# CITY OF GETTYSBURG GETTYSBURG, SOUTH DAKOTA AUDIT REPORT FOR THE YEAR THEN ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS AND CONSULTANTS

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

Governing Board City of Gettysburg Gettysburg, South Dakota

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 modified cash basis of accounting financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Gettysburg (City), South Dakota, as of December 31, 2020 and for the year then ended and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprises the City's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated August 27, 2021.

## **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and therefore, significant deficiencies or material weaknesses may exist that were not identified. However, as described in the accompanying Schedule of Current Audit Findings, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses.

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 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 entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying Schedule of Current Audit Findings as items 2020-001, 2020-002, and 2020-003 to be material weaknesses.

### **Compliance and Other Matters**

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

## City's Response to Findings

The City's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Current Audit Findings. The City's responses were not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

### **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 City'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. As required by South Dakota Codified Law 4-11-11, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Mobridge, South Dakota

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August 27, 2021

#### **PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS:**

#### Finding 2019-001:

A lack of proper segregation of duties existed for the duties for cash, equity, revenue, expenditures and the payroll functions resulting in decreased reliability of reported financial data and increased potential for the loss of public assets. This finiding has not been corrected and is restated as current audit finding 2020-001.

#### Finding 2019-002:

The City does not have an internal control system designed to provide for the preparation of the annual financial statements being audited, including required footnotes and disclosures, in accordance with other comprehensive basis of accounting - modified cash basis. This finding has not been corrected and is restated as current audit finding 2020-002.

## Finding 2019-003:

The City has an inadequate listing of fixed asset records. This finding has not been corrected and is restated as current audit finding 2020-003.

#### Finding 2019-004:

The City does not have an internal control system designed for monitoring the processing of payroll. This finding has been corrected.

## Finding 2019-005:

The City does not have an internal control system designed for properly following budgetary processes required by state law. This finding has been corrected.

#### **CURRENT AUDIT FINDINGS:**

## **Internal Control-Related Findings - Material Weaknesses:**

#### **Finding 2020-001:**

#### Criteria:

To obtain adequate internal control over cash management, the duties of collecting and handling of cash must be segregated from the recording of cash transactions. The duties of preparing, mailing or otherwise distributing checks should be segregated from the recording process.

#### **Condition Found:**

A lack of proper segregation of duties existed for the duties for cash, equity, revenue, expenditures and the payroll functions resulting in decreased reliability of reported financial data and increased potential for the loss of public assets. This lack of segregation of duties has a direct effect on the cash management of the City.

#### Cause/Effect:

The City of Gettysburg, has a limited number of employees who prepare all records for cash, revenues, equity, expenditures and payroll. This lack of segregation of duties could result in inaccurate financial statement and/or misappropriations of funds.

#### Recommendation:

We recommend that City officials be cognizant of this lack of segregation of duties for revenues and attempt to provide compensating internal controls whenever and wherever possible and practical.

#### **Identification of Repeat Finding:**

This is the fifth consecutive audit report in which this finding has appeared.

#### Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action:

The City of Gettysburg agrees with this finding and is willing to accept the risk. The City is continuing its work on correcting this deficiency and implementing compensating controls where possible and practical.

#### **Finding 2020-002:**

#### Criteria:

An organization's internal control structure should provide for the preparation of financial statements in accordance with other comprehensive basis of accounting - modified cash basis.

#### **Condition Found:**

The City does not have an internal control system designed to provide for the preparation of the annual financial statements being audited, including required footnotes and disclosures, in accordance with other comprehensive basis of accounting - modified cash basis. As auditors, we were requested to draft the financial statements.

#### Cause/Effect:

This condition may affect the City's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements.

#### Recommendation:

It is the responsibility of management and those charged with governance to make the decision whether to accept the degree of risk associated with this condition because of cost or other considerations.

#### **Identification of Repeat Finding:**

This is the fifth consecutive audit report in which this finding has appeared.

#### Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action:

The City's finance officer, Sheila Schatz, is the contact person responsible for the corrective action plan for this comment. The City is continuing its work on correcting this deficiency.

#### Finding 2020-003:

#### Criteria:

Fixed asset records should include comprehensive lists of all land, buildings, improvements and equipment that have a cost greater than the City's capitalization policy. The City's lists of such assets were found to be incomplete and lacking in supporting documentation.

#### **Condition Found:**

Fixed asset records were inadequate.

#### Cause/Effect:

Capital asset records did not contain adequate documentation to support the cost of capital assets, which could lead to misapproriation of assets.

#### Recommendation:

The City should conduct a comprehensive physical inventory of all fixed assets and update the subsidiary records accordingly. Costs (or estimated costs) of the assets should be properly documented.

## **Identification of Repeat Finding:**

This is the fourth consecutive audit report in which this finding has appeared.

## Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action:

The City agrees with the finding and will work on updating their records. The City's finance officer, Sheila Schatz, is the contact person responsible for this finding. The City has not set an anticipated completion date.



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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS AND CONSULTANTS

## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

City Council
City of Gettysburg
Gettysburg, South Dakota

## Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying modified cash basis of accounting financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Gettysburg, South Dakota, as of December 31, 2020, and for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprises the City's basic financial statements as listed in the Table of Contents.

## Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The City's management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting described in Note 1.c.; this includes determining that the modified cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. Management is responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

## **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion 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 City'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 City's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express such an 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 audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opificons. W. Bauer, CPA, CGMA, PFS • bauer@cahillbauer.com

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## **Opinions**

In our opinion the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position on a modified cash basis of accounting of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Gettysburg, South Dakota, as of December 31, 2020, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with the modified cash basis of accounting as described in the Note 1.c to the financial statements.

#### **Basis of Accounting**

We draw attention to Note 1.c of the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial statements are prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

#### Other Matters

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the modified cash basis of accounting financial statements that collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements. The Budgetary Comparison Schedule, the Schedule of Long-Term Debt, and the Schedule of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Asset listed in the Table of Contents are presented for the 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 financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the 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, the information 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 August 27, 2021 on our consideration of the City's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts 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 the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the City's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Mobridge, South Dakota

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August 27, 2021

# CITY OF GETTYSBURG STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - MODIFIED CASH BASIS DECEMBER 31, 2020

			Primar	y Governmen	t	
	Go	vernmental	Bus	iness-Type		
		Activities	A	ctivities		Total
ASSETS:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,059,463	\$	543,746	\$	1,603,209
Investments		1,532,764		214,555		1,747,319
Restricted Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents				51,866		51,866
TOTAL ASSETS	3	2,592,227		810,167		3,402,394
NET POSITION: Restricted for						
Debt service purposes		_		36,430		36,430
Gross receipt tax purposes		3,700		´-		3,700
Customer deposits		_		15,436		15,436
Unrestricted	ő	2,588,527		758,301		3,346,828
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$	2,592,227	\$	810,167	\$	3,402,394

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - MODIFIED CASH BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 CITY OF GETTYSBURG

					Program Revenues			Ě	Changes in Net Position	osition	
									Primary Government	ment	
Functions/Programs	Expenses		Charges for Services	ĵor 3	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and	Governmental Activities	žntal Ps	Business-Type		Total
Primary government									CONTINUE	l	10101
Governmental activities											
General government	\$ 112,882	82 \$		26,194	\$ 4,405	\$ 2,219	S	(80.064)	69	69	(80.064)
Public safety	205,533	33		277	92,647					<b>&gt;</b>	(100,534)
Public works	893,166	99	-	114.626	99 121	144 321		(535,09)			(100,234)
Health and welfare	124 770	70		02 030	13 036	11000	(60)	(0,00	•		060,000)
Colt.	1,421		-	020,00	13,830	1	(7)	(27,923)	1		(27,923)
Culture and recreation	140,141	41		8,880	2,137	,	(129	(129,124)	•		(129,124)
Conservation and development	44,234	34		,	•	•	(44	(44,234)	•		(44,234)
Miscellaneous		29	1.4	26,401	•	•	26	26.372	•		26.372
*Interest on long-term debt	2,309	8		اً			(2	(2,309)	•		(2,309)
Total povernmental activities	1 593 073	7.7	40	250 208	213 146	158 516	000	(1)			
	26.7.61	1	١	07.5%	0+14,140	110,011	760)	1,714)			(892,914)
Business-type activities Water	299,731	31	31	312,433	,				12.702	2	12 707
Sewer	100,545	45	113	138,037	,	27,500			64,992	2	64,992
Total business-type activities	400,276	76	44	450,470	•	27,500			77,694	4	77,694
Total primary government	\$ 1,923,349	49		898'602	\$ 212,146	\$ 186,115	\$ (892,	(892,914)	\$ 77,694	*	(815,220)
	General Revenues										
	Taxes										
	Property taxes	S					189	681,734	1		681,734
	Sales tax						621,	621,556	1		621,556
	State shared revenue	/enne					18,	18,774	1		18,774
	Unrestricted investment earnings	vestmen	t earnings				7,	7,169	2,264	4	9,433
	Miscellaneous revenue	evenue					14,	14,776	•		14,776
	Lransfers							721	(721)	(1)	•
	Total general revenues	eral reve	anes				1,344,730	,730	1,543	m	1,346,273
	Change in net position	osition					451,	451,816	79,237	<i>L</i>	531,053
	Net position - beginning	eginninį	nd				2,140,411	411	730,930	0	2,871,341
	Net position - ending	nding					\$ 2,592,227		\$ 810,167	\$	3,402,394
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## CITY OF GETTYSBURG BALANCE SHEET - MODIFIED CASH BASIS GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2020

		General Fund	Gove	other rnmental unds	G0	Total overnmental Funds
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Investments	\$	1,055,763 1,532,764	\$	3,700	\$	1,059,463 1,532,764
TOTAL ASSETS	§ <b>===</b>	2,588,527		3,700		2,592,227
FUND BALANCES Restricted Assigned		- 128		3,700		3,700 128
Unassigned		2,588,399				2,588,399
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	\$	2,588,527	\$	3,700	_\$	2,592,227

# CITY OF GETTYSBURG STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE MODIFIED CASH BASIS GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

		P	rimary	Governme	nt	
				Other		Total
		General	Gov	ernmental	Go	overnmental
		Fund		Funds		Funds
REVENUES	-				-	
Taxes						
General property taxes	\$	679,249	\$	-	\$	679,249
General sales and use taxes		598,822		22,734		621,556
Amusement taxes		96		-		96
Penalties and interest on delinquent taxes		2,389		-		2,389
Licenses and permits		5,755		-		5,755
Intergovernmental revenue		•				,
Federal grants		252,870		-		252,870
State grants		11,341		_		11,341
State shared revenue		,				<b>,-</b>
Bank franchise tax		10,731		_		10,731
Prorate license fees		4,456		_		4,456
Liquor tax reversion		8,043		-		8,043
Motor vehicle licenses (5%)		22,357		_		22,357
Local government highway and bridge fund		57,293		_		57,293
County shared revenue		,				01,200
County road tax (25%)		9,664				9,664
Other		10,000		_		10,000
Charges for goods and services		10,000				10,000
Highways and streets		8,475		_		8,475
Sanitation		106,151		_		106,151
Health		310		_		310
Culture and recreation		8,880		_		8,880
Ambulance		82,710		_		82,710
Other		26,401		-		26,401
Fines and forfeits		20,401		-		20,401
Court fines and costs		277				277
Miscellaneous revenue		211		-		211
Investment earnings		7,169				7,169
Rentals		20,439		-		20,439
Contributions and donations from private sources		2,780		-		20,439
Other		14,776		_		2,780 14,776
Total Revenues	<u> </u>		-	22.724	Ф.	
Total Revenues	\$	1,951,434		22,734	_\$_	1,974,168

# CITY OF GETTYSBURG STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE MODIFIED CASH BASIS GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

		P	rimary	Governme	nt	
				Other		Total
		General	Gov	ernmental	G	overnmental
		Fund		Funds		Funds
EXPENDITURES	5				:	
General government						
Legislative	\$	19,001	\$	_	\$	19,001
Executive	,	5,486	•	_	•	5,486
Elections		1,408		_		1,408
Financial administration		86,987		_		86,987
Public safety		00,00.				00,507
Police		177,464		_		177,464
Fire		28,069		_		28,069
Public works		20,000				20,007
Highways and streets		461,055		_		461,055
Sanitation		100,277		_		100,277
Airport		302,460		_		302,460
Health and welfare		302,400		-		302,400
Health		4,351				4 251
Ambulance		120,428		-		4,351
Culture and recreation		120,420		-		120,428
Recreation		61,963				(1.0(2
Parks		•		-		61,963
Auditorium		70,024		-		70,024
		8,154		-		8,154
Conservation and development						
Economic development and assistance		01.500		22.524		
(Industrial development)		21,500		22,734		44,234
Debt service		31,683		-		31,683
Miscellaneous						
Other expenditures	_	29		-		29
Total expenditures		1,500,339		22,734	_	1,523,073
Excess of revenue over (under) expenditures		451,095		-		451,095
Other financing sources (uses)						
Transfer in		721		_		721
Total other financing sources		721			_	
Total other infahening sources	-	721			_	721
Net change in fund balances		451,816		-		451,816
Fund balance - beginning	74	2,136,711		3,700		2,140,411
Fund Balance - Ending	\$	2,588,527	\$	3,700	\$	2,592,227

## CITY OF GETTYSBURG STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - MODIFIED CASH BASIS PROPRIETARY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2020

			Ente	rprise Fund	ls	
		Water		Sewer		
	. <u> </u>	Fund		Fund		Totals
ASSETS						
Current assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	74,696	\$	469,050	\$	543,746
Investments		214,555		-		214,555
Restricted cash	,c	15,436	_	36,430		51,866
TOTAL ASSETS	=	304,687	_	505,480		810,167
NET POSITION						
Restricted for						
Revenue bond contingency		-		36,430		36,430
Customer deposits		15,436		_		15,436
Unrestricted		289,251		469,050		758,301
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$	304,687	\$	505,480	\$	810,167

# CITY OF GETTYSBURG STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION MODIFIED CASH BASIS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

			Ente	rprise Fund	ls	
		Water		Sewer		
		Fund		Fund		Totals
OPERATING REVENUE						
Charges for goods and services	_\$_	312,433	\$	138,037	\$	450,470
Total operating revenue	-	312,433	_	138,037		450,470
OPERATING EXPENSES						
Personal services		75,246		37,275		112,521
Other current expense		22,416		27,549		49,965
Materials		180,434		-		180,434
Total operating expenses		278,096		64,824		342,920
Operating income		34,337	_	73,213		107,550
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)						
Grants		-		27,500		27,500
Investment earnings		938		1,326		2,264
Capital assets		(21,635)		-		(21,635)
Debt service (principal)		-		(25,617)		(25,617)
Interest expense and fiscal charges		_		(10,104)		(10,104)
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	8	(20,697)		(6,895)		(27,592)
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE CONTRIBUTIONS, SPECIAL ITEMS, EXTRAORDINARY						
ITEMS AND TRANSFERS		13,640		66,318		79,958
Transfers Out	) <del>)</del>	(721)				(721)
CHANGE IN NET POSITION		12,919		66,318		79,237
NET POSITION - BEGINNING	-	291,768	_	439,162		730,930
NET POSITION - ENDING	\$	304,687	\$	505,480	_\$_	810,167

## CITY OF GETTYSBURG STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - MODIFIED CASH BASIS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	E	enterprise Fun	ıds
	Water	Sewer	
	Fund	Fund	Totals
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts from customers	\$ 312,433	\$ 138,037	\$ 450,470
Payments to employees for services	(75,246)	(37,275)	(112,521)
Payments to suppliers of goods and services	(202,850)	(27,549)	(230,399)
Net cash provided by operating activities	34,337	73,213	107,550
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL			
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Operating subsidies	-	27,500	27,500
Transfers out	(721)	-	(721)
Net cash provided by noncapital	5		
financing activities	(721)	27,500	26,779
CASH FLOWS FROM (FOR) CAPITAL AND			
RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Purchases of capital improvements	(21,635)	_	(21,635)
Principal paid on capital debt	-	(25,617)	(25,617)
Interest paid on capital debt		(10,104)	(10,104)
Net cash used by capital and			
related financing activities	(21,635)	(35,721)	(57,356)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Interest earnings	938	1,326	2,264
Net cash provided by investing activities	938	1,326	2,264
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	12,919	66,318	79,237
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	291,768	439,162	730,930
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			
AT END OF YEAR	\$ 304,687	\$ 505,480	\$ 810,167
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME TO NET			
CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES Operating income	\$ 34,337	\$ 73,213	\$ 107,550
Sperming mounts	Ψ 27,22/	Ψ 12,413	φ 107,330

# CITY OF GETTYSBURG NOTES TO MODIFIED CASH BASIS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

(See Independent Auditors' Report)

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

As discussed further in Note 1.c, these financial statements are presented on the modified cash basis of accounting. The modified cash basis of accounting differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Generally accepted accounting principles include all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements.

#### a. Financial Reporting Entity

The reporting entity of the City of Gettysburg (City), consists of the primary government (which includes all of the funds, organizations, institutions, agencies, departments, and offices that make up the legal entity, plus those funds for which the primary government has a fiduciary responsibility, even though those fiduciary funds may represent organizations that do not meet the criteria for inclusion in the financial reporting entity); those organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that their exclusion would cause the financial reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

#### b. Basis of Presentation

#### Government-wide Financial Statements

The Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities display information about the reporting entity as a whole. They include all funds of the reporting entity except for fiduciary funds. The statements distinguish between governmental and business-type activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange revenues. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods or services.

The Statement of Activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each segment of the business-type activities of the City and for each function of the City's governmental activities. Direct expenses and those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include (a) charges paid by recipients of goods and services offered by the programs and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

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#### **Fund Financial Statements**

Fund financial statements of the reporting entity are organized into funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that constitute its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures/expenses. Funds are organized into two major categories: governmental and proprietary. An emphasis is placed on major funds within the governmental and proprietary categories. A fund is considered major if it is the primary operating fund of the City or it meets the following criteria:

- a. Total assets, liabilities, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of the individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least ten percent of the corresponding total for all funds of that category or type, and;
- b. Total assets, liabilities, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of the individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least five percent of the corresponding total for all governmental and enterprise funds combined, or;
- c. Management has elected to classify one or more governmental or enterprise funds as major for consistency in reporting from year to year, or because of public interest in the fund's operations.

The funds of the City financial reporting entity are described below:

#### **Governmental Funds**

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the City. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The General Fund is always a major fund.

Special Revenue Funds - Special revenue funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than trusts for individuals, private organizations, or other governments or for major capital projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Liquor, Lodging and Dining Gross Receipts Tax Fund - To account for the collection of a one percent tax on the gross receipts of lodgings, alcoholic beverages, prepared food and admissions which tax shall be used for the purpose of land acquisition, architectural fees, construction costs, payments for civic center, auditorium or athletic facility buildings, including the maintenance, staffing, and operations of such facilities and the promotion and advertising of the City (SDCL 10-52A-2). This fund may be established at the direction of the governing body through local ordinance. This is not a major fund.

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#### **Proprietary Funds**

Enterprise Funds - Enterprise funds may be used to report any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods and services. Activities are required to be reported as enterprise funds if any one of the following criteria is met. Governments should apply each of these criteria in the context of the activity's principal revenue sources.

- a. The activity is financed with debt that is secured solely by a pledge of the net revenues from fees and charges of the activity. Debt that is secured by a pledge of net revenues from fees and charges and the full faith and credit of a related primary government or component unit-even if that government is not expected to make any payments-is not payable solely from fees and charges of the activity. (Some debt may be secured, in part, by a portion of its own proceeds but should be considered as payable "solely" from revenues of the activity.)
- b. Laws or regulations require that the activity's costs of providing services, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service), be recovered with fees and charges, rather than with taxes or similar revenues.
- c. The pricing policies of the activity establish fees and charges designed to recover its costs, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service).

Water Fund - financed primarily by user charges this fund accounts for the construction and operation of the municipal waterworks system and related facilities. (SDCL 9-47-1) This is a major fund.

Sewer Fund - financed primarily by user charges this fund accounts for the construction and operation of the municipal sanitary sewer system and related facilities. (SDCL 9-48-2). This is a major fund.

c. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Measurement focus is a term used to describe "how" transactions are recorded within the various financial statements. Basis of accounting refers to "when" revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements, regardless of the measurement focus.

The City's basis of accounting is the modified cash basis, which is a basis of accounting other than USGAAP. Under USGAAP, transactions are recorded in the accounts when revenues are earned and liabilities are incurred. Under the modified cash basis, transactions are recorded when cash is received or disbursed.

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#### **Measurement Focus**

Government-wide Financial Statements

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, both governmental and business-type activities are presented using the economic resources measurement focus, applied within the limitations of the modified cash basis of accounting as defined below.

#### **Fund Financial Statements**

In the fund financial statements, the "current financial resources" measurement focus or the "economic resources" measurement focus is used, applied within the limitations of modified cash basis of accounting.

#### **Basis of Accounting**

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities and the fund financial statements, governmental and business-type activities are presented using a modified cash basis of accounting.

The modified cash basis of accounting involves the measurement of cash and cash equivalents and changes in cash and cash equivalents resulting from cash receipt and disbursement transactions. Under the modified cash basis of accounting, the statement of financial position reports only cash and cash equivalents (those investments with terms to maturity of 90 days (three months) or less at the date of acquisition). Under the modified cash basis of accounting, transactions are recorded in the accounts when cash and/or cash equivalents are received or disbursed and assets and liabilities are recognized to the extent that cash has been received or disbursed. The acceptable modification to the cash basis of accounting implemented by the City in these financial statements is:

a. Recording long-term investments (those with maturities more than 90-days (three months) from the date of acquisition) acquired with cash assets at cost.

As a result of the use of this modified cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues (such as accounts receivable and revenue for billed or provided services not yet collected) and certain liabilities and their related expenses (such as accounts payable and expenses for goods or services received but not yet paid, and accrued expenses and liabilities) are not recorded in these financial statements.

If the City applied USGAAP, the fund financial statements for governmental funds would use the modified accrual basis of accounting, while the fund financial statements for proprietary fund types and fiduciary fund types would use the accrual basis of accounting. All government-wide financial statements would be presented on the accrual basis of accounting.

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#### d. Deposits and Investments

For the purpose of financial reporting, "cash and cash equivalents" includes all demand and savings accounts and certificates of deposit or short-term investments with a term to maturity at date of acquisition of three months or less. Investments in open-end mutual fund shares, or similar investments in external investment pools, are also considered to be cash equivalents.

Investments classified in the financial statements consist entirely of certificates of deposit whose term to maturity at date of acquisition exceeds three months, and/or those types of investments authorized by South Dakota Codified Law (SDCL) 4-5-6. Under the modified cash basis of accounting, investments are carried at cost.

#### e. Long-Term Liabilities

Long-term liabilities include, but are not limited to Revenue Bonds and Other Long-Term Liabilities. As discussed in Note 1c. above the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities and the fund financial statements, governmental and business-type activies are presented using a modified cash basis of accounting. The City has not elected to modify their cash basis presentation by recording long-term debt arising from cash transactions so any outstanding indebtedness is not reported on the financial statements of the City. The City does report the principal and interest payments on long-term debt as Debt Service expenditures on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances. On the Statement of Activities the principal portion of these Debt Service payments are reported within the appropriate expense function while the interest portion is reported as Interest on Long-Term Debt. The City has presented as Supplementary Information a Schedule of Changes in Long-Term Debt along with related notes that include details of any outstanding Long-Term Debt.

#### f. Program Revenues

Program revenues derive directly from the program itself or from parties other than the City's taxpayers or citizenry, as a whole. Program revenues are classified into three categories:

- 1: Charges for services These arise from charges to customers, applicants, or others who purchase, use, or directly benefit from the goods, services or privileges provided, or are otherwise directly affected by the services.
- 2: Program-specific operating grants and contributions These arise from mandatory and voluntary non-exchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for use in a particular program.
- 3: Program-specific capital grants and contributions These arise from mandatory and voluntary non-exchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for the acquisition of capital assets for use in a particular program.

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#### g. Proprietary Funds Revenue and Expense Classifications

In the Proprietary Fund's Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position, revenues and expenses are classified as operating or non-operating revenues and expenses. Operating revenues and expenses directly relate to the purpose of the fund.

#### h. Cash and Cash Equivalents

The City pools the cash resources of its funds for cash management purposes. The proprietary funds essentially have access to the entire amount of their cash resources on demand. Accordingly, each proprietary fund's equity in the cash management pool is considered to be cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of the Statement of Cash Flows.

#### i. Equity Classifications

#### Government-wide Statements

Equity is classified as Net Position and is displayed in two component:

- a: Restricted Net Position Consists of net position with constraints placed on their use either by (1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments; or (2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- b: Unrestricted Net Position All other net assets that do not meet the definition of Restricted Net Position.

#### **Fund Financial Statements**

Governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance, and may distinguish between "Nonspendable", "Restricted", "Committed", "Assigned", and "Unassigned" components. Proprietary fund equity is classified the same as in the government-wide financial statements.

#### j. Application of Net Positions

It is the City's policy to first use restricted Net Position, prior to the use of unrestricted Net Position, when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted Net Position are available.

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#### k. Fund Balance Classification and Policies and Procedures

In accordance with Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, the City classifies governmental fund balances as follows:

Nonspendable - includes fund balance amounts that cannot be spent either because it is not in spendable form or because of legal or contractual constraints.

<u>Restricted</u> - includes fund balance amounts that are constrained for specific purposes which are externally imposed by providers, such as creditors or amounts constrained due to constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

<u>Committed</u> - includes fund balance amounts that are constrained for specific purposes that are internally imposed by the government through formal action of the highest level of decision making authority and does not lapse at year-end.

<u>Assigned</u> - includes fund balance amounts that are intended to be used for specific purposes that are neither considered restricted or committed. Fund Balance may be assigned by the Municipal Council or Finance Officer.

<u>Unassigned</u> - includes positive fund balance within the General Fund which has not been classified within the above mentioned categories and negative fund balances in other governmental funds.

The City uses restricted/committed amounts first when both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available unless there are legal documents/contracts that prohibit doing this, such as a grant agreement requiring dollar for dollar spending. Additionally, the Government would first use committed, then assigned, and lastly unassigned amounts of unrestricted fund balance when expenditures are made.

The City does not have a formal minimum fund balance policy.

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A schedule of fund balances is provided as follows:

# City of Gettysburg Disclosure of Fund Balances Reported on Balance Sheet Governmental Funds December 31, 2020

	Ge	eneral Fund	Gov	Other vermental Funds	G	Total overnmental Funds
Fund Balances:						
Restricted For:						
Gross Receipt Tax	\$	-	\$	3,700	\$	3,700
Assigned To:						
Unemployment		128		-		128
Unassigned		2,588,399		-		2,588,399
Total Fund Balances	\$	2,588,527	\$	3,700	_\$	2,592,227

# NOTE 2 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS CREDIT RISK, CONCENTRATIONS OF CREDIT AND INTEREST RATE RISK

The City follows the practice of aggregating the cash assets of various funds to maximize cash management efficiency and returns. Various restrictions on deposits and investments are imposed by statutes. These restrictions are summarized below:

Deposits - The City's cash deposits are made in qualified public depositories as defined by SDCL 4-6A-1, 9-22-6, 9-22-6.1 and 9-22-6.2 and may be in the form of demand or time deposits. Qualified depositories are required by SDCL 4-6A-3 to maintain at all times, segregated from their other assets, eligible collateral having a value equal to at least 100 percent of the public deposit accounts which exceed deposit insurance such as the FDIC and NCUA. In lieu of pledging eligible securities, a qualified public depository may furnish irrevocable standby letters of credit issued by federal home loan banks accompanied by written evidence of that bank's public debt rating which may not be less than "AA" or a qualified public depository may furnish a corporate surety bond of a corporation authorized to do business in South Dakota.

Investments - In general, SDCL 4-5-6 permits City funds to be invested only in (a) securities of the United States and securities guaranteed by the United States government either directly or indirectly; or (b) repurchase agreements fully collateralized by securities described in (a) above; or in shares of an open-end, no-load fund administered by an investment company whose investments are in securities described in (a) above and repurchase agreements described in (b) above. Also, SDCL 4-5-9 requires investments to be in physical custody of the political subdivision or may be deposited in a safekeeping account with any bank or trust company designated by the political subdivision as its fiscal agent.

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Fair Value Measurement - The City categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. 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.

The City has the following recurring fair value measurements as of December 31, 2020:

1. Repurchase agreement with the Bank of the West US Treasury Note, Level 1 inputs of the fair value hierarchy, and used the market approach valuation technique.

Credit Risk - State law limits eligible investments for the City. The City has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

As of December 31, 2020, the City had the following investments:

Investment	Credit Rating		Maturities	5 <u> </u>	Fair Value
Repurchase Agreement with Bank of the	A A A	<b>ው</b>	1 270 027	Ф	1 270 027
West U.S. Treasury Note External Investment Pools:	AAA	\$	1,370,927	\$	1,370,927
SDFIT	Unrated		236,738		236,738
Total Investments		\$	1,607,665	\$	1,607,665

The South Dakota Public Fund Investment Trust (SDFIT) is an external investment pool created for South Dakota local government investing. It is regulated by a nine member board with representation from municipalities, school districts and counties. The net asset value of the SDFIT money market account (GCR) is kept at one dollar per share by adjusting the rate of return on a daily basis. Earnings are credited to each account on a monthly basis.

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

Custodial Credit Risk - The risk that, in the even of a depository failure, the City's deposits may not be returned to it. The City does not a have deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2020, none of the City's deposits were exposed to custodial credit risk.

Concentration of Credit Risk - The city places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. More than 5 percent of the City's investments are in U.S. Treasury Note (78%), SDFIT (14%), and certificates of deposit (8%).

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Assignment of Investment Income - State law allows income from deposits and investments to be credited to either the General Fund or the fund making the investment. The City's policy is to credit all income to the fund making the investment.

#### **NOTE 3 - PROPERTY TAXES**

Property taxes are levied on or before October 1, of the year preceding the start of the fiscal year. They attach as an enforceable lien on property, and become due and payable as of January 1, the first day of the fiscal year. Taxes are payable in two installments on or before April 30 and October 31 of the fiscal year.

The City is permitted by several state statues to levy varying amounts of taxes per \$1,000 of taxable valuation on taxable real property in the City.

#### **NOTE 4 - PENSION PLAN**

#### Plan Information:

All employees, working more than 20 hours per week during the year, participate in the South Dakota Retirement System (SDRS), a cost sharing, multiple employer defined benefit pension plan administered by SDRS to provide retirement benefits for employees of the State of South Dakota and its political subdivisions. The SDRS provides retirement, disability and survivors benefits. The right to receive retirement benefits vests after three years of credited service. Authority for establishing, administering and amending plan provisions are found in South Dakota Codified Law 3-12. The SDRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained at http://sdrs.sd.gov/publications.aspx or by writing to the SDRS, PO Box 1098, Pierre, SD 57501-1098 or by calling (605) 773-3731.

#### **Benefits Provided:**

SDRS has three different classes of employees, Class A general members, Class B public safety and judicial members, and Class C Cement Plant Retirement Fund members.

Members that were hired before July 1, 2017, are Foundation members. Class A Foundation members and Class B Foundation members who retire after age 65 with three years of contributory service are entitled to an unreduced annual retirement benefit. An unreduced annual retirement benefit is also available after age 55 for Class A Foundation members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 85 or after age 55 for Class B Foundation judicial members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 80. Class B Foundation public safety members can retire with an unreduced annual retirement benefit after age 55 with three years of contributory service. An unreduced annual retirement benefit is also available after age 45 for Class B Foundation public safety members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 75. All Foundation retirements that do not meet the above criteria may be payable at a reduced level.

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Members that were hired on/after July 1, 2017, are Generational members. Class A Generational members and Class B Generational judicial members who retire after age 67 with three years of contributory service are entitled to an unreduced annual retirement benefit. Class B Generational public safety members can retire with an unreduced annual retirement benefit after age 57 with three years of contributory service. At retirement, married Generational members may elect a single-life benefit, a 60 percent joint and survivor benefit, or a 100 percent joint and survivor benefit. All Generational retirement benefits that do not meet the above criteria may be payable at a reduced level. Generational members will also have a variable retirement account (VRA) established, in which they will receive up to 1.5 percent of compensation funded by part of the employer contribution. VRAs will receive investment earnings based on investment returns.

Legislation enacted in 2017 established the current COLA process. At each valuation date:

Baseline actuarial accrued liabilities will be calculated assuming the COLA is equal to long-term inflation assumption of 2.25%.

If the fair value of assets is greater or equal to the baseline actuarial accrued liabilities, the COLA will The increase in the 3rd quarter CPI-W, no less than 0.5% and no greater than 3.5%

If the fair value of assets is less than the baseline actuarial accrued liabilities, the COLA will be:

The increase in the 3rd quarter CPI-W, no less than 0.5% and no greater than a restricted maximum such that, that if the restricted maximum is assumed for future COLAs, the fair value of assets will be greater or equal to the accrued liabilities.

All benefits except those depending on the Member's Accumulated Contributions are annually increased by the Cost-of-Living Adjustment.

#### **Contributions:**

Per SDCL 3-12, contribution requirements of the active employees and the participating employers are established and may be amended by the SDRS Board. Covered employees are required by state statute to contribute the following percentages of their salary to the plan; Class A Members, 6.0% of salary; Class B Judicial Members, 9.0% of salary; and Class B Public Safety Members, 8.0% of salary. State statute also requires the employer to contribute an amount equal to the employee's contribution. The City's share of contributions to the SDRS for the years ended December 31, 2020, 2019, and 2018 were \$22,475, \$21,134, and \$19,638, respectively, equal to the required contributions each year.

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# <u>Pension Liabilities (Assets), Pension Revenue, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources to Pensions:</u>

At June 30, 2020, SDRS is 100.04% funded and accordingly has a net pension asset. The proportionate share of the components of the net pension asset of South Dakota Retirement System, for the City as of this measurement period ending June 30, 2020 are as follows:

	_	overmental Activities	siness-Type Activities	Total
Proportionate share of total pension liability	\$	1,644,047	\$ 422,541	\$ 2,066,588
Less proportionate share of net position restricted for pension benefits		(1,644,628)	(422,690)	(2,067,318)
Proportionate share of net pension asset	\$	(581)	\$ (149)	\$ (730)

The net pension asset was measured as of June 30, 2020 and the total pension asset used to calculate the net pension asset was based on a projection of the City's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating entities. At June 30, 2020, the City's proportion was 0.01681110%, which is an increase of 0.0010000% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2019.

#### **Actuarial Assumptions:**

The total pension asset in the June 30, 2020 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation 2.25 percent

Salary Increases 6.5% at entry to 3% after 25 years of service

Discount Rate 6.5% net of plan investment expense

Future COLAs 1.41%

Mortality rates were based on 97% the RP-2014 Mortality Table, adjusted to 2006 projected generationally with Scale MP-2016, white collar rates for females and total dataset rates for males. Mortality rates for disabled members were based on the RP-2014 Disabled Retiree Mortality Table, adjusted to 2006 and projected generationally with Scale MP-2016.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2020 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period of July 1, 2011, to June 30, 2016.

Investment portfolio management is the statutory responsibility of the South Dakota Investment Council (SDIC), which may utilize the services of external money managers for management of a portion of the portfolio. SDIC is governed by the Prudent Man Rule (i.e., the council should use the same degree of care as a prudent man). Current SDIC investment policies dictate limits on the percentage of assets invested in various types of vehicles (equities, fixed income securities, real estate, cash, private equity, etc.). The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plan's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2020 (see the discussion of the pension plan's investment policy) are summarized in the following table using geometric means:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Clobal Equity	50.00/	£ 10/
Global Equity	58.0%	5.1%
Fixed Income	30.0%	1.5%
Real Estate	10.0%	6.2%
Cash	2.0%	1.0%
Total	100.0%	_

#### **Discount Rate:**

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability (asset) was 6.50%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that matching employer contributions from will be made at rates equal to the member rate. Based on these assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability (asset).

#### Sensitivity of liability (asset) to changes in the discount rate:

The following presents the City's proportionate share of net pension liability (asset) calculated using the discount rate of 6.50%, as well as what the City's proportionate share of the net pension asset would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower (5.50%) or 1-percentage point higher (7.50%) than the current rate:

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	1%	6 Decrease	Curre	nt Discount	1% Increase
City's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$	283,231	\$	(730)	\$ (233,005)

#### **Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position:**

Detailed information about the plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued SDRS financial report.

## NOTE 5 - RESTRICTED CASH AND INVESTMENTS

Assets restricted to use for a specific purpose through segregation of balances in separate accounts are as follows:

A	mount	Purpose
\$ \$		For customer deposits in the Water Fund For debt service by covenants in the Sewer Fund

#### **NOTE 6 - RESTRICTED NET POSITION**

Restricted Net Position for the year ended December 31, 2020, was as follows:

#### **Major Purposes**

Total Restricted Net Position	\$ 55,566
Sewer Fund Purposes	 36,430
Water Fund Customer Deposit Purposes	15,436
Gross Receipt Tax Purposes	\$ 3,700

These balances are restricted due to statutory requirements.

#### **NOTE 7 - INTERFUND TRANSFERS**

	Tra	nsfers In	Trans	sfers Out	Total
General Fund Water Fund	\$	721	\$	(721)	\$ 721 (721)
Total	\$	721	\$	(721)	\$ 

Transfers of investment and deposit earnings to the General Fund are reported. These transfers are in accordance to the City's policy and are in compliance with SDCL.

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#### **NOTE 8 - RISK MANAGEMENT**

The City is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. During the year ended December 31, 2020, the City managed its risks as follows:

Employee Health Insurance

The City purchases health insurance for its employees from a commercial insurance carrier. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage during the past three years.

Liability Insurance

The City joined the South Dakota Public Assurance Alliance (SDPAA), a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for South Dakota local government entities. The objective of the SDPAA is to administer and provide risk management services and risk sharing facilities to the members and to defend and protect the members against liability, to advise members on loss control guidelines and procedures, and provide them with risk management services, loss control and risk reduction information and to obtain lower costs for that coverage. The City's responsibility is to promptly report to and cooperate with the SDPAA to resolve any incident which could result in a claim being made by or against the City. The City pays a Members' Annual Operating Contribution, to provide liability coverage detailed below, under a claims-made policy and the premiums are accrued based on the ultimate cost of the experience to date of the SDPAA member, based on their exposure or type of coverage. The City pays an annual premium to the pool to provide coverage for automobile liability, legal liability, property coverage, and boiler and machinery coverage.

Effective January 1, 2018, the SDPAA revised the method of calculating the amount available to be refunded to a withdrawing member. Upon giving proper written notice to the SDPAA a member may withdraw. Within 120 days following withdrawal, or as soon thereafter as the next Annual Budget is completed, the SDPAA will advise the withdrawing member of its total calculated portion of contributions made to the SDPAA that shall be refunded. Refunds are calculated based on the pool's total contributions, along with the member's total contributions, current losses, unpaid losses, and loss expenses, the member's loss ratio, and number of membership years.

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A member who withdraws from the SDPAA shall receive a calculated portion of their contributions refunded for unpaid casualty losses, based on the following schedule:

Years	Percentage
1	55%
2	50%
3	40%
4	35%
5	30%
6+	20%

All refunds shall be paid to the withdrawing Member over a five-year term.

The amount available for refund to the City is considered a deposit for financial reporting purposes.

As of December 31, 2020, the City's balance available to be refunded per the SDPAA was \$58,025, which was an increase of \$2,397 from the previous year. This amount does not appear in the financial statements because this is a modified cash basis entity.

The City carries a \$0 deductible for the legal liability, automobile liability, property coverage, and boiler and machinery coverage. The City carries a \$2,000 deductible for law enforcement operations liability.

The City does not carry additional insurance to cover claims in excess of the upper limit. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage during the past three years.

#### Workmen's Compensation

The City joined the South Dakota Municipal League Worker's Compensation Fund (Fund), a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for South Dakota local government entities. The objective of the Fund is to formulate, develop, and administer, on behalf of the member organizations, a program of worker's compensation coverage, to obtain lower costs for that coverage, and to develop a comprehensive loss control program. The City's responsibility is to initiate and maintain a safety program to give its employees safe and sanitary working conditions and to promptly report to and cooperate with the Fund to resolve any worker's compensation claims. The City pays an annual premium, to provide worker's compensation coverage for its employees, under a self-funded program and the premiums are accrued based on the ultimate cost of the experience to date of the Fund members. Coverage limits are set by state statute. The pool pays the first \$650,000 of any claim per individual. The pool has reinsurance which covers up to statutory limits in addition to a separate combined employer liability limit of \$2,000,000 per incident.

The City does not carry additional insurance to cover claims in excess of the upper limit. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage over the past three years.

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## Unemployment Benefits

The City has elected to be self-insured and retain all risk for liabilities resulting from claims for unemployment benefits.

The City has assigned fund balance in the General Fund in the amount of \$128 for the payment of future unemployment benefits.

During the year ended December 31, 2020, no claims for unemployment benefits were paid. At December 31, 2020, no claims had been filed for unemployment benefits and none are anticipated in the next fiscal year.

#### **NOTE 9 - LITIGATION**

At December 31, 2020 the City was not involved in any litigation.

### **NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

Management has evaluated subsequent events through the date of the independent auditor's report, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.



# CITY OF GETTYSBURG BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE GENERAL FUND - MODIFIED CASH BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Budgeted	l Am	ounts	Actual Amounts Budgetary	V	ariance with
	 Original		Final	Basis)	Fin	al Budget
REVENUES						
Taxes						
General property tax	\$ 643,196	\$	643,196	\$ 679,249	\$	36,053
General sales and use tax	555,500		555,500	598,822		43,322
Amusement taxes	290		290	96		(194)
Tax deed revenue	1,050		1,050	_		(1,050)
Penalties and interest on delinquent taxes	800		800	2,389		1,589
Licenses and permits	8,450		8,450	5,755		(2,695)
Intergovernmental revenue						
Federal grants	10,000		193,857	252,870		59,013
State grants	-		19,414	11,341		(8,073)
State shared revenue						
Bank franchise tax	12,000		12,000	10,731		(1,269)
Motor vehicle commercial prorate	1,800		1,800	4,456		2,656
Liquor tax reversion	9,000		9,000	8,043		(957)
Motor vehicle licenses (5%)	25,500		25,500	22,357		(3,143)
Local government highway and						
bridge fund	61,800		61,800	57,293		(4,507)
County shared revenue						
County road tax (25%)	-		-	9,664		9,664
Other	-		-	10,000		10,000
Charges for goods and services						
Highways and streets	800		800	8,475		7,675
Sanitation	101,950		101,950	106,151		4,201
Health	-		-	310		310
Culture and recreation	12,750		12,750	8,880		(3,870)
Ambulance	53,000		53,000	82,710		29,710
Other	50,000		50,000	26,401		(23,599)
Fines and forfeits						
Court fines and penalties	1,200		1,200	277		(923)

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# CITY OF GETTYSBURG BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE GENERAL FUND - MODIFIED CASH BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

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		D 1 .	1 4		I	Actual Amounts	,	Variance
		Budgeted	l Am		(E	Budgetary		with
		Original		Final		Basis)	Fi	nal Budget
Miscellaneous revenue								
Investment earnings		12,000		12,000		7,169		(4,831)
Rentals		15,111		15,111		20,439		5,328
Contributions and donations								
from private sources		10,000		10,000		2,780		(7,220)
Other		32,000		32,000	_	14,776		(17,224)
Total revenue	\$ 1	,618,197	\$	1,821,468	_\$	1,951,434	_\$_	129,966
EXPENDITURES								
General government								
Legislative	\$	22,089	\$	22,089	\$	19,001	\$	3,088
Contingency	Ψ	50,000	Ψ	50,000	Ψ	-	Ψ	5,000
Amount transferred		-		(2,875)		_		47,125
Executive		5,719		5,719		5,486		233
Elections		2,500		2,500		1,408		1,092
Financial administration		120,750		120,750		86,987		33,763
Public safety								
Police		171,300		180,165		177,464		2,701
Fire		23,950		32,526		28,069		4,457
1.10		23,750		32,320		20,000		7,737
Public works								
Highways and streets		708,954		708,954		461,055		247,899
Sanitation		103,650		103,650		100,277		3,373
Airport		76,850		316,171		302,460		13,711
Health and welfare								
Health		2,475		5,281		4,351		930
Ambulance		80,925		120,979		120,428		551
Culture and recreation								
Recreation		84,250		84,250		61,963		22,287
Parks		85,300		85,300		70,024		15,276
Auditorium		12,250		12,250		8,154		4,096

# CITY OF GETTYSBURG BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE GENERAL FUND - MODIFIED CASH BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Budgeted Original	Amounts Final	Actual Amounts (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget
Conservation and development  Economic development and assistance  (industrial development)	20,000	21 500	21.500	
(mdustrial development)	20,000	21,500	21,500	-
Debt Service	31,683	31,683	31,683	-
Miscellaneous Other expenditures	25	50	29	21
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,602,670	\$ 1,900,942	\$ 1,500,339	\$ 400,603
Excess revenue over/under expenditures	15,527	(79,474)	451,095	530,569
Other financing sources/(uses) Transfers in			721_	(721)
Total other financing sources (uses)	-	-	721	(721)
Net change in fund balances	15,527	(79,474)	451,816	531,290
Fund balance - beginning	2,136,711	2,136,711	2,136,711	<u> </u>
Fund balance - ending	\$ 2,152,238	\$ 2,057,237	\$ 2,588,527	\$ 531,290

### **CITY OF GETTYSBURG**

NOTES TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULES OF BUDGETARY COMPARISONS FOR THE GENERAL FUND AND FOR EACH MAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUND WITH A LEGALLY REQUIRED BUDGET

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

#### NOTE 1 - BUDGETS AND BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING

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

- 1. At the first regular board meeting in September of each year or within ten days thereafter, the Governing Board/City Commission introduces the annual appropriation ordinance for ensuing fiscal year.
- 2. After adoption by the Governing Board/City Commission, the operating budget is legally binding and actual expenditures for each purpose cannot exceed the amounts budgeted, except as indicated in number 4.
- 3. A line item for contingencies may be included in the annual budget. Such a line item may not exceed 5 percent of the total municipal budget and may be transferred by resolution of the Governing Board/City Commission to any other budget category that is deemed insufficient during the year.
- 4. If it is determined during the year that sufficient amounts have not been budgeted, state statute allows the adoption of supplemental budgets.
- 5. Unexpended appropriations lapse at year end unless encumbered by resolution of the Governing Board/City Commission.

Encumbrance accounting, under which purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, is employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the General Fund, special revenue funds and capital projects funds.

The City did not encumber any amounts at December 31, 2020.

6. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for the General Fund and major special revenue funds.

CITY OF GETTYSBURG
NOTES TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - Page 2
SCHEDULES OF BUDGETARY COMPARISONS FOR THE GENERAL FUND AND FOR EACH MAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUND WITH A LEGALLY REQUIRED BUDGET
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

The financial statements prepared in conformity with USGAAP applied within the context of the modified cash basis of accounting present capital outlay expenditure information in a separate category of expenditures. Under the budgetary basis of accounting, capital outlay expenditures are reported within the function to which they relate. For example, the purchase of a new fire truck would be reported as a capital outlay expenditure on the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances, however in the Budgetary Comparison Schedule, the purchase of a fire truck would be reported as an expenditure of the Public Safety/Fire Department function of government, along with all other current Fire Department related expenditures.

## CITY OF GETTYSBURG SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN LONG-TERM DEBT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

Indebtedness		ong-Term t 01/01/2020	Add N	New Debt	 ess Debt Retired	ong-Term 12/31/2020
GOVERNMENTAL LONG-TERM DEB' Other Long Term Liabilities	r: \$	59,879	\$	-	\$ 29,373	\$ 30,506
ENTERPRISE LONG-TERM DEBT: Revenue Bonds		346,331		**	25,617	 320,714
TOTAL	\$	406,210	\$		\$ 54,990	\$ 351,220

CITY OF GETTYSBURG
SCHEDULE OF THE CITY'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF
THE NET PENSION LIABILITY (ASSET)
SOUTH DAKOTA RETIREMENT SYSTEM

	7	2020		2019		2018		2017		2016		2015
City's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.016	81111%	0.01	58111%	0.0	0.01681111% 0.0158111% 0.0147738% 0.0146070% 0.0131848%	0.0	146070%	0.0	131848%		0.0141935%
City's proportionate share of net pension liability (asset) \$	<del>69</del>	(730)	↔	(730) \$ (1,676) \$	<b>⇔</b>	(345)	€>	(1,326)	<del>∨</del> >	(345) \$ (1,326) \$ 44,537	↔	(60,199)
City's covered-employee payroll	<i>€</i> 9	339,187	<del>6∕3</del>	324,078	€>	\$ 324,078 \$ 307,130	69	296,779	<del>6/3</del>	\$ 246,070	€	257,071
City's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll		-0.22%		-0.52%		-0.11%		-0.45%		18.10%		-23.42%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	Ī	100.04%		%60.001		100.02%		100.10%		%68.96		104.10%

<sup>\*</sup>The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the measurement date of the collective net pension liability (asset) which is 6/30 of previous fiscal year.

CITY OF GETTYSBURG
NOTES TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020
SCHEDULE OF THE PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION
LIABILITY (ASSET)

#### **Changes from Prior Valuation:**

The June 30, 2020 Actuarial Valuation reflects no changes in actuarial methods from the June 30, 2019 Actuarial Valuation. One change in actuarial assumptions and two plan provision changes are reflected and described below.

The details of the changes since the last valuation are as follows:

#### **Benefit Provision Changes:**

Legislation enacted in 2020 established a Qualified Benefit Preservation Arrangement (QBPA) under Section 415(m) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The QBPA is effective July 1, 2020 and pays a portion of SDRS benefits that are restricted by IRC Section 415(b). The total benefits paid from SDRS and the QBPA will be limited to the applicable 415(b) annual limit, unreduced for early commencement if Members retire prior to age 62 and actuarially increased for late retirement up to age 70 if Members retire after age 65. The Actuarial Valuation considers benefits payable from both SDRS and the QBPA.

Legislation enacted in 2020 also brought the assets and the liabilities of the South Dakota Department of Labor and Regulation Plan into SDRS effective July 1, 2020. With the exception of the accounting results presented in Section 6 of this report, all exhibits include the assets, liabilities, and member counts of the former Department of Labor and Regulation Plan Members.

#### **Actuarial Assumption Changes:**

The SDRS COLA equals the percentage increase in the most recent third calendar quarter CPI-W over the prior year, no less than 0.5% and no greater than 3.5%. However, if the FVFR assuming the long-term COLA is equal to the baseline COLA assumption (currently 2.25%) is less than 100%, the maximum COLA payable will be limited to the increase that if assumed on a long-term basis, results in a FVFR equal to or exceeding 100%. That condition existed as of June 30, 2019 and exists again this year as of June 30, 2020. Future COLAs are assumed to equal the current restricted maximum COLA which was 1.88% as of June 30, 2019 and is 1.41% as of June 30, 2020.

The changes in actuarial assumptions due to the 1.41% restricted maximum COLA decreased the Actuarial Accrued Liability by \$595 million, or 4.6% of the Actuarial Accrued Liability based on the 1.88% restricted maximum COLA.

Actuarial assumptions are reviewed in depth periodically, with the next experience analysis anticipated before the June 30, 2022 Actuarial Valuation and any recommended changes anticipated to be first implemented in the June 30, 2022 Actuarial Valuation.

#### **Actuarial Method Changes:**

No changes in actuarial methods were made since the prior valuation.