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For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Honorable President and Members of the Town Council Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island

# **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

# Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

# Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

# **Opinions**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island, as of June 30, 2019, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### Other Matters

# Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis, budgetary comparison information, and supplementary pension information on pages 4 through 12 and pages 52 through 57 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, 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.

# Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's basic financial statements. The combining nonmajor fund financial statements, Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2), other supplementary information and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining nonmajor fund financial statements, Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) and other supplementary information are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining nonmajor fund financial statements, Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) and other supplementary information are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The statistical section has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

# Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 30, 2019 on our consideration of the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's 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 Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Warwick, Rhode Island December 30, 2019

Bacon & Company CPAs, LLC

# TOWN OF HOPKINTON MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Management of the Town of Hopkinton provides this Management Discussion and Analysis of the Town of Hopkinton's Annual Financial Report for the readers of the Town's financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial statements of the Town of Hopkinton is for fiscal year ended June 30, 2019. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the additional information that is furnished in the Town's financial statements, which follow.

### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- At the end of the current fiscal year, total fund balance for the General Fund was \$5,619,615 or 21.99% of total 2019 budgeted revenues. This is a decrease of \$94,644 from the prior year total fund balance.
- The total unassigned fund balance of the General Fund is \$4,963,036 or 19.42% of total 2019 budgeted revenues. This is an increase of \$112,972 from the prior year unassigned fund balance.
- The total assigned, committed, restricted or nonspendable fund balance of the General Fund is \$656,579. This is a decrease of \$207,616 from the prior year total assigned, committed, restricted or nonspendable fund balance.
- The Town General Fund ended fiscal year 2019 with a budgetary operating surplus of \$615,710.
- The total bonded debt amount of the Town of Hopkinton increased by \$1,498,000.
- As reported in the government-wide financial statements, the assets and deferred outflows
  of resources of the Town of Hopkinton exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows of
  resources at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$9,634,761. The Town's capital
  asset base has been developed from both current operations and debt. The Town has
  recorded its property and equipment at original values in order to insure proper asset
  management.
- The Town's total net position decreased by \$2,099,678 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019.

### **Overview of the Financial Statements**

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Town's annual audit report. The financial section of this report consists of four parts – management's discussion and analysis (this section), the basic financial statements, required supplementary information, and other supplementary information that includes combining statements for non-major governmental funds.

> The first two statements are government-wide financial statements that provide both long-term and short-term information about the Town's overall status

- The remaining statements are fund financial statements that focus on individual parts of the Town government, reporting the Town's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements.
  - ✓ The *governmental funds* statements tell how general government services like public safety were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending.
  - ✓ *Proprietary fund* statements offer short and long term financial information about the activities the government operates like businesses, such as the water system.
  - ✓ *Fiduciary fund* statements provide information about assets that are held by the Town as a trustee or agent for the benefit of someone or something other than the Town itself. The Town cannot use these assets to support its own programs.

The financial statements also include notes that provide more detailed data about some of the information in the financial statements. The statements are followed by a section of required supplementary information that further explains and supports the information in the financial statements. Figure A-1 shows how the required parts of this annual report are arranged and how they relate to one another. In addition to these required elements, the Town has included a section with combining statements that provide details about the Town's non-major governmental funds, which are added together and presented in a single column in the basic financial statements.

Figure A-1
Required Components of
Town of Hopkinton's Basic Financial Report

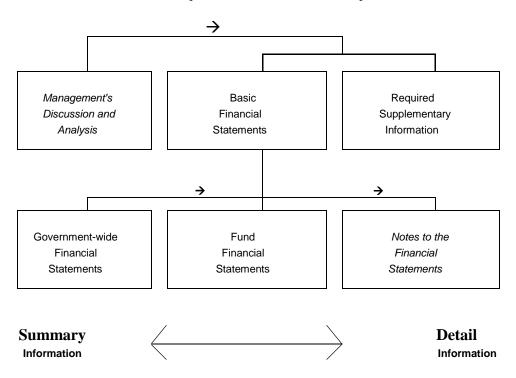


Figure A- 2

Major Features of the Town of Hopkinton's Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

			Fund Statements	
	Government-Wide Statements	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds
Scope	Entire Town government (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the Town that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as Police and DPW.	Activities the Town operates similar to private businesses such as the water system.	Instances in which the Town is the trustee or agent for someone else's resources.
Required financial Statements	Statement of Net Position; Statement of Activities	Balance Sheet, Statement of Revenues, Expendi- tures, and Changes in Fund Balances	Statement of Net Position; Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position; Statement of Cash Flows	Statement of Fiduciary Net Position; Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position
Accounting Basis & Measurement Focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of Assets/ Liability Information	All assets and liabilities both financial and capi- tal, and short-term and long-term	Only assets expected to be used up and liabili- ties that come due dur- ing the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capi- tal, and short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term; the Town's funds do not currently contain capital assets, although they can
Type of inflow/ Outflow inform- ation	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year, expenditures when goods or services have been received and payment is due	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All additions and ded- uctions during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the Town's financial statements, including the portion of the Town government they cover and the types of information they contain. The remainder of this overview section of management's discussion and analysis explains the structure and contents of each of the statements.

Government-wide financial statements – The government-wide statements report information about the Town as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net position includes all of the government's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. All of the current year's revenue and expenses are accounted for in the statement of activities regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide statements report the Town's *net position* and how they have changed. Net position – the difference between the Town's assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources – is one way to measure the Town's financial health, or position.

- Over time, increases or decreases in the Town's net position are an indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the overall health of the Town you need to consider additional non-financial factors such as changes in the Town's property tax base and the condition of the Town's roads.

The government-wide financial statements of the Town are divided into three categories.

- Governmental activities Most of the Town's basic services are included here, such as the public safety, public works and general administration. Property taxes, charges for services and state funding finance most of these activities.
- Business-Type activities The Town operates a Water Fund which accounts for the purchase of water from the Town of Richmond, which it sells to Town users.
- *Component units* The Land Trust is deemed to be a component unit.

**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 Town, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The fund financial statements focus on individual parts of the Town government, reporting the Town's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements. All of the funds of the Town can be divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds. It is important to note that these fund categories use different accounting approaches and should be interpreted differently.

Governmental Funds – Most of the basic services provided by the Town are financed through governmental funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, the government fund statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources. They also focus on the balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating the government's near-term financing requirement.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and the governmental activities.

The basic governmental fund financial statements are presented on pages 15 through 18 of this report.

**Proprietary Funds** – The Town maintains one type of proprietary fund. *Enterprise funds* are used to report the same functions presented as *business-type activities* in the government-wide financial statements. The Town has one enterprise fund. A brief description follows:

Hopkinton Water Supply – the Town has a municipally owned water system. It buys water from the Richmond Water Supply Board and bills the recipient waterline residents.

The basic proprietary fund financial statements are presented on pages 19 through 22.

**Fiduciary Funds** - Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the Town's own programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds.

The Town had one fiduciary fund as of June 30, 2019. The basic fiduciary fund financial statements are presented on page 23.

**Notes to Financial Statements** – The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements follow the basic financial statements.

The notes of the financial statements are presented on pages 24 through 51.

Other Information – In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information. This section includes a budgetary comparison schedule, which includes a reconciliation between the changes in the statutory fund balance for budgetary purposes and the changes in fund balances for the General Fund as presented in the governmental fund financial statements. Required supplementary information follow the notes to the financial statements.

### GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

# Analysis of the Town of Hopkinton's Net Position

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the Town of Hopkinton, assets and deferred outflows of resources exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$9,634,761 as of June 30, 2019.

In regard to the Town's net position (72.2%) consists of its investments in capital assets such as land, buildings and improvements, motor vehicles, furniture and equipment and infrastructure, less any debt used to acquire these assets which is still outstanding. The Town uses these capital assets to provide services to its citizens. Consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the Town's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves are highly unlikely to be used to liquidate these liabilities.

# TOWN OF HOPKINTON'S NET POSITION

#### **Town of Hopkinton's Net Position**

	<b>Governmental Activities</b>		<b>Business-Type Activities</b>				Total				
		2018		2019		2018		2019	2018		2019
Current Assets	\$	7,475,057	\$	8,628,085	\$	24,290	\$	22,561	\$ 7,499,347	\$	8,650,646
Capital Assets		8,484,401		8,230,899		310,790		299,462	8,795,191		8,530,361
Other Noncurrent Assets		1,594,025		496,052					1,594,025		496,052
Total Assets		17,553,483		17,355,036		335,080		322,023	17,888,563		17,677,059
Deferred Outflows of Resources		1,248,759		1,090,397					1,248,759		1,090,397
Current Liabilities		871,599		821,825		13,544		17,292	885,143		839,117
Long-term Liabilities		5,997,297		7,615,535		<u>-</u>			5,997,297		7,615,535
Total Liabilities		6,868,896		8,437,360		13,544		17,292	6,882,440		8,454,652
Deferred Inflows of Resources		520,443	_	678,043					520,443		678,043
Net Position:											
Net investment in capital assets		6,577,187		6,658,091		310,790		299,462	6,887,977		6,957,553
Restricted		312,305		258,894		_		_	312,305		258,894
Unrestricted		4,523,411		2,413,045		10,746		5,269	4,534,157		2,418,314
Total net position	\$	11,412,903	\$	9,330,030	\$	321,536	\$	304,731	\$ 11,734,439	\$	9,634,761

Of the Town's net position, \$258,894 (2.69%) represents resources that are subject to external restriction on how they may be used. Of this amount, \$31,729 is set aside for various capital projects.

# **Change in Net Position**

The total net position of the Town of Hopkinton decreased by \$2,099,678 during fiscal year 2018-2019.

# Analysis of the Town of Hopkinton's Operations

The following analysis provides a summary of the Town's operations for the year ended June 30, 2019.

Governmental activities decreased the Town's net position by \$2,082,873 while business type activities decreased the Town's net position by \$16,805.

# TOWN OF HOPKINTON'S CHANGES IN NET POSITION

# Town of Hopkinton's Changes Net Position

			Governmental Activities		Business-Typ	e Activities	Total		
			2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	
Revenues									
Program	Charges for services Operating/Capital grants ar contribution	nd	\$ 1,106,108 5,850,880	\$ 1,240,080 5,538,089	\$ 24,135	\$ 29,293	\$ 1,130,243 5,850,880	\$ 1,269,373 5,538,089	
General rev	enues								
General 10 v	Property taxes		18,423,506	18,643,718			18,423,506	18,643,718	
	State Aid		466,975	600,812			466,975	600,812	
	Investment earnings		21,390	29,199	81	54	21,471	29,253	
	Miscellaneous		4,149	31,304			4,149	31,304	
		Total Revenues	25,873,008	26,083,202	24,216	29,347	25,897,224	26,112,549	
Program Ex									
General gov			1,886,005	2,106,773			1,886,005	2,106,773	
Public safet	•		3,204,432	3,093,360			3,204,432	3,093,360	
Public work	S		1,524,275	1,458,825			1,524,275	1,458,825	
Recreation			304,911	328,368			304,911	328,368	
Social service	ces		165,280	257,412			165,280	257,412	
Education	1.1.		18,340,317	18,759,809			18,340,317	18,759,809	
	long-term debt		84,035	152,387	27.57.6	46.150	84,035	152,387	
Water Fund		T-4-1 F	25 500 255	26 156 024	37,576	46,152	37,576	46,152	
		Total Expenses	25,509,255	26,156,934	37,576	46,152	25,546,831	26,203,086	
Excess (def	iciency) before special items		363,753	(73,732)	(13,360)	(16,805)	350,393	(90,537)	
	Special Items		-	(2,009,141)	-	-	-	(2,009,141)	
		Change in net position	363,753	(2,082,873)	(13,360)	(16,805)	350,393	(2,099,678)	
Net position	beginning of year		11,049,150	11,412,903	334,896	321,536	11,384,046	11,734,439	
	Net position end of year		\$ 11,412,903	\$ 9,330,030	\$ 321,536	\$ 304,731	\$ 11,734,439	\$ 9,634,761	

# Financial Analysis of the Town of Hopkinton's Funds

Governmental Funds – The focus of the Town of Hopkinton's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Town's financing requirements. In particular, the unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the Town's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

At the end of the current fiscal year, 2019, the Town's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$7,812,288. The General Fund reported an unassigned fund balance of \$4,963,036 representing approximately 63.53% of total fund balance.

# Nonspendable/Restricted/Committed/Assigned General fund balance:

Nonspendable	\$61,579
Restricted	1,897
Committed	92,603
Assigned	500,500
Total Nonspendable/Restricted/	\$656,579
Committed/Assigned Fund Balance	+ 00 0)0 / /

**Proprietary Funds** – The Town of Hopkinton's proprietary fund statements provide the same type of information as presented in the government-wide financial statements, but in more detail.

Unrestricted net position of the Hopkinton Water Supply Fund is \$5,269.

# The Town of Hopkinton's General Fund Budgetary Items

The Town General Fund had a budgetary surplus of \$615,710 in FY19. The actual revenues exceeded budgeted revenues by \$802,645, which decreased the amount used from Fund Balance to \$14,558. The largest surplus was in the Charges for Services of \$625,224 more than anticipated.

# The Town of Hopkinton's Capital Assets

The Town of Hopkinton's investment in capital assets for its governmental and business-type activities amounts to \$8,530,361 net of accumulated depreciation at June 30, 2019. Included are land, buildings and improvements, motor vehicles, furniture and equipment, infrastructure, and construction in progress.

# TOWN OF HOPKINTON'S CAPITAL ASSETS AT YEAR END NET OF ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION

	Gove	rnmental	Business-t	type	Total		
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	
Land & Construct. in Progress	\$ 965,720	\$ 1,075,259	\$ - \$	-	\$ 965,720	\$ 1,075,259	
Infrastructure	4,611,177	4,386,665	265,270	254,868	4,876,447	4,641,533	
Buildings and improvements	1,725,406	1,700,085	-	-	1,725,406	1,700,085	
Furniture and equipment	617,236	563,134	45,520	44,594	662,756	607,728	
Motor vehicles	564,862	505,756	-	-	564,862	505,756	
Total	\$8,484,401	\$ 8,230,899	\$ 310,790 \$	299,462	\$8,795,191	\$8,530,361	

# The Town of Hopkinton Debt Administration

At the end of the current fiscal year, the Town of Hopkinton General Government had a total debt of \$4,027,000.

# TOWN OF HOPKINTON'S OUTSTANDING DEBT AT YEAR END BONDS, LOANS AND CAPITALIZED LEASES PAYABLE

	Go	v Activities	Total
Gen Obligation Bonds and Loans	\$	4,027,000	\$ 4,027,000
Capital Leases Payable		77,579	77,579
Amortized Premium on Bond		269,280	269,280
Totals	\$	4,373,859	\$ 4,373,859

The State of Rhode Island imposes a limit of 3 percent of the fair market value of all taxable town property on the general obligation debt that a municipality can issue. The Town of Hopkinton's limit is \$27,739,635 at year-end. The Town's outstanding general obligation debt subject to the limit is \$4,027,000 at year-end, which is \$23,712,635 under the State imposed limitation.

# Subsequent Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Budget and Tax Rates

The Town of Hopkinton's total general fund budget for fiscal year 19/20 is \$26,138,871 which reflects an increase of \$578,056 from the fiscal 18/19 budget. In the Town's 19/20 budget, \$19,337,865 or 73.98% is allocated for educational purposes and \$6,801,006 or 26.02% is budgeted for other purposes.

Of the \$19,337,865 budgeted for educational purposes, the State of Rhode Island has budgeted for fiscal year 19/20 to contribute \$5,158,586 to the Town's education expense and the Town is budgeted to contribute \$14,179,279.

The Town's tax rate for fiscal year 19/20 is \$20.68 per thousand for real estate and tangible personal property and \$21.18 per hundred for motor vehicles. The tax rate for fiscal year 18/19 was \$20.07 per thousand for real estate and tangible personal property and \$21.18 for motor vehicles.

# **Request for Information**

The financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, and creditors with a general overview of the Town's finances and to show the Town's accountability for the tax dollars received. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, please contact the Finance Director, Hopkinton Thayer House, 482 Main Street, P O Box 139, Hopkinton, RI 02833.

# TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

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TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND
Statement of Activities
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

							t (Expense) Reven Changes in Net Po		Component
			Program Reven	nues		P	rimary Governme	nt	Ûnit
Functions/Programs Primary Government:	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Cap Grant Contrib	s and	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total	Land Trust
Governmental Activities: General government Public safety Public works Recreation Public and social services Education Debt service, interest Total governmental activities	\$ 2,106,773 3,093,360 1,458,825 328,368 257,412 18,759,809 152,387 26,156,934	\$ 654,759 418,555 44,936 121,830 - - - - 1,240,080	\$ 345 31,455 - 122,771 5,222,822 - 5,377,393		41,296	\$ (1,410,373) (2,643,350) (1,413,889) (87,138) (134,641) (13,536,987) (152,387) (19,378,765)	\$ - - - - - - - - -	\$ (1,410,373) (2,643,350) (1,413,889) (87,138) (134,641) (13,536,987) (152,387) (19,378,765)	\$ - - - - - - - -
Business-Type Activities: Water supply Total business-type activities  Total primary government	46,152 46,152 \$ 26,203,086	29,293 29,293 \$1,269,373	\$ 5,377,393	<u> </u>	- - 160,696	(19,378,765)	(16,859) (16,859) (16,859)	(16,859) (16,859) (19,395,624)	<u>-</u>
Component Unit: Land trust	\$ 68,431	\$ -	\$ 24,198		120,321	-	-	-	2,376,088
		General Revenues: Property taxes State aid and grants not restricted for a specific purpose Investment earnings Miscellaneous Special Item - contribution to land trust Total general revenues and special items Change in net position			18,643,718 600,812 29,199 31,304 (2,009,141) 17,295,892 (2,082,873)	54 - - - - - - - (16,805)	18,643,718 600,812 29,253 31,304 (2,009,141) 17,295,946 (2,099,678)	4,117 - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	
		Net position - b Net position - e	peginning of year	suwn		11,412,903 \$ 9,330,030	321,536 \$ 304,731	11,734,439 \$ 9,634,761	2,380,203 2,786,413 \$5,166,618

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND
Balance Sheet
Governmental Funds
June 30, 2019

Assets Cash	General Fund \$ 5,204,180	Capital Project Fund \$ 1,197,891	Other Governmental Funds  \$ 1,033,513	Total Governmental Funds  \$ 7,435,584
Receivables:				
Property taxes, net of allowance				
for doubtful accounts of \$259,749	707,530	-	-	707,530
Due from federal and state government	163,603	-	116,334	279,937
Other	46,949	-	89,578	136,527
Due from other funds	3,490,226	500,000	2,456,136	6,446,362
Prepaid expenditures	61,579			61,579
Total assets	\$ 9,674,067	\$ 1,697,891	\$ 3,695,561	\$ 15,067,519
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balances				
Liabilities				
Accounts payable and accrued expenditures	\$ 219,336	\$ -	\$ 54,355	\$ 273,691
Due to other funds	3,389,021	84,879	2,965,534	6,439,434
Due to component unit	15,390	04,077	2,703,334	15,390
Other liabilities	-	_	9,500	9,500
Total liabilities	3,623,747	84,879	3,029,389	6,738,015
Deferred Inflows of Resources				
Deferred property taxes	427,446	-	-	427,446
Other deferred revenues	3,259	-	86,511	89,770
Total deferred inflows of resources	430,705	-	86,511	517,216
Fund balances				
Nonspendable:				
Prepaid expenditures	61,579	-	-	61,579
Permanent fund principal	-	-	7,510	7,510
Restricted for:				
Community development	-	-	13,338	13,338
Historical records preservation	-	-	53,995	53,995
Public safety programs	1,897	-	57,108	59,005
Capital projects	-	-	108,500	108,500
Cemetery perpetual care	-	-	6,806	6,806
Committed for:				
Employee relations costs	20,172	-	-	20,172
Property revaluation	615	-	-	615
Public works	52,152	-	-	52,152
Planning and zoning	1,686	-	101.010	1,686
Educational capital facilities expansion	-	-	181,013	181,013
Capital projects	17,978	1,613,012	154,182	1,785,172
Assigned for 2020 budget	500,500	-	(0.701)	500,500
Unassigned	4,963,036	1 612 012	(2,791)	4,960,245
Total fund balances	5,619,615	1,613,012	579,661	7,812,288
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources,				
and fund balances	\$ 9,674,067	\$ 1,697,891	\$ 3,695,561	\$ 15,067,519
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Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Government-Wide Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

Total Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$ 7,812,288
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 in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet. See Note 5 to the financial statements.	8,230,899
Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the period for which levied in the Government-Wide Financial Statements, but are reported as deferred inflows of resources in Governmental Fund Financial Statements.	427,446
Other accounts receivable and revenues are not available to pay for current period expenditures and, therefore, are deferred inflows of resources in the Governmental Funds Financial Statements.	86,511
Interest payable on long-term debt does not require current financial resources. Therefore, interest payable is not reported as a liability in Governmental Funds Balance Sheet.	(31,123)
Long-term liabilities (including bonds and loans, leases, compensated absences, line of credit, and net pension liability) are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet. See Note 7 to the financial statements.	(8,107,656)
Net pension assets are not current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet.	496,052
Deferred outflows and inflows related to pensions are not current financial resources or require the use of current financial resources and, therefore are not reported in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet.  Deferred outflows related to pensions	1,090,397
Deferred inflows related to pensions	(674,784)
Net Position - Governmental Activities	\$ 9,330,030

# TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

n	General Fund	Capital Project Fund	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:		_	_	
Property taxes	\$ 18,556,089	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 18,556,089
Federal and state grants and aid	5,863,073	-	231,562	6,094,635
Charges for services and fees	1,291,592		36,096	1,327,688
Interest on investments	12,195	5,873	11,131	29,199
Other revenues	12,990		65,581	78,571
Total revenues	25,735,939	5,873	344,370	26,086,182
Expenditures:				
Current:				
General government	1,997,489	-	15,382	2,012,871
Public safety	2,665,037	-	34,881	2,699,918
Public works	1,122,787	-	-	1,122,787
Recreation	300,851	-	-	300,851
Public and social services	142,000	-	115,412	257,412
Education - payment to school district	18,759,809	-	_	18,759,809
Capital outlay	-	-	228,555	228,555
Debt service:				
Principal	307,000	-	76,105	383,105
Interest and other charges	137,103	-	5,828	142,931
Total expenditures	25,432,076		476,163	25,908,239
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under)				
expenditures	303,863	5,873	(131,793)	177,943
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Other financing sources (uses):				
Debt issued	1,805,000	-	-	1,805,000
Premium on debt issued	259,911	-	-	259,911
Transfers from other funds	-	250,000	254,277	504,277
Transfers to other funds	(454,277)	-	(50,000)	(504,277)
Total other financing sources (uses)	1,610,634	250,000	204,277	2,064,911
Special item:				
Contribution to land trust	(2,009,141)			(2,009,141)
Net change in fund balances	(94,644)	255,873	72,484	233,713
Fund balances - beginning of year	5,714,259	1,357,139	507,177	7,578,575
Fund balances - end of year	\$ 5,619,615	\$ 1,613,012	\$ 579,661	\$ 7,812,288

TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND
Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and
Changes in the Fund Balances to Government-Wide Statement of Activities For the Year Ended June 30, 2019

Net Changes in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$	233,713
Amounts reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Governmental Fund Financial Statements report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Government-Wide Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense.  This is the amount of capital assets recorded in the current period.		252,814
Depreciation expense on capital assets is reported in the Government-Wide Statement of Activities, but does not require the use of current financial resources. Therefore, depreciation expense is not reported as an expenditure in the Governmental Fund Financial Statements.		(506,316)
Long-term compensated absences and line of credit are reported in the Government-Wide Statement of Activities, but do not require the use of current financial resources. Therefore, compensated absences and line of credit are not reported as expenditures in Governmental Fund Financial Statements. The following amount represents the change in long-term compensated absences from the prior year. The following amount represents the repayment of long-term line of credit in the current year.		2,127 1,345
Repayment of bond and lease principal is an expenditure in the Governmental Fund Financial Statements, but the payments reduce long-term liabilities in the Government-Wide Statement of Net Position.		381,760
Accrued interest expense on long-term debt is reported in the Government-Wide Statement of Activities, but does not require the use of current financial resources. Therefore, accrued interest expense is not reported as an expenditure in the Governmental Fund Financial Statements. The following amount represents the change in accrued interest expense from the prior year.		(10,237)
Proceeds from the issuance of debt and premium on debt are other financing sources in the Governmental Fund Financial Statements, but the issuance of debt and related premium increases long-term liabilities in the Government-Wide Statement of Net Position.  This amount represents debt issued during the current period.  This amount represents debt premium received during the current period.	(	1,805,000) (259,911)
Debt issued at a premium provide current financial resources to Governmental Funds, but are deferred and amortized in the Government-Wide Financial Statements.  This amount represents the amortization of bond premium during the current period.		781
Long-term net pension liabilities and assets are reported in the Government-Wide Statement of Activities, but do not require the use of current financial resources or are not available to pay for current period expenditures. Therefore, long-term net pension liabilities and assets are not reported as expenditures in Governmental Funds financial statements.		
This is the amount of the change in long-term net pension liabilities and assets and related deferred pension amounts in the current period.		(370,970)
Revenues reported in prior periods in the Statement of Activities that are not reported in Governmental Funds until the revenues are measurable and available.		(2,979)
Change in Net Position - Governmental Activities	\$ (	2,082,873)

Statement of Net Position Proprietary Funds June 30, 2019

	Enterprise Fund
	Water Supply
Assets	
Current assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 21,857
Accounts receivable, user fees - net	7,632
Due from other funds	398_
Total current assets	29,887
Noncurrent assets	
Depreciable capital assets - net	299,462
Total noncurrent assets	299,462
Total assets	329,349
Liabilities Current liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	17,292
Due to other funds	7,326
Total current liabilities	24,618
Total liabilities	24,618
Net position	
Net investment in capital assets	299,462
Unrestricted	5,269
Total net position	\$ 304,731

# Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position Proprietary Funds For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Enterprise Fund Water Supply
Operating revenues	water Supply
User fees	\$ 29,293
Total operating revenues	29,293
Operating expenses	
Water purchases	26,418
Contract services	8,406
Depreciation	11,328_
Total operating expenses	46,152
Operating loss	(16,859)
Nonoperating revenues	
Interest income	54
Total nonoperating revenues	54
Change in net position	(16,805)
Total net position - beginning of year	321,536
Total net position - end of year	\$ 304,731

Statement of Cash Flows
Proprietary Funds
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

Cash flows from operating activities Cash received from customers for user fees Cash paid to suppliers Net cash used for operating activities  Cash flows from non-capital financing activities Interfund transactions Net cash provided by non-capital financing activities	<u>iterprise Fund</u>
Cash received from customers for user fees Cash paid to suppliers Net cash used for operating activities  Cash flows from non-capital financing activities Interfund transactions	<u> Vater Supply</u>
Cash paid to suppliers  Net cash used for operating activities  Cash flows from non-capital financing activities  Interfund transactions	\$ 30,856
Net cash used for operating activities  Cash flows from non-capital financing activities Interfund transactions	(31,076)
Interfund transactions	(220)
	7,326 7,326
Cash flows from investing activities Interest received	54
Net cash provided by investing activities	54
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	7,160
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year	14,697
Cash and cash equivalents - end of year	\$ 21,857

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Statement of Cash Flows (Continued)
Proprietary Funds
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

		_	ise Fund Supply
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used for operating activities:	<u>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</u>		<u> </u>
Operating loss	\$	(1	6,859)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash used for operating activities:			
Depreciation Changes in assets and liabilities:		1	1,328
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable, user fees			1,563
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and accrued expense	s		3,748
Net cash used for operating activities	\$		(220)

Statement of Fiduciary Net Position Fiduciary Funds June 30, 2019

	Agency Funds
Assets	
Cash	\$66,130
Total assets	\$66,130
Liabilities	
Deposits held in custody for others	\$66,130
Total liabilities	\$66,130

The financial statements of the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island, have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The following notes to the financial statements are an integral part of the Town's financial statements.

# NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### A. REPORTING ENTITY

The Town of Hopkinton was incorporated in 1757 and operates under a Home Rule Charter adopted in November 2002. The Charter provides for a Town Council-Town Manager form of government. All legislative powers of the Town, except such powers as reserved by State Law or vested in the Financial Town Referendum by the Charter and by-laws enacted by the Town Council, are vested in the Town Council, including the ordering of any tax, making of appropriations, and transacting any other business pertaining to the financial affairs of the Town.

In evaluating the inclusion of potential component units within its financial reporting entity, the Town applied the criteria prescribed by GASB Statement No. 14, as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, "Determining Whether Certain Organizations are Component Units", and GASB Statement No. 61, "Financial Reporting Entity-Omnibus". A component unit is a legally separate organization for which the elected officials of the primary government are financially accountable or other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading. Through the application of GASB Statements Nos. 14, 39, and 61 criteria, the Hopkinton Land Trust (the Trust) has been discretely presented as a component unit of the Town in the Government-Wide Financial Statements.

The Trust was established in fiscal year 2000 by the Hopkinton Town Council pursuant to special State legislation enacted by the General Assembly in the same year. The Trust was established as a body politic and corporate and a public instrumentality. It has the authority to acquire, hold and manage real property and interests therein, including development rights situated in the Town of Hopkinton, with the exception of property acquired for public historical preservation purposes. The Trust may hold property or development rights solely as open space or for agricultural uses, water purposes, public access or prevention of accelerated residential or commercial development. Trustees are appointed by the Town Council and the Trust can impose a financial burden upon the Town in the form of financial support and financing of operating deficits. The Trust holds economic resources (land and land rights) entirely for the direct benefit of the Town. The Trust does not issue separate financial statements.

# B. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND ACCOUNTING

# **Government-Wide Financial Statements**

The Town's Government-Wide Financial Statements include a Statement of Net Position and a

Statement of Activities. These statements report information about the reporting entity as a whole. Fiduciary activities of the Town are not included in these statements. The statements distinguish between governmental and business-type activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through property taxes, intergovernmental revenue, and other non-exchange revenues. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods and services rendered.

The Statement of Activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenue for the business-type activities and for each function of the Town's governmental activities. Program revenues include (a) fees, fines, and charges paid by the recipients of goods or services offered by the programs and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including property taxes and general state aid, are presented as general revenues.

These statements are presented on an "economic resources" measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, all the Town's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources, including capital assets, infrastructure assets, and long-term liabilities, are included in the accompanying Statement of Net Position. The Statement of Activities presents changes in net position. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the period earned while expenses are recognized in the period the liability is incurred.

Certain eliminations have been made as prescribed by GASB Statement No. 34 in regards to interfund activities, payables and receivables. All internal balances in the Statement of Net Position have been eliminated except those representing balances between the governmental activities and the business-type activities, which are presented as internal balances and eliminated in the total column.

### **Fund Financial Statements**

The Fund Financial Statements of the Town are organized into funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid management by segregating transactions related to specific Town functions or activities. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures/expenses. Funds are organized into three categories: governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary. Major individual governmental funds and enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the Fund Financial Statements.

### **Governmental Fund Financial Statements**

Governmental Fund Financial Statements include a Balance Sheet and a Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances for all major governmental funds and non-major funds aggregated. An accompanying schedule is presented to reconcile and explain the differences in fund balances and changes in fund balances as presented in these statements to the net position and changes in net position presented in the Government-Wide Financial Statements.

All governmental funds are accounted for on a spending or "current financial resources"

measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, only current assets, deferred outflows of resources, current liabilities and deferred inflows of resources are included on the Balance Sheet. The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. Accordingly, revenues are recorded when received in cash, except that revenues subject to accrual (generally collected 60 days after year-end) are recognized when due. The primary revenue sources which have been treated as susceptible to accrual by the Town are property tax and intergovernmental revenues. Expenditures are recorded in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences which are recognized as expenditures to the extent they have matured.

# Major Governmental Funds:

**General Fund** – The General Fund is used to account for resources devoted to financing the general services that the Town performs for its citizens and is always classified as a major fund. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted or reported in another fund.

*Capital Project Fund* – The Capital Project Fund is used to account for funds committed for capital projects by the Financial Town Referendum.

# **Proprietary Fund Financial Statements**

Proprietary Fund Financial Statements include a Statement of Net Position, a Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position, and a Statement of Cash Flows.

Proprietary funds are accounted for using the "economic resources" measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Accordingly, all assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources (whether current or noncurrent) are included in the Statement of Net Position. The Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position present increases (revenues) and decreases (expenses) in total net position. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized in the period earned while expenses are recognized in the period the liability is incurred.

Operating revenues in the proprietary funds are those revenues that are generated from the primary operations of the fund. All other revenues are reported as non-operating revenues. Operating expenses are those expenses that are essential to the primary operations of the fund. All other expenses are reported as non-operating expenses.

For the year ended June 30, 2019, the Town had one proprietary fund, the Water Supply Fund, which is a major fund:

*Water Supply Fund* - The Water Supply Fund accounts for the purchase of water from the Town of Richmond, which it sells to Town users.

# **Fiduciary Funds**

Fiduciary Fund Financial Statements include a Statement of Net Position and a Statement of Changes in Net Position. The Town's Fiduciary Funds include Agency Funds. Fiduciary Funds are used to account for assets held by the Town in a trustee capacity or as an agent for individuals, private organizations or other governments. The Fiduciary Funds are accounted for on a spending or "economic resources" measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Agency Funds are purely custodial and do not involve measurement of results of operations.

*Agency Funds* – This fund accounts for assets held by the Town for performance bonds.

### C. RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

The Town has implemented the following new accounting pronouncements:

- GASB Statement No. 83 *Certain Asset Retirement Obligations*, effective for the Town's fiscal year ending June 30, 2019.
- GASB Statement No. 88 Certain Disclosures Related to Debt, including Direct Borrowings and Direct Placements, effective for the Town's fiscal year ending June 30, 2019.

The adoption of GASB Statement Nos. 83 and 88 did not have an impact on the Town's financial position or results of operations.

The Town will adopt the following new accounting pronouncements in future years:

- GASB Statement No. 84 *Fiduciary Activities*, effective for the Town's fiscal year ending June 30, 2020.
- GASB Statement No. 87 *Leases*, effective for the Town's fiscal year ending June 30, 2021.
- GASB Statement No. 89 Accounting for Interest Cost Incurred before the End of a Construction Period, effective for the Town's fiscal year ending June 30, 2021.
- GASB Statement No. 90 Majority Equity Interests an amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 61, effective for the Town's fiscal year ending June 30, 2020.
- GASB Statement No. 91 *Conduit Debt Obligations*, effective for the Town's fiscal year ending June 30, 2022.

The impact of these pronouncements on the Town's financial statements has not been determined.

# D. CASH EQUIVALENTS

The Town considers cash and cash equivalents in the Proprietary Funds to include cash on hand, time and demand deposits, and short-term investments maturing within three months from the date of acquisition.

# E. INVESTMENTS

The Town reports investments at fair value.

# F. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE AND TAXES RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable and taxes receivable are shown net of an allowance for uncollectible accounts. The allowances are calculated based on the age of the individual receivables.

Property taxes which were levied on June 12, 2018 for the current year and other delinquent balances are recorded as receivables.

# G. UNBILLED SERVICES RECEIVABLE

Water revenue is recorded when earned. Customers are billed quarterly. The estimated value of services provided, but unbilled at year-end has been included in the accompanying financial statements.

# H. CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

Capital assets are reported in the Government-Wide Statement of Net Position.

In the Fund Financial Statements, capital assets used in governmental fund activities are accounted for as capital expenditures of the governmental fund upon acquisition. Capital assets used in proprietary fund operations are accounted for in the same manner as in the Government-Wide Financial Statements.

All capital assets are recorded at cost (or estimated historical cost). Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value as of the date received. The Town follows the policy of not capitalizing assets with a cost of less than \$10,000 and a useful life of less than 1 year. The Town retroactively adjusted for infrastructure assets in fiscal year 2007.

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

	Estimated
	Useful
<u>Description</u>	Lives
Buildings and improvements	10-50
Motor vehicles	5-10
Machinery and equipment	5-20
Office furniture and equipment	5-10
Infrastructure/roadways (principally roads)	10-50
Water system	50

### I. DEBT PREMIUMS

In the Governmental Fund Financial Statements, debt premiums are reported as an "other financing source". In the Government-Wide Statements, debt premiums are deferred and amortized over the term of the debt. Debt premiums are presented as an addition to the face amount of the debt payable.

# J. DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES

Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net position that applies to future periods and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net position that applies to future periods and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

In the Governmental Fund Financial Statements, deferred inflows of resources are reported for receivables recorded in the Governmental Fund Financial Statements for which the revenue is not available or amounts received before the period for which property taxes are levied. In the Government-Wide Financial Statements, deferred inflows of resources are reported for amounts received before the period for which property taxes are levied. In the Government-Wide Financial Statements, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources are also reported for amounts related to the Town's pension plans that will be amortized as a component of pension expense in future years.

# K. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied in June at (a) one hundred percent of the full and fair value of real and tangible personal property owned within the Town as of the previous December 31; and, (b) the value, as determined by the Rhode Island Vehicle Valuation Commission, of vehicles registered within the Town the previous calendar year, prorated for the actual number of days registered. Taxes levied in June are payable between August 1 and September 8 or in quarterly installments by September 8, December 8, March 8 and June 8. Failure to make payments will result in a lien on the taxpayer's property.

Rhode Island General Laws restrict the Town's ability to increase either its total tax levy or its tax rates more than 4% over those of the preceding year.

# L. COMPENSATED ABSENCES

Under the terms of various contracts and agreements, Town employees are granted vacation and sick leave in varying amounts based on length of service. Vacation benefits are accrued as a liability based on the accumulated benefits earned at June 30. Sick leave benefits are based on the sick leave accumulated at June 30 by those employees who are currently eligible to receive termination payments and those employees for whom it is probable they will become eligible to receive termination benefits in the future. The liability is calculated at the rate of pay in effect at June 30, 2019.

The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the Government-Wide Financial Statements. For Governmental Fund Financial Statements, the amount of accumulated vacation and sick leave has been recorded as a current liability to the extent that the amounts are due to employees that have resigned or retired.

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# M. ACCRUED LIABILITIES AND LONG-TERM DEBT

All accrued liabilities and long-term debt are reported in the Government-Wide Financial Statements.

For Governmental Fund Financial Statements, the accrued liabilities are generally reported as a governmental fund liability if due for payment as of the balance sheet date regardless of whether they will be liquidated with current financial resources. However, claims and judgments and compensated absences paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the Governmental Fund Financial Statements only for the portion expected to be financed from expendable available financial resources. Long-term debt paid from governmental funds is not recognized as a liability in the Governmental Fund Financial Statements until due.

# N. PENSIONS

For the purposes of measuring the net pension liability (asset), deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Municipal Employees' Retirement System plans and the additions to/deductions from the plan's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the plan. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

# O. USE OF 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 amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures/expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

# NOTE 2 – STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

# A. LEGAL DEBT MARGIN

The Town's legal debt margin as set forth by State Statute is limited to three percent of total taxable assessed value, which approximates \$27,739,635. As of June 30, 2019, the Town's debt subject to the legal debt margin is \$4,027,000 and the Town is under the debt limit by \$23,712,635. The debt subject to the debt limitation is based on the type of debt that is issued.

### B. DEFICIT FUND BALANCES

The following other governmental funds had deficit fund balances at June 30, 2019:

Streetlight Project \$(2,791)

# **NOTE 3 – CASH DEPOSITS**

**DEPOSITS** – are in three financial institutions and are carried at cost. The carrying amount of deposits is separately displayed on the Balance Sheet and the Statement of Net Position as "Cash and Cash Equivalents".

	Carrying
	<u>Amount</u>
Total Deposits	\$8,167,589
Add: Petty cash	1,050
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	
Reported in the Financial Statements	\$8,168,639

CUSTODIAL CREDIT RISK – custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Town's deposits may not be returned to it. The Town does not have a formal deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2019, \$7,107,361 of the Town's bank balance of \$8,208,721 was exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

	Bank <u>Balance</u>
Insured (Federal depository insurance funds)	\$1,101,360
Collateralized with securities held by pledging financial institution's agent, but not in the Town's name	3,065,442
Collateralized with securities held by pledging financial institution in the Town's name	4,041,919
Total	\$8,208,721

Under Rhode Island general laws, depository institutions holding deposits of the State, its agencies or governmental subdivisions of the State, shall at a minimum, insure or pledge eligible collateral equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the deposits, which are time deposits with maturities greater than sixty (60) days. Any of these institutions which do not meet minimum capital standards prescribed by federal regulators shall insure or pledge eligible collateral equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the deposits, regardless of maturity. At June 30, 2019, the Town had no uncollateralized deposits with institutions.

# **NOTE 4 – INVESTMENTS**

The Town had no investments as of June 30, 2019. The Finance Director has control over the type of investments made. The Town does not have a formal investment policy or any other legally contracted agreement that limits the type of investments that may be made.

Interest Rate Risk – The Town 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.

*Credit Risk* – The Town does not have a formal investment policy that limits its investment choices.

Concentration of Credit Risk – The Town places no limit on the amount the Town may invest in any one issuer.

NOTE 5 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June, 30, 2019 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Retirements	Ending Balance
Governmental Activities:				
Nondepreciable assets:				
Land	\$ 349,470	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 349,470
Construction in progress	616,250	109,539		725,789
	965,720	109,539		1,075,259
Depreciable assets:				
Infrastructure	24,153,637	_	_	24,153,637
Buildings and improvements	3,871,793	54,990	_	3,926,783
Furniture and equipment	1,259,433	20,287	_	1,279,720
Motor vehicles	2,003,181	67,998	_	2,071,179
	31,288,044	143,275		31,431,319
Total Capital Assets	32,253,764	252,814		32,506,578
Total Supital History	32,233,701	232,011		32,300,370
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Infrastructure	19,542,460	224,512	_	19,766,972
Buildings and improvements	2,146,387	80,311	_	2,226,698
Furniture and equipment	642,197	74,389	-	716,586
Motor vehicles	1,438,319	127,104	-	1,565,423
Total Accumulated Depreciation	23,769,363	506,316		24,275,679
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$ 8,484,401	\$ (253,502)	\$ -	\$ 8,230,899
Business-Type Activities:				
Depreciable assets:	Φ 520.002	Φ.	Ф	Φ 520,002
Water lines	\$ 520,092	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 520,092
Equipment	46,292			46,292
Total Capital Assets	566,384			566,384
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Water lines	254,822	10,402	_	265,224
Equipment	772	926	_	1,698
Total Accumulated Depreciation	255,594	11,328		266,922
Business-Type Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$ 310,790	\$ (11,328)	\$ -	\$ 299,462
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Capital asset activity for the Land Trust				
for the year ended June 30, 2019 is as follows:				
Nondepreciable assets:				
Land and land rights	\$ 3,408,598	\$ 940,000	\$ -	\$ 4,348,598
	3,408,598	940,000	-	4,348,598
Depreciable assets:				
Bridges	149,652	-	-	149,652
Improvements other than buildings	43,000			43,000
	192,652	-	-	192,652
Total Capital Assets	3,601,250	940,000	-	4,541,250
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Bridges	13,124	2,993		16,117
Improvements other than buildings	25,768	2,150	-	27,918
Total Accumulated Depreciation	38,892	5,143		
<u>*</u>			<u>-</u>	\$ 44,035
Land Trust Capital Assets, Net	\$ 3,562,358	\$ 934,857	\$ -	\$ 4,497,215

Depreciation expense was charged as follows:

Governmental activities:	
General government	\$ 65,218
Public safety	102,060
Public works	315,105
Recreation	23,933
Total Depreciation Expense, Governmental Activities	\$ 506,316

#### **NOTE 6 – SHORT-TERM DEBT**

On June 27, 2018, the Town issued a bond anticipation note depositing the proceeds to the Land Trust. The note bears interest of 2.963% and matured on May 1, 2019. Short-term debt activity for the year ended June 30, 2019 is as follows:

	Beginning			Ending
Component Unit	Balance	Increase	Decrease	Balance
Bond anticipation note	\$500,000	<b>\$</b> -	\$500,000	<u></u> \$-

#### **NOTE 7 – LONG-TERM LIABILITIES**

#### A. LONG-TERM LIABILITIES:

Changes in long-term liabilities during the year ended June 30, 2019 were as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Retirements	Ending Balance	Amounts Due Within One Year
Governmental Activities:					
Bonds and loans payable:					
Bonds payable	\$ 700,000	\$1,805,000	\$ 50,000	\$2,455,000	\$ 50,000
Bonds from direct placements	1,410,000	-	210,000	1,200,000	210,000
Loans from direct borrowings	419,000	-	47,000	372,000	48,000
Plus: amortized premium on bonds	10,150	259,911	781	269,280	-
Total bonds and loans	2,539,150	2,064,911	307,781	4,296,280	308,000
Other liabilities:					
Capital leases	152,339	_	74,760	77,579	77,579
Accrued compensated absences	117,387	3,605	5,732	115,260	106,542
Line of credit	8,453	-	1,345	7,108	-
Net pension liability	3,671,074	-	59,645	3,611,429	-
Total Governmental Activities					
Long-Term Liabilities	\$6,488,403	\$2,068,516	\$ 449,263	\$8,107,656	\$ 492,121

All debt of the Government Activities is general obligation debt. The payments on the bonds and loans are paid from the General Fund. The capital leases are paid from an appropriation from the General Fund. The compensated absences and net pension liability are paid from the General Fund. The line of credit is paid from the Community Septic System Loan Fund.

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2019

#### B. BONDS AND LOANS PAYABLE

Outstanding bonds and loans payable are as follows:

Purpose	Date Issued	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Authorized and Issued	Outstanding June 30, 2018	New Issues	Maturities and Refundings During Year	Outstanding June 30, 2019
Bonds payable: Open Space	7/21/2011	2.5-4.375%	8/15/2031	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 700,000	\$ -	\$ 50,000	\$ 650,000
Open Space	5/1/2019	3.0-5.0%	5/1/2034	1,805,000	-	1,805,000	-	1,805,000
Bonds from direct place. Refunding and Roads	9/30/2015	2.22%	5/1/2025	1,960,000	1,410,000	-	210,000	1,200,000
<b>Loans from direct borro</b> Roads	wings: 5/28/2015	.25-1.73%	9/1/2024	253,000	198,000	-	27,000	171,000
Streetlights	12/13/2017	1.216-2.352%	9/1/2027	221,000	221,000	-	20,000	201,000
	Total governm	ental activities bon	ds and loans pa	vable	\$ 2,529,000	\$ 1,805,000	\$ 307,000	\$ 4,027,000

At June 30, 2019 annual debt service requirements to maturity for bonds and loans payable are as follows:

	Go	Governmental Activities Governmental Activities Governmental Activities							ties
		Bonds Payable		Bonds	from Direct Place	ments	Loans	from Direct Borro	owings
Year ending June 30,	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total
2020	\$ 50,000	\$ 105,219	\$ 155,219	\$ 210,000	\$ 26,640	\$ 236,640	\$ 48,000	\$ 7,836	\$ 55,836
2021	145,000	103,625	248,625	215,000	21,978	236,978	49,000	6,928	55,928
2022	150,000	97,219	247,219	220,000	17,205	237,205	49,000	5,962	54,962
2023	150,000	90,281	240,281	220,000	12,321	232,321	51,000	4,918	55,918
2024	160,000	83,094	243,094	165,000	7,437	172,437	52,000	3,781	55,781
2025-2029	875,000	295,156	1,170,156	170,000	3,774	173,774	123,000	5,581	128,581
2030-2034	925,000	90,194	1,015,194	-	-	-	-	-	-
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	\$ 2,455,000	\$ 864,788	\$ 3,319,788	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 89,355	\$ 1,289,355	\$ 372,000	\$ 35,006	\$ 407,006

Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2019

#### C. CAPITAL LEASE OBLIGATIONS

The Town has financed the acquisition of certain equipment through lease-purchase agreements.

Capital lease obligations currently outstanding are as follows:

Purpose	Date Issued	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Authorized and Issued	Outstanding June 30, 2018	New Issues	Retirements During Year	Outstanding June 30, 2019
Dump truck, police cars	2/13/2018	3.77%	2/13/2020	\$ 232,842	\$ 152,339	\$ -	\$ 74,760	\$ 77,579
	Total governme	ntal activities ca	pital leases		\$ 152,339	\$ -	\$ 74,760	\$ 77,579

Obligations of governmental activities under capital leases at June 30, 2019 were as follows:

	Payment irements
2020	\$ 80,504
Total minimum lease payments Less: Amount representing interest cost Present value of minimum lease payments	\$ 80,504 (2,925) 77,579

Vehicles are reported in the Statement of Net Position at a cost of \$232,842. Amortization of assets acquired under capital leases is included in depreciation expense for the year ended June 30, 2019.

#### D. LINE OF CREDIT

On March 23, 2016, the Town entered into a loan agreement with the RI Infrastructure Bank for a non-restoring line of credit up to \$300,000 to be used for the Community Septic System Loan Program (CSSLP). The loan bears interest of 0% and discharge of the loan is the later of the date on which all loans made by the Town under the CSSLP have been paid back or April 1, 2026. The balance of the line of credit as of June 30, 2019 is \$7,108.

#### **NOTE 8 – INTERFUND BALANCES**

The Town reports interfund balances between many of its funds. Interfund balances at June 30, 2019 were as follows:

	Due From:								
		General Fund	I	Capital Project Fund		Nonmajor vernmental Funds		Water Fund	Total
Due To:									
General Fund	\$	432,487	\$	84,879	\$	2,965,534	\$	7,326	\$ 3,490,226
Capital Project Fund		500,000		-		-		-	500,000
Nonmajor Governmental Funds		2,456,136		-		-		-	2,456,136
Water Fund		398		-		-		-	398
Total	\$	3,389,021	\$	84,879	\$	2,965,534	\$	7,326	\$ 6,446,760

The balances primarily result from the time lag between the dates the 1) interfund goods and services are provided or reimbursable expenditures occur; 2) transactions are recorded in the accounting system; and 3) payments between funds are made.

#### **NOTE 9 – INTERFUND TRANSFERS**

	Transfer From:					
			No	onmajor		
	General		Governmental		Total	
		Fund		Funds		Total
Transfer To:						
Capital Project Fund	\$	250,000	\$	-	\$	250,000
Nonmajor Governmental Funds		204,277		50,000		254,277
Total	\$	454,277	\$	50,000	\$	504,277

Transfers are used to move revenues from the fund that the budget requires to collect them, to the funds that the budget requires to expend them.

#### NOTE 10 - DISAGGREGATION OF RECEIVABLE AND PAYABLE BALANCES

#### A. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

The Town disaggregates significant components of receivables in the financial statements. Receivable balances determined immaterial are included as other receivables. The Town expects to receive all receivables within the subsequent year, except for microloans and community septic system loans which are due in accordance with individual loan amortization schedules. The real estate and personal property taxes include an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$259,749. The accounts receivable-user fees include an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$1,000.

#### B. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

The accounts payable and accrued liabilities at June 30, 2019, were as follows:

		Salaries		
	Vendors	and Benefits	Other	Total
Governmental Activities:				
General Fund	\$ 123,646	\$ 82,389	\$ 13,301	\$219,336
Other Governmental Funds	54,355	-	-	54,355
Total Governmental Activities	\$ 178,001	\$ 82,389	\$ 13,301	\$273,691
Business-Type Activities:				
Water Supply	\$ 17,292	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,292
Total Business-Type Activities	\$ 17,292	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,292

#### **NOTE 11 – FUND EQUITY**

#### Government-Wide Financial Statements:

The Government-Wide Financial Statements utilize a net position presentation. Net position is segregated into the following three components:

*Net investment in capital assets* – represents the net book value of all capital assets less the outstanding balances of bonds and other debt used to acquire, construct or improve these assets.

**Restricted** – represents balances limited to uses specified either externally by creditors, grantors, contributors, laws or regulations of other governments or imposed through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

*Unrestricted* – represents the residual component of net position that does not meet the definition of "restricted" or "net investment in capital assets".

#### Fund Statements:

Governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance. In the fund financial statements, fund

balance is reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the Town is bound to honor constraints on the specific purpose for which amounts in those funds can be spent.

**Nonspendable Fund Balance** – This classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. The "not in spendable form" criteria includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash (e.g. inventories, prepaid amounts, and noncurrent receivables).

**Restricted Fund Balance** – This classification includes amounts that have constraints placed on the use of resources that are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

**Committed Fund Balance** – This classification includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Town's highest level of decision-making authority.

Assigned Fund Balance – This classification includes amounts constrained by the Town's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.

*Unassigned Fund Balance* – This classification is the residual fund balance for the General Fund. This classification represents fund balance that has not been assigned to another fund and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the General Fund.

Committed fund balances are established, modified or rescinded by the Town Financial Referendum or an ordinance adopted by the Town Council. Assigned fund balances are authorized by the Finance Director. The Town considers restricted amounts to have been spent when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available. The Town considers unrestricted fund balance classifications to be used in the following order when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of those unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used: 1) committed; 2) assigned; and 3) unassigned.

#### NOTE 12 – CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Chariho Regional School District (Regional School) was created to include a regional school for the Towns of Charlestown, Richmond and Hopkinton (the Towns), which encompasses grades K-12. The Regional School is a separate legal entity from the Town. The voters of the participating Towns elect the Regional School Committee. The Regional School cannot assess and levy property taxes. Revenues are derived principally from the participating Towns of the Regional School, which contribute funds according to a financial formula based upon each Town's enrollment, and from State aid to education. Financial statements for the Regional School District are issued separately and may be obtained from the Chariho Regional School District, 455A Switch Road, Wood River Junction, Rhode Island 02894.

#### **NOTE 13 – RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Town is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors or omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. As a result, the Town participates in a nonprofit, public entity risk pool (Rhode Island Interlocal Risk Management Trust, Inc.) (the Trust) which provides coverage for property/liability and workers' compensation claims. Upon joining the Trust, the Town signed a participation agreement which outlines the rights and responsibilities of both the Trust and the Town. The agreement states that for premiums paid by the Town, the Trust will assume financial responsibility for the Town's losses up to the maximum amount of insurance purchased, minus the Town's deductible amounts. The Trust provides this insurance coverage through a pooled, self-insurance mechanism which includes reinsurance purchased by the Trust to protect against large, catastrophic claims above the losses the Trust retains internally for payment from the pooled contributions of its members. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the Trust coverage in any of the past three fiscal years. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage during the year ended June 30, 2019.

#### **NOTE 14 – LITIGATION AND CONTINGENCIES**

#### Litigation:

The Town is a party to various claims, legal actions and complaints. The potential liability to the Town, if any, or an evaluation of the outcome of these matters cannot be made at the present time.

#### Other Contingencies:

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the Town expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

#### **Contract Commitments:**

As of June 30, 2019, the Town has contract commitments in the amount of \$608,500 related to phase 2 of the Langworthy Field project.

#### **NOTE 15 – OPERATING LEASES**

The Town leases one-half of the Thayer House to the U.S. Postal Service under an operating lease. A five-year operating lease effective October 11, 2015 was executed during fiscal year 2015. Future minimum lease payments to be received by the Town are as follows:

<u>Year Ending June 30,</u>	
2020	\$13,600
2021	3,400
	\$17,000

#### **NOTE 16 – PENSION PLANS**

#### A. MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM PLANS

#### **Defined Benefit Plans**

#### General Information about the Pension Plan

**Plan Description -** The Municipal Employees' Retirement System (MERS) – an agent multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan - provides certain retirement, disability and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. MERS was established under Rhode Island General Law and placed under the management of the Employee's Retirement System of Rhode Island (ERSRI) Board to provide retirement allowances to employees of municipalities, housing authorities, water and sewer districts, and municipal police and fire persons that have elected to participate. Benefit provisions are subject to amendment by the General Assembly.

MERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. This report may be obtained accessing the ERSRI website at http://www.ersri.org.

Benefits Provided – General employees, police officers and firefighters employed by electing municipalities participate in MERS. Eligible employees become members at their date of employment. Anyone employed by a municipality at the time the municipality joins MERS may elect not to be covered. Elected officials may opt to be covered by MERS. Employees covered under another plan maintained by the municipality may not become members of MERS. Police officers and/or firefighters may be designated as such by the municipality, in which case the special contribution and benefit provisions described below will apply to them, or they may be designated as general employees with no special benefits. Members designated as police officers and/or firefighters are treated as belonging to a unit separate from the general employees, with separate contribution rates applicable. The Town of Hopkinton has only general employees and police officers that participate in the MERS Plan.

Salary: Salary includes the member's base earnings plus any payments under a regular longevity or incentive plan. Salary excludes overtime, unused sick and vacation leave, severance pay, and other extraordinary compensation. Certain amounts that are excluded from taxable wages, such as amounts sheltered under a Section 125 plan or amounts picked up by the employer under IRC Section 414(h), are not excluded from salary.

Service: Employees receive credit for service while a member. In addition, a member may purchase credit for certain periods by making an additional contribution to purchase the additional service. Special rules and limits govern the purchase of additional service and the contribution required.

Final Average Compensation (FAC): Prior to July 1, 2012 and for general employee members eligible to retire as of June 30, 2012, the average was based on the member's highest three consecutive annual salaries. Effective July 1, 2012, the average was based on the member's highest five consecutive annual salaries. Once a member retires or is terminated, the applicable FAC will be the greater of the member's highest three year FAC as of July 1, 2012 or the five year FAC as of the retirement/termination date. Monthly benefits are based on one-twelfth of this amount.

*General Employees* - Members with less than five years of contributory service as of June 30, 2012 and members hired on or after that date are eligible for retirement on or after their Social Security normal retirement age (SSNRA).

Members who had at least five years of contributory service as of June 30, 2012 will be eligible for retirement at an individually determined age. This age is the result of interpolating between the member's prior retirement date, described below, and the retirement age applicable to members hired after June 30, 2012 as described above. The interpolation is based on service as of June 30, 2012 divided by projected service at the member's prior retirement date. The minimum retirement age is 59.

Members with 10 or more years of contributory service on June 30, 2012 may choose to retire at their prior retirement date if they continue to work and contribute until that date. If this option is elected, the retirement benefit will be calculated using the benefits accrued as of June 30, 2012, i.e., the member will accumulate no additional defined benefits after this date, but the benefit will be paid without any actuarial reduction.

Effective July 1, 2015, members will be eligible to retire with full benefits at the earlier of their current Rhode Island Retirement Security Act (RIRSA) date described above or upon the attainment of age 65 with 30 years of service, age 64 with 31 years of service, age 63 with 32 years of service, or age 62 with 33 years of service.

A member who is within five years of reaching their retirement eligibility date and has 20 or more years of service, may elect to retire at any time with an actuarially reduced benefit.

Prior to July 1, 2012, members were eligible for retirement on or after age 58 if they had credit for 10 or more years of service, or at any age if they had credit for at least 30 years of service. Members eligible to retire before July 1, 2012 were not impacted by the changes to retirement eligibility above.

The annual benefit is equal to 2.00% of the member's monthly FAC for each year of service prior to July 1, 2012 and 1.00% of the member's monthly FAC for each year of service from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2015. For all service after June 30, 2015, the annual benefit is equal to 1.00% per year unless the member had 20 or more years of service as of June 30, 2012 in which case the benefit accrual is 2.00% per year for service after June 30, 2015. The benefit cannot exceed 75% of the member's FAC. Benefits are paid monthly.

**Police and Fire Employees** - Members are eligible to retire when they are at least 50 years old and have a minimum of 25 years of contributing service or if they have 27 years of contributing service at any age. Members with less than 25 years of contributing service are eligible for retirement on or after their Social Security normal retirement age.

Members who, as of June 30, 2012, had at least 10 years of contributing service, had attained age 45, and had a prior retirement date before age 52 may retire at age 52.

Active members on June 30, 2012 may choose to retire at their prior retirement date if they continue to work and contribute until that date. If this option is elected, the retirement benefit will be calculated using the benefits accrued as of June 30, 2012, i.e., the member will accumulate no additional defined benefits after this date, but the benefit will be paid without any actuarial reduction.

A member who is within five years of reaching their retirement eligibility date, as described in this section, and has 20 or more years of service, may elect to retire at any time with an actuarially reduced benefit.

Prior to July 1, 2012, members designated as police officers or firefighters were eligible for retirement at or after age 55 with credit for at least 10 years of service or at any age with credit for 25 or more years of service. Members were also eligible to retire and receive a reduced benefit if they are at least age 50 and have at least 20 years of service. If the municipality elected to adopt the 20-year retirement provisions for police officers and/or firefighters, then such a member was eligible to retire at any age with 20 or more years of service. Members eligible to retire before July 1, 2012 were not impacted by the changes to retirement eligibility above.

A monthly benefit is paid equal to 2.00% of the member's monthly FAC for each year of service, up to 37.5 years (75% of FAC maximum).

If the optional 20-year retirement provisions were adopted by the municipality prior to July 1, 2012, benefits are based on 2.50% of the member's FAC for each year of service prior to July 1, 2012 and 2.00% of the member's FAC for each year of service after July 1, 2012. The benefit cannot exceed 75% of the member's FAC. The Town of Hopkinton has elected to participate in the 20-year retirement provision.

Active members (including future hires), members who retire after July 1, 2015 and after attaining age 57 with 30 years of service will have a benefit equal to the greater of their current benefit described above and one calculated based on a 2.25% multiplier for all years of service.

*Other Benefit Provisions* - Death and disability benefits are also provided to members. A member is eligible for a disability retirement provided he/she has credit for at least five years of service or if the disability is work-related. Members are not eligible for an ordinary disability benefit if they are eligible for unreduced retirement.

Joint and survivor benefit options are available to retirees. For some employees, a Social Security option is also available where an annuity is paid at one amount prior to age 62, and at a reduced amount after age 62, designed to provide a level total income when combined with the member's age 62 Social Security benefit. Benefits cease upon the member's death.

Post-retirement benefit increases are paid to members who retire after June 30, 2012. Members will be eligible to receive cost of living increases at the later of the member's third anniversary of retirement and the month following their SSNRA (age 55 for members designated as police officers and/or firefighters). When a municipality elects coverage, it may elect either COLA C (covering

only current and future active members and excluding members already retired) or COLA B (covering current retired members as well as current and future active members).

- a.) The COLA will be suspended for any unit whose funding level is less than 80%; however, an interim COLA may be granted in four-year intervals while the COLA is suspended. The first interim COLA may begin January 1, 2018.
- b.) Effective July 1, 2015, the COLA is determined based on 50% of the plan's five-year average investment rate of return less 5.5% limited to a range of 0.0% to 4.0%, plus 50% of the lesser of 3.0% or last year's CPI-U increase for a total maximum increase of 3.50%. Previously, it was the plan's five-year average investment rate of return less 5.5% limited to a range of 0.0% to 4.0%
- c.) The COLA will be limited to the first \$25,000 of the member's annual pension benefit. For retirees and beneficiaries who retired on or before July 1, 2015, years in which a COLA is payable based on the every fourth year provision described in (a) above will be limited to the first \$30,000. These limits will be indexed annually to increase in the same manner as COLAs, with the known values of \$25,000 for 2013, \$25,000 for 2014, \$25,168 for 2015, \$25,855 for 2016, and \$26,098 for 2017. The Town of Hopkinton has elected the optional cost-of-living provision (COLA C) for general employees and police officers.

**Special Provisions Applying to Specific Units** – Prior to July 1, 2012, some units had specific provisions that apply only to that unit. Per section 45-21.2-5 benefits for members eligible to retire prior to June 30, 2012 are preserved for the calculation of the retirement benefits. For service accrued after July 1, 2012, retirement benefits will be calculated in accordance with section 45-21.2-2 and adjustments to benefits will be provided as set forth in 45-21-52. The following summarizes those provisions:

#### Hopkinton Police Department – Rhode Island General Law § 45-21.2-5 (9)

Under these special provisions, the final compensation for benefit computation is based on the members' highest year of earnings. In addition, the members shall receive a three (3%) escalation of their pension payment compounded each year on January 1<sup>st</sup> following the year of retirement and continuing on an annual basis on that date. Compensation for benefit purposes include base, longevity, and holiday pay.

**Employees Covered by Benefit Terms -** At the June 30, 2017 valuation date, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

General	Police
Employees	Officers
Plan	Plan
16	14
15	2
36	15
67	31
	Employees Plan 16

Contributions - The amount of employee and employer contributions have been established under Rhode Island General Law Chapter 45-21. General employees with less than 20 years of service as of June 30, 2012 are required to contribute 2.00% of their salaries. General employees with more than 20 years of service as of June 30, 2012 are required to contribute 9.25%. Police officers are required to contribute 10.00% of their salaries. The Town of Hopkinton contributes at a rate of covered employee payroll as determined by an independent actuary on an annual basis. The General Assembly can amend the amount of these contribution requirements. The Town of Hopkinton contributed the following amounts in the year ended June 30, 2019: general employees plan - \$39,871 and police officers plan - \$331,873. The Town's contributions represented the following percentages of annual covered payroll: general employees plan - 2.16%; and police officers plan - 29.47%.

**Net Pension Liability (Asset)** - The total pension liability was determined by actuarial valuations performed as of June 30, 2017 and rolled forward to June 30, 2018, using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement.

Summary of Actuarial Assumptions Used in the Valuations to Determine the Net Pension Liability (Asset) at the June 30, 2018 Measurement Date (June 30, 2017 valuation rolled forward to June 30, 2018)				
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal - The Individual Entry Age Actuarial Cost methodology is used			
Amortization Method	Level Percent of Payroll – Closed			
Actuarial Assumptions:				
Investment Rate of Return	7.0%			
Projected Salary Increases	General Employees - 3.50% to 7.50%; Police Officers - 4.00% to 14.00%			
Inflation	2.5%			
Mortality	Variants of the RP-2014 mortality tables – for the improvement scale, update to the ultimate rates of the MP-2016 projection scale.			
Cost of Living Adjustments	A 2% COLA is assumed after January 1, 2014.			

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 valuation rolled forward to June 30, 2018 and the calculation of the total pension liability at June 30, 2018 were consistent with the results of an actuarial experience study performed as of June 30, 2016.

The long-term expected rate of return best-estimate on pension plan investments was determined by the actuary using a building-block method. The actuary started by calculating best-estimate future expected real rates of return (expected returns net of pension plan investment expense and

inflation) for each major asset class, based on a collective summary of capital market expectations from 34 sources. The June 30, 2018 expected arithmetic returns over the long-term (20-years) by asset class are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Asset Allocation	Long-Term Expected Arithmetic Real Rate of Return
GROWTH		
Global Equity		
US Equity	20.80%	6.43%
International Developed Equity	14.40%	6.72%
Emerging Markets Equity	4.80%	8.90%
Sub-total	40.00%	
Private Growth		
Private Equity	11.30%	9.08%
Non-Core Real Estate	2.20%	5.03%
Opportunistic Private Credit	1.50%	9.08%
Sub-total	15.00%	
INCOME		
High Yield Infrastructure	1.00%	3.81%
REITS	1.00%	5.03%
Liquid Credit	2.80%	3.81%
Private Credit	3.20%	3.81%
Sub-total	8.00%	
STABILITY		
Crisis Protection Class		
Treasury Duration	4.00%	0.61%
Systematic Trend	4.00%	4.00%
Sub-total	8.00%	
Inflation Protection		
Core Real Estate	3.60%	5.03%
Private Infrastructure	2.40%	5.61%
TIPs	1.00%	1.75%
Natural Resources	1.00%	3.81%
Sub-total	8.00%	
Volatility Protection		
IG Fixed Income	11.50%	2.14%
Absolute Return	6.50%	4.00%
Cash	3.00%	0.61%
Sub-total	21.00%	
Total	100.00%	

These return assumptions are then weighted by the target asset allocation percentage, factoring in correlation effects, to develop the overall long-term expected rate of return best-estimate on an arithmetic basis.

**Discount Rate -** The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability of the plans was 7.0 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current contribution rate and that contributions from the employers will be made at statutorily required rates, actuarially determined. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected 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.

General Employees Plan Changes in the Net Pension Liability (Asset)

	Increase (Decrease)				
	Total Pension Liability	Plan Fiduciary Net Position	Net Pension (Asset)		
Balances as of June 30, 2017	\$4,918,149	\$5,512,174	\$(594,025)		
Changes for the Year:	-				
Service cost	165,278	-	165,278		
Interest on the total pension liability	343,288	-	343,288		
Changes in benefits	-	-	-		
Difference between expected and actual experience	97,231	-	97,231		
Changes in assumptions	-	-	-		
Employer contributions	-	40,365	(40,365)		
Employee contributions	-	44,017	(44,017)		
Net investment income	-	435,996	(435,996)		
Benefit payments, including employee refunds	(193,352)	(193,352)	-		
Administrative expense	-	(5,804)	5,804		
Other changes	-	(6,750)	6,750		
Net changes	412,445	314,472	97,973		
Balances as of June 30, 2018	\$5,330,594	\$5,826,646	\$(496,052)		

Police Officers Plan Changes in the Net Pension Liability

	Increase (Decrease)				
	Total Pension	Plan Fiduciary	Net Pension		
	Liability	Net Position	Liability		
Balances as of June 30, 2017	\$9,084,460	\$5,413,386	\$3,671,074		
Changes for the Year:	42,001,100	<i>\$6</i> ,.16,666	40,071,071		
Service cost	220,090	-	220,090		
Interest on the total pension liability	626,966	-	626,966		
Changes in benefits	-	-	-		
Difference between expected and actual experience	(348,105)	-	(348,105)		
Changes in assumptions	-	-	-		
Employer contributions	-	329,233	(329,233)		
Employee contributions	-	115,844	(115,844)		
Net investment income	-	411,277	(411,277)		
Benefit payments, including employee refunds	(475,690)	(475,690)	-		
Administrative expense	-	(5,475)	5,475		
Other changes		(292,283)	292,283		
Net changes	23,261	82,906	(59,645)		
Balances as of June 30, 2018	\$9,107,721	\$5,496,292	\$3,611,429		

**Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) to Changes in the Discount Rate -** The following presents the net pension liability (asset) of the employer calculated using the discount rate of 7.0 percent, as well as what the employer's net pension liability (asset) would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current rate.

		Current Discount	
Plan	1.00% Decrease (6.0%)	Rate (7.0%)	1.00% Increase (8.0%)
I Ian	(0.070)	(7.0 /0)	(0.0 / 0)
General Employees	\$111,573	\$(496,052)	\$(948,449)
Police Officers	\$4,666,480	\$3,611,429	\$2,825,754

**Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position** - Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued ERSRI financial report.

### Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For the year ended June 30, 2019, the Town recognized pension expense as follows: general employees plan - \$95,769; and police officers plan - \$646,945. The employer reported deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	General Employees Plan	Police Officers Plan
<b>Deferred Outflows of Resources:</b>		
Assumption changes	\$150,344	\$315,300
Differences between expected and actual		
experience	80,095	76,223
Net difference between projected and actual		
investment earnings	36,838	59,853
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date	39,871	331,873
Total	\$307,148	\$783,249
Deferred Inflows of Resources: Assumption changes Differences between expected and actual	\$ -	\$ 7,920
experience	99,567	567,297
Total	\$99,567	\$575,217

The deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from the Town contributions in fiscal year 2019 subsequent to the measurement date that will be recognized as a reduction of (addition to) the net pension liability (asset) in the subsequent period. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

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	Net Defe	erred			
	Outflows/(1	inflows)			
	of Resources				
Year	General	Police			
<b>Ending</b>	<b>Employees</b>	Officers			
June 30	Plan	Plan			
2020	\$69,771	\$56,674			
2021	57,974	7,545			
2022	(343)	(70,712)			
2023	28,757	(37,631)			
2024	11,551	(28,804)			
Thereafter	-	(50,913)			

#### **Defined Contribution Plan**

#### Plan Description

Certain general employees participating in the defined benefit plan, as described above, may also participate in a defined contribution plan as authorized by General Law Chapter 36-10.3. The defined contribution plan is established under IRS section 401(a) and is administered by TIAA-CREF. Employees may choose among various investment options available to plan participants.

General employees with less than 20 years of service on June 30, 2012 contribute 5% of their annual covered salary and employers contribute, depending on years of service, 1% to 1.5% of annual covered salary. Employee contributions are immediately vested while employer contributions and any investment earnings thereon are vested after three years of contributory service. Benefit terms and contributions required under the plan by both the employee and employer are established by the General Laws, which are subject to amendment by the General Assembly.

Amounts in the defined contribution plan are available to participants in accordance with Internal Revenue Service guidelines for such plans.

The Town of Hopkinton recognized pension expense of \$19,589 and employees contributed \$89,509 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019.

The System issues an annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for plans administered by the System. The reports can be obtained at <a href="http://www.ersri.org">http://www.ersri.org</a>.

#### B. AGGREGATE PENSION AMOUNTS REPORTED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

	Deferred Outflows of Resources – Pension Amounts	Deferred Inflows of Resources – Pension Amounts	Net Pension Asset	Net Pension Liability	Pension Expense
General Employees Plan	\$307,148	\$99,567	\$496,052	\$ -	\$95,769
Police Officers Plan	783,249	575,217	-	3,611,429	646,945
Total	\$1,090,397	\$674,784	\$496,052	\$3,611,429	\$742,714

#### **NOTE 17 – TAX ABATEMENTS**

The Town has established a tax stabilization program for industrial and commercial development pursuant to Section 44-3-9 of Rhode Island General Laws. The purpose of the program is to expand the industrial and commercial tax base and encourage construction and expansion of industrial and commercial facilities. Industrial, commercial and mixed use (commercial portion only) facilities are eligible if the estimated cost of new construction exceeds 25% of the assessed value of the property's existing improvements or \$200,000, whichever is less. Applications for stabilization of taxes must be approved by a majority vote of the Town Council. The abatement is the difference between the tax at full assessed value and the following:

<u>Year</u>	New Construction	<b>Addition or Renovation</b>
1	Land Value	100% Existing Property Value and 25% of
		New Construction
2	Land Value and 25% of Construction	100% Existing Property Value and 50% of
		New Construction
3	Land Value and 50% of Construction	100% Existing Property Value and 75% of
		New Construction
4	Land Value and 75% of Construction	

The full assessed value is phased in over 5 years for new construction and 4 years for additions or renovations. The tax stabilization abatement will cease immediately if the taxpayer defaults on any quarterly tax or other payment due to the Town or the taxpayer vacates the property or the facility ceases operations. The Town had two taxpayers participating in the tax stabilization program at June 30, 2019. The total abatements granted under this program in fiscal year 2019 were \$79,963. The Town has not made any commitments as a part of the agreement other than to reduce taxes. The Town is not subject to any tax abatement agreements entered into by other governmental entities.

#### **NOTE 18 – SPECIAL ITEM**

On May 1, 2019 the Town issued \$1,805,000 in General Obligation Bonds in order to fund a \$2,009,141 contribution to the Hopkinton Land Trust. The contribution has been reported as a special item since it is significant and infrequent in occurrence.

#### **NOTE 19 – SUBSEQUENT EVENT**

The Town entered into a lease purchase agreement on October 11, 2019 for vehicles in the amount of \$147,260. The lease matures October 11, 2019-2021 and bears interest of 3.89%.

Budgetary Comparison Schedule For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Original/ Final Budget	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance Positive (Negative)	
Revenues				
Property taxes	\$ 18,274,929	\$ 18,556,089	\$ 281,160	
Federal and state grants and aid	5,978,750	5,865,812	(112,938)	
Charges for services	666,368	1,291,592	625,224	
Interest on investments	9,000	9,679	679	
Other revenue	1,500	10,020	8,520	
Use of fund balance	630,268	14,558	(615,710)	
Total revenues	25,560,815	25,747,750	186,935	
Expenditures				
Current:				
General government	1,819,919	1,911,498	(91,579)	
Public safety	2,523,365	2,661,219	(137,854)	
Public works	1,191,569	1,119,763	71,806	
Recreation	280,927	300,851	(19,924)	
Public and social services	142,500	142,000	500	
Education	18,759,809	18,759,809	-	
Debt service	388,449	388,333	116	
Total expenditures	25,106,538	25,283,473	(176,935)	
Excess of revenues over expenditures				
before other financing uses	454,277	464,277	10,000	
Other financing uses				
Transfers to other funds	(454,277)	(464,277)	(10,000)	
Total other financing uses	(454,277)	(464,277)	(10,000)	
Excess of revenues over expenditures				
and other financing uses, budgetary basis	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	

Required Supplementary Information

General Employees Pension Plan Schedule of Changes in the Net Pension Liability (Asset) and Related Ratios (1)

"Unaudited"

Fiscal Year	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Total pension liability:					
Service cost	\$ 165,278	\$ 155,592	\$ 154,841	\$ 163,891	\$ 161,437
Interest	343,288	329,386	313,218	311,997	292,185
Changes of benefit terms	-	-	-	53,883	-
Differences between expected and actual experience	97,231	(14,426)	(45,450)	(291,941)	-
Changes of assumptions	-	233,253	-	-	6,099
Benefits payments, including refunds of member contributions	(193,352)	(199,336)	(215,502)	(218,532)	(175,064)
Net change in total pension liability	412,445	504,469	207,107	19,298	284,657
Total pension liability - beginning	4,918,149	4,413,680	4,206,573	4,187,275	3,902,618
Total pension liability - ending (a)	\$ 5,330,594	\$ 4,918,149	\$ 4,413,680	\$ 4,206,573	\$ 4,187,275
Plan fiduciary net position:					
Contributions - employer	\$ 40,365	\$ 62,646	\$ 82,243	\$ 101,363	\$ 106,729
Contributions - employee	44,017	42,551	41,743	34,358	33,423
Net investment income	435,996	585,374	(1,761)	121,193	684,310
Benefits payments, including refunds of member contributions	(193,352)	(199,336)	(215,502)	(218,532)	(175,064)
Administrative expense	(5,804)	(5,530)	(4,737)	(4,862)	(4,285)
Other	(6,750)	(46,930)	1	1	
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	314,472	438,775	(98,013)	33,521	645,113
Plan fiduciary net position - beginning	5,512,174	5,073,399	5,171,412	5,137,891	4,492,778
Plan fiduciary net position - ending (b)	\$ 5,826,646	\$ 5,512,174	\$ 5,073,399	\$ 5,171,412	\$ 5,137,891
Town's net pension liability (asset) - ending (a) - (b)	\$ (496,052)	\$ (594,025)	\$ (659,719)	\$ (964,839)	\$ (950,616)
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the					
total pension liability	109.31%	112.08%	114.95%	122.94%	122.70%
Covered employee payroll	\$ 1,818,237	\$ 1,764,083	\$ 1,714,745	\$ 1,717,934	\$ 1,671,191
Net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of covered employee payroll	-27.28%	-33.67%	-38.47%	-56.16%	-56.88%

<sup>(1)</sup> This schedule is intended to show 10 years - additional information will be presented as it becomes available.

#### Required Supplementary Information Police Officers Pension Plan

Schedule of Changes in the Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios (1)
"Unaudited"

Fiscal Year	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Total pension liability:					
Service cost	\$ 220,090	\$ 185,453	\$ 179,188	\$ 154,963	\$ 149,013
Interest	626,966	633,113	618,024	564,306	549,806
Changes of benefit terms	-	-	-	303,629	-
Differences between expected and actual experience	(348,105)	(273,327)	(115,694)	158,915	-
Changes of assumptions	-	430,634	-	-	(41,160)
Benefits payments, including refunds of member contributions	(475,690)	(480,395)	(486,520)	(468,843)	(465,771)
Net change in total pension liability	23,261	495,478	194,998	712,970	191,888
Total pension liability - beginning	9,084,460	8,588,982	8,393,984	7,681,014	7,489,126
Total pension liability - ending (a)	\$ 9,107,721	\$ 9,084,460	\$ 8,588,982	\$ 8,393,984	\$ 7,681,014
Plan fiduciary net position:					
Contributions - employer	\$ 329.233	\$ 308.068	\$ 282.019	\$ 219,198	\$ 98.125
Contributions - employee	115,844	99,089	95,159	72,583	70,497
Net investment income	411,277	574,883	(1,811)	125,021	718,132
Benefits payments, including refunds of member contributions	(475,690)	(480,395)	(486,520)	(468,843)	(465,771)
Administrative expense	(5,475)	(5,431)	(4,873)	(5,016)	(4,497)
Other	(292,283)	(301,578)	3	(3,010)	(1,127)
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	82,906	194,636	(116,023)	(57,057)	416,486
Plan fiduciary net position - beginning	5,413,386	5,218,750	5,334,773	5,391,830	4,975,344
Plan fiduciary net position - ending (b)	\$ 5,496,292	\$ 5,413,386	\$ 5,218,750	\$ 5,334,773	\$ 5,391,830
Town's net pension liability - ending (a) - (b)	\$ 3,611,429	\$ 3,671,074	\$ 3,370,232	\$ 3,059,211	\$ 2,289,184
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	60.35%	59.59%	60.76%	63.55%	70.20%
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Covered employee payroll	\$ 1,061,700	\$ 991,195	\$ 959,248	\$ 907,279	\$ 881,211
Net pension liability as a percentage of covered employee payroll	340.16%	370.37%	351.34%	337.19%	259.78%

<sup>(1)</sup> This schedule is intended to show 10 years - additional information will be presented as it becomes available.

Required Supplementary Information - Pension Plans Schedule of Town Contributions (1) "Unaudited"

Fiscal Year	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
General Employees Plan Actuarially determined contribution	\$ 39,871	\$ 40,365	\$ 62,646	\$ 82,243	\$ 101,363
Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	39,871	40,365	62,646	82,243	101,363
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Covered employee payroll  Contributions as a percentage of covered employee payroll	\$ 1,845,726 2.16%	\$1,818,237 2.22%	\$ 1,764,083 3.55%	\$ 1,714,745 4.80%	\$ 1,717,934 5.90%
Police Officers Plan Actuarially determined contribution  Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	\$ 331,873 331,873	\$ 329,233 329,233	\$ 308,068 308,068	\$ 282,019 282,019	\$ 219,198 219,198
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Covered employee payroll  Contributions as a percentage of	\$ 1,126,138	\$1,061,700	\$ 991,195	\$ 959,248	\$ 907,279
covered employee payroll	29.47%	31.01%	31.08%	29.40%	24.16%

<sup>(1)</sup> This schedule is intended to show 10 years - additional information will be presented as it becomes available.

#### TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Notes to Required Supplementary Information June 30, 2019

#### **NOTE 1 – PENSION PLANS**

The actuarial methods and assumptions used to calculate the total pension liability are described in Note 16 to the financial statements.

The net pension liability (asset) amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the June 30 measurement date prior to the fiscal year-end.

The schedules are intended to present ten years of data. Additional years of data will be presented as they become available.

#### **Actuarially Determined Contributions:**

Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of June 30 of each plan year and effective 2 years after the actuarial valuation. The following actuarial methods and assumptions were used to determine contribution amounts reported in that schedule:

- Actuarial cost method Entry Age Normal
- Amortization method Level percentage of payroll, closed
- Remaining amortization period 23 years for general employees plan; 19 years for police plan
- Asset valuation method 5-year smoothed market
- Inflation 2.75%
- Investment return 7.50%
- Salary increases 3.5% to 7.5% for general employees; 4% to 14% for police officers
- Retirement age Experienced-based table of rates that are specific to the type of eligibility condition
- Mortality Males, General and Police Officers 115% of RP-2000 Combined Healthy for Males with White Collar adjustments, projected with Scale AA from 2000
- Mortality Females, General and Police Officers 95% of RP-2000 Combined Healthy for Females with White Collar adjustments, projected with Scale AA from 2000

Employers participating in the Municipal Employees' Retirement System are required by RI General Laws, Section 45-21-42, to contribute an actuarially determined contribution rate each year.

#### TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Notes to Required Supplementary Information June 30, 2019

#### NOTE 2 – BUDGETARY DATA AND BUDGETARY COMPLIANCE

The Town has formally established budgetary accounting control for its General Fund. It is the responsibility of the Town Manager together with the Finance Director's recommendation to submit to the Town Council and make available to the general public a proposed General Fund budget for the fiscal year. The Town Council may then revise and adopt a recommended General Fund budget. A public hearing is conducted on the recommended General Fund Budget and the final recommended budget is approved by the Town Financial Referendum. The General Fund operating budget is supported by revenue estimates and take into account the elimination of accumulated deficits and the re-appropriation of accumulated surpluses to the extent necessary. The budget approved and adopted by the Town Financial Referendum reports the amount budgeted for each department, including the Regional School District, therefore, the legal level of control for the General Fund is at the departmental level. Amendments that would change the total appropriation must be approved by a Town Financial Referendum. There were no supplemental budgetary appropriations in fiscal year 2019. Appropriations which are not expended or encumbered lapse at year end.

The General Fund budget is in conformity with the legally enacted budgetary basis, which is not in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. The budget to actual presentation for the General Fund reported as required supplementary information is reflected on the budgetary basis. Differences between the budgetary basis and the generally accepted accounting principles basis are as follows:

	General
Revenues and Other Financing Sources	Fund
Revenues and other financing sources – budgetary basis	\$25,747,750
Unbudgeted revenues not included in budgetary revenues, but included for	
financial reporting purposes.	10,075
Budgetary revenue included for budgetary purposes, but not for	
financial reporting purposes.	(7,328)
Use of fund balance is included as a revenue for budgetary purposes, but	
not for financial reporting purposes.	(14,558)
Debt proceeds and related premium not budgeted.	2,064,911
Total revenues and other financing sources as reported	
in the statement of revenues, expenditures and changes	
in fund balances – governmental funds – gaap basis	\$27,800,850
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	
Expenditures and other financing uses – budgetary basis	\$25,747,750
Unbudgeted expenditures not included in budgetary expenditures,	
but included for financial reporting purposes.	148,603
Budgeted expenditure included for budgetary purposes, but not for financial	
reporting purposes.	(10,000)
Total expenditures and other financing uses as reported in the	
statement of revenues, expenditures and changes	
in fund balances - governmental funds – gaap basis	\$25,886,353

Combining Balance Sheet General Fund June 30, 2019

	Town General	 Sick Time		Legal Fees		venile istice	nergency nagement	Grant atching	Re	valuation
Assets										
Cash	\$ 4,992,114	\$ 62,012	\$	-	\$	62	\$ 11,291	\$ 3,458	\$	56,347
Property taxes receivable, net	707,530 163,603	-		-		-	-	-		-
Due from federal and state governments Other receivables	46,949	-		-		-	-	-		-
Due from other funds	3,263,176	-		72,834		-	30,373	14,520		44,356
Prepaid expenditures	61,579	_				_	-	- 1,520		-
Total assets	\$ 9,234,951	\$ 62,012	\$	72,834	\$	62	\$ 41,664	\$ 17,978	\$	100,703
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balances			-		1					
Liabilities:										
Accounts payable and accrued expenditures	\$ 219,336	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-
Due to other funds	3,043,024	41,840		79,673		-	36,268	-		100,088
Due to component unit	15,390	 					 			
Total liabilities	3,277,750	41,840		79,673		_	 36,268			100,088
Deferred Inflows of Resources:										
Deferred property taxes	427,446	_		-		_	_	_		_
Other deferred revenues	3,259	 -				_		 -		_
Total deferred inflows of resources	430,705	-					 			
Fund Balances:										
Nonspendable:										
Prepaid expenditures	61,579	-		-		-	-	-		-
Restricted for:										
Public safety programs	-	-		-		-	-	-		-
Committed for:										
Employee relations costs	-	20,172		-		-	-	-		- 615
Property revaluation Public works	-	-		-		-	-	-		615
Planning and zoning	-	-		-		-	-	-		-
Capital projects	_	-		-		-	-	17,978		-
Assigned for 2020 budget	500,500	_		_		_	_	-		_
Unassigned	4,964,417	 		(6,839)		62	5,396	 		_
Total fund balances	5,526,496	20,172		(6,839)		62	5,396	17,978		615
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of										
resources, and fund balances	\$ 9,234,951	\$ 62,012	\$	72,834	\$	62	\$ 41,664	\$ 17,978	\$	100,703

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Combining Balance Sheet (Continued)
General Fund
June 30, 2019

	,	gineering Services	Com	prehensive Plan		nimal onations	Emerg	lic Works ency Winter erations		servation nmission	Total General Fund
Assets											
Cash	\$	26,421	\$	48,490	\$	3,985	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 5,204,180
Property taxes receivable, net		-		-		-		-		-	707,530
Due from federal and state governments		-		-		-		-		-	163,603
Other receivables		-		-		-		-		-	46,949
Due from other funds		-		18,000		4,801		35,370		6,796	3,490,226
Prepaid expenditures		-									61,579
Total assets	\$	26,421	\$	66,490	\$	8,786	\$	35,370	\$	6,796	\$ 9,674,067
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balances Liabilities:											
Accounts payable and accrued expenditures	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 219.336
Due to other funds	Ψ	9,639	Ψ	64,804	Ψ	6,889	Ψ	_	Ψ	6,796	3,389,021
Due to component unit		7,037		-		0,007		_		-	15,390
Total liabilities		9,639		64,804		6,889				6,796	3,623,747
		7,037		01,001		0,007				0,770	3,023,717
Deferred Inflows of Resources:											427,446
Deferred property taxes Other deferred revenues		-		-		-		-		-	3,259
			-	<del>-</del>	-	<u>-</u>				<u>-</u>	
Total deferred inflows of resources		-				-		-			430,705
Fund Balances:											
Nonspendable:											
Prepaid expenditures		-		-		-		-		-	61,579
Restricted for:											
Public safety programs		-		-		1,897		-		-	1,897
Committed for:											
Employee relations costs		-		-		-		-		-	20,172
Property revaluation		-		-		-		-		-	615
Public works		16,782		-		-		35,370		-	52,152
Planning and zoning		-		1,686		-		-		-	1,686
Capital projects		-		-		-		-		-	17,978
Assigned for 2020 budget		-		-		-		-		-	500,500
Unassigned		-									4,963,036
Total fund balances		16,782		1,686		1,897		35,370			5,619,615
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of											
resources, and fund balances	\$	26,421	\$	66,490	\$	8,786	\$	35,370	\$	6,796	\$ 9,674,067

#### Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances General Fund

#### For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Town General	Sick Time	Legal Fees	Juvenile Justice	Emergency Management	Grant Matching	Revaluation
Revenues:		_	_	_	_	_	_
Property taxes	\$ 18,556,089	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Federal and state grants and aid	5,858,484	-	-	-	4,589	-	-
Charges for services and fees	1,291,592	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest on investments	9,679	778	-	-	-	43	706
Other revenues	10,020						
Total revenues	25,725,864	778			4,589	43	706
Expenditures:							
Current:							
General government	1,911,498	-	79,673	-	-	-	1,615
Public safety	2,661,219	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public works	1,119,763	-	-	-	-	-	-
Recreation	300,851	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public and social services	142,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education - payment to school district	18,759,809	_	-	-	-	-	-
Debt service:							
Principal	307,000	_	-	-	-	-	-
Interest and other charges	137,103	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	25,339,243		79,673				1,615
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over							
(under) expenditures	386,621	778	(79,673)		4,589	43	(909)
Other financing sources (uses):							
Debt issued	1,805,000	_	-	-	-	-	-
Premium on debt issued	259,911	_	-	-	-	-	=
Transfers from other funds	7,328	_	-	-	-	-	=
Transfers to other funds	(464,277)	_	-	-	(7,328)	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	1,607,962				(7,328)		
Special item:							
Contribution to land trust	(2,009,141)						
Net change in fund balances	(14,558)	778	(79,673)	-	(2,739)	43	(909)
Fund balances - beginning of year	5,541,054	19,394	72,834	62	8,135	17,935	1,524
Fund balances - end of year	\$ 5,526,496	\$ 20,172	\$ (6,839)	\$ 62	\$ 5,396	\$ 17,978	\$ 615

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#### Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances (Continued)

#### General Fund

#### For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Engineerii Services	_	Comprehensive Plan		nimal nations	En	lic Works nergency Winter perations	Conservation Commission	Eliminate Transfers Within General Fund	Total General Fund
Revenues:	_		_	_		_		_	_	
Property taxes	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 18,556,089
Federal and state grants and aid		-	-		-		-	-	-	5,863,073
Charges for services and fees		-	-		-		-	-	-	1,291,592
Interest on investments	3	32	607		50		-	-	-	12,195
Other revenues		-			2,970					12,990
Total revenues	3	32	607		3,020		-			25,735,939
Expenditures:										
Current:										
General government		-	4,703		-		-	-	-	1,997,489
Public safety		-	-		3,818		-	-	-	2,665,037
Public works	2,5	20	-		-		-	504	-	1,122,787
Recreation		-	-		-		-	-	-	300,851
Public and social services		-	-		-		-	-	-	142,000
Education - payment to school district		_	-		_		_	-	-	18,759,809
Debt service:										
Principal		_	-		_		_	-	-	307,000
Interest and other charges		_	_		_		_	-	=	137,103
Total expenditures	2,5	20	4,703		3,818			504		25,432,076
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over										
(under) expenditures	(2,1	88)	(4,096)		(798)			(504)	<u> </u>	303,863
Other financing sources (uses):										
Debt issued		_	_		_		_	-	_	1,805,000
Premium on debt issued		_	_		_		_	-	_	259,911
Transfers from other funds		_	_		_		10,000	-	(17,328)	-
Transfers to other funds		_	_		_		,	-	17,328	(454,277
Total other financing sources (uses)		_			-		10,000	-		1,610,634
Special item:										
Contribution to land trust							<u> </u>			(2,009,141)
Net change in fund balances	(2,1	88)	(4,096)		(798)		10,000	(504)	-	(94,644)
Fund balances - beginning of year	18,9	70	5,782		2,695		25,370	504		5,714,259
Fund balances - end of year	\$ 16,7	82	\$ 1,686	\$	1,897	\$	35,370	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,619,615

TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Combining Balance Sheet Nonmajor Governmental Funds June 30, 2019

ACCEPTEG	Special Revenue Funds	Capital Project Funds	Permanent Funds	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
ASSETS Cash	\$ 624,353	\$ 394,844	\$14,316	\$ 1,033,513
Due from federal and state government	48,438	67,896	-	116,334
Other receivables Due from other funds	89,578 1,089,746	1,366,390		89,578 2,456,136
Due from other rands	1,000,710	1,300,370		2,130,130
Total assets	\$ 1,852,115	\$ 1,829,130	\$14,316	\$ 3,695,561
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities  Accounts payable and accrued expenditures Due to other funds Other liabilities  Total liabilities	\$ 34,068 1,426,082 	\$ 20,287 1,539,452 9,500 1,569,239	\$ - - - -	\$ 54,355 2,965,534 9,500 3,029,389
Deferred Inflows of Resources				
Other deferred revenues	86,511			86,511
Total deferred inflows of resources	86,511		-	86,511
Fund balances				
Nonspendable - permanent fund principal	-	-	7,510	7,510
Restricted Committed	124,441	108,500	6,806	239,747
Unassigned	181,013	154,182 (2,791)	-	335,195 (2,791)
Total fund balances	305,454	259,891	14,316	579,661
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources,				
and fund balances	\$ 1,852,115	\$ 1,829,130	\$14,316	\$ 3,695,561

TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Nonmajor Governmental Funds For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Special Revenue Funds	Capital Project Funds	Permanent Funds	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Revenues	Φ 221 701	Φ 0.061	Φ.	Φ 221.5.62
Federal and state grants and aid	\$ 221,701	\$ 9,861	\$ -	\$ 231,562
Charges for services and fees	36,096	4.040	-	36,096
Interest on investments Other revenues	6,116	4,949	66	11,131
	24,285	41,296		65,581
Total revenues	288,198	56,106	66	344,370
Expenditures				
Current:				
General government	15,340	-	42	15,382
Public safety	34,881	-	-	34,881
Public and social services	115,412	-	-	115,412
Capital outlay	109,538	119,017	-	228,555
Debt service	1,430	80,503	-	81,933
Total expenditures	276,601	199,520	42	476,163
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under)				
expenditures before other financing sources (uses)	11,597	(143,414)	24	(131,793)
Other financing sources (uses)				
Transfers from other funds	_	254,277	_	254,277
Transfers to other funds	_	(50,000)	-	(50,000)
Total other financing sources (uses)		204,277		204,277
Net change in fund balances	11,597	60,863	24	72,484
Fund balances - beginning of year	293,857	199,028	14,292	507,177
Fund balances - end of year	\$ 305,454	\$ 259,891	\$14,316	\$ 579,661

TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Tax Collector's Annual Report For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

#### Real Estate and Personal Property Taxes

Tax <u>Year</u>	Balance June 30, 2018	Current Year <u>Assessment</u>	<u>Ad</u>	<u>ditions</u>	utements/ ustments	Amount to be <u>Collected</u>	Current Year <u>Collections</u>		alance 2 30, 2019
2018 2017	\$ - 556,920	\$ 18,619,963	\$	8,574 13	\$ (28,038) (150)	\$ 18,600,499	\$ 18,030,751 484,307	\$	569,748
2017	83,796	-		13	(134)	556,783 83,662	18,353		72,476 65,309
2016	57,839	-		-	(134)	57,839	6,918		50,921
2013	42,774	-		431	_	43,205	2,768		40,437
2014	39,505	-		431	_	39,505	1,374		38,131
2013	42,443	_		_	(16)	42,427	1,006		41,421
2012	39,879	_		_	(50)	39,829	622		39,207
2010	32,126			_	(30)	32,126	686		31,440
2009	18,535	_		_	_	18,535	340		18,195
2008	26,447	_		_	(26,447)	10,555	-		10,175
2007	20,344	_		_	(20,346)	(2)	_		(2)
2006	19,478	_		_	(19,482)	(4)	_		(4)
2005	23,048	_		_	(23,048)	-	_		-
2005	23,010			_	 (23,010)				_
	\$ 1,003,134	\$ 18,619,963	\$	9,018	\$ (117,711)	\$ 19,514,404	\$ 18,547,125		967,279
						Allowance for Un	collectible Accounts		(259,749)
						Net Property Tax	Receivable	\$	707,530
Schedule of M	Most Recent Net Asses	ssed Property Value b	y Catego	<u>ory</u>		Reconciliation of	Current Year Property Tax	x Rev	enue_
Description o		<u>Valuation</u>		<u>Levy</u>		Current year colle		\$ 1	8,547,125
Real property		\$ 846,077,870		6,980,783			lected 60 days subsequent		
Motor vehicle		72,268,551		1,530,648			ling June 30, 2019		280,025
Tangible pers	onal property	35,693,810		716,375			llected 60 days subsequent		
Total		954,040,231	19	9,227,806		to fiscal year end	ling June 30, 2018		(271,061)
Exemptions a	nd tax freeze	(29,385,729)		(607,843)		Current year prop	perty tax revenue	\$ 1	8,556,089
Net assesse	ed value	\$ 924,654,502	\$ 13	8,619,963				(Con	tinued)

TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Tax Collector's Annual Report (Continued) For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

#### Fiscal Year 2019 Cash Collection Summary

Tax Year	July - August 2018 Collections Subject to 60 day FY 18 <u>Accrual</u>	September 2018 - June 2019 Collections	Total FY 2019 Cash Collections	July - August 2019 Collections Subject to 60 day FY 19 Accrual
2018	\$ -	\$ 18,030,751	\$ 18,030,751	\$ 260,446
2017	262,518	221,789	484,307	8,720
2016	4,245	14,108	18,353	1,341
2015	2,776	4,142	6,918	1,402
2014	1,011	1,757	2,768	1,434
2013	258	1,116	1,374	2,468
2012	214	792	1,006	2,290
2011	39	583	622	1,430
2010	-	686	686	496
2009	-	340	340	-
2008	-	-	-	-
2007	-	-	-	(2)
2006	-	-	-	=
2005				
	\$ 271,061	\$ 18,276,064	\$ 18,547,125	\$ 280,025

#### OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

The Annual Supplemental Transparency Report Schedules required by the State of Rhode Island General Law § 45-12-22.2 and § 44-35-10

Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) - Revenue

Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) – Expenditures

Combining Schedule of Reportable Government Services with Reconciliation to MTP2 – Municipal

Notes to Supplementary Information – Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2)

## Town of Hopkinton Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

REVENUE	Municipal
Current Year Levy Tax Collection Last Year's Levy Tax Collection Prior Years Property Tax Collection Interest & Penalty PILOT & Tax Treaty (excluded from levy) Collection	\$ 17,497,042 484,458 574,589 87,608
Other Local Property Taxes Licenses and Permits	- 476,832
Fines and Forfeitures Investment Income Departmental	51,536 12,195 251,825
Rescue Run Revenue Police & Fire Detail	355,080
Other Local Non-Property Tax Revenues Tuition	8,723 -
Impact Aid Medicaid	-
Federal Stabilization Funds Federal Food Service Reimbursement CDBG	-
COPS Grants SAFER Grants	- -
Other Federal Aid Funds  MV Excise Tax Reimbursement  Chate BU OT Browns	- 72,385
State PILOT Program Distressed Community Relief Fund Library Resource Aid	- - 34,850
Library Construction Aid Public Service Corporation Tax	102,244
Meals & Beverage Tax / Hotel Tax LEA Aid Group Home	58,165 - -
Housing Aid Capital Projects Housing Aid Bonded Debt	<del>-</del> -
State Food Service Revenue Incentive Aid Property Revaluation Reimbursement	-
Other State Revenue  Motor Vehicle Phase Out  Other Revenue	5,227,411 368,018 72,978
Local Appropriation for Education Regional Appropriation for Education	
Supplemental Appropriation for Education Regional Supplemental Appropriation for Education Other Education Appropriation	- -
Rounding  Total Revenue	\$ 25,735,939
Financing Sources: Transfer from Capital Funds Financing Sources: Transfer from Other Funds	\$ -
Financing Sources: Debt Proceeds Financing Sources: Other	2,064,911 -
Rounding  Total Other Financing Sources	\$ 2,064,911

## Town of Hopkinton Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

<u>EXPENDITURES</u>	General Government	Finance	Social Services	Centralized IT	Planning	Libraries	Public Works	Parks and Rec	Police Department
Compensation- Group A	\$ 577,955	\$ 227,887	\$ -	\$ 55,124	\$ 112,868	\$ -	\$ 568,439	\$ 184,789	\$ 1,054,658
Compensation - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	262,246
Compensation - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Compensation -Volunteer	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overtime- Group A	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,797	-	88,624
Overtime - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,265
Overtime - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Police & Fire Detail	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	218,879
Active Medical Insurance - Group A Active Medical Insurance- Group B	19,087 -	36,553 -	-	5,444 -	23,471	-	156,696 -	20,090	201,939 41,559
Active Medical Insurance- Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Active Dental insurance- Group A	3,442	1,389	-	255	1,131	-	7,531	865	9,040
Active Dental Insurance- Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,079
Active Dental Insurance- Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payroll Taxes	41,818	16,929	-	4,050	8,073	-	42,977	13,653	124,925
Life Insurance	695	387	-	95	207	-	1,186	207	2,927
State Defined Contribution- Group A	5,630	2,272	-	538	1,294	-	6,347	1,351	300
State Defined Contribution - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,676
State Defined Contribution - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Benefits- Group A	4,777	2,890	-	570	318	-	56,691	8,541	42,345
Other Benefits- Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	644
Other Benefits- Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Defined Benefit Pension- Group A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Defined Benefit Pension - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Defined Benefit Pension - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
State Defined Benefit Pension- Group A	10,473	4,975	-	1,211	2,471	-	12,663	2,796	268,170
State Defined Benefit Pension - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,738
State Defined Benefit Pension - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Defined Benefit / Contribution	-	-	-	-	4.702	-	-	-	-
Purchased Services	304,400	41,465	-	-	4,793	-	5,042	8,047	11,913
Materials/Supplies	30,072	2,483	504	328	372	-	11,804	15,179	6,170
Software Licenses	4,955	17,607	-	5,697	-	-	1,200	1,750	15,829
Capital Outlays Insurance	116,430	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-
Maintenance	902			975	_	_	79,516		2,704
Vehicle Operations	-	_	_	-	_	_	65,356	_	53,374
Utilities	25,399	_	_	_	_	_	29,434	13,375	26,928
Contingency	-	_	_	_	_	_	23,434	-	20,520
Street Lighting	_	_	_	_	_	_	30,169	_	_
Revaluation	_	1,615	_	_	_	_	-	_	_
Snow Removal-Raw Material & External Contracts	-	_,	-	-	_	_	49,805	-	-
Trash Removal & Recycling	-	-	-	_	_	_	-	-	_
Claims & Settlements	79,673	-	-	_	_	_	_	-	_
Community Support	, -	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-
Other Operation Expenditures	66,890	3,047	10,500	207	270	132,000	-	31,959	37,886
Tipping Fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regional Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Supplemental Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regional Supplemental Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Education Appropriation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Municipal Debt- Principal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Municipal Debt- Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
School Debt- Principal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
School Debt- Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Retiree Medical Insurance- Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Retiree Dental Insurance- Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OPEB Contribution- Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rounding		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,292,599	\$ 359,500	\$ 11,004	\$ 74,492	\$ 155,269	\$ 132,000	\$ 1,153,652	\$ 302,601	\$ 2,508,818

## Town of Hopkinton Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

EXPENDITURES	Fire Department	Centralized Dispatch	Public Safety Other	Education  Appropriation	Debt	ОРЕВ	Total Municipal
<u>EXPENDITORES</u>	Department	Dispatch	Other	Арргорпасіоп	Debt	OFEB	Widilicipal
Compensation- Group A	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 44,805	\$ - \$	- \$	-	\$ 2,826,526
Compensation - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	262,246
Compensation - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Compensation -Volunteer	-	-	- 2.545	-	-	-	-
Overtime- Group A	-	-	2,515	-	-	-	119,936
Overtime - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,265
Overtime - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Police & Fire Detail	-	-	- 6.427	-	-	-	218,879
Active Medical Insurance - Group A	-	-	6,127	-	-	-	469,407
Active Medical Insurance- Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	41,559
Active Medical Insurance - Group C	-	-	- 021	-	-	-	24.475
Active Dental Insurance - Group A	-	-	821	-	-	-	24,475
Active Dental Insurance - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,079
Active Dental Insurance- Group C	-	-	4.005	-	-	-	-
Payroll Taxes	-	-	4,095	-	-	-	256,521
Life Insurance	-	-	69	-	-	-	5,771
State Defined Contribution- Group A	-	-	182	-	-	-	17,914
State Defined Contribution - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,676
State Defined Contribution - Group C	-	-	<b>-</b>	-	-	-	
Other Benefits- Group A	-	-	2,286	-	-	-	118,418
Other Benefits- Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	644
Other Benefits- Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Defined Benefit Pension- Group A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Defined Benefit Pension - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Defined Benefit Pension - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
State Defined Benefit Pension- Group A	-	-	441	-	-	-	303,200
State Defined Benefit Pension - Group B	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,738
State Defined Benefit Pension - Group C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Defined Benefit / Contribution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Purchased Services	-	-	3,255	-	-	-	378,916
Materials/Supplies	-	-	4,215	-	-	-	71,127
Software Licenses	-	-	5,938	-	-	-	52,976
Capital Outlays	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Insurance	-	-	-	-	-	-	116,430
Maintenance	-	-	-	-	-	-	84,097
Vehicle Operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	118,730
Utilities	-	-	1,693	-	-	-	96,829
Contingency	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Street Lighting	-	-	-	-	-	-	30,169
Revaluation	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,615
Snow Removal-Raw Material & External Contracts	-	-	-	-	-	-	49,805
Trash Removal & Recycling	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Claims & Settlements	-	-	-	-	-	-	79,673
Community Support	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Operation Expenditures	100,000	-	2,687	-	-	-	385,446
Tipping Fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Local Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	18,759,809	-	-	18,759,809
Regional Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Supplemental Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regional Supplemental Appropriation for Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Education Appropriation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Municipal Debt- Principal	-	-	-	-	307,000	-	307,000
Municipal Debt- Interest	-	-	-	-	136,048	-	136,048
School Debt- Principal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
School Debt- Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Retiree Medical Insurance- Total	-	-	-	-	-	51,451	51,451
Retiree Dental Insurance- Total	-	-	-	-	-	8,703	8,703
OPEB Contribution- Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rounding	-	-	-	-	-	_	-

Financing Uses: Transfer to Capital Funds	\$ 454,277
Financing Uses: Transfer to Other Funds	-
Financing Uses: Payment to Bond Escrow Agent	-
Financing Uses: Other	2,009,141
Total Other Financing Uses	\$ 2,463,418
Net Change in Fund Balance <sup>1</sup>	(94,644)
Fund Balance1- beginning of year	\$5,714,259
Funds removed from Reportable Government Services (RGS)	-
Funds added to Reportable Government Services (RGS)	-
Prior period adjustments	-
Misc. Adjustment	-
Fund Balance <sup>1</sup> - beginning of year adjusted	5,714,259
Rounding	
Fund Balance <sup>1</sup> - end of year	\$ 5,619,615

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> and Net Position if Enterprise Fund activity is included in the transparency portal report.

# Town of Hopkinton Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) Combining Schedule of Reportable Government Services with Reconciliation to MTP2 Municipal Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

Per Audited Fund Financial Statements Fund Description	Total Revenue	Total Other Financing Sources	Total Expenditures	Total Other Financing Uses	Net Change in Fund Balance <sup>1</sup>	Beginning Fund Fund Balance <sup>1</sup> (Deficit)	Prior Period Adjustment	Restated Beginning Fund Balance <sup>†</sup> (Deficit)	Ending Fund Balance <sup>†</sup> (Deficit)
Fund Balance <sup>1</sup> - per MTP-2 at June 30, 2018  No funds removed from RGS for fiscal 2018  No funds added to RGS for Fiscal 2018  No misc. adjustments made for fiscal 2018  Fund Balance <sup>1</sup> - per MTP-2 at June 30, 2018 adjusted						\$ 5,714,259 - - - - \$ 5,714,259		\$ 5,714,259 - - - \$ 5,714,259	_
General Fund	\$ 25,735,939	\$ 2,064,911	\$ 25,432,076 \$	2,463,418	\$ (94,644)	\$ 5,714,259		\$ 5,714,259	\$ 5,619,615
Totals per audited financial statements	\$ 25,735,939	\$ 2,064,911	\$ 25,432,076 \$	2,463,418	\$ (94,644)	\$ 5,714,259	\$ -	\$ 5,714,259	\$ 5,619,615
Reconciliation from financial statements to MTP2									
Rounding	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	<u> </u>
Totals Per MTP2	\$ 25,735,939	\$ 2,064,911	\$ 25,432,077 \$	2,463,418	\$ (94,644)	\$ 5,714,259	\$ -	\$ 5,714,259	\$ 5,619,615

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}$  and Net Position if Enterprise Fund activity is included in the transparency portal report.

Reportable Government Services with MTP2 Notes Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

Notes to Supplementary Information – Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2)

#### **NOTE 1 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

The Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) is a supplemental schedule required by the State of Rhode Island General Laws 45-12-22.2 and 44-35-10. This supplementary schedule included within the annual financial statements is part of a broader project to create a municipal transparency portal (MTP) website to host municipal financial information in a centralized location.

The format of the Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) was prescribed by the State Department of Revenue (Division of Municipal Finance), Office of the Auditor General, and the Department of Education.

#### NOTE 2 - REPORTABLE GOVERNMENT SERVICES

Data consistency and comparability are among the key objectives of the State's Municipal Transparency portal. Consistent with that goal, the State has defined "reportable government services", RGS, to include those operational revenues, expenditures, and transfers related to activities which are essential to the achievement of municipal operations. The determination of RGS may be different from the activities included within the legally adopted budget of the municipality. In practice, some communities report certain RGS in separate funds (e.g., special revenue funds, enterprise funds) rather than the municipality's general fund. The Annual Supplemental Transparency Report (MTP2) includes a reconciliation to the fund level statements.

#### **NOTE 3 - ALLOCATIONS**

The State reporting requires expenditures to be reported by departments, as defined by the State. Some of the departmental groupings are not consistent with the departments reflected in the Town's budget and accounting system. To report these costs, the Town made allocations of costs to the State's departmental groupings based on a reasonable basis.

#### NOTE 4 - EMPLOYEE GROUPS - COMPENSATION AND BENEFIT COSTS

Compensation includes salaries, longevity, stipends, clothing allowance/maintenance, shift differential, out-of-rank, holiday pay and bonuses.

For Public Safety departments (i.e., police, fire, and centralized dispatch) and the Education Department, compensation and most benefits costs are reported in the following employee groupings:

Group A: This group consists of employees who serve the primary function of the department.

- Police Department police officers (e.g., uniform personnel including, leadership positions)
- Fire Department fire fighters (e.g., uniform personnel including, leadership positions)
- Centralized Dispatch Department civilian dispatchers only
- Education Department professional staff providing direct services to students
- For the remaining departments all employees' compensation and benefits are reported under Group A

Group B: For Police and Fire Departments, compensation and benefits paid to its administrative employees and civilian dispatch employees are reported under Group B. The Education Department reports compensation and benefits paid to executive/mid-level educational administration employees under Group B.

Group C: This group is only used for the Education Department and it includes administrative and support staff.

Other post-employment benefits (OPEB) are not reported by employee groups on the MTP2. They are reported in total as either (1) contributions to a qualified OPEB trust or (2) the amount paid for medical and dental insurance for retirees when an OPEB trust fund has not been established. The detail employee group information for the Education Department can be found on the State's Municipal Transparency portal website.

Additional guidance and definitions regarding the State's Municipal Transparency Portal can be found on the State Division of Municipal Finance website: <a href="http://www.municipalfinance.ri.gov/">http://www.municipalfinance.ri.gov/</a>.

**Town of Hopkinton** 

Changes in Fund Balances, General Fund Last Ten Fiscal Years (Modified Accrual Basis of Accounting) Unaudited

		(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Revenues										
Property Taxes and Interest	\$ 15,674,241	\$ 17,647,812	\$ 17,586,304	\$ 18,194,600	\$ 18,341,125	\$ 17,536,755	\$ 17,539,365	\$ 17,948,828	\$ 18,313,302	\$ 18,556,089
Federal and state grants and aid	6,886,037	5,725,058	6,031,011	6,022,837	5,828,062	5,874,941	5,807,978	5,830,941	5,780,937	5,858,484
Charges for services	884,058	809,586	793,615	848,755	864,816	786,182	898,024	875,069	1,146,245	1,291,592
Private grants and contributions	-	2,540	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest on investments	7,271	3,249	3,054	5,037	6,635	6,430	7,184	9,959	9,024	9,679
Other revenues (1)	10,945	1,517	992	636	10,974	5,458	1,663	1,080	4,039	10,020
Total revenues	23,462,552	24,189,762	24,414,976	25,071,865	25,051,612	24,209,766	24,254,214	24,665,877	25,253,547	25,725,864
Expenditures										
Current:										
General government	1,648,943	1,743,557	1,734,835	1,695,379	1,726,244	1,731,112	1,821,304	1,777,207	1,765,186	1,911,498
Public safety	2,201,223	2,142,084	2,329,439	2,256,951	2,206,878	2,258,023	2,448,279	2,465,303	2,686,401	2,661,219
Public works	1,121,971	1,114,468	1,013,227	1,069,660	1,156,310	1,189,679	1,132,839	1,110,483	1,172,548	1,119,763
Recreation	208,995	203,284	248,048	254,973	262,177	264,394	265,687	264,393	268,810	300,851
Public and social services	119,102	119,618	127,115	125,250	127,500	137,750	140,001	140,000	142,000	142,000
Education	17,590,131	18,099,437	18,042,864	18,489,003	18,524,639	18,271,091	17,761,469	18,155,239	18,340,317	18,759,809
Capital Improvements (1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	232,842	-
Debt service:										
Principal	104,119	106,005	107,903	160,071	162,055	161,937	668,178	272,000	282,000	307,000
Interest	78,329	73,199	88,817	71,786	76,146	69,141	79,887	75,958	71,376	137,103
Total expenditures	23,072,813	23,601,652	23,692,248	24,123,073	24,241,949	24,083,127	24,317,644	24,260,583	24,961,480	25,339,243
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures										
before other financing sources (uses)	389,739	588,110	722,728	948,792	809,663	126,639	(63,430)	405,294	292,067	386,621
Other financing sources (uses):										
Proceeds from borrowing	-	-	-	-	-	-	455,150	-	232,842	1,805,000
Premium on debt issued	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	259,911
Transfers from other funds	-	-	-	-	90,000	6,334	112,365	7,310	7,310	7,328
Transfers to other funds	(211,237)	(162,545)	(407,200)	(443,275)	(342,647)	(462,285)	(557,009)	(69,392)	(152,035)	(464,277)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(211,237)	(162,545)	(407,200)	(443,275)	(252,647)	(455,951)	10,506	(62,082)	88,117	1,607,962
Special item - contribution to land trust		-	-		-	-	-	-	-	(2,009,141)
Net change in fund balances	\$ 178,502	\$ 425,565	\$ 315,528	\$ 505,517	\$ 557,016	\$ (329,312)	\$ (52,924)	\$ 343,212	\$ 380,184	\$ (14,558)
Debt Service as a percentage										
of noncapital expenditures	0.79%	0.76%	0.83%	0.96%	0.98%	0.96%	3.08%	1.43%	1.43%	1.75%

<sup>(1)</sup> Capital improvements in departmental general fund expenses not reflected only nonmajor governmental funds.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes only General Fund and not funds combined with General Fund for financial reporting purposes in accordance with GASB 54.

**Town of Hopkinton** 

Assessed Values and Actual Values of Taxable Property Last Ten Fiscal Years Unaudited

							<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>	
Fiscal Year				<u>Tangible</u>		<u>Less</u>	<u>Taxable</u>	<u>Direct</u>	
<b>Ending</b>	<u>Residential</u>	<u>(</u>	Commercial*	<u>Personal</u>	<u>Motor</u>	Tax Exempt	<u>Assessed</u>	<u>Tax</u>	<u>Tax</u>
<u>June 30</u>	<b>Property</b>		<b>Property</b>	<b>Property</b>	<u>Vehicles</u>	<b>Property</b>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Levy</u>
2010	\$ 947,901,100	\$	79,335,150	\$ 18,496,680	\$ 61,935,422	\$ 51,542,119	\$ 1,056,126,233	\$ 14.95	\$ 15,794,049
2011	950,720,300		79,445,750	19,746,900	66,451,004	19,970,687	1,096,393,267	16.01	17,550,424
2012	762,201,500		73,392,100	20,486,870	74,713,855	25,171,601	905,622,724	19.47	17,630,987
2013	763,335,600		77,944,400	19,857,930	77,319,949	26,424,789	912,033,090	20.07	18,300,511
2014	766,263,800		81,502,500	20,358,200	77,640,807	28,400,729	917,364,578	19.87	18,228,200
2015	707,098,400		72,021,770	18,677,560	78,711,307	23,834,331	852,674,706	20.68	17,634,724
2016	706,976,400		75,458,960	19,674,690	80,478,327	23,847,252	858,741,125	20.44	17,555,096
2017	711,733,500		76,483,260	20,530,510	84,893,161	25,223,011	868,417,420	20.68	17,961,897
2018	758,980,300		81,237,870	21,932,700	86,553,273	26,289,519	922,414,624	20.16	18,594,281
2019	765,662,900		80,414,970	35,693,810	72,268,551	29,385,729	924,654,502	20.14	18,619,963

#### Notes:

The State of Rhode Island has enacted legislation limiting the cap on property tax levy growth for cities and towns.

The cap was set at 5.5% in FY 2007-2008 reducing by .25% until FY 2012-13 when a 4% cap will be reached. FY 2018-19 tax cap was 4.0%.

Revaluation of real property is required by State law every 9 years. Hopkinton had a full revaluation in FY 2013-2014. Statistical revaluations are required every 3 years. Hopkinton had a statistical revaluations in FY 2016-2017 as Hopkinton, Richmond, and Charlestown were to all be on the same revaluation cycle with a full revaluation in FY 2011-12.

Property is assessed at actual market value.

Inventory taxes were phased out in 2008 under RI General Law 44-3-29.1

Total Direct Tax Rate is the weighted average of all individual rates applied by the Town. The Motor Vehicle rate has been frozen since 2000 at \$21.18. In fiscal year 2018-2019 the property tax rate, excluding motor vehicles, was \$20.07.

#### **Town of Hopkinton**

Assessed Values and Actual Values of Taxable Property
Calculation of Total Direct Tax Rate for Fiscal Year ended June 30, 2019
Unaudited

		<u>Assessed</u>	Direct rate	<u>Total</u>
Category		<u>Value</u>	per \$1000	Tax Levy
Real Estate				
Residential	\$765,662,900			
Less Exemptions	12,393,460			
Net Residential		\$753,269,440	\$20.07	\$15,118,097
Commercial	\$80,414,970			
Less Exemptions	859,713			
Net Commercial		79,555,257	20.07	1,596,674
Tangible Property	\$35,693,810	35,693,810	20.07	716,335
Motor Vehicle	\$72,268,551			
Less Exemptions	16,132,556			
Net Motor Vehicle		56,135,995	21.18	1,188,857
Total		924,654,502	<del>-</del>	18,619,963
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Total Tax Le	evy			18,619,963
Divided by	Total Assessment			924,654,502
	times 1000			
Weighted A	Average/Total Direct Rat	te	\$	20.14

**Town of Hopkinton** 

Principal Property Taxpayers Current year and ten years ago Unaudited

			<u>Percentage</u>			<u>Percentage</u>
			of Total			of Total
			<b>Taxable Assessed</b>			<b>Taxable Assessed</b>
	FY 2019		<u>Value</u>	FY 2010		<u>Value</u>
Narragansett Electric	\$ 18,994,600	1	2.05%	\$ 5,429,200	2	0.51%
Hopkinton Industrial Park LLC	10,463,700	2	1.13%	2,293,500	9	0.22%
New Canonchet Cliffs	5,622,600	3	0.61%	6,065,000	1	0.57%
Fenner Hill Country Club	2,801,500	4	0.30%	3,377,100	6	0.32%
L-3 Chesapeake Science Corp.	2,440,720	5	0.26%			
46 Norwich Westerly Exchange LLC	2,168,900	6	0.23%			
Hopkinton Realty LLC	2,059,700	7	0.22%			
Classic Acres Inc.	1,942,900	8	0.21%			
Saugatucket Springs	1,858,057	9	0.20%	3,148,400	7	0.30%
LR6-Owner LLC	1,548,400	10	0.17%	2,269,100	10	0.21%
Shamrock Associates LLC				4,113,300	3	0.39%
Mashantucket Pequot				3,775,400	4	0.36%
Cox Communication Inc.				3,653,700	5	0.35%
Hopkinton Investment LLC	 			2,410,700	8	0.23%
Total	\$ 49,901,077		5.40%	\$ 36,535,400		3.46%
Total Taxable Assessed Value	\$ 924,654,502			\$ 1,056,126,233		

data from FY19 is from 2018 tax book data from FY10 is from 2009 tax book

#### **Town of Hopkinton**

Property Tax Levy and Collections Last Ten Fiscal Years Unaudited

			<u>Adjustments</u>			Uncolle	ected	
Fiscal Year	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Gross</u>	<u>Addendums</u>	Net to be	<b>Uncollected at</b>	<u>% o</u>	<u>of</u>	Uncollected at
Ending June 30	Tax Rate	<u>Levy</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<b>Collected</b>	end of year levy	Net L	evy	June 30, 2019
2010	\$ 14.79	\$ 15,794,049	\$ (45,559)	\$ 15,748,490	\$ 800,969	5.09	%	\$ 18,195
2011	15.69	17,550,424	(43,259)	17,507,165	788,872	4.51	%	31,440
2012	19.34	17,630,987	(44,628)	17,586,359	685,646	3.90	%	39,207
2013	19.98	18,300,511	10,162	18,310,673	731,520	4.00	%	41,421
2014	19.77	18,228,200	4,226	18,232,426	714,468	3.92	%	38,131
2015	20.64	17,634,724	(21,768)	17,612,956	595,614	3.38	%	40,437
2016	20.38	17,555,096	(6,066)	17,549,030	577,613	3.29	%	50,921
2017	20.64	17,961,897	6,806	17,968,703	538,710	3.00	%	65,309
2018	20.07	18,594,281	(214,557)	18,379,724	556,920	3.03	%	72,476
2019	20.07	18,619,963	(19,464)	18,600,499	569,748	3.06	%	569,748

#### Notes:

Actual Tax rate is for all residential and commercial property. Motor Vehicles tax rate which is frozen at \$21.18. Inventory tax rates not noted.

After nine years the balance is written off as uncollectible.



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

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

**GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS** 

To the Honorable President and Members of the Town Council Hopkinton, Rhode Island

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 financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 30, 2019.

#### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island'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 Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island'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 material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. However, as described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses and significant deficiencies.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the deficiency described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 2019-001 to be a material weakness.

A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider the deficiency described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 2019-002 to be a significant deficiency.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the 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*.

#### Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's Response to Findings

The Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's response to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. The Town of Hopkinton, Rhode Island's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

#### Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Warwick, Rhode Island

Bacon & Company CPAs, LLC

December 30, 2019

#### TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Schedule of Findings and Responses For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

#### **MATERIAL WEAKNESS**

#### 2019-001 Segregation of Duties

*Criteria:* Segregation of duties is an element of internal control that is designed to prevent, detect and correct misstatements in a timely manner, whether due to fraud or error.

**Condition:** The Finance Director and the Assistant to the Finance Director have job responsibilities that result in a lack of segregation of duties and as a result a weakness in internal controls. The same individual should not have custody of assets and also be responsible for initiating and recording transactions.

The Finance Director has complete responsibility for the general ledger and all financial reporting and is also responsible for signing checks, preparing and posting certain journal entries, reconciling the cash accounts, authorizing certain payment vouchers and wiring cash between accounts.

The Assistant to the Finance Director is responsible for preparing and posting journal entries, preparing the biweekly payroll, processing and preparing all vendor checks, and accepting, preparing and making departmental deposits.

*Effect:* Misstatements, whether due to fraud or error, could occur and not be prevented, detected and corrected in a timely manner.

Cause: There is a limited number of staff in the Finance Office.

*Identification of a Repeat Finding:* This is a repeat finding from previous audits 2018-001 and 2017-001.

**Recommendation:** We recommend that the Town review the current job responsibilities within the Finance Department and take the appropriate steps to segregate certain duties, to ensure that the same individual is not responsible for custody of assets, and initiating and recording receipts and disbursements. In addition, all journal entries prepared should be reviewed and approved by a responsible official independent from the person responsible for preparing the journal entry. We also recommend that the Town consider adding staff to the Finance Department to allow for the proper segregation of duties and to strengthen the internal controls. Alternatively, internal controls in the Finance Office could also be strengthened by the monthly review of financial reports and reconciliations by an independent responsible official with knowledge of Town operations and financial reporting and accounting.

*Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action:* The Finance office acknowledges the need for additional staffing, but funding is not available in this economic environment. However, actions will be taken immediately to segregate duties in the best possible manner given the shortage of staffing.

#### TOWN OF HOPKINTON, RHODE ISLAND Schedule of Findings and Responses For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2019

#### **SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCY**

#### 2019-002 Segregation of Duties

*Criteria:* Segregation of duties is an element of internal control that is designed to prevent, detect and correct misstatements in a timely manner, whether due to fraud or error.

**Condition:** The Tax Collector has job responsibilities that result in a lack of segregation of duties and as a result a weakness in internal controls. Due to staff limitations, the Tax Collector is responsible for accepting and recording tax payments, reconciling the daily receipts, preparing bank deposits, posting abatements and monitoring delinquent accounts. The Tax Collector has custody of assets and is also responsible for initiating and recording transactions.

*Effect:* Misstatements, whether due to fraud or error, could occur and not be prevented, detected and corrected in a timely manner.

Cause: There is a limited number of staff in the Tax Collector's Office.

*Identification of a Repeat Finding:* This is a repeat finding from previous audits 2018-002 and 2017-002.

**Recommendation:** We recommend that the Town review the current job responsibilities of the Tax Collector to attempt to segregate certain responsibilities. We suggest that internal controls could be improved by having all daily reconciliation procedures completed by two individuals. We also recommend that delinquent accounts and adjustments to the subsidiary ledger be reviewed by another independent individual, in addition to the Tax Collector.

*Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action:* The Tax Collection office acknowledges the need for additional staffing, but funding is not available in this economic environment. However, actions will be taken immediately to segregate duties in the best possible manner given the shortage of staffing.