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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 53 Harris County, Texas

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 53 (the "District") as of and for the year ended May 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the District as of May 31, 2022, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the District, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis and the Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual - General Fund be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Board of Directors Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 53

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The supplementary information required by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality as published in the Water District Financial Management Guide is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The supplementary information, excluding that portion marked "Unaudited" on which we express no opinion or provide an assurance, has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with 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.

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September 13, 2022

Management's discussion and analysis of the financial performance of Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 53 (the "District") provides an overview of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended May 31, 2022. Please read it in conjunction with the District's financial statements.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The basic financial statements include: (1) combined fund financial statements and government-wide financial statements and (2) notes to the financial statements. The combined fund financial statements and government-wide financial statements combine both: (1) the Statement of Net Position and Governmental Funds Balance Sheet and (2) the Statement of Activities and Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances. This report also includes required and other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The District's annual report includes two financial statements combining the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements. The government-wide financial statements provide both long-term and short-term information about the District's overall status. Financial reporting at this level uses a perspective similar to that found in the private sector with its basis in full accrual accounting and elimination or reclassification of internal activities.

The Statement of Net Position includes all of the District's assets, liabilities, and, if applicable, deferred inflows of resources and deferred outflows of resources with the difference reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District as a whole is improving or deteriorating. Evaluation of the overall health of the District would extend to other non-financial factors.

The Statement of Activities reports how the District's net position changed during the current fiscal year. All current year revenues and expenses are included regardless of when cash is received or paid.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The combined statements also include fund financial statements. A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District has three governmental fund types. The General Fund accounts for resources not accounted for in another fund, customer service revenues, operating costs and general expenditures. The Debt Service Fund accounts for ad valorem taxes and financial resources restricted, committed or assigned for servicing bond debt and the cost of assessing and collecting taxes. The Capital Projects Fund accounts for financial resources restricted, committed or assigned for acquisition or construction of facilities and related costs.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

Governmental funds are reported in each of the financial statements. The focus in the fund statements provides a distinctive view of the District's governmental funds. These statements report short-term fiscal accountability focusing on the use of spendable resources and balances of spendable resources available at the end of the year. They are useful in evaluating annual financing requirements of the District and the commitment of spendable resources for the near-term.

Since the government-wide focus includes the long-term view, comparisons between these two perspectives may provide insight into the long-term impact of short-term financing decisions. The adjustments columns, the Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position and the Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances to the Statement of Activities explain the differences between the two presentations and assist in understanding the differences between these two perspectives.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The accompanying notes to the financial statements provide information essential to a full understanding of the government-wide and fund financial statements.

OTHER INFORMATION

In addition to the financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information ("RSI") and other supplementary information. A budgetary comparison schedule is included as RSI for the General Fund.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the District's financial position. In the case of the District, assets exceeded liabilities by \$34,347,165 as of May 31, 2022. A portion of the District's net position reflects its net investment in capital assets (land, buildings and the District's capacity in the NCWA facilities as well as water, wastewater, drainage facilities, less any debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding).

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS (Continued)

The following is a comparative analysis of government-wide changes in net position:

	Summary of Chan	ges in the Statemer	nt of Net Position
	2022	2021	Change Positive (Negative)
Current and Other Assets Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated	\$ 12,338,912	\$ 12,980,496	\$ (641,584)
Depreciation)	26,129,434	27,055,964	(926,530)
Total Assets	\$ 38,468,346	\$ 40,036,460	\$ (1,568,114)
Due to Developer Bonds Payable Other Liabilities	\$ 2,902,609 1,218,572	\$ 99,232 6,153,121 1,176,450	\$ 99,232 3,250,512 (42,122)
Total Liabilities	\$ 4,121,181	\$ 7,428,803	\$ 3,307,622
Net Position: Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$ 23,341,790 2,056,562 8,948,813	\$ 20,919,403 3,892,163 7,796,091	\$ 2,422,387 (1,835,601) 1,152,722
Total Net Position	\$ 34,347,165	\$ 32,607,657	\$ 1,739,508

The following table provides a summary of the District's operations for the years ending May 31, 2022, and May 31, 2021.

	Summary of Changes in the Statement of Activities					
	2022 2021			Change Positive (Negative)		
Revenues:		_	,	_		
Property Taxes	\$	4,150,003	\$	5,009,617	\$	(859,614)
Charges for Services		1,821,679		2,023,738		(202,059)
Other Revenues		601,435		666,887		(65,452)
Total Revenues	\$	6,573,117	\$	7,700,242	\$	(1,127,125)
Expenses for Services		4,833,609		5,496,342		662,733
Change in Net Position	\$	1,739,508	\$	2,203,900	\$	(464,392)
Net Position, Beginning of Year		32,607,657		30,403,757		2,203,900
Net Position, End of Year	\$	34,347,165	\$	32,607,657	\$	1,739,508

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

The District's combined fund balances as of May 31, 2022, were \$10,706,894, a decrease of \$727,045 from the prior year.

The General Fund fund balance increased by \$1,129,071, primarily due to property tax revenues, sales tax revenues and service revenues exceeding purchased services, operating, administrative, professional, and capital costs.

The Debt Service Fund fund balance decreased by \$1,855,289, primarily due to the structure of the District's outstanding debt service requirements as well as a decrease in debt service tax revenues as a result of the decrease in the tax rate allocated to debt service.

The Capital Projects Fund fund balance decreased by \$827.

GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The Board of Directors adopted an unappropriated budget for the current fiscal year. Actual revenues were \$423,833 higher than budgeted revenues and actual expenditures were \$1,212,661 less than budgeted expenditures which resulted in a positive variance of \$1,636,494. See the budget to actual comparison for more information.

LONG-TERM DEBT ACTIVITY

As of May 31, 2022, the District had total bond debt payable of \$2,920,000. The changes in the debt position of the District during the fiscal year ended May 31, 2022, are summarized as follows:

Bond Debt Payable, June 1, 2021	\$ 6,135,000
Less: Bond Principal Paid	 3,215,000
Bond Debt Payable, May 31, 2022	\$ 2,920,000

The District maintains an underlying rating of A. The Series 2012 bonds carry an insured rating of AA by virtue of bond insurance issued by Assured Guaranty Municipal Corp. Credit enhanced ratings provided through bond insurance policies are subject to change based on the rating of the bond insurance company.

CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets as of May 31, 2022, total \$26,129,434 (net of accumulated depreciation) and include land, buildings, capacity in the NWCA facilities, and the water, wastewater and drainage systems. Significant capital asset activity completed during the current fiscal year included Sonoma Ranch lift station motor, Sonoma Ranch lift station fence and gate, Willersley water well fence, Tenderton lift station motor, South Sterling Green wastewater treatment plant gate and electrical improvements at the regional wastewater treatment plant.

Capital Assets At Year-End

					Change Positive
	2022		2021		(Negative)
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated:					
Land and Land Improvements	\$	2,274,746	\$ 2,274,746	\$	
Construction in Progress			692,995		(692,995)
Capital Assets Subject to Depreciation:					
Buildings and Improvements		540,987	540,987		
North Channel Water Authority Capacity		1,147,278	1,147,278		
Water System		12,156,473	12,145,981		10,492
Wastewater System		33,261,191	32,423,256		837,935
Drainage System		1,813,564	1,813,564		
Less Accumulated Depreciation		(25,064,805)	 (23,982,843)		(1,081,962)
Total Net Capital Assets	\$	26,129,434	\$ 27,055,964	\$	(926,530)

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the District's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 53, c/o Sanford Kuhl Hagan Kugle Parker Kahn LLP, 1980 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 1380, Houston, Texas 77056.

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AND GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET MAY 31, 2022

			Debt		
	G	General Fund		rvice Fund	
ASSETS			•		
Cash	\$	231,119	\$	165,682	
Investments		9,320,451		1,633,562	
Receivables:					
Property Taxes		141,406		172,267	
Penalty and Interest on Delinquent Taxes					
Service Accounts		186,710			
Accrued Interest		3,848		422	
Due from Other Funds		6,972			
Due from the City of Houston		127,000			
Water Authority Operating Advance		76,999			
Wastewater Treatment Facilities Operating Advance		42,808			
Land					
Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)					
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	10,137,313	\$	1,971,933	

Capital Projects Fund		Total		Α	Adjustments		Statement of Net Position		
\$	480 114,485	\$	397,281 11,068,498	\$		\$	397,281 11,068,498		
			313,673		121,673		313,673 121,673		
			186,710		,		186,710		
			4,270				4,270		
			6,972		(6,972)				
			127,000				127,000		
			76,999				76,999		
			42,808				42,808		
					2,274,746		2,274,746		
					23,854,688		23,854,688		
\$	114,965	\$	12,224,211	\$	26,244,135	\$	38,468,346		

HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 53 STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AND GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET MAY 31, 2022

	G	eneral Fund	Se	Debt ervice Fund
LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable	\$	420,526	\$	8,172
Accrued Interest Payable				
Due to Other Funds				6,972
Security Deposits		767,974		
Long-Term Liabilities:				
Bonds Payable, Due Within One Year				
Bonds Payable, Due After One Year				
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$	1,188,500	\$	15,144
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Property Taxes	\$	141,406	\$	172,267
FUND BALANCES				
Nonspendable:				
Water Authority Operating Advance	\$	76,999	\$	
Wastewater Treatment Facilities Operating Advance		42,808		
Restricted for Authorized Construction				
Restricted for Debt Service				1,784,522
Unassigned		8,687,600		
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	\$	8,807,407	\$	1,784,522
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS				
OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES	\$	10,137,313	\$	1,971,933

NET POSITION

Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted for Debt Service Unrestricted

TOTAL NET POSITION

Capital			Statement of			
Projects Fund	Total	Adjustments	Net Position			
\$	\$ 428,698	\$ 21,900	\$ 428,698 21,900			
	6,972 767,974	(6,972)	767,974			
\$ -0-	\$ 1,203,644	920,000 1,982,609 \$ 2,917,537	920,000 1,982,609 \$ 4,121,181			
\$ -0-	<u>\$ 313,673</u>	<u>\$ (313,673)</u>	\$ -0-			
\$ 114,965	\$ 76,999 42,808 114,965	\$ (76,999) (42,808) (114,965)	\$			
\$ 114,965	1,784,522 8,687,600 \$ 10,706,894	(1,784,522) (8,687,600) \$ (10,706,894)	\$ -0-			
\$ 114,965	\$ 12,224,211					
		\$ 23,341,790 2,056,562 8,948,813 \$ 34,347,165	\$ 23,341,790 2,056,562 8,948,813 \$ 34,347,165			

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION MAY 31, 2022

Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$ 10,706,894
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as assets in the governmental funds.	26,129,434
Deferred inflows of resources related to property tax revenues and penalty and interest receivable on delinquent taxes for the 2021 and prior tax levies became part of recognized revenue in the governmental activities of the District.	435,346
Certain liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported as liabilities in the governmental funds. These liabilities at year end consist of:	
Accrued Interest Payable \$ (21,900)	
Bonds Payable (2,902,609)	 (2,924,509)
Total Net Position - Governmental Activities	\$ 34,347,165



HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 53 STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

	Ge	eneral Fund	S	Debt ervice Fund
REVENUES				
Property Taxes	\$	2,575,129	\$	1,574,045
Water Service	Ψ	1,042,367	Ψ	1,0 / 1,0 10
Wastewater Service		601,263		
Penalty and Interest		34,147		61,634
Sales Tax Revenues		573,620		- ,
Investment and Miscellaneous Revenues		20,641		6,965
Other Service Revenues		71,908		,
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	4,919,075	\$	1,642,644
EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES				
Service Operations:				
Professional Fees	\$	241,914	\$	20,437
Contracted Services		501,967		97,027
Purchased Water Service		1,487,834		
Purchased Wastewater Service		493,584		
Utilities		284,848		
Repairs and Maintenance		351,069		
Depreciation				
Other		162,527		13,569
Capital Outlay		261,299		
Developer Interest		4,962		
Debt Service:				
Bond Principal				3,215,000
Bond Interest				151,900
TOTAL EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES	\$	3,790,004	\$	3,497,933
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	\$	1,129,071	\$	(1,855,289)
CHANGE IN NET POSITION				
FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION - JUNE 1, 2021		7,678,336		3,639,811
FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION - MAY 31, 2022	\$	8,807,407	\$	1,784,522

Capital					Statement of			
Pro	jects Fund	Total			Adjustments	Activities		
\$		\$	4,149,174	\$	829	\$	4,150,003	
			1,042,367				1,042,367	
			601,263				601,263	
			95,781		10,360		106,141	
			573,620				573,620	
	209		27,815				27,815	
			71,908				71,908	
\$	209	\$	6,561,928	\$	11,189	\$	6,573,117	
\$		\$	262,351	\$		\$	262,351	
	700		599,694				599,694	
			1,487,834				1,487,834	
			493,584				493,584	
			284,848				284,848	
			351,069		3,760		354,829	
					1,084,837		1,084,837	
	336		176,432				176,432	
			261,299		(261,299)			
			4,962				4,962	
			3,215,000		(3,215,000)			
			151,900		(67,662)		84,238	
\$	1,036	\$	7,288,973	\$	(2,455,364)	\$	4,833,609	
\$	(827)	\$	(727,045)	\$	727,045	\$		
					1,739,508		1,739,508	
	115,792		11,433,939		21,173,718		32,607,657	
\$	114,965	\$	10,706,894	\$	23,640,271	\$	34,347,165	

HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 53 RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$ (727,045)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:	
Governmental funds report tax revenues when collected. However, in the Statement of Activities, revenue is recorded in the accounting period for which the taxes are levied.	829
Governmental funds report penalty and interest revenue on property taxes when collected. However, in the Statement of Activities, revenue is recorded when penalties and interest are assessed.	10,360
Governmental funds do not account for depreciation. However, in the Statement of Net Position, capital assets are depreciated and depreciation expense is recorded in the Statement of Activities.	(1,084,837)
Governmental funds report capital expenditures as expenditures in the period purchased. However, in the Statement of Net Position, capital assets are increased by new purchases and the Statement of Activities is not affected.	257,539
Governmental funds report bond principal payments as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Net Position, bond principal payments are reported as decreases in long-term liabilities.	3,215,000
Governmental funds report interest expenditures on long-term debt as expenditures in the year paid. However, in the Statement of Net Position, interest is accrued on the long-term debt through fiscal year-end.	 67,662
Change in Net Position - Governmental Activities	\$ 1,739,508

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 1. CREATION OF DISTRICT

Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 53 of Harris County, Texas was created by an Order of the Texas Water Rights Commission effective May 30, 1973, presently known as the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (the "Commission"). Pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code, the District is empowered to purchase, operate and maintain all facilities, plants and improvements necessary to provide water, sanitary sewer service, storm sewer drainage, irrigation, solid waste collection and disposal, including recycling, parks and recreational facilities for the residents of the District. The District is also empowered to contract for or employ its own peace officers with powers to make arrests and to establish, operate and maintain a fire department to perform all fire-fighting activities within the District. The Board of Directors held its first meeting on July 24, 1973, and the first bonds were sold on December 13, 1976.

NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB"). In addition, the accounting records of the District are maintained generally in accordance with the *Water District Financial Management Guide* published by the Commission.

The District is a political subdivision of the State of Texas governed by an elected board. GASB has established the criteria for determining whether or not an entity is a primary government or a component unit of a primary government. The primary criteria are that it has a separately elected governing body, it is legally separate, and it is fiscally independent of other state and local governments. Under these criteria, the District is considered a primary government and is not a component unit of any other government. Additionally, no other entities meet the criteria for inclusion in the District's financial statement as component units.

The District has entered into a joint venture with Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 51 and Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 36 for wastewater disposal through a regional wastewater treatment plant. See Note 8 for additional disclosure.

The District also participates in the North Channel Water Authority regional water production facilities. See Note 9 for additional disclosure.

Financial Statement Presentation

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with GASB Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards Part II, Financial Reporting ("GASB Codification").

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Financial Statement Presentation (Continued)

The GASB Codification sets forth standards for external financial reporting for all state and local government entities, which include a requirement for a Statement of Net Position and a Statement of Activities. It requires the classification of net position into three components: Net Investment in Capital Assets; Restricted; and Unrestricted. These classifications are defined as follows:

- Net Investment in Capital Assets This component of net position consists of capital assets, including restricted capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvements of those assets.
- Restricted Net Position This component of net position consists of external constraints placed on the use of assets imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulation of other governments or constraints imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- Unrestricted Net Position This component of net position consists of assets that do not meet the definition of Restricted or Net Investment in Capital Assets.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, generally it is the District's policy to use restricted resources first.

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities display information about the District as a whole. The District's Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities are combined with the governmental fund financial statements. The District is viewed as a special-purpose government and has the option of combining these financial statements.

The Statement of Net Position is reported by adjusting the governmental fund types to report on the full accrual basis, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations. Any amounts recorded due to and due from other funds are eliminated in the Statement of Net Position.

The Statement of Activities is reported by adjusting the governmental fund types to report only items related to current year revenues and expenditures. Items such as capital outlay are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. Internal activities between governmental funds, if any, are eliminated by adjustment to obtain net total revenue and expense of the government-wide Statement of Activities.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Fund Financial Statements

The District's fund financial statements are combined with the government-wide financial statements. The fund financial statements include a Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances.

Governmental Funds

The District has three governmental funds and considers each to be a major fund.

<u>General Fund</u> - To account for resources not required to be accounted for in another fund, customer service revenues, operating costs and general expenditures.

<u>Debt Service Fund</u> - To account for ad valorem taxes and financial resources restricted, committed or assigned for servicing bond debt and the cost of assessing and collecting taxes.

<u>Capital Projects Fund</u> - To account for financial resources restricted, committed or assigned for acquisition or construction of facilities and related costs.

Basis of Accounting

The District uses the modified accrual basis of accounting for governmental fund types. The modified accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues when both "measurable and available." Measurable means the amount can be determined. Available means collectable within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay current liabilities. The District considers revenue reported in governmental funds to be available if they are collectable within 60 days after year end. Also, under the modified accrual basis of accounting, expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on long-term debt, which are recognized as expenditures when payment is due.

Property taxes considered available by the District and included in revenue include taxes collected during the year and taxes collected after year-end, which were considered available to defray the expenditures of the current year. Deferred inflows of resources related to property tax revenues are those taxes which the District does not reasonably expect to be collected soon enough in the subsequent period to finance current expenditures.

Amounts transferred from one fund to another fund are reported as other financing sources or uses. Loans by one fund to another fund and amounts paid by one fund for another fund are reported as interfund receivables and payables in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet if there is intent to repay the amount and if the debtor fund has the ability to repay the advance on a timely basis. As of May 31, 2022, the Debt Service Fund owed the General Fund \$6,972 for maintenance tax collections.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets, are reported in the government-wide Statement of Net Position. All capital assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. Donated assets are valued at their fair market value on the date donated. Repairs and maintenance are recorded as expenditures in the governmental fund incurred and as an expense in the government-wide Statement of Activities. Capital asset additions, improvements and preservation costs that extend the life of an asset are capitalized and depreciated over the estimated useful life of the asset. Engineering fees and certain other costs are capitalized as part of the asset.

Assets are capitalized, including infrastructure assets, if they have an original cost greater than \$5,000 and a useful life over two years. Depreciation is calculated on each class of depreciable property using no salvage value and the straight-line method of depreciation. Estimated useful lives are as follows:

	Years
Buildings and Improvements	20-40
Water System	10-45
Wastewater System	10-45
Drainage System	10-45

Budgeting

An annual unappropriated budget is adopted for the General Fund by the District's Board of Directors. The budget is prepared using the same method of accounting as for financial reporting. The original General Fund budget for the current year was not amended. The Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance – Budget and Actual – General Fund presents the budgeted amounts compared to the actual amounts of revenues and expenditures for the current year.

Pensions

The District has not established a pension plan as the District does not have employees. The Internal Revenue Service has determined that fees of office received by Directors are considered to be wages subject to federal income tax withholding for payroll purposes only.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Measurement Focus

Measurement focus is a term used to describe which transactions are recognized within the various financial statements. In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, the governmental activities are presented using the economic resources measurement focus. The accounting objectives of this measurement focus are the determination of operating income, changes in net position, financial position, and cash flows. All assets and liabilities associated with the activities are reported. Fund equity is classified as net position.

Governmental fund types are accounted for on a spending or financial flow measurement focus. Accordingly, only current assets and current liabilities are included on the Balance Sheet, and the reported fund balances provide an indication of available spendable or appropriable resources. Operating statements of governmental fund types report increases and decreases in available spendable resources. Fund balances in governmental funds are classified using the following hierarchy:

Nonspendable: amounts that cannot be spent either because they are in nonspendable form or because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted: amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes because of constitutional provisions, or enabling legislation, or because of constraints that are imposed externally.

Committed: amounts that can be spent only for purposes determined by a formal action of the Board of Directors. The Board is the highest level of decision-making authority for the District. This action must be made no later than the end of the fiscal year. Commitments may be established, modified, or rescinded only through ordinances or resolutions approved by the Board. The District has no committed fund balances.

Assigned: amounts that do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed, but that are intended to be used for specific purposes. The District has not adopted a formal policy regarding the assignment of fund balances and does not have assigned fund balances.

Unassigned: all other spendable amounts in the General Fund.

When expenditures are incurred for which restricted, committed, assigned or unassigned fund balances are available, the District considers amounts to have been spent first out of restricted funds, then committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Accounting Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 3. LONG-TERM DEBT

	Series 2012
Amount Outstanding – May 31, 2022	\$2,920,000
Interest Rates	3.00%
Maturity Dates – Serially Beginning/Ending	September 1, 2022/2024
Interest Payment Dates	September 1/ March 1
Callable Dates	September 1, 2019 (1)

(1) Or on any date thereafter callable at par plus unpaid accrued interest from the most recent interest payment date to the date of redemption.

The following is a summary of transactions regarding bonds payable for the year ended May 31, 2022:

	June 1, 2021		Additions		Retirements		May 31, 2022	
Bonds Payable Unamortized Discounts Unamortized Premiums	\$	6,135,000 (24,129) 42,250	\$		\$	3,215,000 (6,738) 42,250	\$	2,920,000 (17,391)
Bonds Payable, Net	\$	6,153,121	\$	-0-	\$	3,250,512	\$	2,902,609
			Amount Due Within One Year Amount Due After One Year Bonds Payable, Net			\$ <u>\$</u>	920,000 1,982,609 2,902,609	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 3. LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)

As of May 31, 2022, the debt service requirements on the bonds outstanding were as follows:

Fiscal Year	 Principal	Interest		Total		
2023	\$ 920,000	\$	73,800	\$	993,800	
2024	975,000		45,375		1,020,375	
2025	 1,025,000		15,375		1,040,375	
	\$ 2,920,000	\$	134,550	\$	3,054,550	

As of May 31, 2022, the District had authorized but unissued bonds in the amount of \$20,200,000 for acquiring and constructing water, sewer and drainage systems and authorized but unissued bonds in the amount of \$16,850,000 for refunding purposes.

The bonds are payable from the proceeds of an ad valorem tax levied upon all property subject to taxation within the District, without limitation as to rate or amount, and are further payable from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the net revenues to be received from the operation of the District's waterworks and sanitary sewer system.

During the year ended May 31, 2022, the District levied an ad valorem debt service tax rate of \$0.15 per \$100 of assessed valuation, which resulted in a tax levy of \$1,566,106 on the adjusted taxable valuation of \$1,044,070,364 for the 2021 tax year. The bond resolution requires the District to levy and collect an ad valorem debt service tax sufficient to pay interest and principal on bonds when due and the cost of assessing and collecting taxes. See Note 7 for the maintenance tax levy.

All property values and exempt status, if any, are determined by the appraisal district. Assessed values are determined as of January 1 of each year, at which time a tax lien attaches to the related property. Taxes are levied around October/November, are due upon receipt and are delinquent the following February 1. Penalty and interest attach thereafter.

NOTE 4. SIGNIFICANT BOND RESOLUTION AND LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The District has covenanted that it will take all necessary steps to comply with the requirement that rebatable arbitrage earnings on the investment of the gross proceeds of the Bonds, within the meaning of section 148(f) of the Internal Revenue Code, be rebated to the federal government. The minimum requirement for determination of the rebatable amount is on the five-year anniversary of the issue. The bond resolution states that the District is required to provide to certain information repositories continuing disclosure of annual financial information and operating data with respect to the District. The information is of the general type included in the annual audit report and must be filed within six months after the end of each fiscal year of the District.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 5. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of a depository financial institution, a government will not be able to recover deposits or will not be able to recover collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The District's deposit policy for custodial credit risk requires compliance with the provisions of Texas statutes.

Texas statutes require that any cash balance in any fund shall, to the extent not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or its successor, be continuously secured by a valid pledge to the District of securities eligible under the laws of Texas to secure the funds of the District, having an aggregate market value, including accrued interest, at all times equal to the uninsured cash balance in the fund to which such securities are pledged. At fiscal year end, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$4,062,281 and the bank balance was \$4,080,668. The District was not exposed to custodial credit risk at year-end.

The carrying values of the deposits are included in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet and the Statement of Net Position at May 31, 2022, as listed below:

	Certificates							
	Cash			of Deposit		Total		
GENERAL FUND	\$	231,119	\$	3,175,000	\$	3,406,119		
DEBT SERVICE FUND		165,682		490,000		655,682		
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND		480				480		
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$	397,281	\$	3,665,000	\$	4,062,281		

Investments

Under Texas law, the District is required to invest its funds under written investment policies that primarily emphasize safety of principal and liquidity and that address investment diversification, yield, maturity, and the quality and capability of investment management, and all District funds must be invested in accordance with the following investment objectives: understanding the suitability of the investment to the District's financial requirements, first; preservation and safety of principal, second; liquidity, third; marketability of the investments if the need arises to liquidate the investment before maturity, fourth; diversification of the investment portfolio, fifth; and yield, sixth. The District's investments must be made "with judgment and care, under prevailing circumstances, that a person of prudence, discretion, and intelligence would exercise in the management of the person's own affairs, not for speculation, but for investment, considering the probable safety of capital and the probable income to be derived." No person may invest District funds without express written authority from the Board of Directors.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 5. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

<u>Investments</u> (Continued)

Texas statutes include specifications for and limitations applicable to the District and its authority to purchase investments as defined in the Public Funds Investment Act. The District has adopted a written investment policy to establish the guidelines by which it may invest. This policy is reviewed annually. The District's investment policy may be more restrictive than the Public Funds Investment Act.

The District also invests in Texas Cooperative Liquid Assets Securities System Trust ("Texas CLASS"), a public funds investment pool. Public Trust Advisors, LLC serves as the pool's administrator and investment advisor and UMB Bank, N.A., serves as the custodian for the pool. Texas CLASS is subject to the general supervision of the Board of Trustees and its Advisory Board, both of which are elected by the Texas CLASS participants. The investments are considered to be Level I investments because their fair value is measured by quoted prices in active markets. There are no limitations or restrictions on withdrawals from Texas CLASS.

The District records its certificates of deposit at acquisition cost. As of May 31, 2022, the District had the following investments and maturities:

Fund and Investment Type	Fair Value	Maturities of Less Than 1 Year		
GENERAL FUND Texas CLASS	¢ 6 145 451	¢ (145.451		
Certificates of Deposit	\$ 6,145,451 3,175,000	\$ 6,145,451 3,175,000		
DEBT SERVICE FUND Texas CLASS	1,143,562	1,143,562		
Certificates of Deposit	490,000	490,000		
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND Texas CLASS	114,485	114,485		
TOTAL INVESTMENTS	\$ 11,068,498	\$ 11,068,498		

Credit risk is the risk that the issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. The District manages credit risk by primarily investing in certificates of deposit with balances below FDIC coverage. At May 31, 2022, the District's investments in Texas CLASS were rated AAAm by Standard and Poor's. Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The District manages interest rate risk by primarily investing in certificates of deposit with maturities of less than one year.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 5. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

<u>Investments</u> (Continued)

The District considers the investments in Texas CLASS to have a maturity of less than one year due to the fact the share position can usually be redeemed each day at the discretion of the District, unless there has been a significant change in value.

Restrictions

All cash and investments of the Debt Service Fund are restricted for the payment of debt service and the cost of assessing and collecting taxes. All cash and investments of the Capital Projects Fund are restricted for the purchase of capital assets.

NOTE 6. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended May 31, 2022 is as follows:

	June 1, 2021 Increases		Increases	Decreases		May 31, 2022		
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated Land and Land Improvements Construction in Progress	\$	2,274,746 692,995	\$	158,307	\$	851,302	\$	2,274,746
Total Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated	\$	2,967,741	\$	158,307	\$	851,302	\$	2,274,746
Capital Assets Subject to Depreciation								
Buildings and Improvements NCWA Capacity Water System Wastewater System Drainage System	\$	540,987 1,147,278 12,145,981 32,423,256 1,813,564	\$	13,367 837,935	\$	2,875	\$	540,987 1,147,278 12,156,473 33,261,191 1,813,564
Total Capital Assets Subject to Depreciation	\$	48,071,066	\$	851,302	\$	2,875	\$	48,919,493
Accumulated Depreciation Buildings and Improvements NCWA Capacity Water System Wastewater System Drainage System	\$	197,396 931,960 6,656,438 15,521,254 675,795	\$	20,505 30,851 286,410 706,083 40,988	\$	2,875	\$	217,901 962,811 6,939,973 16,227,337 716,783
Total Accumulated Depreciation	\$	23,982,843	\$	1,084,837	\$	2,875	\$	25,064,805
Total Depreciable Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation	\$	24,088,223	\$	(233,535)	\$	-0-	\$	23,854,688
Total Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation	\$	27,055,964	\$	(75,228)	\$	851,302	\$	26,129,434

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 7. MAINTENANCE TAX

On January 15, 1977, the voters of the District approved the levy and collection of a maintenance tax of not more than \$0.25 per \$100 of assessed valuation of taxable property within the District. This maintenance tax is to be used by the General Fund to pay expenditures of operating the District's waterworks and sanitary sewer system. During the year ended May 31, 2022, the District levied an ad valorem maintenance tax rate of \$0.25 per \$100 of assessed valuation, which resulted in a tax levy of \$2,610,176 on the adjusted taxable valuation of \$1,044,070,364 for the 2021 tax year.

NOTE 8. REGIONAL WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

On June 10, 1974, the District entered into a contract with Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 51 (District No. 51) and Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 36 (District No. 36) for the financing, construction and operation of a regional wastewater treatment facility to be operated by District No. 51. In subsequent agreements this contract was modified to meet the additional capacity requirements of the districts. Pursuant to an addendum dated October 7, 1985, the District is exclusively entitled to and guaranteed capacity of 2,250,000 gpd of the 6,300,000 gpd facility. On May 1, 2004, the districts approved an amendment to this agreement to provide for the allocation of costs related to the operation and maintenance of the facilities and to provide for the construction of improvements to the wastewater transmission facilities by District No. 36 and District No. 51. The District participated in the agreement solely with respect to facilitating the contract amendments for District Nos. 36 and 51. Separate financial statements may be obtained by contacting the District's attorney, Sanford Kuhl Hagan Kugle Parker Kahn LLP. The participating districts and respective pro rata shares of capacity in the regional wastewater treatment plant are:

	Capacity (gpd)	Percentage
Harris County Municipal Utility		
District No. 53	2,250,000	35.71%
Harris County Water Control and		
Improvement District No. 36	1,500,000	23.81
Harris County Fresh Water Supply		
District No. 51	2,550,000	40.48
TOTAL	6,300,000	<u>100.00</u> %

Each participant is responsible only for its share of the operating costs of the Plant which are allocated and billed monthly based upon each participant's pro rata share of monthly water production. The District's advance for operations and maintenance of the regional wastewater treatment plant is \$42,808 and the District recorded total expenditures of \$493,584 as its share of the operating costs of the plant.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 8. REGIONAL WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (Continued)

The following summary financial data for the regional wastewater treatment plant is presented for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021:

	Joint Venture
Total Assets	\$ 261,080
Total Liabilities	141,202
Total Fund Balance	<u>\$ 119,878</u>
Total Revenues Total Expenditures	\$ 1,330,100 1,330,100
Net Change in Fund Balance Beginning Fund Balance	\$ -0- 119,878
Ending Fund Balance	<u>\$ 119,878</u>

NOTE 9. NORTH CHANNEL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT

On January 31, 1991, the District entered into a Regional Water Supply Contract with the North Channel Water Authority (Authority) agreeing to participate in a plan whereby the Authority purchases treated surface water from the City of Houston. This will enable the District to meet the requirements of the Harris-Galveston Subsidence District (HGSD) for conversion to 80% surface water. This contract was restated on March 1, 2001. The Authority's plan also anticipates possible additional acquisitions of surface water and construction of additional water distribution lines in the future that will enable the District to remain in compliance with HGSD requirements. The Authority is the owner and operator of the system.

This contract will remain in effect until December 31, 2028, and thereafter from year-to-year until payment in full of the principal, premium, if any, and interest on all bonds and all related fees to be paid under any bond resolution or indenture securing the bonds.

The Authority issued bonds for the purpose of financing the capital costs of the initial project. The District chose to contribute cash in lieu of participating in the bond financing. In return for its contractual share of the capital costs of the system, the District acquired 2,200,000 gallons-per-day capacity in the Authority's surface water distribution system. In addition, the District pays its pro rata share of any special project related to the facilities.

During the current fiscal year, the District incurred costs of \$1,487,834 with respect to this contract. As of May 31, 2022, the District had a reserve with the Authority in the amount of \$76,999. Separate financial statements may be obtained by contacting the Authority's attorney, Allen Boone Humphries Robinson LLP. The following summary financial data of the Authority is presented for the year ending December 31, 2021.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 9. NORTH CHANNEL WATER AUTHORITY CONTRACT (Continued)

	Joint Venture
Total Assets Total Liabilities	\$ 17,412,619 5,919,699
Net Position	\$ 11,492,920
Operating Revenues	\$ 10,581,197
Operating Expenses	10,060,892
Operating Income Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses)	\$ 520,305 (167,759)
Change in Net Position Net Position - Beginning of Year	\$ 352,546 11,140,374
Net Position - End of Year	\$ 11,492,920

NOTE 10. EMERGENCY WATER SUPPLY AGREEMENTS

On October 20, 1997, the District entered into an emergency water supply contract with Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 51. A first amendment to the contract was executed to extend the term to December 31, 2018. On September 11, 2018, a second amendment to the contract was executed continuing the term in full force and effect unless terminated by either party by giving written notice of its intent to terminate at least 18 months prior to actual termination. The interconnect facilities were constructed prior to this agreement. The price to be paid for water furnished under this agreement is at a rate equal to the supplying party's cost to supply the water.

On September 12, 2006, the District entered into an Emergency Water Supply Contract with Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 84 (District No. 84). A first amendment to the contract was executed to extend the term to August 11, 2025. District No. 84 is responsible for the installation and construction of all necessary facilities at the point of connection and is responsible for maintenance of such facilities. The using party will be charged the current North Channel Water Authority rate per 1,000 gallons plus \$0.50 per 1,000 gallons.

NOTE 11. WATER SUPPLY AND WASTE TRANSPORTATION AGREEMENT

On July 2, 1991, the District entered into a Water Supply and Waste Transportation Agreement with Harris County Water Control and Improvement District No. 36 for the purpose of providing potable water and sewer service to a 3.8183-acre tract of land within District No. 36. A first amendment to this agreement was approved December 1, 2003, allowing District No. 36 to provide water originally supplied by the District to Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 47 on an emergency basis.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS MAY 31, 2022

NOTE 12. RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the District carries commercial insurance. There have been no significant reductions in coverage from the prior year and settlements have not exceeded coverage in the past three years.

NOTE 13. STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

Effective May 3, 2007, the District entered into a Strategic Partnership Agreement with the City of Houston, Texas. The agreement was amended and restated on November 16, 2012 and on December 12, 2019. The agreement provides that in accordance with Subchapter F of Chapter 43 of the Local Government Code and Act, the City shall annex a tract of land defined as the "Tract" for the limited purposes of applying the City's Planning, Zoning, Health, and Safety Ordinances within the Tract within the boundaries of the District. The District will continue to develop, to own, and to operate and maintain a water, wastewater, and drainage system in the District.

The City imposes a Sales and Use Tax within the boundaries of the Tract at the rate of one percent or the rate specified under the future amendments to Chapter 321 of the Tax Code. The City pays the District one-half of all Sales and Use Tax revenues generated within the boundaries of the Tract. The City delivers to the District its share of the sales tax receipts within 30 days of the City receiving the funds from the State Comptroller's office. During the fiscal year ended May 31, 2022, the District recorded sales tax revenues of \$573,620, of which \$127,000 was receivable as of the fiscal year end. The City agrees that it will not annex the District for full purposes or commence any action to annex the District for full purposes during the term of this Agreement. The term of this Agreement is 30 years from the effective date of the agreement.

NOTE 14. UNREIMBURSED COSTS

The District executed financing agreements with Developers which call for the Developers to fund costs associated with the construction of public infrastructure located within the District. Reimbursement for the infrastructure costs will come from operating or construction funds to the extent approved by the Commission. The prior year balance of \$99,932 was reduced by payments and adjustments totaling \$99,932, which resulted in an ending balance of \$-0-.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

MAY 31, 2022

HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 53 SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

	Original and Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)	
REVENUES Property Taxes Water Service Wastewater Service Penalty and Interest Sales Tax Revenues Investment and Miscellaneous Revenues Other Service Revenues	\$ 2,139,371 1,019,626 550,695 39,000 575,000 100,600 70,950	\$ 2,575,129 1,042,367 601,263 34,147 573,620 20,641	\$ 435,758 22,741 50,568 (4,853) (1,380) (79,959) 958	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 4,495,242	71,908 \$ 4,919,075	\$ 423,833	
EXPENDITURES Service Operations: Professional Fees Contracted Services Purchased Water Service Purchased Wastewater Service Utilities Repairs and Maintenance Other Capital Outlay	\$ 320,500 525,000 1,404,540 530,000 285,700 638,625 170,355 1,127,945	\$ 241,914 501,967 1,487,834 493,584 284,848 351,069 162,527 266,261	\$ 78,586 23,033 (83,294) 36,416 852 287,556 7,828 861,684	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 5,002,665	\$ 3,790,004	\$ 1,212,661	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE FUND BALANCE - JUNE 1, 2021	\$ (507,423) 7,678,336	\$ 1,129,071 7,678,336	\$ 1,636,494	
FUND BALANCE - MAY 31, 2022	\$ 7,170,913	\$ 8,807,407	\$ 1,636,494	



HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 53 SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION – REQUIRED BY THE WATER DISTRICT FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT GUIDE MAY 31, 2022

SERVICES AND RATES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

1. SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE DISTRICT DURING THE FISCAL YEAR:

X	Retail Water	X	Wholesale Water		Drainage
X	Retail Wastewater	X	Wholesale Wastewater		Irrigation
	Parks/Recreation		Fire Protection		Security
	Solid Waste/Garbage		Flood Control		Roads
	Participates in joint venture,	, regional	system and/or wastewater	service (c	ther than
X	emergency interconnect)				
	Other (specify):				

2. RETAIL SERVICE PROVIDERS

a. RETAIL RATES FOR A 5/8" METER (OR EQUIVALENT):

Based on the rate order approved March 9, 2010

	Minimum Charge	Minimum Usage	Flat Rate Y/N	Rate per 1,000 Gallons over Minimum Use	Usage Levels	
WATER:	\$ 8.00	3,000	N	\$ 1.25 \$ 1.50 \$ 2.00	3,001 to 6,000 6,001 to 10,000 10,001 and up	
WASTEWATER:	\$ 8.00		Y			
SURCHARGE: Commission Regulatory Assessment	0.5% of actual sewer bill	water and				
District employs wint	er averaging for v	wastewater usage?			Yes X	_

Total monthly charges per 10,000 gallons usage: Water: \$17.75 Wastewater: \$8.00 Surcharge: \$0.13 Total: \$25.88

SERVICES AND RATES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

2. RETAIL SERVICE PROVIDERS (Continued)

b. WATER AND WASTEWATER RETAIL CONNECTIONS: (Unaudited)

Meter Size	Total Connections	Active Connections	ESFC Factor	Active ESFCs
Unmetered			x 1.0	
<u>≤</u> ³ / ₄ "	5,486	5,447	x 1.0	5,447
1"	48	47	x 2.5	118
1½"	4	4	x 5.0	20
2"	30	30	x 8.0	240
3"	3	3	x 15.0	45
4"	2	2	x 25.0	50
6"	5	5	x 50.0	250
8"	3	3	x 80.0	240
10"			x 115.0	
Total Water Connections	5,581	5,541		6,410
Total Wastewater Connections 487	5,533	5,493	x 1.0	5,493

3. TOTAL WATER CONSUMPTION DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ROUNDED TO THE NEAREST THOUSAND: (Unaudited)

Gallons billed to customers:	441,389,000	Water Accountability Ratio: 85.4 % (Gallons billed/Gallons pumped and purchased)
Gallons pumped:	16,799,000	
Gallons purchased:	500,000,000	From: North Channel Water Authority

SERVICES AND RATES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

4.	STANDBY FEES (authorized only under TWC Section 49.231):				
	Does the District have Debt Service standby fees?	Yes	No X		
	Does the District have Operation and Maintenance standby fees?	Yes	No X		
5.	LOCATION OF DISTRICT:				
	Is the District located entirely within one county?				
	Yes <u>X</u> No				
	County in which District is located:				
	Harris County, Texas				
	Is the District located within a city?				
	Entirely Partly Not at all	<u>X</u>			
	Is the District located within a city's extraterritorial jurisdiction (E	ETJ)?			
	Entirely X Partly Not at all				
	ETJ in which District is located:				
	City of Houston, Texas				
	Are Board Members appointed by an office outside the District?				
	Yes NoX				

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

PROFESSIONAL FEES:	
Auditing	\$ 20,250
Engineering	72,007
Legal	 149,657
TOTAL PROFESSIONAL FEES	\$ 241,914
PURCHASED SERVICES FOR RESALE:	
Purchased Water Service	\$ 1,487,834
Purchased Wastewater Service	 493,584
TOTAL PURCHASED SERVICES FOR RESALE	\$ 1,981,418
CONTRACTED SERVICES:	
Bookkeeping	\$ 42,192
Operations and Billing	 459,775
TOTAL CONTRACTED SERVICES	\$ 501,967
UTILITIES:	
Electricity	\$ 277,643
Telephone	 7,205
TOTAL UTILITIES	\$ 284,848
REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	\$ 351,069
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURES:	
Director Fees, Including Payroll Taxes and Administration	\$ 31,972
Dues	3,644
Election Costs	3,793
Insurance	41,773
Office Supplies and Postage	9,492
Travel and Meetings	 6,705
TOTAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURES	\$ 97,379
CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$ 261,299
DEVELOPER INTEREST	\$ 4,962
CONNECTION AND INSPECTION FEES	\$ 2,900
OTHER EXPENDITURES:	
Chemicals	\$ 2,985
Laboratory Fees	7,321
Permit Fees	18,324
Regulatory Assessment	7,973
Other	 25,645
TOTAL OTHER EXPENDITURES	\$ 62,248
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 3,790,004

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

INVESTMENTS MAY 31, 2022

					Accrued
	T1	T	3.5	D.I.	Interest
F. 1	Identification or	Interest	Maturity	Balance at	Receivable at
Funds	Certificate Number	Rate	Date	End of Year	End of Year
GENERAL FUND					
Texas CLASS	XXXX0001	Varies	Daily	\$ 6,145,451	\$
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX6075	0.20%	02/27/23	500,000	255
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX3389	0.44%	09/16/22	245,000	759
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX2179	0.40%	10/18/22	245,000	510
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX5442	0.10%	02/17/23	245,000	69
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX0237	0.25%	01/10/23	240,000	232
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX0045	0.15%	02/18/23	245,000	103
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX0060	0.25%	11/21/22	245,000	320
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX7213	0.30%	10/21/22	240,000	438
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX4998	0.30%	08/18/22	245,000	385
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX4701	0.25%	12/15/22	240,000	274
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX4427	0.25%	12/04/22	240,000	235
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX7776	0.12%	07/01/22	245,000	268
TOTAL GENERAL FUND				\$ 9,320,451	\$ 3,848
DEBT SERVICE FUND					
Texas CLASS	XXXX0002	Varies	Daily	\$ 1,143,562	\$
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX2265	0.40%	08/11/22	245,000	293
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX2594	0.30%	02/21/23	245,000	129
TOTAL DEBT SERVICE FUND				\$ 1,633,562	\$ 422
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND					
Texas CLASS	XXXX0003	Varies	Daily	\$ 5,318	\$
Texas CLASS	XXXX0004	Varies	Daily	104,182	Ψ
Texas CLASS	XXXX0005	Varies	Daily	4,985	
TOTAL CAPITAL PROJECTS FU			2,	\$ 114,485	\$ -0-
TOTAL CALITAL FROJECTS FO				φ 114,403	φ -0-
TOTAL - ALL FUNDS				\$ 11,068,498	\$ 4,270

TAXES LEVIED AND RECEIVABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

	Maintena	nce Taxes	Debt Service Taxes				
TAXES RECEIVABLE - JUNE 1, 2021 Adjustments to Beginning Balance	\$ 117,755 (11,396)	\$ 106,359	\$ 195,089 (14,883) \$ 180,206				
Original 2021 Tax Levy Adjustment to 2021 Tax Levy TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR	\$ 2,292,984 317,192	2,610,176 \$ 2,716,535	\$ 1,375,791 190,315 1,566,106 \$ 1,746,312				
TAX COLLECTIONS: Prior Years Current Year	\$ 37,096 2,538,033	2,575,129	\$ 51,225 				
TAXES RECEIVABLE - MAY 31, 2022		\$ 141,406	<u>\$ 172,267</u>				
TAXES RECEIVABLE BY YEAR: 2021 2020 2019 2018 2017 2016 and prior		\$ 72,143 21,673 10,644 7,529 6,787 22,630	\$ 43,286 28,270 12,773 15,059 13,573 59,306				
TOTAL		\$ 141,406	\$ 172,267				

TAXES LEVIED AND RECEIVABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

	2021	2020	2018		
PROPERTY VALUATIONS:					
Land	\$ 269,900,032	\$ 256,011,262	\$ 236,525,691	\$ 204,634,729	
Improvements	854,261,633	748,518,863	733,105,613	672,982,069	
Personal Property	33,515,759	33,053	30,293,493	31,041,281	
Exemptions	(113,607,060)	(56,230,450)	(106,187,477)	(78,023,375)	
TOTAL PROPERTY					
VALUATIONS	\$1,044,070,364	\$ 948,332,728	\$ 893,737,320	\$ 830,634,704	
TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION:					
Debt Service	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.40	
Maintenance	0.25	0.23	0.25	0.20	
TOTAL TAX RATES PER					
\$100 VALUATION	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.53	<u>\$ 0.55</u>	\$ 0.60	
ADJUSTED TAX LEVY*	\$ 4,176,282	\$ 5,026,163	\$ 4,915,557	\$ 4,983,809	
PERCENTAGE OF TAXES COLLECTED TO TAXES LEVIED	<u>97.24</u> %	<u>99.01</u> %	<u>99.52</u> %	<u>99.55</u> %	

Maintenance Tax – Maximum tax rate of \$0.25 per \$100 of assessed valuation approved by voters on January 15, 1977.

^{*} Based upon the adjusted tax levy at the time of the audit for the fiscal year in which the tax was levied.

LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS MAY 31, 2022

SERIES-2012

Due During Fiscal Years Ending May 31	Principal Due eptember 1	Sej	terest Due ptember 1/ March 1	Total			
2023 2024 2025	\$ 920,000 975,000 1,025,000	\$	73,800 45,375 15,375	\$	993,800 1,020,375 1,040,375		
	\$ 2,920,000	\$	134,550	\$	3,054,550		



CHANGES IN LONG-TERM BOND DEBT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2022

Description	B	Original onds Issued	Bonds Outstanding June 1, 2021			
Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 3 Waterworks and Sewer System Combination Tax and Revenue Bonds - Series 2012	\$	2,920,000	\$	2,920,000		
Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 3						
Waterworks and Sewer System Combination Tax and Revenue Refunding Bonds - Series				5,795,000		3,215,000
TOTAL	\$	8,715,000	\$	6,135,000		
Bond Authority:		Γax Bonds	Ref	unding Bonds		
Amount Authorized by Voters	\$	80,400,000	\$	35,250,000		
Amount Issued		60,200,000		18,400,000		
Remaining to be Issued	\$	20,200,000	\$	16,850,000		
Debt Service Fund cash and investment balance	ces as	of May 31, 202	22:		\$	1,799,244
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Average annual debt service payment (princip of all debt:	iai ailC	i micrest) for re	5111ä1II	ing term	\$	1,018,183

See Note 3 for interest rates, interest payment dates and maturity dates.

	Ret	Retirements								
Bonds Sold	Principal		Interest		Outstanding ay 31, 2022	Paying Agent				
\$	\$	\$	87,600	\$	2,920,000	The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. Dallas, TX				
	3,215,000	<u> </u>	64,300		-0-	The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. Dallas, TX				
\$ -0-	\$ 3,215,000) \$	151,900	\$	2,920,000					

COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES GENERAL FUND - FIVE YEARS

						Amounts
		2022		2021		2020
REVENUES	Φ.	2.555.120	Φ.	2 155 504		2 102 727
Property Taxes	\$	2,575,129	\$	2,175,584	\$	2,192,737
Water Service		1,042,367		1,045,333		1,040,722
Wastewater Service		601,263		584,400		586,693
Penalty and Interest		34,147		31,549		29,963
Sales Tax Revenues		573,620		594,062		546,788
Investment and Miscellaneous Revenues		20,641		47,812		180,983
Other Service Revenues		71,908		252,926		67,792
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	4,919,075	\$	4,731,666	\$	4,645,678
EXPENDITURES						
Professional Fees	\$	241,914	\$	211,501	\$	281,168
Contracted Services		501,967		503,390		460,092
Purchased Water Service		1,487,834		1,370,185		1,340,376
Purchased Wastewater Service		493,584		536,051		439,977
Utilities		284,848		277,839		305,359
Repairs and Maintenance		351,069		931,591		1,111,701
Other		162,527		156,159		168,302
Capital Outlay		266,261		1,297,696		435,079
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	3,790,004	\$	5,284,412	\$	4,542,054
TOTAL EXILENDITURES	Ψ	3,770,004	Ψ	3,207,712	Ψ	7,572,057
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	\$	1,129,071	\$	(552,746)	\$	103,624
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OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Developer Advances	\$	- 0 -	\$	-0-	\$	121,000
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	\$	1,129,071	\$	(552,746)	\$	224,624
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE		7,678,336		8,231,082		8,006,458
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$	8,807,407	\$	7,678,336	\$	8,231,082

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 2019		2018	_	2022		2021		2020		2019	_	2018	_
\$ 1,656,247 1,017,647 589,775 41,336 556,952 154,119 219,815	\$	1,560,012 1,120,679 585,729 44,398 556,663 68,748 71,823		52.3 21.2 12.2 0.7 11.7 0.4 1.5	%	45.9 22.1 12.4 0.7 12.6 1.0 5.3	%	47.2 22.4 12.6 0.6 11.8 3.9 1.5	%	39.2 24.0 13.9 1.0 13.1 3.6 5.2	%	38.9 28.0 14.6 1.1 13.9 1.7 1.8	%
\$ 4,235,891	\$	4,008,052		100.0	%	100.0	%	100.0	%	100.0	%	100.0	%
\$ 457,686 481,081 1,281,016 479,906 311,717 720,030 160,456 407,723	\$	392,311 465,532 1,351,569 497,342 321,647 276,546 158,192 1,893,336		4.9 10.2 30.2 10.0 5.8 7.1 3.3 5.4	%	4.5 10.6 29.0 11.3 5.9 19.7 3.3 27.4	%	6.1 9.9 28.9 9.5 6.6 23.9 3.6 9.4	%	10.8 11.4 30.2 11.3 7.4 17.0 3.8 9.6	%	9.8 11.6 33.7 12.4 8.0 6.9 3.9 47.2	%
\$ 4,299,615	\$	5,356,475		76.9	%	111.7	%	97.9	%	101.5	%	133.5	%
\$ (63,724)	\$	(1,348,423)		23.1	%	(11.7)	%	2.1	%	(1.5)	%	(33.5)	%
\$ - 0 -	\$	- 0 -											
\$ (63,724) 8,070,182	\$	(1,348,423) 9,418,605											
\$ 8,006,458	\$	8,070,182											

COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES DEBT SERVICE FUND - FIVE YEARS

				Amounts
	2022	2020		
REVENUES				
Property Taxes	\$ 1,574,045	\$ 2,840,642	\$	2,654,309
Penalty and Interest	61,634	80,457		64,822
Investment and Miscellaneous Revenues	 6,965	 25,003		71,942
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 1,642,644	\$ 2,946,102	\$	2,791,073
EXPENDITURES				
Tax Collection Expenditures	\$ 130,533	\$ 146,030	\$	132,403
Debt Service Principal	3,215,000	3,050,000		2,980,000
Debt Service Interest and Fees	 152,400	 250,025		315,500
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 3,497,933	\$ 3,446,055	\$	3,427,903
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	\$ (1,855,289)	\$ (499,953)	\$	(636,830)
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	 3,639,811	 4,139,764		4,776,594
ENDING FUND BALANCE	\$ 1,784,522	\$ 3,639,811	\$	4,139,764
TOTAL ACTIVE RETAIL WATER CONNECTIONS	5,541	 5,535		5,525
TOTAL ACTIVE RETAIL WASTEWATER CONNECTIONS	 5,493	 5,487		5,481

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2019	2018	2022		2021		2020		2019		2018	-
\$ 3,316,385 84,334 66,733	\$ 3,133,973 75,660 32,727	95.8 3.8 0.4	%	96.5 2.7 0.8	%	95.1 2.3 2.6	%	95.7 2.4 1.9	%	96.7 2.3 1.0	%
\$ 3,467,452	\$ 3,242,360	100.0	%	100.0	%	100.0	%	100.0	%	100.0	%
\$ 132,372 2,910,000 379,125	\$ 130,634 2,835,000 444,400	7.9 195.7 9.3	%	5.0 103.5 8.5	%	4.7 106.8 11.3	%	3.8 83.9 10.9	%	4.0 87.4 13.7	%
\$ 3,421,497	\$ 3,410,034	212.9	%	117.0	%	122.8	%	98.6	%	105.1	%
\$ 45,955	\$ (167,674)	(112.9)	%	(17.0)	%	(22.8)	%	1.4	%	(5.1)	%
 4,730,639	 4,898,313										
\$ 4,776,594	\$ 4,730,639										
 5,499	 5,496										
 5,451	 5,449										

BOARD MEMBERS, KEY PERSONNEL AND CONSULTANTS MAY 31, 2022

District Mailing Address - Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 53

c/o Sanford Kuhl Hagan Kugle Parker Kahn LLP

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Houston, TX 77056

District Telephone Number - (713) 850-9000

Board Members	Term of Office (Elected or Appointed)	Fees of Office for the year ended May 31, 2022	Expense Reimbursements for the year ended May 31, 2022	Title
Judy Grant	05/2022 – 05/2026 (Elected)	\$ 7,200	\$ 3,041	President
Michelle Denman	05/2020 – 05/2024 (Elected)	\$ 1,950	\$ 44	Vice President
Drew Fontenette	05/2020 – 05/2024 (Elected)	\$ 7,200	\$ 976	Secretary/ Treasurer
Andre Bradley	05/2022 – 05/2026 (Elected)	\$ 6,150	\$ 2,560	Assistant Secretary/ Treasurer
Kristine Johnstone	05/2022 – 05/2026 (Elected)	\$ 7,200	\$ 71	Assistant Vice President

Notes:

No Director has any business or family relationships (as defined by the Texas Water Code) with major landowners in the District, with the District's developers or with any of the District's consultants.

Submission date of most recent District Registration Form: June 22, 2022

The limit on Fees of Office that a Director may receive during a fiscal year is \$7,200 as set by Board Resolution on October 14, 2003. Fees of Office are the amounts actually paid to a Director during the District's current fiscal year.

HARRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 53 BOARD MEMBERS, KEY PERSONNEL AND CONSULTANTS MAY 31, 2022

	Date Hired	Fees for the year ended May 31, 2022	Title
Consultants:			
Sanford Kuhl Hagan Kugle Parker Kahn LLP	02/20/90	\$ 118,390	General Counsel
McCall Gibson Swedlund Barfoot PLLC	05/12/92	\$ 20,250 \$ 3,000	Auditor AUP Related
Municipal Accounts & Consulting, L.P.	06/04/03	\$ 49,695	Bookkeeper
Perdue, Brandon, Fielder, Collins & Mott, L.L.P.	04/16/85	\$ 20,437	Delinquent Tax Attorney
Huitt-Zollars, Inc.	07/24/73	\$ 72,007	Engineer
Rathmann & Associates, L.P.	02/19/91	\$ -0-	Financial Advisor
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 51	04/13/99	\$ 824,658	Operator
Bob Leared Interests	02/01/84	\$ 69,526	Tax Assessor/ Collector