VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK AUDIT REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the fiduciary funds of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson, as of and for the year ended May 31, 2011, which collectively comprise the Village's basic financial statements as listed in the Table of Contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and the disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the fiduciary funds of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson, as of May 31, 2011, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statements, the Village implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement Number 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, which clarifies the existing fund type definitions and provides clearer fund balance categories and classifications.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated October 31, 2011 on our consideration of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson'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 to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit

The management's discussion and analysis and the required supplementary information on pages 3 through 16 and 54 through 58 respectively are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The major fund financial statements have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The other supplementary information has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

Very truly yours,

October 31, 2011

Mugant + Houseler, P.C.

The following is a discussion and analysis of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's financial performance for the year ended May 31, 2011. The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson discussion and analysis is designed to (a) assist the reader in focusing on significant financial issues, (b) provide an overview of the Village's financial activity, (c) identify changes in the Village's financial position (its ability to address the next and subsequent year challenges), (d) identify any material deviations from the financial plan (the approved budget), and (e) identify individual fund issues or concerns.

This section is a summary of the Village's financial activities based on currently known facts, decisions, or conditions. It is also based on both the government-wide and fund-based financial statements. The results of the current year are discussed in comparison with the prior year, with an emphasis placed on the current year. This section is only an introduction and should be read in conjunction with the Village's financial statements, which immediately follow this section.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The assets of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson exceeded its liabilities at the close of the fiscal years 2011 and 2010 by \$9,019,392 and \$8,838,694 (net assets) respectively.
- Revenue, as reflected in the governmental funds statement, increased by \$667,696. This increase is primarily attributable to state funds received this year that were not received in the prior year.
- The General Fund ended the year with actual revenues exceeding the budget by \$492,641.
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unassigned fund balance for the general fund was \$471,222 at 4.4% of the total general fund expenditures.
- During the year the fund balance of the General Fund increased by \$83,045.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This annual report consists of three parts: MD&A (this section), the basic financial statements, and required supplementary information. The basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the Village:

- The first two statements are *government-wide* financial statements that provide both short-term and long-term information about the Village's overall financial status.
- The remaining statements are *fund financial statements* that focus on individual parts of the Village, reporting the Village's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements. The fund financial statements concentrate on the Village's most significant funds.
- The *government fund statements* tell how basic services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending.
- *Fiduciary funds* statements provide information about the financial relationships in which the Village acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of others.

The financial statements also include notes that explain some of the information in the statements and provide more detailed data. The statements are followed by a section of required supplementary information that further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the Village's budget for the year.

Figure A-1 summarizes the major features of the Village's financial statements, including the portion of the Village's activities they cover and the types of information they contain. The remainder of this overview section of MD&A highlights the structure and contents of each of the statements.

Figure A-1

Major Features of the Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

	Government-Wide	Fund Financial Statements				
		Governmental	Fiduciary Funds			
		Funds				
Scope	Entire Government	The activities of the Village	Instances in which the Village			
	(except fiduciary funds)	that are not proprietary or	administrators resources on			
		fiduciary, such as general	behalf of someone else, such			
		support, police protection,	as bid deposits, engineering			
		building code enforcement,	fees, and street opening			
		planning and zoning, and	deposits.			
		various other services				
Required financial	 Statement of Net Assets 	· Balance Sheet	· Statement of fiduciary net			
statements	· Statement of Activities	· Statement of Revenues,	assets			
		Expenditures, and Changes	· Statement of changes in			
1		in Fund Balances	fiduciary net assets			
Accounting basis and	Accrual accounting and	Modified accrual accounting	Accrual accounting and			
measurement focus	economic resources focus	and current financial focus	economic resources focus			
Type of asset/liability	All asset and liabilities, both	Generally, assets expected	All assets and liabilities, both			
information	financial and capital, short-	to be used up and liabilities	short-term and long-term; funds			
	term and long-term	that come due during the	do not currently contain capital			
		year or soon thereafter; no	assets, although they can			
		capital asset or long-term				
		liabilities are included				
Type of inflow/outflow	All revenues and expenses	Revenues for which cash is	All additions and deductions			
information	during year, regardless of	received during or soon after	during the year, regardless			
	when cash received or	the end of the year;	of when cash is received or			
	paid	expenditures when goods or	paid			
		services have been received				
		and the related liability is				
		due and payable				

GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENTS

The government-wide statements report information about the Village as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net assets includes all of the Village's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues 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 Village's net assets and how they have changed. Net assets, the difference between the Village's assets and liabilities, are one way to measure the Village's financial health or position.

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

In the government-wide financial statements, the Village's activities are shown as governmental activities. Most of the Village's basic services are included here, such as home and community services, road maintenance, and administration costs. Property taxes and charges for services finance most of these activities.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the Village's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds - not the Village as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the Village uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs:

- Some funds are required by State law and by bond covenants.
- The Village establishes other funds to control and to manage money for particular purposes (such as repaying its long-term debts) or to show that it is properly using certain revenues.

The Village has two kinds of funds:

- Governmental Funds: Most of the Village's basic services are included in governmental funds, which generally focus on (1) how cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out (2) the balances left at year end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental funds statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the Village's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, reconciling statements (Statement 4 and Statement 6) have been added to explain the relationship (or differences) between them.
- Fiduciary Funds-Agency Funds: The Village acts in an agency capacity for assets that are ultimately transferred to others, such as payroll withholdings. The Village excludes these activities from the government-wide financial statements because it cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE VILLAGE AS A WHOLE

The Village's net assets at the fiscal year end are \$9,019,392. This is an \$180,698 increase over last year's net assets of \$8,838,694. The following table provides a summary of the Village's net assets:

Figure A-2

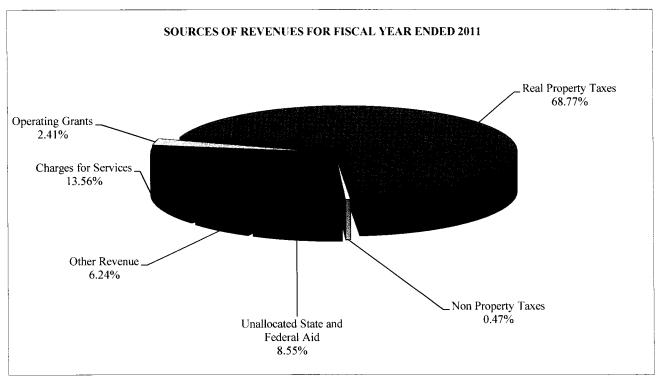
			Total
Condensed Statement of Net Assets	2011	2010	Dollar Change
Current Assets	\$ 2,829,674	\$ 1,742,089	\$ 1,087,585
Non-Current Assets	22,844,255	22,553,399	290,856
Total Assets	25,673,929	24,295,488	1,378,441
Current Liabilities	4,389,383	2,229,828	2,159,555
Non-Current Liabilities	12,265,154	13,226,966	(961,812)
Total Liabilities	16,654,537	15,456,794	1,197,743
Investment in Capital Assets, Net of Debt	9,453,190	10,310,288	(857,098)
Restricted	1,035,732	1,157,587	(121,855)
Unrestricted Net Assets	(1,469,530)	(2,629,181)	1,159,651
Total Net Assets	\$ 9,019,392	\$ 8,838,694	\$ 180,698

The schedule on the following page and supporting graphs provides a summary of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets for the fiscal years ended May 31, 2011 and 2010:

Figure A-3

	2011 Amount	%	2010 Amount	%
REVENUES (Chart Figure A-4)				
PROGRAM REVENUES				
Charges for Services	\$ 1,872,705	13.56%	\$ 1,760,745	13.37%
Operating Grants	333,270	2.41%	657,855	5.00%
GENERAL REVENUES				
Real Property Taxes	9,500,036	68.77%	9,143,645	69.45%
Non Property Taxes	65,000	0.47%	94,327	0.72%
Unallocated State and Federal Aid	1,181,586	8.55%	1,244,811	9.45%
Other Revenues	862,331	6.24%	265,009	2.01%
	13,814,928	100.00%	13,166,392	100.00%
EXPENDITURES (Chart Figure A-5)				
General Government	1,669,171	12.24%	1,697,156	12.35%
Public Safety	3,381,249	24.80%	3,499,758	25.46%
Health	25,612	0.19%	194,886	1.42%
Transportation	1,072,122	7.86%	1,010,576	7.35%
Economic Assistance and Opportunity	17,254	0.13%	34,305	0.25%
Culture and Recreation	1,182,252	8.67%	1,946,850	14.17%
Home and Community Services	1,874,010	13.74%	1,175,831	8.56%
Interest on Debt	491,552	3.61%	527,367	3.84%
Employee Benefits	2,902,053	21.29%	2,662,164	19.37%
Depreciation	1,018,956	7.47%	995,037	7.24%
	13,634,230	100.00%	13,743,930	100.00%
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS	\$ 180,698		\$ (577,538)	

Figure A-4



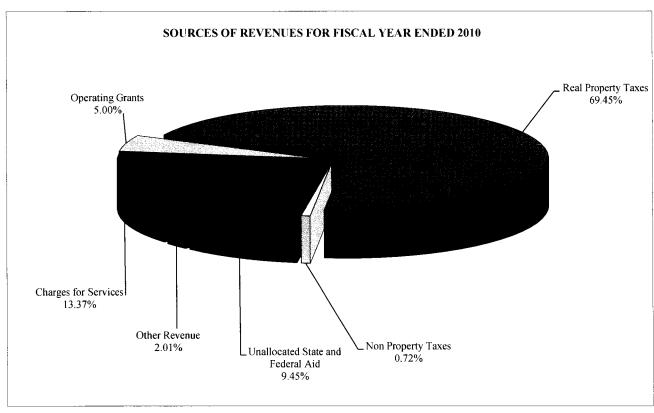
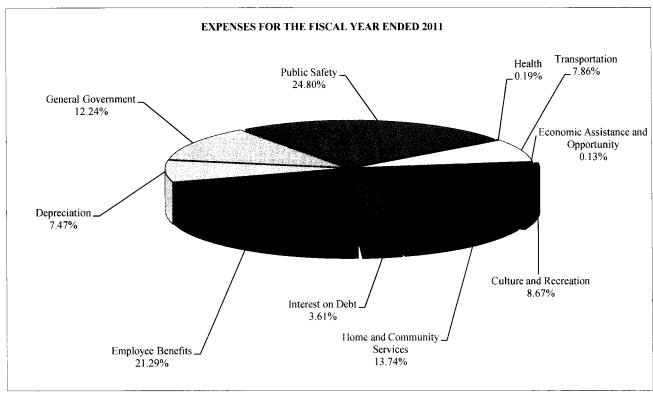


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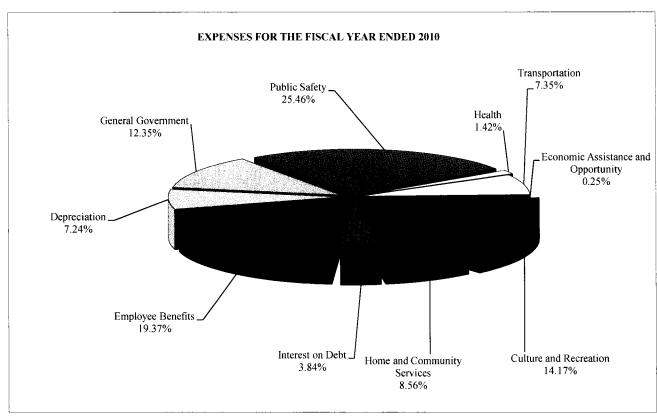
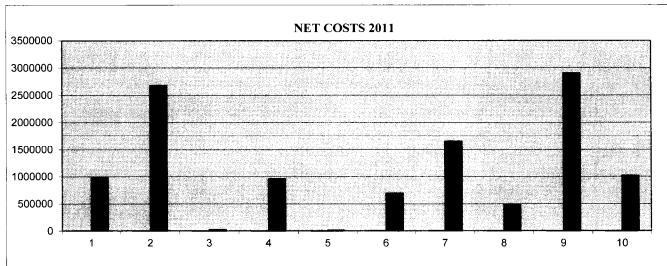


Figure A-6

PROGRAMS	Total Costs of Services 2011	Net Costs of Services 2011	Total Costs of Services 2010	Net Costs of Services 2010
General Government	\$ 1,669,171	\$ 986,331	\$ 1,697,156	\$ 1,546,428
2 Public Safety	3,381,249	2,678,231	3,499,758	2,940,611
3 Health	25,612	25,612	194,886	49,886
4 Transportation	1,072,122	959,357	1,010,576	576,955
5 Economic Assistance and Opportunity	17,254	17,254	34,305	34,305
6 Culture and Recreation	1,182,252	694,705	1,946,850	1,327,794
7 Home and Community Services	1,874,010	1,654,205	1,175,831	664,783
8 Interest on Debt	491,552	491,552	527,367	527,367
9 Employee Benefits	2,902,053	2,902,053	2,662,164	2,662,164
10 Depreciation	1,018,956	1,018,956	995,037	995,037
Total Costs	\$ 13,634,230	\$ 11,428,255	\$13,743,930	\$ 11,325,330



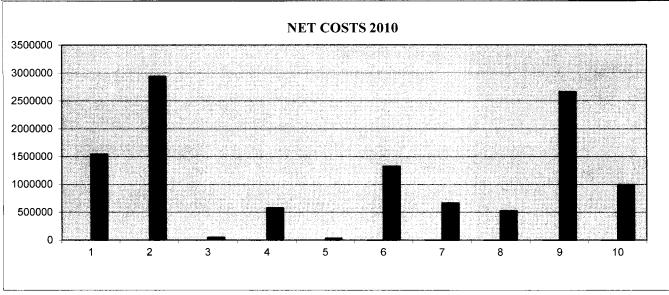


Figure A-6 (Continued)

Total costs of services provided by the Village (Figure A-6) for the fiscal years ended May 31, 2011 and 2010 were \$13,697,229 and \$13,743,930, respectively. These charges were offset by charges and services of \$1,872,705, and grants and contributions of \$333,270, resulting in net cost of services of \$11,491,254. This is a \$165,924 increase over last year's total net costs of \$11,325,330.

The Village's governmental funds are reported in the fund statements with a modified accrual basis that uses a short-term, inflow and outflow of spendable resources focus. This information is useful in assessing resources available at the end of the year in comparison with upcoming financial requirements. The major governmental funds of the Village consist of the General Fund, Capital Fund, Pool Fund, Library Fund, Special Purpose Fund, and Debt Service Fund. The total fund balances allocated between nonspendable, restricted, assigned, and unassigned fund balance for each of these funds is as follows:

Figure A-7

	June 30, 2011					
	Restr	ricted	Unassigned			
General	\$	0	\$ 471,222			
Capital Projects		0	(2,136,573)			
Pool		0	(101,569)			
Library		0	(42,917)			
Special Purpose	849	,519	0			
Debt Service	186	5,213	0			

	June 30, 2010						
	Restricted	Unassigned					
General	\$ 388,177	\$ 0					
Capital Projects	0	(1,785,467)					
Pool	0	(123,049)					
Library	0	(45,443)					
Special Purpose	854,868	0					
Debt Service	185,233	0					

GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Over the course of the year, the Village revised the general fund budgets to reflect additional changes in budgeted revenues and expenditures. Actual revenues exceeded revised budget estimates by \$492,641 and actual expenditures were lower than budgeted expenditures by \$121,601. Figure A-8 summarizes the general funds original and revised budgets, actual expenditures and the variances for the year ended May 31, 2011.

Figure A-8

Condensed Budgetary Comparison General Funds 2011		Original Budget	Revised Budget		Actual	F	Variance 'avorable nfavorable)
REVENUES							
Real property taxes	\$	9,485,254	\$ 9,485,254	\$	9,485,254	\$	0
Real property tax items		30,000	30,000		33,253		3,253
Non property taxes		65,000	65,000		65,000		0
State and Federal Aid		1,570,760	1,570,760		1,512,805		(57,955)
Departmental income		973,970	973,970	ļ	1,483,793		509,823
All other		503,900	530,258		567,778		37,520
Total Revenues	\$	12,628,884	\$ 12,655,242	\$	13,147,883	\$	492,641
EXPENDITURES							
General government support	\$	1,607,036	\$ 1,683,394	\$	1,671,138	\$	12,256
Public safety		3,096,607	3,146,607		3,137,193		9,414
Transportation		1,053,804	1,043,804		1,012,408		31,396
Culture & recreation		1,063,885	1,073,885		1,065,857	ĺ	8,028
Home & community service	ļ	1,004,855	1,004,855		957,958		46,897
Employee benefits		2,904,853	2,804,853		2,791,243		13,610
Total Expenditures	\$	10,731,040	\$ 10,757,398	\$	10,635,797	\$	121,601
Other financing uses	\$	1,897,844	\$ 1,897,844	S	2,429,041	\$	(531,197)

The New York State Legislature enacted legislation, Chapter 97 of the Laws of 2011 that establishes a "property tax cap" or more appropriately "voter approval threshold" on the amount a Village's property tax levy can increase each year. This new legislation specifies that property taxes levied by a village generally cannot increase by more than two percent, or the rate of inflation, whichever is less. The legislation will take effect for beginning with the 2012-2013 fiscal year.

CAPITAL ASSETS

The Village records expenditures for land, buildings, equipment, machinery and infrastructures (roads) as capital assets in the Statement of Net Assets. Annual depreciation expense is recorded in the Statement of Activities to reflect the use of these assets over their useful lives. Land and construction in progress are not subject to depreciation. The Village's depreciation methods, assumptions regarding useful lives and capitalization thresholds are described in Notes 1 and 5 in the Notes to the Financial Statements.

Under the implementation standards of GASB 34, the Village is considered a small government, and as such is required only to recognize infrastructures on a prospective (going forward) basis. The Village has maintained detailed, separate records of infrastructure additions since 2003. The Village has elected to include infrastructure additions since 2003 in the capital assets section of the Statement of Net Assets, as management believes their inclusion provides the reader with a more complete accounting of the Village's investment in capital resources.

In 2011, the Village expended \$1,309,812 on capital additions. Figure A-9 reflects the changes in net capital assets.

Figure A-9

Changes in Net Capital Assets		Governmental Activities				Total	
		2011	2010		Dollar Change		
Land	\$	6,332,206	\$	6,332,206	\$	0	
Construction in Progress		0		86,517		(86,517)	
Land Improvements		1,774,934	1	1,693,315		81,619	
Building Improvements		9,967,704		10,143,985	ŀ	(176,281)	
Machinery & Equipment		2,048,280		1,276,692		771,588	
Infrastructure		2,721,130		3,020,684		(299,554)	
Total	\$	22,844,255	\$	22,553,399	S	290,856	

Major additions in 2011 included:

Land Improvements	\$ 188,961
Buildings & Improvements	55,200
Machinery and Equipment	1,065,651
Total	\$ 1,309,812

DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Debt, both short-term and long-term, increased by \$606,148.

Other Postemployment Benefits increased by \$580,000 during 2011.

The Village's liability for compensated absences increased by \$18,188 during 2011.

Detailed information regarding the Village's short and long-term liabilities are presented in more detail in Notes 6B, 6C, and 6D in the current year's notes to the financial statements. Figure A-10 reflects the changes in the Village's debt for 2011.

Figure A-10

Outstanding Debt	Total		
	2011	2010	Dollar Change
Bond Anticipation Notes	\$ 2,811,065	\$ 1,439,917	\$ 1,371,148
Serial Bonds	10,580,000	11,345,000	(765,000)
Other Postemployment Benefits	1,830,000	1,250,000	580,000
Compensated Absences	650,154	631,966	18,188
Total	\$ 15,871,219	\$ 14,666,883	\$ 1,204,336

FINANCIAL CONTACT

The Village's financial statements are designed to present users (citizens, taxpayers, customers, investors and creditors) with a general overview of the Village's finances and to demonstrate the Village's accountability. If you have questions about the report or need additional financial information, contact Francis A. Frobel, Village Manager, Village of Hastings-on-Hudson, 7 Maple Avenue, Hastings-on-Hudson, New York 10706.

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS MAY 31, 2011

ASSETS	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,257,889
Accounts Receivable	129,016
State and Federal Aid Receivable	442,769
Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)	22,844,255
TOTAL ASSETS	25,673,929
LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable	316,516
Due to Employees' Retirement System	138,579
Deferred Revenues - Other	238,400
Accrued Interest Payable	89,823
Bond Anticipation Notes Payable	2,811,065
Long-Term Liabilities:	
Due and Payable Within One Year:	
Bonds Payable	795,000
Due and Payable More Than One Year:	
Bonds Payable	9,785,000
Other Post Retirement Benefits Payable	1,830,000
Compensated Absences	650,154
TOTAL LIABILITIES	16,654,537
NET ASSETS	
Investment in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	9,453,190
Restricted	1,035,732
Unrestricted	(1,469,530)
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$ 9,019,392

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

		Program	Program Revenues	Net (Expense) Revenue and Change in Net Assets
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities
PRIMARY GOVERNMENT				
Governmental Activities:	•		•	
General Government	\$ (2,068,380)	\$ 682,840	9	\$ (1,385,540)
Public Safety	(4,980,983)	584,579	118,439	(4,277,965)
Health	(35,717)	0	0	(35,717)
Transportation	(1,463,532)	42,934	69,831	(1,350,767)
Economic Assistance and Opportunity	(130,348)	0	0	(130,348)
Culture and Recreation	(1,945,202)	487,547	0	(1,457,655)
Home and Community Services	(2,518,516)	74,805	145,000	(2,298,711)
Interest on Debt	(491,552)	0	0	(491,552)
TOTAL PRIMARY GOVERNMENT	\$ (13,634,230)	\$ 1,872,705	\$ 333,270	(11,428,255)
GENERAL REVENUES				
Real Property Taxes				9,466,783
Real Property Tax Items				33,253
Non Property Taxes				65,000
Departmental Income				306,491
Use of Money and Property				127,624
Unallocated State and Federal Aid				1,181,586
Sale of Property and Compensation for Loss				5,422
Miscellaneous				422,794
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUES				11,608,953
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS				180,698
NET ASSETS - BEGINNING				8,838,694
NET ASSETS - ENDING				\$ 9,019,392

See notes to financial statements.

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS MAY 31, 2011

	General	Capital Projects		Pool	I	Library	9, 11	Special Purpose	Deb	Debt Service	Gove	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS Cash and Cash Equivalents Accounts Receivable, Net Due from Other Funds State and Federal Aid Receivable	\$ 466,424 128,617 240,597 442,769	\$ 730,802 0 0	50	124,521 309 0	↔	6,420 90 0	∽	929,722 0 0 0	≶	0 0 186,213 0	\$ 2	\$ 2,257,889 129,016 426,810 442,769
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,278,407	\$ 730,802	∞	124,830	8	6,510	8	929,722	↔	186,213	\$ 3	3,256,484
LIABILITIES Accounts Payable Due to Other Funds Due to Employees' Retirement System Deferred Revenues - Taxes Deferred Revenues - Other Bond Anticipation Notes Payable	\$ 289,708 0 134,699 99,219 106,494 177,065	\$ 233,375 0 0 0 2,634,000	∨	8,854 85,639 0 0 131,906	∨	16,954 28,593 3,880 0 0	↔	1,000 79,203 0 0 0	50	0 0 0 0	& C	316,516 426,810 138,579 99,219 238,400 2,811,065
TOTAL LIABILITIES	807,185	2,867,375		226,399	ļ	49,427		80,203		0	4	4,030,589
FUND BALANCES Restricted Unassigned Fund Balance	0471,222	0 (2,136,573)		0 (101,569)		0 (42,917)		849,519		186,213	1	1,035,732
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	471,222	(2,136,573)		(101,569)		(42,917)		849,519		186,213		(774,105)
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 1,278,407	\$ 730,802	↔	124,830	↔	6,510	8	929,722	∨	186,213	\$ 3	\$ 3,256,484

See notes to financial statements.

RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEETS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK

MAY 31, 2011

	Ğ	Total Governmental Funds		Long-Term Assets Liabilities	Recla	Reclassifications and Eliminations		Statement of Net Assets Totals
ASSETS Cash and Cash Equivalents State & Federal Aid Receivable Due from Other Funds Other Receivables, Net Capital Assets, Net	↔	2,257,889 442,769 426,810 129,016	∨	0 0 0 0 22,844,255	↔	0 0 (426,810) 0	€9	2,257,889 442,769 0 129,016 22,844,255
TOTAL ASSETS	8	3,256,484	↔	22,844,255	↔	(426,810)	↔	25,673,929
LIABILITIES Accounts Pavable	69	316.516	↔	0	89	0	8	316,516
Accused Interest Payable	•	0		89,823		0		89,823
Bond Anticipation Notes Payable		2.811.065		0		0		2,811,065
Bond Pavable		0		10,580,000		0		10,580,000
Due to Other Funds		426,810		0		(426,810)		0
Due to Employees' Retirement System		138,579		0		0		138,579
Other Post Retirement Benefits Payable		0		1,830,000		0		1,830,000
Compensated Absences Pavable		0		650,154		0		650,154
Deferred Revenues- Other		238,400						238,400
Deferred Revenues. Taxes		99,219		(99,219)		0		0
TOTAL LIABILITES		4,030,589		13,050,758		(426,810)		16,654,537
TOTALS FUND EQUITY/NET ASSETS		(774,105)		9,793,497		0		9,019,392
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FIIND EQUITY	89	3.256.484	↔	22,844,255	↔	(426,810)	↔	25,673,929

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

	*	OR THE TEAK ENDED MAY 31, 201	ENDED	MAY 51, 20	.					Total
		Capital					Special		Ŋ	Governmental
	General	Projects	I	Pool	Library		Purpose	Debt Service		Funds
REVENUES							,		•	
Real Property Taxes	\$ 9,485,254	0	∽	0	0	€9	0	0	∞	9,485,254
Real Property Tax Items	33,253	0		0	0		0	0		33,253
Non Property Tax Items	65,000	0		0	0		0	0		65,000
Departmental Income	1,483,793	0		363,595	16,710		0	0		1,864,098
Use of Money and Property	108,244	0		194	13		18,193	086		127,624
Licences and Permits	147,738	0		0	0		0	0		147,738
Fines and Forfeitures	167,360	0		0	0		0	0		167,360
Sale of Property and Compensation for Loss	5,422	0		0	0		0	0		5,422
Miscellaneous	139,014	283,780		0	0		0	0		422,794
State and Federal Aid	1,512,805	0		0	2,051		0	0		1,514,856
TOTAL REVENUES	13,147,883	283,780		363,789	18,774		18,193	086		13,833,399
EXPENDITURES										
General Government Support	1,671,138	0		0	0		0	0		1,671,138
Public Safety	3,137,193	0		0	0		0	0		3,137,193
Transportation	1,012,408	0		0	0		0	0		1,012,408
Culture and Recreation	1,065,857	0		0	0		0	0		1,065,857
Home and Community Service	957,958	0		214,964	579,220		23,542	0		1,775,684
Employee Benefits	2.791.243	0		0	110,810		0	0		2,902,053
Canital Outlay	0	1,271,012		0	0		0	0		1,271,012
Debt Service	0	0		0	0		0	1,345,395		1,345,395
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	10,635,797	1,271,012		214,964	690,030		23,542	1,345,395		14,180,740
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	C	05 017		C	C		0	0		95.917
DAINS Redeemed Hour Appropriations		537 209		o c	758.553		0	1,345,395		2,641,157
Operating Transfers Out	(2 429 041)	0		(127.345)	(84,771)	_	0	0		(2,641,157)
TOTAL FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(2,429,041)	633,126		(127,345)	673,782		0	1,345,395		95,917
CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	83,045	(354,106)		21,480	2,526		(5,349)	086		(251,424)
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING	388,177	(1,782,467)		(123,049)	(45,443)		854,868	185,233		(522,681)
	\$ 471.333	\$ (2.136.573)	€	(101 569)	(42,917)	6	849.519	\$ 186,213	↔	(774,105)
FUND BALAINCE - ENDING	777,114		9			II			1	

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON
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AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

	Total Governmental Funds	Long-Term Revenue and Expenses	Capital Related Items	- 7	Long-Term Debt Transactions	Reclassifications and Eliminations	Statement of Activites Totals
REVENUES							
Real Property Taxes	\$ 9,485,254	\$ (18,471)	∽	\$ 0	0	0 \$	\$ 9,466,783
Real Property Tax Items	33,253	0		0	0	0	33,253
Non Property Tax Items	65,000	0		0	0	0	65,000
Departmental Income	1,864,098	0		0	0	0	1,864,098
Use of Money and Property	127,624	0		0	0	0	127,624
Licences and Permits	147,738	0		0	0	0	147,738
Fines and Forfeitures	167,360	0		0	0	0	167,360
Sale of Property and Compensation for Loss	5,422	0		0	0	0	5,422
Miscellaneous	422,794	0		0	0	0	422,794
State and Federal Aid	1,514,856	0		0	0	0	1,514,856
TOTAL REVENUES	13,833,399	(18,471)		 0	0	0	13,814,928
EXPENDITURES							,
General Government Support	1,645,573	1,851	103,	103,743	0	317,214	2,068,380
Public Safety	3,137,193	7,421	415,725	725	0	1,420,645	4,980,983
Health	25,565	47	,2	2,626	0	7,479	35,717
Transportation	1,012,408	1,816	101,	101,716	0	347,592	1,463,532
Economic Assistance and Opportunity	0	525	29,	29,390	0	100,433	130,348
Culture and Recreation	1,065,857	3,539	198,	198,268	0	677,537	1,945,202
Home and Community Service	1,775,684	2,990	167,	167,488	0	572,354	2,518,516
Employee Benefits	2,902,053	580,000		0	0	(3,482,053)	0
Capital Outlay	1,271,012	0	(1,309,812)	812)	0	38,800	0
Debt Service	1,345,395	7,074		0	(860,917)	0	491,552
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	14,180,740	605,263	(290,856)	(958	(860,917)	0	13,634,230
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(347,341)	(623,734)	290,856	856	860,917	(0)	180,698
OTHER SOURCES (USES): Bond Anticipation Notes Redeemed from Appropriations	95,917	0		0	(95,917)	0	0
TOTAL OTHER SOURCES (USES)	95,917	0		0	(95,917)	0	0
NET CHANGE FOR THE YEAR	\$ (251,424)	\$ (623,734)	\$ 290,856	\$ 958	765,000	(0)	\$ 180,698

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS MAY 31, 2011

		GENCY UNDS	,	ENSION FRUST FUND
ASSETS Cash Investments at Fair Value	\$	59,371	\$	0 649,992
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	59,371	\$	649,992
LIABILITIES Other Liabilities Guarantee & Bid Deposits	\$	24,916 34,455	\$	0
TOTAL LIABILITIES		59,371		0
NET ASSETS Held in Trust for Pension Benefits		0		649,992
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	59,371	\$	649,992

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS MAY 31, 2011

	7	ENSION TRUST FUND
ADDITIONS		
Earnings on Investment	\$	27,838
Pension Contributions		126,696
TOTAL ADDITIONS	_\$	154,534
DEDUCTIONS Pension Benefits		140,547
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS		140,547
CHANGE IN PLAN ASSETS		13,987
NET ASSETS HELD IN TRUST FOR PENSION BENEFITS - BEGINNING OF YEAR		636,005
NET ASSETS HELD IN TRUST FOR PENSION BENEFITS - END OF YEAR	\$	649,992

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying financial statements of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

In June 1999, the GASB unanimously approved Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements - and Management's Discussion and Analysis - for State and Local Governments*. Certain of the significant changes in the Statement include the following:

- A Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) section providing an analysis of the Village's overall financial position and results of operations.
- Financial statements prepared using full accrual accounting for all of the Village's activities.
- A change in the fund financial statements to focus on the major funds.

These and other changes are reflected in the accompanying financial statements (including notes to financial statements).

A. Financial Reporting Entity

The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson, which was incorporated in 1879, is governed by the laws of the State of New York and various local laws and ordinances. The Board of Trustees is the legislative body responsible for overall operations, the Mayor serves as Chief Executive Officer and the Village Manager serves as Chief Fiscal Officer.

The Village provides the following principal services: general administration, police protection, transportation (streets and highways), recreation, planning and zoning, public improvements, library and other home and community services.

All governmental activities and functions performed for the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson are its direct responsibility. No other governmental organization has been included or excluded from the reporting entity.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

A. Financial Reporting Entity (Continued)

The financial reporting entity consists of the following, as defined by Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement #14, "The Financial Reporting Entity:"

- 1. The primary government which is the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson.
- 2. Organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable, and;
- 3. Other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government is such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's general purpose financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

The decision to include a potential component unit in the reporting entity is based on the criteria set forth in GASB Statement #14, including legal standing, fiscal dependency, and financial accountability.

Based on the application of the above criteria, no other entities are included in the reporting entity.

B. Basis of Presentation

1. Government-wide Statements

The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities present financial information about the Village's governmental activities. These statements include the financial activities of the overall government in its entirety, except those that are fiduciary. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double counting of internal transactions. Government activities generally are financed through taxes, state aid, intergovernmental revenues, and other exchange and non-exchange transactions. Operating grants include operating-specific and discretionary (either operating or capital) grants.

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

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

B. Basis of Presentation (Continued)

2. Fund Financial Statements

The fund statements provide information about the Village's funds, including fiduciary funds. Separate statements for each fund category (governmental and fiduciary) are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major Governmental Funds, each displayed in a separate column.

The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson reports the following major Governmental Funds:

- General Fund: This is the Village's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial transactions that are not required by law or other provision to be accounted for in other funds.
- Library Fund: The Library fund is used to account for the operations of the Village's Library.
- Special Revenue Funds: Special revenue funds are established to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for defined purposes. The special revenue funds of the Village are as follows:

Pool Fund – The Pool fund is used to account for the operations of the Village's swimming pool.

Special Purpose Fund – The Special Purpose fund is used to account for assets held by the Village in accordance with the terms of a trust agreement.

- Capital Projects Fund: Established to account for capital improvements financed from current monies transferred from other funds, federal and state grants and proceeds of obligations.
- Debt Service Fund: The Debt Service fund is provided to account for the accumulation of resources to be used for the redemption of principal and interest on long-term debt.

The Village reports the following fiduciary funds:

- Agency Fund: The Agency fund accounts for employee payroll tax withholdings and deposits that are payable to other jurisdictions or individuals.
- Pension Trust Fund: The Pension Trust fund account for the Village's Fire Service Awards Program.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of when the related cash transaction takes place. Non-exchange transactions, in which the Village gives or receives value without directly receiving or giving equal value in exchange, include property taxes, grants and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

The governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this basis of accounting, revenues are recorded when measurable and available. Available means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period.

Material revenues that are accrued include real property taxes, state and federal aid, sales tax and certain user charges. If expenditures are the prime factor for determining eligibility, revenues from federal and state grants are accrued when the expenditure is made.

Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on general long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences, which are recognized as expenditures to the extent they have matured. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

D. Property Taxes

Village real property taxes are levied annually no later than June 1st, and become a lien on November 1st. Taxes are collected during the period June 1 to October 31.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Budgetary Data

- 1. Budget Policies The budget policies are as follows:
 - a. No later than March 20, the budget officer submits a tentative budget to the Village Board for the fiscal year commencing the following June 1. The tentative budget includes proposed expenditures and the proposed means of financing for all funds except for capital projects fund and community development fund.
 - b. After public hearings are conducted to obtain taxpayer comments, no later than April 15, the Village Board adopts the budget by May 1.
 - c. All modifications of the budget must be approved by specific action of the Village Board.

2. Encumbrances

Encumbrance accounting, under which purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are recorded for budgetary control purposes to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriations, is employed in all funds. Encumbrances are reported as reservations of fund balances since they do not constitute expenditures or liabilities. Expenditures for such commitments are recorded in the period in which the liability is incurred.

3. Budget Basis of Accounting

Budgets are adopted annually on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Appropriations authorized for the current year are increased by the amount of encumbrances carried forward from the prior year.

Budgetary controls for special grant funds are established in accordance with the applicable grant agreements which cover, in most cases, a period other than the Village's fiscal year.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

F. Cash and Investments

The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's investment policies are governed by State statutes. In addition, the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson has its own written investment policy. Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's monies must be deposited in FDIC insured commercial banks or trust companies located within the State. The treasurer is authorized to use demand accounts and certificates of deposit.

Collateral is required for demand deposits and certificates of deposit not covered by federal deposit insurance. Obligations that may be pledged as collateral are obligations of the United States and its agencies and obligations of the State and its municipalities.

Deposits and investments at year-end were entirely covered by Federal Insurance or by collateral held by the Village's custodial bank in the Village's name.

G. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are shown gross, with uncollectible amounts recognized under the direct write-off method. No allowance for uncollectible accounts has been provided since it is believed that such allowance would not be material. All receivables are expected to be collected within the subsequent fiscal year.

H. Due To/From Other Funds

Amounts due to and due from within the same fund type have been eliminated in the Government-wide statements. A detailed description of the individual fund balances is provided subsequently in these notes.

I. Inventories and Prepaid Items

Purchases of inventoriable items are recorded as expenditures in the Government Funds at the time of purchase. Inventory-type items are considered immaterial and, consequently, are not provided in the government-wide statements.

Prepaid items represent payments made by the Village for which benefits extend beyond year-end.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

J. Capital Assets

Capital assets are reported at historical costs. The Village depreciates capital assets using the straight-line method over the estimated useful life of the assets. Capitalization thresholds (the dollar value above which capital asset acquisitions are added to the capital asset accounts) and estimated useful lives of capital assets reported in the government-wide statements are as follows:

		Estimated
	Capitalization	Useful
	<u>Threshold</u>	Life
Land Improvements	\$ 5,000	20 years
Buildings and Improvements	5,000	20-50 years
Machinery & Equipment	5,000	5-30 years
Infrastructure	5,000	15-65 years

K. Infrastructure

The Village includes long-lived improvements to roads and other infrastructure as capital assets in the government-wide statements. Infrastructures are reported at historical costs and are depreciated using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives.

Under the implementation standards of GASB 34, the Village is considered a small government, and as such is required only to recognize infrastructures on a prospective basis. Therefore, since the adoption of GASB 34, the Village has not retroactively reported infrastructures.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

L. Vested Employee Benefits

The various collective bargain agreements provide for the payment of accumulated vacation and sick time upon separation of service. The liability for such accumulated time is reflected in the government-wide Statement of Net Assets as a long-term liability. A liability for these amounts is reported in the governmental funds only if the liability has matured through employee resignation or retirement. The liability for compensated absences includes salary related payments, where applicable.

The Village's employees participate in the New York State Employees' Retirement System and New York State Police and Fire Retirement Systems.

In addition to providing pension benefits, the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson provides health insurance coverage for retired employees. Substantially all of the Village's employees may become eligible for these benefits if they reach normal retirement age while working for the Village. Health care benefits are provided through an insurance company whose premiums are based on the benefits paid during the year for the community. The Village recognizes the cost of providing benefits by recording its share of insurance premiums as an expenditure in the year paid.

M. Unemployment Insurance

Village employees are covered by unemployment insurance. The Village is exempt for federal unemployment insurance tax.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

N. Equity Classification

1. Government-wide Statements

In the government-wide statements there are three classes of net assets:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt - consists of net capital assets (cost less accumulated depreciation) reduced by outstanding balances of related debt obligations from the acquisition, constructions or improvements of those assets.

Restricted net assets - reports net assets when constraints placed on the assets are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net assets - reports all other net assets that do not meet the definition of the above two classifications and are deemed to be available for general use by the Village.

2. Funds Statements

During the 2010-2011 fiscal year, the Village implemented GASB Statement No. 54. The purpose of this new accounting standard is to provide fund balance categories and classifications that will be more easily understood by users of financial statements and consistently applied by villages. This new standard sets forth hierarchical fund balance classifications that are based primarily upon the extent to which a Village is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of resources reported in governmental funds. The following is a brief description on the five new fund balance classifications that the Village can utilize:

Nonspendable: Includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

<u>Restricted</u>: Constraints have been imposed on the use of these amounts either (a) externally by creditors, grantors, contributors or laws or regulations of other governments; or (b) by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

<u>Committed</u>: Includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Board of Trustees. The Village did not classify any of its fund balances as committed as of May 31, 2011.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

N. Equity Classification (Continued)

2. Funds Statements (Continued)

Assigned: Includes amounts that are constrained by the Village's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. Assigned fund balance includes (a) all remaining amounts (except for negative balances) that are reported in governmental funds, other than the General Fund, that are not classified as nonspendable and are neither restricted nor committed and (b) amounts in the General Fund that are intended to be used for a specific purpose. This assignment is made when purchase orders are approved by the Purchasing Agent who is designated each year by the Board of Trustees at its annual reorganizational meeting pursuant to the Village's purchasing policy. This assignment is made when the tax levy is set by the Board of Trustees pursuant to the Village's annual budget policy.

<u>Unassigned</u>: Includes fund balance that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the General Fund. In other governmental funds, if expenditures incurred for specific purposes exceeded the amounts restricted, committed, or assigned to those purposes, negative unassigned fund balance is reported.

O. Restricted Resources

When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available, it is the Village's policy to apply restricted funds before unrestricted funds, unless otherwise prohibited by legal requirements

P. Interfund Transfers

The operations of the Village gives rise to certain transactions between funds, including transfers to provide services and construct assets. The amounts reported on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance-Governmental Funds for interfund transfers have been eliminated for the Statement of Activities. A detailed description of the individual fund transfers that occurred during the year is provided subsequently in these notes.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Q. 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 amount of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Estimates and assumptions are made in a variety of areas, including computation of encumbrances, compensated absences, potential contingent liabilities and useful lives of long term assets.

NOTE 2. EXPLANATION OF CERTAIN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN GOVERNMENTAL FUND STATEMENTS AND GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENTS

Due to the differences in the measurement focus and basis of accounting used in the governmental fund statements and the government-wide statements, certain financial transactions are treated differently. The differences result primarily from the economic focus of the Statement of Activities, compared with the current financial resources focus of the government funds.

A. Total Fund Balances of Governmental Funds vs. Net Asset of Governmental Activities:

Total fund balances of the Village's governmental funds differ from "net assets" of governmental activities reported in the Statement of Net Assets. This difference primarily results from the additional long-term economic focus of the Statement of Net Assets versus the solely current financial resources focus of the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet.

The basic financial statements contain a detailed reconciliation of the items creating the differences between fund balance reported in the Governmental Fund Statements and Net Assets reported on the Statement of Net Assets.

1. The costs of building and acquiring capital assets (land, buildings and equipment) financed from the governmental funds are reported as expenditures in the year they are incurred, and the assets do not appear on the Balance Sheet. However, the Statement of Net Assets includes those capital assets among the assets of the Village as a whole, with their original costs capitalized and depreciation expensed annually over their useful lives.

Original Cost of Capital Assets	\$ 34,881,101
Accumulated Depreciation	(12,036,846)
Capital Assets, Net	<u>\$ 22,844,255</u>

NOTE 2. EXPLANATION OF CERTAIN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN GOVERNMENTAL FUND STATEMENTS AND GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENTS (Continued)

A. Total Fund Balances of Governmental Funds vs. Net Asset of Governmental Activities (Continued)

2. Interest payable is recognized in the entity wide statements under full accrual accounting. No accrual is recognized in the governmental fund statements for interest that was not paid from current financial resources.

Interest Payable at May 31, 2011

\$ 89,823

3. Long-term liabilities are reported in the Statement of Net Assets, but not in the governmental funds, because they are not due and payable in the current period. Balances at year-end were:

Bonds and Notes Payable	\$ 10,580,000
Other Postemployment Benefits	1,830,000
Compensated Absences	650,154
	<u>\$ 13,060,154</u>

B. Explanation of Difference between Governmental Funds Operating Statement and the Statement of Activities:

Differences between the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance and the Statement of Activities fall into one of three broad categories. The amounts shown below represent these differences as follows:

- Long-term revenue differences arise because Governmental Funds report revenues only
 when they are considered "available", whereas the Statement of Activities reports
 revenues when earned. Differences in long-term expenses arise because Governmental
 Funds report on a modified accrual basis, whereas the accrual basis of accounting is used
 on the Statement of Activities.
- Capital related differences include the difference between proceeds for the sale of capital
 assets reported on governmental fund statements and the gain or loss on the sale of assets
 as reported on the Statement of Activities, and the difference between recording an
 expenditure for the purchase of capital items in the governmental fund statements and
 depreciation expense on those items as recorded in the Statement of Activities.
- Long-term debt transaction differences occur because both interest and principal payments are recorded as expenditures in the Governmental Fund statements, whereas interest payments are recorded in the Statement of Activities as incurred, and principal payments are recorded as a reduction of liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets.

NOTE 2. EXPLANATION OF CERTAIN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN GOVERNMENTAL FUND **STATEMENTS AND GOVERNMENT-WIDE STATEMENTS** (Continued)

B. Explanation of Difference between Governmental Funds Operating Statement and the Statement of Activities: (Continued)

The basic financial statements contain a detailed reconciliation of the items creating the differences between the change in fund balance reported in the Government Fund Statements and the change in net assets reported in the Statement of Activities.

> Explanation of Differences between Governmental Funds Operating Statement and the Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets

not affect the Statement of Activities.

Total Expenses and Government Activities

Total Revenue and other Funding Sources:	
Total revenues and other sources governmental funds Deferred Tax Revenue BAN's redeemed from appropriations	\$ 13,929,316 (18,471) (95,917)
Total Revenue of Governmental Activities	\$ 13,814,928
Total Expenditures/Expenses:	
Total expenditues reported in governmental funds	\$ 14,180,740
In the Statement of Activities, certain operating expenses (compensated absences) are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds, however, expenditures for these items are measured by the amount of finacial resources used (essentially, the amounts actually paid). The liability for compensated absences increased during the year. Other postemployment benefits earned exceeded the amount paid by \$580,000.	598,189
When purchase or construction of capital assets is financed through governmental funds, the resources expended for those assets are reported as expenditures in the years they are incurred. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital expenditures of \$1,309,812 is more than depreciation of \$1,018,956 in the current year.	(290,856)
Interest payable is recognized in the government-wide statements under full accrual accounting whereas it is not under the governmental fund statements. This is the amount by which interest payable for the current year is more than	
the interest payable for the prior year.	7,074

(860,917)

\$ 13,634,230

Repayment of debt service principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets, and does

NOTE 3. CASH

The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's investment policies are governed by State statutes, as previously described in these notes. Deposits are valued at cost or cost plus interest and are categorized as either:

- 1. Insured or collateralized with securities held by the entity or by its agent in the entity's name;
- 2. Collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agency in the entity's name; or
- 3. Uncollateralized

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Governmental & Agency Funds	\$ 1,706,801	\$ 765,012	\$ 0

NOTE 4. INTERFUND ACTIVITY

Interfund receivables and payables at May 31, 2011, were as follows:

Fund Type	Interfund Receivable		Interfund e Payable	
General	\$ 240,597	\$	0	
Capital Project	0		233,375	
Pool	0		85,639	
Library	0		28,593	
Special Purpose	0		79,203	
Debt Service	186,213		0	
Trust & Agency	 0		0	
Total	\$ 426,810	\$	426,810	

NOTE 5. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset balances and activity for the year ended May 31, 2011, were as follows:

					D	isposals and		
	F	Beginning			F	Reclass-	F	nding
Governmental Activities	_	Balance	,	Additions		ications		alance
Sovermiental Frenchis		Buldines						
Capital Assets that are not Depreciated:								
Construction in Progress	\$	86,517	\$	0	\$	(86,517)	\$	0
Land		6,332,206		0		0	6	,332,206
Total Non-Depreciable								
Historical Cost		6,418,723		0		(86,517)	6	,332,206
Capital Assets that are being Depreciated:								
Land Improvements		2,275,444		188,961		0	2	,464,405
Buildings and Improvements		13,441,451		55,200		86,517		,583,168
Machinery & Equipment		5,105,580		1,065,651		00,517		,171,231
Infrastructure		6,330,091		1,005,051		0		,330,091
Total Depreciable		0,550,091						,550,091
Historical Cost		27,152,566		1,309,812		86,517	26	,548,895
Historical Cost		27,132,300		1,309,812		80,317		,340,093
Less Accumulated								
Depreciation:								
Land Improvements		582,129		107,342		0		689,471
Buildings and Improvements		3,297,466		317,998		0	3	,615,464
Machinery & Equipment		3,828,888		294,063		0	4	,122,951
Infrastructure		3,309,407		299,554		0	3	,608,961
Total Accumulated								
Depreciation		11,017,890		1,018,956		0	12	2,036,846
Total Historical Cost, Net		22,553,399	\$	290,856		0	\$ 22	2,844,255

Depreciation was charged to governmental functions as follows:

General Government Support	\$ 103,743
Public Safety	415,725
Transportation	101,716
Culture and Recreation	198,268
Home and Community Services	167,488
Total Depreciation Expense	\$ 1,018,956

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES

A. Pension Plans

Plan Description

The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson participates in the New York State and Local Employees' Retirement System (ERS) and the New York State and Local Police and Fire Retirement System (PFRS). These are cost-sharing multiple-employer retirement systems. The Systems provide retirement benefits as well as death and disability benefits. Obligations of employers and employees to contribute and benefits to employees are governed by the New York State Retirement and Social Security Law (NYSRSSL). As set forth in the NYSRSSL, the Comptroller of the State of New York (Comptroller) serves as sole trustee and administrative head of the Systems. The Comptroller shall adopt and may amend rules and regulations for the administration and transaction of the business of the Systems and for the custody and control of their funds. The Systems issue a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to the New York State and Local Retirement Systems, Gov. Alfred E. Smith State Office Building, Albany, New York 12244.

Funding Policy

The Systems are noncontributory except for employees who joined the New York State and Local Employees' Retirement System after July 27, 1976 who contribute 3% of their salary. Under the authority of the NYSRSSL, the Comptroller shall certify annually the rates expressed as proportions of member payroll and employer contributions, used in computing the contributions required to be made by employers to the pension accumulation fund. Chapter 126 adds Article 19 "Benefits Enhancements" of the New York State and Local Employees Retirement System. An Eligible Tier III or IV member with ten or more years of membership or ten years credited service, will not be required to contribute to the Retirement System.

The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The required contributions for the current year and two preceding years were:

	ERS		
2011	\$ 278,279	\$	313,970
2010	\$ 237,399	\$	343,517
2009	\$ 208,450	\$	341,620

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

A. Pension Plans (Continued)

Village contributions made to the Systems were equal to 100% of the contributions required for each year. Since 1989, the Systems' billings have been based on Chapter 62 of the Laws of 1989 of the State of New York. This legislation requires participating employers to make payments on a current basis, while amortizing existing unpaid amounts relating to the Systems' fiscal year ended March 31, 2005 (which otherwise were to have been paid on May 31, 2009) over a 10 year period, with an 8.00% interest factor added. Local governments were given the option to prepay this liability. The Village elected to prepay this liability.

B. Short-Term Debt

Liabilities for bond anticipation notes (BAN's) are generally accounted for in the Capital Projects Fund. The notes or renewal thereof may not extend more than five years beyond the original date of issue unless a portion is redeemed within five years and within each 12 month period thereafter.

State law requires that BAN's issued for capital purposes be converted to long-term obligations within five years after the original issue date. However, BAN's issued for assessable improvement projects may be renewed for periods equivalent to the maximum life of the permanent financing, provided that stipulated annual reductions of principal are made. These temporary funds were borrowed to assist with financing the renovation and construction of various projects.

The following is a summary of Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's outstanding bond anticipation notes for the year ended May 31, 2011.

	Original					Amount
	Date of	Original	Interest	Date of	O	utstanding
Description	Issue	Amount	Rate	Maturity	at	Year End
Various Projects	09/29/10	1,467,065	1.50%	09/29/11		1,467,065
Various Projects	12/15/10	1,439,917	1.75%	12/15/11		1,344,000
Total BAN's Payable					\$	2,811,065

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

B. Short-Term Debt (Continued)

Interest on short-term debt paid during the year:

Interest paid	27,629
Less: Interest accrued-prior year	(14,249)
Add: Interest accrued-current year	25,638
Total Short-Term Interest	\$ 39,018

C. Long-Term Debt

Bonds: The Village of Hastings-on-Hudson borrows money in order to acquire land or equipment or construct buildings and improvements. This enables the cost of these capital assets to be borne by the present and future taxpayers.

The following is a list of outstanding bonds at the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson for the year ending May 31, 2011.

<u>Description</u>	Original Date of Issue	Original Amount	Interest Rate	Date of Maturity	Amount Outstanding at Year End
2003 Refunding 1994 Various 2000 Various 2005 Various 2006	7/1/2003 10/15/2001 11/1/2006 8/15/2007	\$ 1,790,000 2,774,000 8,377,000 2,400,000	3.00% 4.75% 4.00% 4.75%	7/1/2014 10/15/2015 11/1/2026 8/15/2028	\$ 435,000 1,035,000 7,000,000 2,110,000
Total Bonds Payable					\$ 10,580,000

Interest on long-term debt paid during the year was:

	Serial Bonds
Interest paid Less: Interest accrued-prior year	\$ 456,849 (68,500)
Add: Interest accrued-current year	64,185
Total Long-Term Interest	\$ 452,534

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

C. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

Long-term liability balances and activity for the year are summarized below:

	Beginning Balance	Issued	Redeemed	Ending Balance
Governmental Activities				
Serial Bonds	\$ 11,345,000	\$ 0	\$ 765,000	\$ 10,580,000
Other liabilities:				
Other Post Retirement Benefits Payable	1,250,000	580,000	0	1,830,000
Compensated Absenses	631,966	18,188	0	650,154
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 13,226,966	\$ 598,188	\$ 765,000	\$ 13,060,154

Activity for compensated absences is shown at net due the impracticability of determining these amounts separately. Payments of compensated absences are dependent upon future factors and, therefore, the timing of such payments cannot be determined. Compensated absences are reflected as a long-term liability in the Statement of Net Assets.

The following is a summary of the maturity of long-term indebtedness:

	Governmental A	Activities
Year —	Principal	Interest
2012	795,000	424,250
2013	805,000	390,580
2014	835,000	354,012
2015	880,000	312,810
2016	500,000	279,982
2017-2021	2,885,000	1,077,288
2022-2026	3,550,000	448,869
2027-2028	330,000	20,000
Total	\$ 10,580,000	\$ 3,307,791

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

D. Postemployment Benefits

The Village had implemented GASB Statement #45, Accounting and Financial Reporting by employers for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions, in the year ended May 31, 2009. This required the Village to calculate and record a net other post-employment benefit obligation at year-end. The net other post-employment benefit obligation is basically the cumulative difference between the actuarially required contribution and the actual contributions made.

The Village recognizes the cost of providing health insurance annually as expenditures in the General Fund of the funds financial statements as payments are made. For the year ended May 31, 2011, the Village recognized \$461,825 for its share of insurance premiums for currently enrolled retirees.

The Village has obtained an actuarial valuation report as of May 31, 2011 which indicates that the total liability for other post-employment benefits is \$1,830,000.

Plan Description:

Medical Benefits Program:

The Plan is a fully insured plan. Current retiree premium rates provided by the Village include:

a) Individual Pre-age 65: Generally \$592 per month.

b) Family Pre-age 65: Generally \$1,259 per month.

c) Individual Post-age 65: Generally \$360 per month.

d) Family Post-age 65: Generally either \$1,027 per month(one person

on Medicare) or \$795 per month (two people on

Medicare).

For GASB #45 purposes, the plan is deemed "community-rated". Therefore, adjustments to the premium rates to reflect the difference between the pre-age 65 active/retiree group (for which the current premium rates were based on) and the pre-age 65 retiree group, were not required, due to the "community-rated" exception under ASOP 6.

Medicare Part B Premiums:

Paid by the Village at \$96.40/mo.

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

D. Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Retiree Eligibility Requirements:

- a) Non-Uniformed: An employee must retire after age 55 with at least 20 years of service.
- b) Police Officers: An employee must retire with at least 20 years of service (no age requirement)
- c) Spousal benefit upon retiree's death: Coverage continued; spouse pays full current premium rate.
- d) Active service death benefit: N/A
- e) Active service disability benefit: N/A

Village Subsidy:

The Village will contribute 100% of the NYSHIP/State Empire medical premium amounts for both individual and family (dependent) coverage.

Funding Policy:

The employer's funding policy is to contribute the current annual premium (net of employee contributions) for all retired participants (i.e., pay as you go). Current New York State law prohibits municipalities from pre-funding retiree medical benefit obligations in a Trust, although pre-funding moneys can arguably be "set aside" on the municipality's balance sheet.

Annual OPEB Cost and Net OPEB Obligation: The Village's annual other postemployment benefit (OPEB) cost (expense) is calculated based on the annual required contribution of the employer (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed thirty years. The following table shows the components of the Village's annual OPEB cost for the year, the amount actually contributed to the plan, and changes in the Village's net OPEB obligation:

Annual required contribution	\$ 1,090,000
Interest on net OPEB obligation	60,000
Adjustment to annual required contribution	50,000
Annual OPEB cost (expense)	1,100,000
Contributions made	520,000
Increase in net OPEB obligation	 580,000
Net OPEB obligation - beginning of year	1,250,000
Net OPEB obligation - end of year	\$ 1,830,000

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

D. Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

The Village's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the plan, and the net OPEB obligation for current and two preceding years were as follows:

		Percentage of	
		Annual OPEB Cost	Net OPEB
Year Ended	Annual OPEB Cost	Contributed	Obligation
5/31/2011	\$1,100,000	47.27%	\$1,830,000
5/31/2010	\$1,030,000	35.92%	\$1,250,000
5/31/2009	\$1,010,000	41.60%	\$590,000

Funded Status and Funding Progress:

As of June 1, 2009, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the plan was 0% funded. The actuarial accrued liability for benefits was \$15,470,000, and the actuarial value of assets was \$0, resulting in an unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) of \$15,470,000. The covered payroll (annual payroll of active employees covered by the plan) was \$5,730,000, and the ratio of the UAAL to the covered payroll was 270%. Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and the healthcare cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions:

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employer and the plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the employer and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

The following assumptions were made:

Valuation Date: June 1, 2010

Mortality: Life expectancies were based on the RP-2000 Mortality Table.

Discount Rate: 4.5% compounded annually.

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

D. Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Marital - Actives: Wife is assumed to be same age as the husband. 60% are assumed to be married.

Participation Rate: 100% of eligible retirees expected to participate.

Asset Valuation Method: Market Value.

Amortization Period: Level dollar basis/open; over 30 years. The remaining amortization period at May 31, 2011 is 27 years.

E. Pension Trust Service Award Program

The Village pursuant to Article 11-A of General Municipal Law and legislative resolution, has established a Service Award Program ("Program") for volunteer firefighters, upon attainment of age 18 and completion of one year of service, are eligible to become participants in the Program. Participants are fully vested upon attainment of entitlement age, upon death or upon general disablement and after earning five years of service credit. A participant upon attainment of entitlement age and one year of plan participation shall be able to receive their service award, payable in the form of a ten-year certain and continuous monthly payment life annuity. The monthly benefits are \$20 for each year of service credit, up to a maximum of 20 years. The Program also provides disability and death benefits. The trustees of the Program, which are members of the Village's Board, are authorized to invest the funds in other investment vehicles. Separate financial statements are not issued by the program.

Current membership in the Program is comprised of the following:

Group	May 31, 2011
Active - Vested	66
Active – Non-vested	33
Retirees and beneficiaries	
currently receiving benefits and	
terminated employees entitled to	
benefits but not yet receiving them	40

The Village is required to contribute the amounts necessary to finance the plan as actuarially determined using the entry age normal frozen initial liability cost method. The Plan was established effective June 1, 1993. The Plan was amended January 1, 2007 to allow participants to earn service credit after entitlement age. The balance of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability is \$705,641, which resulted from the prior years' service cost when the plan was initially adopted. The remaining amortization period is 18 years. The assumed investment rate of return is 6.5% and there are no cost of living adjustments.

NOTE 6. LIABILITIES (Continued)

E. Pension Trust Service Award Program (Continued)

The Village's annual Program cost, the percentage of the annual Program cost contributed to the plan and the net pension obligation for the current and two preceding fiscal years were as follows:

					(Increase)
			Percentage		Decrease
	Annual		of Annual	Net	in Net
	Required	Actual	Program Cost	Pension	Pension
	Contribution	Contribution	Contributed	Obligation	Obligation
2011	\$ 147,168	\$ 147,168	100%	\$ 0	\$ 0
2010	125,744	125,774	100%	0	0
2009	110,798	110,798	100%	0	0

NOTE 7. DEFICIT FUND BALANCES

The Pool Fund and the Library Fund have a deficit fund balances of \$101,569, and \$42,917 respectively at May 31, 2011. Management will continue to eliminate the deficit in subsequent years. The Capital Projects Fund also has a deficit fund balance of \$2,136,573. The Capital Fund deficit will be eliminated through permanent financing.

NOTE 8. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Village is exposed to various risks of loss including, but not limited to, torts, thefts of, damage to, or destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; employees health and life; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by commercial insurance purchased from independent third parties. Management believes such coverage is sufficient to preclude any significant uninsured loss. Judgments and claims are recorded when it is probable that an asset has been impaired or a liability has been incurred and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated.

NOTE 9. CONTINGENCIES

A. Grant Program

The Village has received grants which are subject to audit by agencies of the State and Federal governments. Such audits may result in disallowances and a request for a return of funds to the Federal and State governments. Based on past audits, the Village administration believes disallowances, if any, will be immaterial

B. Litigation

The Village is party to various legal proceedings which normally occur in the course of governmental operations. The financial statements do not include accrual or provision for loss contingencies that may result from these proceedings. While the outcome cannot be predicted, due to the insurance coverage maintained, the Village believes that any settlement not covered by insurance would not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition of the Village.



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

To the Mayor and Members of the Village Board Village of Hastings-on-Hudson Hastings-on-Hudson, N.Y.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the fiduciary funds of Village of Hastings-on-Hudson as of and for the year ended May 31, 2011, which collectively comprise the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated October 31, 2011. 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.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures 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 Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's internal control over financial reporting.

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

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A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's internal control. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs, identified as findings 2011-1, 2011-2, and 2011-3, to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all significant deficiencies that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, we believe that none of the significant deficiencies described above is a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson's financial statements are free of 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*.

We noted certain matters that we reported to the management of Village of Hastings-on-Hudson in a separate letter dated October 31, 2011.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, and the Village Board and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

Mugant + Hourseler, P.C.

October 31, 2011

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

Finding 2011-1 Limited Segregation of Duties

Condition: The auditor found instances where segregation of duties was limited.

Limitations in control activities may be addressed through additional management oversight. Through interviews with management and staff we were able to satisfy ourselves that direct involvement and knowledge of these

activities reduced the potential for errors or irregularities.

Criteria: Segregation of duties relates to how various duties are assigned to different

people within the organization. Generally, the responsibility for authorizing transactions, recording transactions, and maintaining custody of assets should be assigned to different people so that no single person is in a position to both

commit and conceal errors, irregularities or fraud.

Cause: Limited resources and personnel available contribute directly to the level of

segregation achieved. Another factor is the organizational structure and the

assignment of responsibilities within that structure.

Effect: The financial statements could have been significantly misstated due to errors

or irregularities and fraud or misappropriation could occur and not be

detected without adequate segregation of duties and responsibilities.

Recommendation: We recommend that the management review the responsibilities of business

staff, as well as the duties actually being performed currently. This review should focus on segregating the functions for authorizing transactions, recording transactions, and maintaining custody of assets. As part of this review, management should consider whether the current staffing level is sufficient to achieve the desired internal control. It may be necessary to hire

additional staff.

Finding 2011-2 Management Oversight and Monitoring

Condition: The Auditor found instances where oversight and monitoring by management

were not documented. Through interviews with management and related personnel we were able to satisfy ourselves that the necessary oversight and

monitoring was performed.

Criteria: Effective internal control over financial reporting requires management

oversight and monitoring to establish reasonable assurance that financial reporting is being reliably and accurately completed. Documentation of this oversight and monitoring is necessary to insure that this criteria is met.

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (Continued)

Cause: These activities are often informal and performed as a part of the overall management

of the entity's operations. Management's close involvement in operations will

typically identify inaccuracies in financial data.

Effect: The financial statements could have been significantly misstated without adequate

documentation and performance of oversight functions.

Recommendation: We recommend that management formally document its review of all elements of the

financial data reflected in the financial reporting. This would include but not be limited to ledger account reconciliations, journal entries, trial balances, revenue status

and budget status reports.

Finding 2011-3 Preparing Financial Statements and Disclosures

Condition: The auditor is currently making significant adjustments to properly record certain

complex transactions and preparing the financial statements for external reporting

purposes.

Criteria: The auditor cannot function as part of the Village's internal control system over

financial reporting. The auditor's preparation of the financial statements and disclosures would not be reported as a significant deficiency if the Village had internal controls in place to prevent, detect, and correct a potential misstatement in

the financial statements or notes.

Cause: Newly revised audit standards state that if the Village does not implement procedures

to prevent, detect, or correct a potential misstatement in the financial statements or notes, this deficiency constitutes a significant deficiency in internal control. The Village relies on the external auditor to prepare the financial statements and related

disclosures, and to assist with properly recording certain transactions.

Effect: The financial statements could have been significantly misstated without audit

adjustment.

Recommendation: Although the independent auditor cannot be a part of the Village's internal control,

relying on the auditor to assist with preparation of the Village's financial statements and help guide management through complex accounting standards is acceptable

under current prescribed standards.

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES COMPARED TO BUDGET GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

	Orignal Budget		Adjusted Budget	Actual	F	Variance avorable nfavorable)
REVENUES						
Real Property Taxes	\$ 9,485,254	\$	9,485,254	\$ 9,485,254	\$	0
Real Property Tax Items	30,000		30,000	33,253		3,253
Non-Property Tax Items	65,000		65,000	65,000		0
Departmental Income	973,970		973,970	1,483,793		509,823
Use of Money and Property	114,100		114,100	108,244		(5,856)
Licences and Permits	140,800		140,800	147,738		6,938
Fines and Forfeitures	220,000		220,000	167,360		(52,640)
Sale of Property and						
Compensation for Loss	12,000		12,000	5,422		(6,578)
Miscellaneous	17,000		43,358	139,014		95,656
State and Federal Aid	 1,570,760		1,570,760	 1,512,805		(57,955)
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 12,628,884		12,655,242	 13,147,883	\$	492,641
EXPENDITURES						
General Government Support	\$ 1,607,036	\$	1,683,394	1,671,138	\$	12,256
Public Safety	3,096,607		3,146,607	3,137,193		9,414
Transportation	1,053,804		1,043,804	1,012,408		31,396
Culture and Recreation	1,063,885		1,073,885	1,065,857		8,028
Home and Community Services	1,004,855		1,004,855	957,958		46,897
Employee Benefits	2,904,853		2,804,853	2,791,243		13,610
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	10,731,040	-	10,757,398	 10,635,797		121,601
OTHER USES						
Operating Transfers Out	1,897,844		1,897,844	2,429,041		(531,197)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES						
AND OTHER USES	 12,628,884	\$	12,655,242	\$ 13,064,838	\$	(409,596)

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES COMPARED TO BUDGET POOL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

		Original Budget		Adjusted Budget		Actual	Fa	ariance vorable favorable)
REVENUES	C	242 277	ď	242 277	o	262 505	ď	20.210
Departmental Income	\$	343,277	\$	343,277	\$	363,595	\$	20,318
Use of Money and Property		2,000		2,000		194		(1,806)
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	345,277	\$	345,277	\$	363,789	\$	20,318
EXPENDITURES Home and Community Service TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	211,951 211,951	_\$	211,951 211,951	_\$	214,964 214,964	\$	(3,013) (3,013)
OTHER USES								
Operating Transfers Out TOTAL EXPENDITURES		133,326		133,326		127,345		5,981
AND OTHER USES	\$	345,277	\$	345,277	\$	342,309	\$	2,968

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES COMPARED TO BUDGET LIBRARY FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2011

		Orignal Budget		djusted Budget		Actual	Fa	ariance vorable favorable)
REVENUES								
Departmental Income	\$	18,250	\$	18,250	\$	16,710	\$	(1,540)
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Use of Money and Property		2 000		2,000				
State Aid		2,000		2,000		2,051		51
TOTAL REVENUES		20,250		20,250		18,774		(1,476)
OTHER SOURCES								
Operating Transfers In		758,553		758,553		758,553		0
TOTAL REVENUES								
AND OTHER SOURCES		778,803		778,803	\$	777,327	\$	(1,476)
EXPENDITURES								
Home and Community Services	\$	583,222	\$	583,222	\$	579,220	\$	4,002
Employee Benefits		110,810		110,810		110,810		0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		694,032		694,032		690,030		4,002
OTHER USES								
Operating Transfers Out		84,771		84,771		84,771		0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	-					,,,,-		
AND OTHER USES	\$	778,803	\$	778,803	\$	774,801	\$	4,002

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS FOR OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS MAY 31, 2011

		Actuarial				
		Accrued				UAAL as a
	Actuarial	Liability	Unfunded			Percentage
Actuarial	Value of	(AAL) -	AAL	Funded	Covered	of Covered
Valuation	Assets	Entry Age	(UAAL)	Ratio	Payroll	Payroll
Date	(a)	 (b)	 (b - a)	(a/b)	 (c)	((b - a)/c)
6/1/2008	\$0	\$ 14,440,000	\$ 14,440,000	0%	\$ 6,140,000	235%
6/1/2009	\$0	\$ 14,710,000	\$ 14,710,000	0%	\$ 5,960,000	247%
6/1/2010	\$0	\$ 15,470,000	\$ 15,470,000	0%	\$ 5,730,000	270%

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS FOR THE SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM MAY 31, 2011

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) - Entry Age (b)	Infunded AAL (UAAL) (b - a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	F	Annual Required intribution	Percentage Contributed
2006	\$ 283,618	\$ 1,213,796	\$ 930,178	23.37%	\$	106,764	100%
2007	376,376	1,288,978	912,602	29.20%		106,319	100%
2008	459,714	1,367,382	907,668	33.62%		107,935	100%
2009	541,622	1,162,378	620,756	46.60%		110,798	100%
2010	636,005	1,269,964	633,959	50.08%		125,744	100%
2011	649,992	1,195,657	545,665	54.36%		147,168	100%

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK CAPITAL FUND BALANCE SCHEDULE BY PROJECT MAY 31, 2011

						Methods of Financing	cing		Fund	
									Balance	BAN's
		Expenditures	Unexpended	Proceeds of	State and	Interfund			(Deficit)	Outstanding
Project	Authorization	and Transfers	Balance	Obligations	Federal Aid	Transfers	Miscellaneous	Totals	5/31/2011	5/31/2011
Municinal Building Plaza	\$ 125,000	\$ 84,090	\$ 40.910	\$ 125,000	9	0 \$	°	\$ 125,000	\$ 40,910	0
Sidewalks and Related Areas	153,000	141,731	11,269	153,000	0	0	0	153,000	11,269	0
Durchase of Sanitation Truck	170 000	169 685	315	22,666	0	0	0	22,666	(147,019)	147,334
Direpase of Fire Trick	575 000	557.316	17.684	57,500	0	0	0	57,500	(499,816)	517,500
Purchase of Ambulance	150.000	147,993	2,007	30,000	0	0	0	30,000	(117,993)	120,000
Street Resurfacing 2009-2010	675,000	238,743	436,257	20,834	75,000	0	0	95,834	(142,909)	379,166
Street Resulacing 2009-2010	275,000	241.378	33,622	20,000	0	75,000	0	95,000	(146,378)	180,000
Aerial Fire Ladder	1.000,000	948,483	51.517	0	0	0	0	0	(948,483)	1,000,000
Washington and Manle Ave Sidewalk	268,000	140,184	127,816	0	113,000	0	5,487	118,487	(21,697)	125,000
Police Technology Grant	56.500	51.266	5,234	0	55,500	0	0	55,500	4,234	0
Purchase of Senior Rec Van	54,000	110,190	(56,190)	0	0	0	110,190	110,190	0	0
Street Resurfacing 2010	275,000	178,803	96,197	0	0	0	0	0	(178,803)	165,000
Green Team Catalyst Fund	2.500	1,250	1,250	0	2,500	0	0	2,500	1,250	0
Instice Court	4 960	1,098	3,862	0	0	4,960	0	4,960	3,862	0
Hudson River Improvements	5,000	0	5,000	0	0	0	5,000	5,000	5,000	0
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	\$ 3,788,960	\$ 3,788,960 \$ 3,012,210	\$ 776,750	\$ 429,000	\$ 246,000	\$ 79,960	\$ 120,677	\$ 875,637	\$ (2,136,573)	\$ 2,634,000

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK SCHEDULE OF INDEBTEDNESS MAY 31, 2011

	Interest Rate	Date of Original Issue	Maturity	Outstanding Beginning of Fiscal Year	Issued During Year	Paid During Year	id ing	Outstanding End of Year	Amount of Interest Paid During Year	Amount of Accrued Int @ 5/31/11	Due Within Next Year
BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES Various Projects Various Projects	1.50%	9/29/2010	9/29/2011	\$ 0	\$ 1,467,065	. es	0 95,917	\$ 1,467,065 1,344,000	\$ 0 27,629	\$ 14,793 10,845	\$ 1,467,065 1,344,000
TOTAL NOTES				1,439,917	1,467,065		95,917	2,811,065	27,629	25,638	
SERIAL BONDS)000 c	6000	41.001	000 093	c	÷	25,000	435 000	15 987		120,000
2003 Kerunding 1994	3.00%	10/15/2001	10/15/2015	1 265 000	0 0	2	30.000	1.035,000	57,193	6,145	240,000
Various 2005	4.00%	11/1/2006	11/1/2026	7 325 000	0	i m	25,000	7,000,000	291,479		350,000
Various 2005	4 75%	8/15/2007	8/15/2028	2,195,000	0	-	85,000	2,110,000	92,190		85,000
TOTAL SERIAL BONDS		5		11,345,000	0	7	765,000	10,580,000	456,849		795,000
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS				\$ 12,784,917	\$ 1,467,065	∞ +÷	860,917	\$ 13,391,065	\$ 484,478	\$ 89,823	\$ 3,606,065

\$ 9,453,190

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON HASTINGS-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK INVESTMENT IN CAPITAL ASSETS, NET OF RELATED DEBT MAY 31, 2011

Capital Assets, Net		\$22,844,255
Deduct:		
Bond Anticipation Notes	\$ 2,811,065	
Short-Term Portion of Bonds Payable	795,000	
Long-Term Portion of Bonds Payable	9,785,000	
		13,391,065

Investments in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt