cont	ract Balance
Project Name	Completion Date	Dece	mber 31, 2012
New Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Phase 1	February 1, 2014	\$	1,676,005

NOTE 10: Interfund Transfers

The General Fund transferred \$44,158 and \$275,000 to the Road Fund and Other Funds in the Aggregate, respectively, to supplement expenditures and for capital projects. The Other Funds in the Aggregate transferred \$3,450,928 and \$100,000 to the General Fund and the Road Fund, respectively, for various expenditures and jail reimbursements. Within the Other Funds in the Aggregate, the Jail Fund transferred \$1,402,000 to the Capital Projects Fund for capital projects and the Assessor's Amendment no. 79 Fund transferred \$50,000 to the Reappraisal Fund for reappraisal expenses.

NOTE 11: Prior Year Restatement

The General Fund and the Other Funds in the Aggregate January 1, 2012 fund balances were decreased and increased, respectively, in the amount of \$1,066 to reflect the Jefferson County Construction Fund as part of the Other Funds in the Aggregate. This fund had previously been reflected in the General Fund. The General Fund and the Other Funds in the Aggregate January 1, 2012 fund balances were increased, respectively, in the amount of \$5,613 and \$37,919 to reflect funds not included in prior year. The Other Funds in the Aggregate January 1, 2012 fund balance was increased \$270,266 due to an unrecorded prior year accounts receivable in the Library Fund. Also, within the Other Funds in the Aggregate the January 1, 2012 fund balances were increased and decreased, respectively, by \$146,937 to reflect the Juvenile Justice Education Fund and the Juvenile Justice Fund as separate funds.

NOTE 12: Joint Ventures:

A. Metropolitan Emergency Communications Association

Jefferson County belongs to the Metropolitan Emergency Communications Association (MECA), as set up by an amended interlocal cooperation agreement dated May 13, 1996, which is composed of the Cities of Pine Bluff, White Hall, Redfield, Altheimer, Wabbaseka, Humphrey, and Sherrill and Jefferson County. The Association is governed by seven commissioners which include the City of Pine Bluff's Mayor, Police Chief, and Fire Chief, Jefferson County's County Judge and Sheriff, the Office of Emergency Services Coordinator, and the Chairman of the 911 Administrative Board by virtue of their term in office or employment with the local government. Pursuant to the aforementioned amended agreement in 1996, the participants' percentage share of the deficit between 911 telephone fee revenue and operating expenses was as follows:

City of Pine Bluff	70.76%
City of White Hall	2.25%
City of Redfield	0.63%
City of Altheimer	0.57%
City of Wabbaseka	0.19%
City of Humphrey	0.21%
City of Sherrill	0.04%
Jefferson County	25.35%
Totals	100.00%

The County paid MECA \$983,580 in 2012. Separate financial statements are not available.

NOTE 12: Joint Ventures: (Continued)

B. Pine Bluff and Jefferson County Library System

Jefferson County and the City of Pine Bluff entered into an agreement in August 1979, in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. §§ 25-20-101, 108, to establish a library system for the Jefferson County, Arkansas area. The System is composed of five members appointed by the Jefferson County Judge with Quorum Court approval and six members appointed by the Mayor of Pine Bluff and ratified by the City Council. Title to fixed assets held by the constituent governmental units and used for library purposes at the time of the execution of this agreement shall remain unchanged, although additional assets may be acquired in the name of the System. The Board shall fix the number of and salaries of employees of the system. The County paid the Pine Bluff and Jefferson County Library System \$540,000 in 2012. Separate financial statements are available at 200 East Eighth Street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71601.

NOTE 13: Jointly Governed Organizations

Tri-County Drug Task Force

The Sheriff's Departments of Arkansas, Jefferson, and Lincoln Counties, the Police Department of Pine Bluff, and the Prosecuting Attorney's Offices of the Eleventh-East and Eleventh-West Judicial Districts entered into an agreement to establish the Tri-County Drug Task Force. The agreement covers the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013 and may be extended upon written mutual agreement. Funding was provided through a Drug Law Enforcement Program grant applied for by the Prosecuting Attorneys of the Eleventh-East and Eleventh-West Judicial Districts. No contributions or payments for expenditures were made to the Tri-County Drug Task Force by the County. The 2012 financial statements of the Tri-County Drug Task Force have not been audited.

Southeast Arkansas Regional Solid Waste Management District

Arkansas, Ashley, Bradley, Chicot, Cleveland, Desha, Drew, Grant, Jefferson, and Lincoln Counties entered into an agreement in 1991 to form the Southeast Arkansas Regional Solid Waste Management District in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 8-6-703. The County did not provide any funding for the Southeast Arkansas Regional Solid Waste Management District. Separate financial statements may be obtained at: P.O. Box 6806, Pine Bluff, AR 71611.

NOTE 14: Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by commercial insurance purchased from independent third parties and participation in a public entity risk pool. The amount of settlements, if any, has not exceeded the insurance coverage for each of the past three years. There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage in the major categories of risk from coverage in the prior year.

The County participates in the Association of Arkansas Counties Program (public entity risk pools) for coverage in the following area:

Workers' Compensation - This program provides statutory benefits for losses incurred by County officials, employees, and volunteer fire fighters while performing work for the County. Rates for counties participating in this program are revised annually based on the cost experience of the particular county or group as determined by the Workers' Compensation Commission.

The County participates in the Arkansas Public Entities Risk Management Association (APERMA) public entity risk pool for coverage in the following areas:

Building and Contents Program - This program is a blanket policy with coverage up to \$100,000,000 for any one loss with a \$500 deductible. The County shall pay into the program each year a charge established annually by the Risk Management Fund Board for covered county property.

NOTE 14: Risk Management (Continued)

Vehicle Program

- A. Liability This program may pay all sums the County legally must pay as damages because of bodily injury, death, or property damage to which this agreement applies involving a covered county vehicle and for which the County is liable. The limit of payment for in-state claims is \$25,000 for bodily injury per person, \$50,000 for bodily injury per accident, and \$25,000 for property damage per accident (\$100,000 respectively for out-of-state claims). The County shall pay into the program each year a charge established annually by the Risk Management Fund Board for covered county vehicles owned or leased by the County.
- B. Physical Damage This program covers vehicles and mobile equipment which are the property of the participating county. Property is valued at the cost to repair or replace the property after deduction for depreciation. Loss amounts will be reduced by the deductible amount of \$1,000 for Sheriff's Department vehicles and \$500 for all other covered vehicles and mobile equipment. The County agrees to pay into the program each year a service charge established annually by the Risk Management Fund Board for covered property.

General Liability Program - The program shall provide legal defense in civil rights suits against the county government of a participating county and pay judgments imposed on County officials and employees and the county government and county-formed boards and commissions. Coverage is limited to \$350,000 per case with an annual aggregate of \$350,000. The County shall pay into the program each year a charge established annually by the Risk Management Fund Board for this coverage.

The County also participates in the Self-Insured Fidelity Bond Program administered by the Governmental Bonding Board. This program covers actual losses sustained by the participating entity through any fraudulent or dishonest act or acts committed by any of the officials or employees, acting alone or in collusion with others, during the bond period to an amount not exceeding the lesser of \$250,000 or the amount of the bond. Premiums for coverage are determined by the State Risk Manager and approved by the Board. These premiums are paid by the State Treasurer from funds withheld from the County Aid Fund. There is a \$2,500 deductible per occurrence.

NOTE 15: Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System

Plan Description

The County contributes to the Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System (PERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. PERS provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State law and can be amended only by the Arkansas General Assembly. The Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for PERS. That report may be obtained by writing to Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System, One Union National Plaza, 124 W. Capitol, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201 or by calling 1-800-682-7377.

Funding Policy

PERS has contributory and non-contributory plans. Contributory members are required by code to contribute 5% of their salary. Each participating employer is required by code to contribute at a rate established by the Board of Trustees of the system based on the annual actuarial valuation.

NOTE 16: Tax Collector's Commission

Tax Collector's commission is based on a special agreement between the County and the other taxing units. The commission rates are 2% for school districts and improvement districts and 3% for cities and county accounts based on a 1983 county court order. Excess commissions are transferred into the General Fund pursuant to the provisions of Act 86 of 1975.

NOTE 17: Landfill Lease Agreement

The County entered into a lease agreement for the operation of a county landfill with Waste Management of Arkansas, Inc., on July 13, 1990. The County covenants to lessee and the City of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, that the County will provide at the premises a minimum of twenty years of disposal capacity for the Arkansas Solid Waste Planning District which includes the premises. Lessee shall lease the premises from the commencement of the lease and so long thereafter as lessee continues active land-filling at the premises or diligently pursues permits and licenses for such operations. Lessee shall pay a monthly rental of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), a monthly rental (base rental) equal to an assessment of each yard of waste material generated by public or private entities located outside Jefferson County, plus an annual twenty thousand dollar (\$20,000) grant to be applied to support recycling, environmental education and countywide beautification, and environmental protection and improvement programs. Waste Management is required to pay all closure and postclosure costs.

NOTE 18: Hospital Lease Agreement

On December 11, 1959, Jefferson County, Arkansas, entered into a lease agreement with Jefferson Hospital Association, Inc., a not-for-profit Arkansas corporation. The lease agreement stipulates that Jefferson County leases the hospital real estate and personal property. In 2001, the lease agreement was extended until December 11, 2040 for \$1 per year. Jefferson Hospital Association, Inc., assumes all rights and responsibilities for the operation of the hospital and related ancillary facilities and all obligations of the revenue bonds.

SPECIAL RE	EVENUE FUNDS
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	Am	ssessor's lendment no. 79	 Sheriff's Radio	Juvenile Justice	F	Recycling	Indigent Defense	Judicial ancement	osecuting ttorney	Dis	trict Court Cost	Co	upport Ilection Cost
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Investments Accounts receivable	\$	20,811 19,145 8,692	\$ 109,228 2,587	\$ 22,434 20,637 5,089	\$	37,737 34,715 60,810	\$ 65,845 60,573 4,203	\$ 36,002 33,120	\$ 42,593 39,183 1,900	\$	7,166 6,593 1,141	\$	1,407 1,295 133
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	48,648	\$ 111,815	\$ 48,160	\$	133,262	\$ 130,621	\$ 69,122	\$ 83,676	\$	14,900	\$	2,835
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Settlements pending Total Liabilities			\$ 996 996		\$	11,182	\$ 6,223						
Fund Balances: Restricted Assigned Total Fund Balances	\$	48,648	110,819	\$ 48,160 48,160		122,080 122,080	124,398 124,398	\$ 69,122 69,122	\$ 83,676 83,676	\$	14,900	\$	2,835
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	48,648	\$ 111,815	\$ 48,160	\$	133,262	\$ 130,621	\$ 69,122	\$ 83,676	\$	14,900	\$	2,835

							SPE	CIAL I	REVENUE FL	JNDS					
ASSETS	Soating Safety	Re	Recorder's Cost Jail Ope		I Operation	E	mergency 911		Library	Co	Tax ollector's Cost	and	Fire uipment Training act 833)	easurer's tomation	Economic velopment
Cash and cash equivalents Investments Accounts receivable	\$ 3,763 3,461 258	\$	12,309 11,324 5,875	\$	234,999 216,182 193,617	\$	217,024 199,645 143,978	\$	333,952 307,210	\$	42,706 39,287	\$	31,256 28,754	\$ 14,545 13,380	\$ 275,247
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 7,482	\$	29,508	\$	644,798	\$	560,647	\$	641,162	\$	81,993	\$	60,010	\$ 27,925	\$ 275,247
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Settlements pending Total Liabilities															
Fund Balances: Restricted Assigned	\$ 7,482	\$	29,508	\$	644,798	\$	560,647	\$	641,162	\$	81,993	\$	60,010	\$ 27,925	\$ 275,247
Total Fund Balances	 7,482		29,508		644,798		560,647		641,162		81,993		60,010	27,925	275,247
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 7,482	\$	29,508	\$	644,798	\$	560,647	\$	641,162	\$	81,993	\$	60,010	\$ 27,925	\$ 275,247

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

	County erk's Cost	cuit Court tomation	Re	appraisal	nsas Fish I Wildlife	urthouse ecurity	Dr	ug Court	E	Justice quitable Sharing Program	,	luvenile Justice ducation	Enf	ocal Law orcement ock Grant	ctims of Crime
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Investments Accounts receivable	\$ 12,142 11,169 1,656	\$ 9,860 9,070 1,089	\$	9,039 8,315 30,803	\$ 4,219 3,881	\$ 30 27	\$	5,186 4,771 465	\$	19,790 18,206	\$	85,235 78,410	\$	39,686	\$ 1,222
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 24,967	\$ 20,019	\$	48,157	\$ 8,100	\$ 57	\$	10,422	\$	37,996	\$	163,645	\$	39,686	\$ 1,222
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Settlements pending Total Liabilities							\$	193			\$	3,411			
Fund Balances: Restricted Assigned Total Fund Balances	\$ 24,967	\$ 20,019	\$	48,157 48,157	\$ 8,100 8,100	\$ 57 57		10,229	\$	37,996 37,996		160,234	\$	39,686	\$ 1,222
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 24,967	\$ 20,019	\$	48,157	\$ 8,100	\$ 57	\$	10,422	\$	37,996	\$	163,645	\$	39,686	\$ 1,222

	CAPITAL PRO	DJECTS	TS FUNDS AGENCY FUNDS														
	Jefferson County Construction	Chape Di	atson el Water strict nerator		reasurer's Accounts		ollector's ecounts		Sheriff's Accounts		County Clerk's Accounts		cuit Clerk's Accounts	Co	venile ourt's counts	 Sanitation	Totals
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Investments Accounts receivable	\$ 807,874 743,183	\$	80 73	\$	165,765 152,489	\$	7,902	\$	146,989	\$	346,573	\$	302,059	\$	444	\$ 105,167	\$ 3,303,039 2,064,098 737,543
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,551,057	\$	153	\$	318,254	\$	7,902	\$	146,989	\$	346,573	\$	302,059	\$	444	\$ 105,167	\$ 6,104,680
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities: Accounts payable Settlements pending Total Liabilities	\$ 79,371 79,371			\$	318,254 318,254	\$	7,902 7,902	\$	146,989 146,989	\$	346,573 346,573	\$	302,059 302,059	\$	444 444	\$ 105,167 105,167	\$ 101,376 1,227,388 1,328,764
Fund Balances: Restricted Assigned Total Fund Balances	1,196,686 275,000 1,471,686	\$	153 153														4,378,836 397,080 4,775,916
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 1,551,057	\$	153	\$	318,254	\$	7,902	\$	146,989	\$	346,573	\$	302,059	\$	444	\$ 105,167	\$ 6,104,680

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

								SFE	CIAL	KEVENUE	FUNDS)			
	Amendm			s Radio	Juvenile Justice		Recycling		Indigent Defense			ludicial ancement	esecuting ttorney	rict Court Cost	upport
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes	\$ 8	3,692					\$ 2	231,392	\$	3,371					
Fines, forfeitures, and costs Interest Officers' fees School District contributions	1	,287	\$	376 54,923	\$	108,384 619		2,403		56,053 1,938	\$	68,203 926	\$ 90,945 1,337	\$ 13,696 181	\$ 36 2,119
Recycling fees 911 fees Treasurer's commission Collector's commission								59,467							
Other								1,335							
TOTAL REVENUES	9	,979		55,299		109,003	:	294,597		61,362		69,129	92,282	13,877	2,155
Less: Treasurer's commission		102				886		516		423		7	 195	 112	 18
NET REVENUES	9	,877		55,299		108,117		294,081		60,939		69,122	 92,087	 13,765	 2,137
EXPENDITURES Current: General government															
Law enforcement Public safety Sanitation			;	34,018				298,865		49,108			12,995		
Recreation and culture Total Current				34,018				298,865		49,108			12,995		
Debt Service: Note principal Note interest								38,489 2,796							
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			;	34,018			;	340,150		49,108			12,995		

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JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS														
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER)	Ame	sessor's endment o. 79	Sheriff's Radio			Juvenile Justice	R	ecycling	Indigent Defense			udicial ancement	secuting ttorney	rict Court Cost	upport ction Cost
EXPENDITURES	\$	9,877	\$	21,281	\$	108,117	\$	(46,069)	\$	11,831	\$	69,122	\$ 79,092	\$ 13,765	\$ 2,137
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Sales tax remitted to Economic Development Corporation		(84,400)				(81,591)		(100,000)				(67,990)	(60,000)	(13,655)	(1,800)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(84,400)				(81,591)		(100,000)				(67,990)	(60,000)	 (13,655)	 (1,800)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		(74,523)		21,281		26,526		(146,069)		11,831		1,132	19,092	110	 337
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED		123,171		89,538		168,571		268,149		112,567		67,990	64,584	14,790	2,498
Restatement adjustment						(146,937)							 	 	
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED		123,171		89,538		21,634		268,149		112,567		67,990	 64,584	 14,790	 2,498
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$	48,648	\$	110,819	\$	48,160	\$	122,080	\$	124,398	\$	69,122	\$ 83,676	\$ 14,900	\$ 2,835

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

	SFECIAL REVENUE FUNDS										
	Boating Sa	fety	Recorder's Cost	Jail Operation	Emergency 911	Library		Tax Collector's Cost	Fire Equipment and Training (Act 833)	Treasurer's Automation	Economic Development
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes Fines, forfeitures, and costs Interest Officers' fees		640 108	\$ 485 82,550	\$ 2,283,841 123,476 18,746	\$ 8,524	\$	68,772 522,193 9,322	\$ 957	\$ 96,692	\$ 351	\$ 3,418,503
School District contributions Recycling fees 911 fees Treasurer's commission Collector's commission Other			82,330		694,915			81,518		52,376	
TOTAL REVENUES	6,7	748	83,035	2,426,063	703,439		600,287	82,475	96,692	52,727	3,418,503
Less: Treasurer's commission		59	676	19,585	5,678		4,849	666		3	
NET REVENUES	6,6	689	82,359	2,406,478	697,761		595,438	81,809	96,692	52,724	3,418,503
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Public safety Sanitation			89,348		770,554			77,465	96,692	56,244	
Recreation and culture Total Current			89,348	-	770,554		540,000 540,000	77,465	96,692	56,244	
Debt Service: Note principal Note interest				_							
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			89,348	_	770,554		540,000	77,465	96,692	56,244	

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JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE -**REGULATORY BASIS**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS															
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	Boat	ing Safety 6,689		ecorder's Cost (6,989)	Jail Operation \$ 2,406,478	Emergency 911 \$ (72,793)	\$	Library 55,438		Cost 4,344	and T	raining 833)		asurer's omation (3,520)	Econo Develop \$ 3,41	oment
	Ψ	0,009	Ψ	(0,909)	φ 2,400,470	\$ (12,193)	Ψ	33,436	Ψ	4,344			Ψ	(3,320)	Ψ 3,41	0,303
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Sales tax remitted to Economic Development Corporation		(7,783)			(4,560,887)									(87)	(3,42	0,122)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(7,783)			(4,560,887)									(87)	(3,42	0,122)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		(1,094)		(6,989)	(2,154,409)	(72,793)		55,438		4,344				(3,607)	(1,619)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED		8,576		36,497	2,799,207	633,440		315,458		77,649	\$	60,010		31,532	27	6,866
Restatement adjustment								270,266								
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED		8,576		36,497	2,799,207	633,440		585,724		77,649		60,010		31,532	27	6,866
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$	7,482	\$	29,508	\$ 644,798	\$ 560,647	\$	641,162	\$	81,993	\$	60,010	\$	27,925	\$ 27	5,247

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

	SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS										
	County Clerk's Cost	Circuit Court Automation	Reappraisal	Arkansas Fish and Wildlife	Courthouse Security	Drug Court	Justice Equitable Sharing Program	Juvenile Justice Education			
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes Fines, forfeitures, and costs Interest Officers' fees School District contributions Recycling fees 911 fees Treasurer's commission Collector's commission	\$ 298 17,888	\$ 23,752 120	\$ 369,642 331	\$ 8,100	\$ 57	\$ 5,472 194		\$ 2,413 552,628			
Other							\$ 37,996				
TOTAL REVENUES	18,186	23,872	369,973	8,100	57	5,666	37,996	555,041			
Less: Treasurer's commission	148_	188	3		1	44		20			
NET REVENUES	18,038	23,684	369,970	8,100	56	5,622	37,996	555,021			
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Public safety Sanitation		9,780	381,648			5,624		541,724			
Recreation and culture Total Current		9,780	381,648	15,402 15,402		5,624		541,724			
Debt Service: Note principal Note interest											
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		9,780	381,648	15,402		5,624		541,724			

Schedule 2

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE REGULATORY BASIS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Justice Equitable Juvenile County Clerk's Circuit Court Arkansas Fish Courthouse Sharing Justice and Wildlife Cost Automation Reappraisal Security Drug Court Program Education EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) **EXPENDITURES** 18,038 13,904 (7,302)\$ 56 (2) \$ \$ (11,678)\$ \$ 37,996 \$ 13,297 OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in 50,000 Transfers out (12,940)(11,795)Sales tax remitted to Economic Development Corporation TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) (12,940)50,000 (11,795)EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES 5,098 13,904 38,322 (7,302)(11,739)(2) 37,996 13,297 FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED 19,869 6,115 9,835 15,402 11,796 10,231 Restatement adjustment 146,937 FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED 19,869 6,115 9,835 15,402 11,796 10,231 146,937 **FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31** 160,234 24,967 20,019 48,157 8,100 57 10,229

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

	SPECIAL REV	ENUE FUNDS	CAPITAL PRO		
	Local Law Enforcement Block Grant	Victims of Crime	Jefferson County Construction	Watson Chapel Water District Generator	Totals
REVENUES State aid Federal aid Property taxes Sales taxes Fines, forfeitures, and costs Interest Officers' fees School District contributions Recycling fees 911 fees Treasurer's commission Collector's commission	\$ 26,943	\$ 90,091	\$ 18,845	\$ 52,978	\$ 936,370 26,943 522,193 5,702,344 489,981 69,854 157,480 552,628 59,467 694,915 52,376 81,518
Other		22,882			62,213
TOTAL REVENUES	26,943	112,973	18,845	52,978	9,408,282
Less: Treasurer's commission			152		34,331
NET REVENUES	26,943	112,973	18,693	52,978	9,373,951
EXPENDITURES Current: General government Law enforcement Public safety Sanitation Recreation and culture Total Current	19,418	117,509	225,073	52,825	604,705 1,015,249 920,071 298,865 555,402 3,394,292
Debt Service: Note principal Note interest					38,489 2,796
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	19,418	117,509	225,073	52,825	3,435,577

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - OTHER FUNDS IN THE AGGREGATE - REGULATORY BASIS

	SPI	ECIAL RE	√ENUE	FUNDS		CAPITAL PROJECT FUNDS						
	Enfo	Local Law Enforcement Block Grant		Victims of Crime			efferson County nstruction	Watson Chapel Water District Generator			Tot	als
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$	7,525	\$	(4,536)		\$	(206,380)	\$	153		\$ 5,93	38,374
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Sales tax remitted to Economic Development Corporation							1,677,000				(5,00	27,000 02,928) 20,122)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							1,677,000				(6,69	96,050)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		7,525		(4,536)			1,470,620		153		(7	57,676)
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED											5,22	24,341
Restatement adjustment		32,161		5,758			1,066				30	09,251
FUND BALANCES - JANUARY 1, AS RESTATED		32,161		5,758			1,066				5,50	33,592
FUND BALANCES - DECEMBER 31	\$	39,686	\$	1,222		\$	1,471,686	\$	153		\$ 4,7	75,916

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 AND 2 DECEMBER 31, 2012

The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

Fund Name	Fund Description
Assessor's Amendment no. 79	Ark. Code Ann. § 26-26-310 provides that 1% of the County's share of surplus funds from the Property Tax Relief Trust Fund be allocated to County Assessors for the purpose of administering Arkansas Constitution, Amendment no. 79.
Sheriff's Radio	Ark. Code Ann. §§ 21-6-307, 12-41-105 established fund to receive 25% of Sheriff's fees collected and phone commission funds to be used for communications equipment and repair and to train operations staff.
Juvenile Justice	Ark. Code Ann. §§ 16-13-326, 9-27-326 established fund to receive juvenile fees to provide services and supplies to juveniles at the discretion of the juvenile division of Circuit Court and collect fees and costs to offset expenses of juvenile cases.
Recycling	Jefferson County Ordinance no. 1995-34 (May 8, 1995) established fund for the recording of receipts and disbursements for recycling operations. The fund also receives state aid restricted for recycling.
Indigent Defense	Ark. Code Ann. § 14-20-102 established fund to receive funds distributed in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-307 to be used to pay reasonable and necessary costs incurred in the defense and representation of indigent persons.
Judicial Enhancement	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-13-704 established fund to receive Circuit Courts, Chancery Courts, Juvenile Courts, and State Division Municipal Courts installment fees of 1/2 of \$5 per month on each person to be used for court related technology.
Prosecuting Attorney	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-21-151 established fund to receive District Court costs levied to be used by Prosecuting Attorney for operating victim/witness program.
District Court Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-17-126 authorizes District Court filing fees for writs of garnishment and executions to be appropriated for any permissible use in the administration of the District Court.
Support Collection Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 9-10-109 established fund to receive fees to offset administrative costs in the Clerk's office.
Boating Safety	Ark. Code Ann. § 27-101-111 established fund to receive fees to be used for operating a patrol on the waterways within a county or for emergency rescue services if the county has not established a patrol.
Recorder's Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-306 established fund to receive fees collected by Circuit Clerks to be used for automated record systems.
Jail Operation	Jefferson County Ordinance nos. 2003-41, 42 levied a sales and use tax for operating and maintaining jail facilities and/or securing the repayment of capital improvement bonds. Ark. Code Ann. § 16-17-129 levied an additional fine, not to exceed \$20. Funds shall be use exclusively to defray the cost of incarcerating county prisoners, including construction and maintenance of the county jail.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 AND 2 DECEMBER 31, 2012

The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

Fund Name	Fund Description
Emergency 911	Ark. Code Ann. § 12-10-318 established fund to receive fees collected by commercial mobile radio service providers for 911 emergency services.
Library	Ark. Code Ann. § 13-2-404 established fund to account for library property tax millage levied by the Quorum Court.
Tax Collector's Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-305 established fund to receive up to 10% of Collector's gross commissions to operate the Collector's office and to purchase, maintain, and operate an automated record keeping system.
Fire Equipment and Training (Act 833)	Ark. Code Ann. § 14-284-403 requires fire protection premium tax funds to be distributed by the County to local fire districts for equipping, training, capital improvements, and other expenditures.
Treasurer's Automation	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-302 established fund to receive up to 10% of Treasurer's gross commissions to operate the Treasurer's office and to purchase, maintain, and operate an automated record keeping system.
Economic Development	Jefferson County Ordinance nos. 2010-87, 88 (November 8, 2010) levied a sales and use tax for the purpose of sufficiently funding and promoting economic development projects and activities to stimulate the local economy and to support the creation of new job opportunities.
County Clerk's Cost	Ark. Code Ann. § 21-6-413 established fund to receive fees collected by County Clerks to be used for automated record systems.
Circuit Court Automation	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-13-704 established fund to receive Circuit Court installment fees of 1/2 of \$5 per month on each person to be used for court related technology.
Reappraisal	Ark. Code Ann. § 26-26-1907 established fund to pay reappraisals of real property with revenue received from State.
Arkansas Fish and Wildlife	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-16-1101 and Jefferson County Ordinance no. 2007-81 (November 13, 2007) established fund to receive grants to be used for school fish and wildlife conservation education programs.
Courthouse Security Drug Court	Ark. Code Ann. § 16-10-1006 established fund for the purpose of providing financial assistance to local governments to assist in the implementation of local security and emergency preparedness plans for Circuit and District Courts. Ark. Code Ann. § 16-98-304 established fund to receive costs set by drug court judges to be used for treatment, drug testing, and supervision costs.
Justice Equitable Sharing Program	Federal forfeiture funds received from the Department of Justice Asset Forfeiture Program were set up in a separate fund for the purpose of providing additional law enforcement resources.

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS NOTES TO SCHEDULES 1 AND 2 DECEMBER 31, 2012

The following funds and descriptions represent all funds reported as other funds in the aggregate.

Fund Name	Fund Description
Juvenile Justice Education	Jefferson County Ordinance no. 1998-13 (January 12, 1998) established to receive funds awarded by the Arkansas Department of Education to provide an educational program for juveniles incarcerated.
Local Law Enforcement Block Grant	Established to receive grant funds from the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant program to be used law enforcement purposes.
Victims of Crime	Fund was established to receive state grants for the purpose of salaries for coordinators of victims of violent crime services.
Jefferson County Construction	Jefferson County Ordinance no. 2012-11 (February 3, 2012) established fund for the construction of the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office building.
Watson Chapel Water District Generator	Jefferson County Ordinance no. 2012-29 (May 14, 2012) established fund to receive grant funds from the Arkansas Economic Development Commission to purchase and install an emergency generator.

Treasurer's accounts consist primarily of property taxes, fines and costs, interest and state aid.

Collector's accounts consist primarily of taxes not yet distributed to the various taxing units.

Sheriff's accounts consist primarily of fees settlement, bond, and inmate trust money.

County Clerk's accounts consist primarily of fee money to be settled with Treasurer, trust money, and payroll taxes.

Circuit Clerk's accounts consist of trust money and settlements due to Treasurer.

Juvenile Court's accounts consist primarily of restitution, fines, and costs and fees not yet distributed to the County or plaintiff.

Sanitation's accounts consist primarily of fees not yet distributed to the County.

Schedule 3

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS OTHER INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS DECEMBER 31, 2012 (Unaudited)

	December 31, 2012
Land Buildings Equipment	\$ 7,921,633 28,187,598 12,899,251
Total	\$ 49,008,482

JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2012 (Unaudited)

General	2012		2011		2010	2009	2008		
Total Assets	\$	3,149,939	\$	4,259,314	\$ 4,477,848	\$ 6,430,563	\$	5,203,858	
Total Liabilities		115,673		275,525	42,420	187,716		119,908	
Total Fund Balances		3,034,266		3,983,789	4,435,428	6,242,847		5,083,950	
Net Revenues		14,504,552		14,167,313	11,348,527	11,829,313		11,039,000	
Total Expenditures		18,590,392		18,179,800	12,222,199	11,900,986		10,667,215	
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses		3,131,770		3,067,776	(970,753)	1,230,571		(249,003)	
Road									
Total Assets	\$	703,637	\$	836,931	\$ 1,162,887	\$ 944,699	\$	1,063,265	
Total Liabilities		119,176		46,275	127,524	46,987		73,592	
Total Fund Balances		584,461		790,656	1,035,363	897,712		989,673	
Net Revenues		3,362,074		3,347,001	3,999,322	3,705,658		3,635,188	
Total Expenditures		3,712,427		3,572,145	4,019,486	3,824,937		3,931,142	
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses		144,158		(19,563)	194,822	27,318		199,950	
Other Funds in the Aggregate									
Total Assets	\$	6,104,680	\$	6,788,907	\$ 7,756,178	\$ 8,445,326	\$	8,719,329	
Total Liabilities		1,328,764		1,564,566	1,697,269	2,066,290		1,660,736	
Total Fund Balances		4,775,916		5,224,341	6,058,909	6,379,036		7,058,593	
Net Revenues		9,373,951		7,086,836	8,832,998	10,415,681		11,230,513	
Total Expenditures		3,435,577		3,226,567	9,929,056	12,237,351		12,039,843	
Total Other Financing Sources/Uses		(6,696,050)		(4,201,763)	775,931	1,142,111		649,053	