

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**

**HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS**

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors  
Harris County Fresh Water  
Supply District No. 61  
Harris County, Texas

### **Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 (the "District") as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

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

### **Basis for Opinions**

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

### **Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements**

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

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





### **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

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

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

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

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

### **Required Supplementary Information**

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



Board of Directors  
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61

### **Supplementary Information**

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



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Houston, Texas

April 26, 2023



**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
MANAGEMENT’S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

Management’s discussion and analysis of Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61’s (the “District”) financial performance provides an overview of the District’s financial activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022. Please read it in conjunction with the District’s financial statements.

**USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT**

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

**GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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

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

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

**FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
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**FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)**

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

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

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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

**OTHER INFORMATION**

In addition to the financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information ("RSI"). The budgetary comparison schedule is included as RSI for the General Fund. In addition, the Schedule of Changes in Net Pension Asset and Related Ratios and the Schedule of District Contributions-Pensions are included as RSI.

**GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS**

Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the District's financial position. In the case of the District, assets and deferred outflows of resources exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$36,542,210 as of December 31, 2022.

A portion of the District's net position reflects its net investment in capital assets (water and wastewater facilities less any debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding). The District uses these assets to provide water and wastewater services.

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

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
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**GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS (Continued)**

	Summary of Changes in the Statement of Net Position		
	2022	2021	Change Positive (Negative)
Current and Other Assets	\$ 33,928,857	\$ 35,037,980	\$ (1,109,123)
Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)	<u>44,575,431</u>	<u>43,459,654</u>	<u>1,115,777</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 78,504,288</u>	<u>\$ 78,497,634</u>	<u>\$ 6,654</u>
Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>\$ 289,850</u>	<u>\$ 275,112</u>	<u>\$ 14,738</u>
Long -Term Liabilities	\$ 34,294,403	\$ 36,761,524	\$ 2,467,121
Other Liabilities	<u>3,940,844</u>	<u>3,857,963</u>	<u>(82,881)</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 38,235,247</u>	<u>\$ 40,619,487</u>	<u>\$ 2,384,240</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>\$ 4,016,681</u>	<u>\$ 3,613,546</u>	<u>\$ (403,135)</u>
Net Position:			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$ 27,327,740	\$ 24,019,931	\$ 3,307,809
Restricted	3,606,893	3,336,141	270,752
Unrestricted	<u>5,607,577</u>	<u>7,183,641</u>	<u>(1,576,064)</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 36,542,210</u>	<u>\$ 34,539,713</u>	<u>\$ 2,002,497</u>

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

	Summary of Changes in the Statement of Activities		
	2022	2021	Change Positive (Negative)
Revenues:			
Property Taxes	\$ 3,586,926	\$ 3,397,506	\$ 189,420
Charges for Services	6,840,643	6,173,249	667,394
Other Revenues	<u>3,236,249</u>	<u>4,112,612</u>	<u>(876,363)</u>
Total Revenues	<u>\$ 13,663,818</u>	<u>\$ 13,683,367</u>	<u>\$ (19,549)</u>
Expenses for Services	<u>11,661,321</u>	<u>10,647,991</u>	<u>(1,013,330)</u>
Change in Net Position	\$ 2,002,497	\$ 3,035,376	\$ (1,032,879)
Net Position, Beginning of Year	<u>34,539,713</u>	<u>31,504,337</u>	<u>3,035,376</u>
Net Position, End of Year	<u>\$ 36,542,210</u>	<u>\$ 34,539,713</u>	<u>\$ 2,002,497</u>

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

The District's combined fund balances as of December 31, 2022, were \$28,233,620, a decrease of \$1,693,751 from the prior year.

The General Fund fund balance decreased by \$1,601,608, primarily due to operating costs and capital outlay exceeding property tax and service revenues during the current fiscal year.

The Debt Service Fund fund balance increased by \$97,501, primarily due to the structure of the District's outstanding debt.

The Capital Projects Fund fund balance decreased by \$189,644 due to the use of bond proceeds received in a prior fiscal year.

**GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS**

The Board of Directors did not amend the budget during the fiscal year. Actual revenues were \$585,036 more than budgeted revenues. Actual expenditures were \$3,082,027 more than budgeted expenditures, primarily due to capital outlay related to the utility relocation. In addition, contributions from Texas Department of Transportation of \$858,938 for the utility relocation was recorded as other financing sources, but had not been budgeted.

**CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital assets as of December 31, 2022, total \$44,575,431 (net of accumulated depreciation) and include land, buildings, trucks and equipment as well as the water and wastewater systems. Significant capital asset activity includes the purchase of two Ford trucks, meter reading equipment, detention pond improvements and utility relocation. Additional information on the District's capital assets can be found in Note 6 of this report.



**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**CAPITAL ASSETS (Continued)**

Capital Assets At Year-End, Net of Accumulated Depreciation			
	2022	2021	Change Positive (Negative)
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated:			
Land and Land Improvements	\$ 3,806,407	\$ 3,806,407	\$
Construction in Progress	4,976,672	2,453,819	2,522,853
Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation:			
Water System	15,490,403	16,121,149	(630,746)
Wastewater System	18,552,190	19,317,339	(765,149)
Buildings	1,528,163	1,579,981	(51,818)
Trucks and Equipment	221,596	180,959	40,637
Total Net Capital Assets	\$ 44,575,431	\$ 43,459,654	\$ 1,115,777

**LONG-TERM DEBT ACTIVITY**

At year-end, the District had bond debt payable of \$36,830,000. The changes in the debt position of the District during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022, are summarized as follows:

Bond Debt Payable, January 1, 2022	\$ 39,210,000
Less: Bond Principal Paid	2,380,000
Bond Debt Payable, December 31, 2022	\$ 36,830,000

The District's Series 2017, Series 2019 Refunding and Series 2020 bonds have an underlying rating of "A1" by Moody's. The Series 2019 Refunding and Series 2020 bonds carry an insured rating of "AA/A1" by virtue of bond insurance issued by Assured Guaranty Municipal. The Series 2017 bonds carry an insured rating of "AA" by virtue of bond insurance issued by Build America Mutual. The Series 2016 Refunding bonds are not rated. The above ratings reflect all changes through December 31, 2022.

**CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S MANAGEMENT**

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the District's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61, c/o Smith, Murdaugh, Little & Bonham, LLP, 2727 Allen Parkway, Suite 1100, Houston, Texas 77019.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AND**  
**GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash	\$ 246,783	\$ 1,702,254
Investments	7,425,108	3,348,275
Receivables:		
Property Taxes		2,605,386
Penalty and Interest on Delinquent Taxes		
Service Accounts	497,363	
Accrued Interest		96
Other		3,179
Due from Other Funds	512,850	
Prepaid Costs	28,537	
Due from Other Governmental Units	320,850	
Net Pension Asset		
Land		
Construction in Progress		
Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)		
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 9,031,491</b>	<b>\$ 7,659,190</b>
 <b>DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>		
Deferred Outflows - Pensions	\$	\$
Deferred Charges on Refunding Bonds		
<b>TOTAL DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$ - 0 -</b>	<b>\$ - 0 -</b>
 <b>TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$ 9,031,491</b>	<b>\$ 7,659,190</b>

The accompanying notes to the financial  
statements are an integral part of this report.

<u>Capital Projects Fund</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Adjustments</u>	<u>Statement of Net Position</u>
\$ 75,604	\$ 2,024,641	\$	\$ 2,024,641
17,436,849	28,210,232		28,210,232
	2,605,386		2,605,386
		177,495	177,495
	497,363		497,363
	96		96
15,532	18,711		18,711
2,648,879	3,161,729	(3,161,729)	
	28,537		28,537
	320,850		320,850
		45,546	45,546
		3,806,407	3,806,407
		4,976,672	4,976,672
		35,792,352	35,792,352
\$ 20,176,864	\$ 36,867,545	\$ 41,636,743	\$ 78,504,288
\$	\$	\$ 179,778	\$ 179,778
		110,072	110,072
\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -	\$ 289,850	\$ 289,850
\$ 20,176,864	\$ 36,867,545	\$ 41,926,593	\$ 78,794,138

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AND**  
**GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Accounts Payable	\$ 358,031	\$
Accrued Interest Payable		
Due to Other Funds	2,647,379	7,000
Due to Taxpayers		36
Security Deposits	555,686	
Long-Term Liabilities:		
Bonds Payable, Due Within One Year		
Bonds Payable, Due After One Year		
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 3,561,096</b>	<b>\$ 7,036</b>
<b>DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>		
Property Taxes	\$	\$ 4,275,569
Deferred Inflows - Pensions		
<b>TOTAL DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$ - 0 -</b>	<b>\$ 4,275,569</b>
<b>FUND BALANCES</b>		
Nonspendable:		
Prepaid Costs	\$ 28,537	\$
Restricted for Authorized Construction		
Restricted for Debt Service		3,376,585
Unassigned	5,441,858	
<b>TOTAL FUND BALANCES</b>	<b>\$ 5,470,395</b>	<b>\$ 3,376,585</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES</b>	<b>\$ 9,031,491</b>	<b>\$ 7,659,190</b>
<b>NET POSITION</b>		
Net Investment in Capital Assets		
Restricted for Debt Service		
Unrestricted		
<b>TOTAL NET POSITION</b>		

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this report.

Capital Projects Fund	Total	Adjustments	Statement of Net Position
\$ 282,874	\$ 640,905	\$	\$ 640,905
		294,217	294,217
507,350	3,161,729	(3,161,729)	
	36		36
	555,686		555,686
		2,450,000	2,450,000
		34,294,403	34,294,403
<u>\$ 790,224</u>	<u>\$ 4,358,356</u>	<u>\$ 33,876,891</u>	<u>\$ 38,235,247</u>
\$	\$ 4,275,569	\$ (347,030)	\$ 3,928,539
		88,142	88,142
<u>\$ - 0 -</u>	<u>\$ 4,275,569</u>	<u>\$ (258,888)</u>	<u>\$ 4,016,681</u>
\$	\$ 28,537	\$ (28,537)	\$
19,386,640	19,386,640	(19,386,640)	
	3,376,585	(3,376,585)	
	5,441,858	(5,441,858)	
<u>\$ 19,386,640</u>	<u>\$ 28,233,620</u>	<u>\$ (28,233,620)</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>
<u>\$ 20,176,864</u>	<u>\$ 36,867,545</u>		
		\$ 27,327,740	\$ 27,327,740
		3,606,893	3,606,893
		5,607,577	5,607,577
		<u>\$ 36,542,210</u>	<u>\$ 36,542,210</u>

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET  
TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds \$ 28,233,620

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as assets in the governmental funds. 44,575,431

Portions of the change in net pension asset that are not immediately recognized as pension expense are recorded as deferred outflows and inflows of resources. 137,182

The difference between the net carrying amount of refunded bonds and the reacquisition price is recorded as a deferred outflow in the governmental activities and systematically charged to interest expense over the remaining life of the old debt or the life of the new debt, whichever is shorter. 110,072

Deferred inflows of resources related to property tax revenues and uncollected penalty and interest receivables on delinquent taxes for the 2021 and prior tax levies became part of recognized revenue in the governmental activities of the District. 524,525

Certain liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported as liabilities in the governmental funds. These liabilities at year end consist of:

Accrued Interest Payable	\$ (294,217)	
Bonds Payable Within One Year	(2,450,000)	
Bonds Payable After One Year	<u>(34,294,403)</u>	<u>(37,038,620)</u>

Total Net Position - Governmental Activities \$ 36,542,210

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this report.

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF**  
**REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund
<b>REVENUES</b>		
Property Taxes	\$	\$ 3,489,921
Water Service	1,029,584	
Wastewater Service	2,280,821	
Regional Water Authority Fees	3,178,433	
Sales Tax Revenue	1,311,299	
Penalty and Interest	43,317	46,214
Tap Connection and Inspection Fees	206,012	
Investment Revenues	9,325	24,832
Miscellaneous Revenues	739,225	10,493
	<u>\$ 8,798,016</u>	<u>\$ 3,571,460</u>
<b>EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES</b>		
Service Operations:		
Personnel	\$ 2,457,345	\$
Professional Fees	549,253	21,630
Contracted Services	29,427	94,968
Utilities	527,323	
Regional Water Authority Assessment	3,554,783	
Repairs and Maintenance	693,336	
Depreciation		
Other	954,290	34,755
Capital Outlay	2,492,805	
Debt Service:		
Bond Principal		2,380,000
Bond Interest		942,606
	<u>\$ 11,258,562</u>	<u>\$ 3,473,959</u>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER</b>		
<b>EXPENDITURES/EXPENSES</b>	<u>\$ (2,460,546)</u>	<u>\$ 97,501</u>
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)</b>		
Contributed by Other Governmental Unit	<u>\$ 858,938</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>
<b>NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES</b>	<u>\$ (1,601,608)</u>	<u>\$ 97,501</u>
<b>CHANGE IN NET POSITION</b>		
<b>FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION - JANUARY 1, 2022</b>	<u>7,072,003</u>	<u>3,279,084</u>
<b>FUND BALANCES/NET POSITION - DECEMBER 31, 2022</b>	<u>\$ 5,470,395</u>	<u>\$ 3,376,585</u>

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this report.



Capital Projects Fund	Total	Adjustments	Statement of Activities
\$	\$ 3,489,921	\$ 97,005	\$ 3,586,926
	1,029,584		1,029,584
	2,280,821		2,280,821
	3,178,433		3,178,433
	1,311,299		1,311,299
	89,531	56,262	145,793
	206,012		206,012
282,127	316,284		316,284
10	749,728	858,938	1,608,666
<u>\$ 282,137</u>	<u>\$ 12,651,613</u>	<u>\$ 1,012,205</u>	<u>\$ 13,663,818</u>
\$	\$ 2,457,345	\$ (29,916)	\$ 2,427,429
130,921	701,804		701,804
	124,395		124,395
	527,323		527,323
	3,554,783		3,554,783
149,607	842,943		842,943
		1,540,965	1,540,965
27,316	1,016,361		1,016,361
163,937	2,656,742	(2,656,742)	
	2,380,000	(2,380,000)	
	942,606	(17,288)	925,318
<u>\$ 471,781</u>	<u>\$ 15,204,302</u>	<u>\$ (3,542,981)</u>	<u>\$ 11,661,321</u>
\$ (189,644)	\$ (2,552,689)	\$ 4,555,186	\$ 2,002,497
\$ - 0 -	\$ 858,938	\$ (858,938)	\$ - 0 -
\$ (189,644)	\$ (1,693,751)	\$ 1,693,751	\$
		2,002,497	2,002,497
19,576,284	29,927,371	4,612,342	34,539,713
<u>\$ 19,386,640</u>	<u>\$ 28,233,620</u>	<u>\$ 8,308,590</u>	<u>\$ 36,542,210</u>

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF  
REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES  
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$ (1,693,751)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:	
Governmental funds report tax revenues when collected. However, in the Statement of Activities, revenue is recorded in the accounting period for which the taxes are levied.	97,005
Governmental funds report penalty and interest revenue on property taxes when collected. However, in the Statement of Activities, revenue is recorded when penalties and interest are assessed.	56,262
The changes in the net pension asset as well as deferred inflows and outflows of resources - pension are recorded as pension expense in the government-wide financial statements.	29,916
Governmental funds do not account for depreciation. However, in the Statement of Net Position, capital assets are depreciated and depreciation expense is recorded in the Statement of Activities.	(1,540,965)
Governmental funds report capital expenditures as expenditures in the period purchased. However, in the Statement of Net Position, capital assets are increased by new purchases and the Statement of Activities is not affected.	2,656,742
Governmental funds report bond principal payments as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Net Position, bond principal payments are reported as decreases in long-term liabilities.	2,380,000
Governmental funds report interest expenditures on long-term debt as expenditures in the year paid. However, in the Statement of Net Position, interest is accrued on the long-term debt through fiscal year-end.	17,288
Change in Net Position - Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 2,002,497</u>

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
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**NOTE 1. CREATION OF DISTRICT**

Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 was created by an order of Commissioner's Court of Harris County, Texas, on May 22, 1967. The District was reorganized as a Municipal Utility District on July 23, 1975, in accordance with the Texas Water Code, Chapter 54. The Board of Directors held its first meeting on May 25, 1967, and the first bonds were sold on August 10, 1967. The District is subject to the continuing supervision of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (the "Commission"). The District is empowered, among other things, to purchase, construct, operate and maintain all works, improvements, facilities and plants necessary for the supply of water; the collection, transportation and treatment of wastewater; and the control and diversion of storm water. The District may provide garbage disposal and collection services. In addition, the District is empowered, if approved by the electorate, the Texas Water Commission and other governmental entities having jurisdiction; to establish, operate and maintain a fire department, either independently or jointly with certain other districts.

**NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

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

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

Financial Statement Presentation

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

The GASB Codification sets forth standards for external financial reporting for all state and local government entities, which include a requirement for a Statement of Net Position and a Statement of Activities. It requires the classification of net position into three components: Net

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**NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

Financial Statement Presentation (Continued)

Investment in Capital Assets; Restricted; and Unrestricted. These classifications are defined as follows:

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

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

Government-Wide Financial Statements

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

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

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

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**NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

Fund Financial Statements

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

Governmental Funds

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

General Fund – To account for resources not required to be accounted for in another fund, customer service revenues, costs and general expenditures.

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

Capital Projects Fund – To account for financial resources restricted, committed or assigned for acquisition or construction of facilities and related costs.

Basis of Accounting

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

Property taxes considered available by the District and included in revenue include 2021 taxes collected during the period October 1, 2021, to December 31, 2022. In addition, taxes collected from January 1, 2022, to December 31, 2022 for the 2020 and prior tax levies are included in revenue. The 2022 tax levy has been fully deferred.

Amounts transferred from one fund to another fund are reported as other financing sources or uses. Loans by one fund to another fund and amounts paid by one fund for another fund are reported as interfund receivables and payables in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet if there is intent to repay the amount and if the debtor fund has the ability to repay the advance on a timely basis.

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**NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

Capital Assets

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

Assets are capitalized, including infrastructure assets, if they have an original cost greater than \$5,000 and a useful life over two years. Depreciation is calculated on each class of depreciable property using the straight-line method of depreciation. Estimated useful lives are as follows:

	Years
Buildings	40
Water System	10-45
Wastewater System	10-45
Machinery and Equipment	5-20

Budgeting

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

Pensions

The District has 20 full-time employees and one part-time employee. The District has established a Section 457 Deferred Compensation arrangement for its employees. Each employee may elect to defer a portion of their salary. Effective January 1, 2018, the District entered into pension plan with the Texas County and District Retirement System (TCDRS). See Note 12. The District provides neither administrative services nor investment advice to the plans and, therefore, no fiduciary relationship exists between the District and these plans. The District has elected to pay Social Security for its employees. The Internal Revenue Service has determined that the directors are considered to be employees for federal payroll tax purposes only. Directors do not participate in the pension plan.

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**NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

Measurement Focus

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

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

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

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

*Committed*: amounts that can be spent only for purposes determined by a formal action of the Board of Directors. The Board is the highest level of decision-making authority for the District. This action must be made no later than the end of the fiscal year. Commitments may be established, modified, or rescinded only through ordinances or resolutions approved by the Board. The District does not have any committed fund balances.

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

*Unassigned*: all other spendable amounts in the General Fund.

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

Accounting Estimates

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

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**NOTE 3. LONG-TERM DEBT**

	Refunding Series 2016	Series 2017
Amount Outstanding – December 31, 2022	\$ 2,515,000	\$ 10,880,000
Interest Rates	1.92%	2.00% - 3.00%
Maturity Dates – Serially Beginning/Ending	September 1, 2023/2028	September 1, 2023/2030
Interest Payment Dates	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1
Callable Dates	September 1, 2024*	September 1, 2025*
	Refunding Series 2019	Series 2020
Amount Outstanding – December 31, 2022	\$ 8,435,000	\$ 15,000,000
Interest Rates	2.00% - 4.00%	2.00% - 2.25%
Maturity Dates – Serially Beginning/Ending	September 1, 2023/2030	September 1, 2031/2040
Interest Payment Dates	March 1/ September 1	March 1/ September 1
Callable Dates	September 1, 2025*	September 1, 2026*

\* Or any date thereafter, at a price equal to the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption. Series 2016 Refunding term bonds due September 1, 2028, are private placement bonds with The Independent Bankers Bank and are subject to mandatory redemption by lot or other customary method at a price of par plus accrued interest on September 1 in the years and amounts as reflected in the debt service schedules. Series 2017 term bonds due September 1, 2029, are subject to mandatory redemption by lot or other customary method at a price of par plus accrued interest on September 1 in the years and amounts as reflected in the debt service schedules. Series 2020 term bonds due September 1, 2032, September 1, 2035, September 1, 2037 and September 1, 2040 are subject to mandatory redemption by lot or other customary method at a price of par plus accrued interest on September 1 in the years and amounts as reflected in the debt service schedules.



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**NOTE 3. LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)**

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

	January 1, 2022	Additions	Retirements	December 31, 2022
Bonds Payable	\$ 39,210,000	\$	\$ 2,380,000	\$ 36,830,000
Unamortized Discounts	(282,731)		(30,159)	(252,572)
Unamortized Premiums	214,255		47,280	166,975
Bonds Payable, Net	\$ 39,141,524	\$ -0-	\$ 2,397,121	\$ 36,744,403
		Amount Due Within One Year		\$ 2,450,000
		Amount Due After One Year		34,294,403
		Bonds Payable, Net		\$ 36,744,403

As of December 31, 2022, the District had authorized but unissued bonds in the amount of \$1,610,000 for utility facilities and \$13,670,000 for refunding bonds. On May 6, 2017, the District's voters authorized the issuance of \$30,000,000 of unlimited tax or refunding bonds. The \$15,000,000 of unlimited tax or refunding bonds remain unissued at year-end.

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

Fiscal Year	Principal	Interest	Total
2023	\$ 2,450,000	\$ 882,650	\$ 3,332,650
2024	2,530,000	807,163	3,337,163
2025	2,605,000	742,932	3,347,932
2026	2,685,000	680,511	3,365,511
2027	2,760,000	624,250	3,384,250
2028-2032	11,515,000	2,067,652	13,582,652
2033-2037	7,395,000	1,018,621	8,413,621
2038-2040	4,890,000	221,850	5,111,850
	\$ 36,830,000	\$ 7,045,629	\$ 43,875,629

During the year ended December 31, 2022, the District levied an ad valorem debt service tax rate of \$0.28 per \$100 of assessed valuation, which resulted in a tax levy of \$3,928,539 on the adjusted taxable valuation of \$1,398,636,456 for the 2022 tax year. The bond orders require the District to levy and collect an ad valorem debt service tax sufficient to pay interest and principal on bonds when due and the cost of assessing and collecting taxes.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
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**NOTE 3. LONG-TERM DEBT (Continued)**

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

**NOTE 4. SIGNIFICANT BOND ORDER AND LEGAL REQUIREMENTS**

The bond orders state that the District is required by the Securities and Exchange Commission to provide continuing disclosure of certain general financial information and operating data to each nationally recognized municipal securities information depository and the state information depository. This information, along with the audited annual financial statements, is to be provided within six months after the end of each fiscal year and shall continue to be provided through the life of the bonds.

The District has covenanted that it will take all necessary steps to comply with the requirement that rebatable arbitrage earnings on the investment of the gross proceeds of the Bonds, within the meaning of section 148(f) of the Internal Revenue Code, be rebated to the federal government. The minimum requirement for determination of the rebatable amount is on the five year anniversary of the date of delivery of each issue.

**NOTE 5. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

Deposits

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

Texas statutes require that any cash balance in any fund shall, to the extent not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or its successor, be continuously secured by a valid pledge to the District of securities eligible under the laws of Texas to secure the funds of the District, having an aggregate market value, including accrued interest, at all times equal to the uninsured cash balance in the fund to which such securities are pledged. At fiscal year end, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$2,269,679 and the bank balance was \$2,704,713. The District was not exposed to custodial credit risk at year-end.

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**NOTE 5. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)**

Deposits (Continued)

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

	Cash	Certificates of Deposit	Total
GENERAL FUND	\$ 246,783	\$	\$ 246,783
DEBT SERVICE FUND	1,702,254	245,038	1,947,292
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND	75,604		75,604
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$ 2,024,641	\$ 245,038	\$ 2,269,679

Investments

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

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

The District invests in TexPool, an external investment pool that is not SEC-registered. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas has oversight of the pool. Federated Investors, Inc. manages the daily operations of the pool under a contract with the Comptroller. TexPool measures all of its portfolio assets at amortized cost. As a result, the District also measures its investment in TexPool at amortized cost for financial reporting purposes. There are no limitations or restrictions on withdrawals from TexPool.

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**NOTE 5. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)**

Investments (Continued)

Certificates of deposit are valued at acquisition cost at the date of purchase.

As of December 31, 2022, the District had the following investments:

Fund and Investment Type	Fair Value	Maturities in Years			
		Less Than 1	1-5	6-10	More Than 10
<u>GENERAL FUND</u>					
TexPool	\$ 7,425,108	\$ 7,425,108	\$	\$	\$
<u>DEBT SERVICE FUND</u>					
TexPool	3,103,237	3,103,237			
Certificates of Deposit	245,038	245,038			
<u>CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND</u>					
TexPool	17,436,849	17,436,849			
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS</b>	<u>\$ 28,210,232</u>	<u>\$ 28,210,232</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>

Credit risk is the risk that the issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. At December 31, 2022, the District's investments in TexPool were rated AAAM by Standard and Poor's. The District also manages credit risk by typically investing in certificates of deposit with balances below FDIC coverage.

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The District considers the investments in TexPool to have a maturity of less than one year due to the fact the share position can usually be redeemed each day at the discretion of the District, unless there has been a significant change in value. The District also manages interest rate risk by investing in certificates of deposit with maturities of less than one year.

Restrictions

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

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**NOTE 6. CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2022:

	January 1, 2022	Increases	Decreases	December 31, 2022
<b>Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated</b>				
Land and Land Improvements	\$ 3,806,407	\$	\$	\$ 3,806,407
Construction in Progress	<u>2,453,819</u>	<u>2,656,742</u>	<u>133,889</u>	<u>4,976,672</u>
<b>Total Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated</b>	<u>\$ 6,260,226</u>	<u>\$ 2,656,742</u>	<u>\$ 133,889</u>	<u>\$ 8,783,079</u>
<b>Capital Assets Subject to Depreciation</b>				
Water System	\$ 28,266,753	\$	\$	\$ 28,266,753
Wastewater System	34,373,518	5,451		34,378,969
Building	2,072,704			2,072,704
Trucks and Equipment	<u>750,553</u>	<u>128,438</u>	<u>24,091</u>	<u>854,900</u>
<b>Total Capital Assets Subject to Depreciation</b>	<u>\$ 65,463,528</u>	<u>\$ 133,889</u>	<u>\$ 24,091</u>	<u>\$ 65,573,326</u>
<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>				
Water System	\$ 12,145,604	\$ 630,746	\$	\$ 12,776,350
Wastewater System	15,056,179	770,600		15,826,779
Building	492,723	51,818		544,541
Trucks and Equipment	<u>569,594</u>	<u>87,801</u>	<u>24,091</u>	<u>633,304</u>
<b>Total Accumulated Depreciation</b>	<u>\$ 28,264,100</u>	<u>\$ 1,540,965</u>	<u>\$ 24,091</u>	<u>\$ 29,780,974</u>
<b>Total Depreciable Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation</b>	<u>\$ 37,199,428</u>	<u>\$ (1,407,076)</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>	<u>\$ 35,792,352</u>
<b>Total Capital Assets, Net of Accumulated Depreciation</b>	<u>\$ 43,459,654</u>	<u>\$ 1,249,666</u>	<u>\$ 133,889</u>	<u>\$ 44,575,431</u>

**NOTE 7. REGIONAL WATER AUTHORITY FEES**

The North Harris County Regional Water Authority was created by House Bill 2965, Acts of the 76th Legislature, Regular Session 1999, and was confirmed by an election held on January 15, 2000. The Authority is a political subdivision of the State of Texas, governed by an elected five member Board of Directors. The Authority is empowered to, among others powers, "acquire or develop surface water and groundwater supplies from sources inside of or outside of the boundaries of the authority and may conserve, store, transport, treat, purify, distribute, sell and deliver water to persons, corporations, municipal corporation, political subdivisions of the state, and others, inside of and outside of the boundaries of the authority." The Authority is also empowered to "establish fees and charges as necessary to enable the authority to fulfill the authority's regulatory obligations." In accordance with this provision, the Authority establishes a well pumpage fee per 1,000 gallons of water pumped from each regulated well. The current rate is \$4.60 per 1,000 gallons of water pumped. During the current fiscal year, the District recorded well pumpage fees in the amount of \$3,554,783.

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**NOTE 8. RISK MANAGEMENT**

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the District carries commercial insurance. The District has not significantly reduced insurance coverage or had settlements which exceeded coverage amounts for the past three fiscal years.

**NOTE 9. STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF HOUSTON**

The District is party to a Strategic Partnership Agreement with the City of Houston (the "City") effective March 31, 2005 pursuant to which the City has annexed a portion of the District for limited purposes and has agreed for a 30-year period not to annex the District for full purposes without the District's consent. The City levies a \$.01 sales tax on sales to consumers within the Limited Annexation area, and the District receives one half of the proceeds of the City's tax. The agreement ends on March 31, 2035, after which the City may (1) renew the agreement, (2) allow the agreement to expire and not annex the District, or (3) may annex the District under Texas Law. The District is not aware of any plans for the City to annex the District on or after March 31, 2035. During the current fiscal year, the District recorded \$1,311,299 in sales tax revenues.

**NOTE 10. CONTRACTS WITH OTHER ENTITIES**

Sewage Treatment

The District is providing sewage treatment service to Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 69 (District No. 69). This contract is effective for 40 years commencing July 11, 1973. The rate charged to District No. 69 is \$0.50 less than the current rate charged to District customers. This contract was amended May 12, 2004 and states that this agreement will remain in force until December 31, 2053. District No. 69 agreed to pay the District the total amount of \$495,402 in two payments. The first payment of \$247,701 was received in May 2004 and the second payment of \$247,701 was paid July 1, 2005. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the District received revenues of \$271,761 for sewage treatment.

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**NOTE 10. CONTRACTS WITH OTHER ENTITIES (Continued)**

Sewage Treatment (Continued)

Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 248 (District No. 248) has purchased wastewater treatment plant capacity in the District's regional wastewater plant in the total amount of 256,250 gallons per day. Per the April 20, 2000 agreement, District No. 248 agrees to pay a monthly usage charge in the amount of ninety percent of the current in-district wastewater fee to the District. On June 10, 2020, the District entered into a Wastewater Treatment Agreement with District No. 248 to clarify the wastewater treatment agreement between the districts and for District No. 248 to purchase an additional 110 ESFC in the amount of \$2,500 per ESFC, for a total of \$275,000. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the District received revenues of \$382,597.

In addition, Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 222 (District No. 222) has purchased wastewater treatment capacity in the District's regional wastewater plant in the total amount of 800,000 gallons per day. District No. 222 pays a monthly usage charge to the District. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the District received revenues of \$224,706.

Water Supply Contracts

On August 30, 2000, the District entered into a long term water supply contract with Harris County Municipal Utility District No. 248 (District No. 248). The contract allows District No. 248 to purchase 400 equivalent single family connections of water supply (ESFC's), resulting in a permanent water supply of an amount not to exceed 140,000 gallons per day, at a cost of \$500,000. The purchase of these connections has been completed. The District will furnish water supply to District No. 248 from existing surplus supply, and no construction of additional facilities is anticipated for these connections. The District has agreed to allow District No. 248, at its option, to purchase in no less than 100 ESFC increments, additional existing capacity in excess of 400 ESFC's, up to a maximum of 800 ESFC's. District No. 248 will pay the sum of \$1,250.00 per ESFC for additional capacity, in no less than 100 ESFC increments. District No. 248 agrees to give the District six months (180 days) advance notice of any additional capacity purchase, to allow for construction in the event any additional facilities are needed to supply the new connections. The purchase of any and/or all of these additional ESFC's must be made no later than June 15, 2005. The contract has been amended on June 13, 2001, March 12, 2003, December 8, 2004, February 28, 2007, April 30, 2008, and February 19, 2014. District No. 248 currently owns 2,500 connections for a total of 788,000 gallons of capacity. On April 30, 2008, the Districts amended the agreement to include a "Rehabilitation Fee" to be paid to the District for future rehabilitation of the water production and distribution facilities. The fee is based upon a monthly calculation. On February 12, 2020, the District entered into a Water Supply Agreement with District No. 248 to clarify the water supply agreement between the districts and for District No. 248 to purchase an additional 116 ESFC in the amount of \$2,500 per ESFC, for a total of \$290,000. The term of this contract is 40 years from the effective date. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the District received revenues of \$123,444.

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**NOTE 10. CONTRACTS WITH OTHER ENTITIES (Continued)**

Water Supply Contracts (Continued)

On August 13, 2003, the District entered into a Water Service Agreement with Emerald Forest Utility District (Emerald Forest) to provide 35,000 gallons per day. Emerald Forest will pay a capital payment of \$75,000. The District will monitor the usage for a two year period and if the usage ever exceeds 35,000 gallons per day, the agreement requires Emerald Forest to purchase an additional 5,000 gallons per day at an additional \$11,000 capital payment. Emerald Forest is responsible for payment of surface water fees to the North Harris County Regional Water Authority.

Emergency Interconnect and Interim Water Supply Agreement

On May 18, 2022, the District approved an Emergency Interconnect and Interim Water Supply Agreement with Timberlake Improvement District. Under the terms of the agreement, the price to be paid for water delivered shall be at the rate of \$1.50 per one thousand (1,000) gallons of actual usage, as determined by the meter at the Interconnect Facilities, during the Emergency or Temporary Period plus any additional fees incurred by the supplying District that are imposed by the North Harris County Regional Water Authority. The term of the agreement is for a period of 15 years from the date of execution, unless pursuant to mutual written consent of the districts.

**NOTE 11. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND LIABILITIES**

As of December 31, 2022, the District had the following interfund liabilities: the General Fund owed the Capital Projects Fund \$2,647,379 for the remaining funds transferred to the Capital Projects Fund to fund the construction of the North Eldridge Parkway Expansion and costs related to the Wortham Falls detention improvement. The Capital Projects Fund owed the General Fund \$507,350 pending the Magellan Pipeline Company litigation. The Debt Service Fund owed the General Fund \$5,500 for tax assessor and collections fees paid. The Debt Service Fund owed the Capital Projects Fund \$1,500 for costs related to the Series 2019 Refunding bond sale.

**NOTE 12. PENSION PLAN**

Plan Description

The District provides retirement, disability, and death benefits for all of its full-time employees through a non-traditional defined benefit pension plan in the statewide Texas County and District Retirement System (TCDRS). The Board of Trustees of TCDRS is responsible for the administration of the statewide agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system consisting of more than 800 non-traditional defined benefit pension plans. TCDRS in the aggregate issues a comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) on a calendar year basis. The CAFR is available upon written request from the TCDRS Board of Trustees at P.O. Box 2034, Austin, Texas 78768-2034.



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**NOTE 12. PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

Benefits Provided

The plan provisions are adopted by the District, within the options available in the Texas state statutes governing TCDRS (TCDRS Act). Members can retire at ages 60 and above with 8 or more years of service, with 20 years of service regardless of age, or when the sum of their age and years of service equals 75 or more. Members are vested after 8 years of service but must leave their accumulated contributions in the plan to receive any employer-financed benefit. Members who withdraw their personal contributions in a lump sum are not entitled to any amounts contributed by the District.

Benefit amounts are determined by the sum of the employee’s deposits to the plan, with interest, and employer-financed monetary credits. The level of these monetary credits is adopted by the District within the actuarial constraints imposed by the TCDRS Act so that the resulting benefits can be expected to be adequately financed by the employer’s commitment to contribute. At retirement, death, or disability, the benefit is calculated by converting the sum of the employee’s accumulated deposits and the employer-financed monetary credits to a monthly annuity using annuity purchase rates prescribed by the TCDRS Act.

At December 31, 2021, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	0
Inactive employees entitled but not yet receiving benefits	3
Active employees	20

Contributions

The plan is funded by monthly contributions from both employee members and the employer based on the covered payroll of employee members. Under the TCDRS Act, the contribution rate of the employer is actuarially determined annually. The employer contributed using the actuarially determined rate of 8.79% for the months of the 2022 accounting. The deposit rate payable by the employee members for calendar years 2022 is 6.00% as adopted by the governing body of the District. The employee deposit rate and the employer contribution rate may be changed by the governing body of the District within the options available in the TCDRS Act.

For the District’s accounting year ended December 31, 2022, the annual pension cost for the TCDRS plan for its employees was \$134,236; the actual contributions were \$134,236. The employees contributed \$91,628 to the plan for the 2022 fiscal year.

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**NOTE 12. PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability in the December 31, 2021, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumption:

Actuarial valuation date	12/31/21
Actuarial cost method	Entry Age
Amortization method	Level percentage of payroll, closed
Remaining Amortization period	19.1 years
Asset Valuation Method	5-year smoothed market
Actuarial Assumptions:	
Investment return <sup>1</sup>	7.50%
Projected salary increases <sup>1</sup>	4.70%
Inflation	2.50%
Cost-of-living adjustments	0.00%

<sup>1</sup> Includes inflation at the stated rate

The demographic assumptions were developed from an actuarial experience investigation of TCDRS over the years 2017-2020. They were recommended by Milliman and adopted by the TCDRS Board of Trustees in December of 2021. All economic assumptions were recommended by Milliman and adopted by the TCDRS Board of Trustees in March of 2021. These assumptions, except where required to be different by GASB 68, are used to determine the total pension liability as of December 31, 2021. The assumptions are reviewed annually for continued compliance with the relevant actuarial standards of practice.

Mortality rates were based on the following:

Depositing members – 135% of Pub-2010 General Employees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for males and 120% Pub-2010 General Employees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for females, both projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.

Service retirees, beneficiaries and non-depositing members – 135% of Pub-2010 General Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for males and 120% Pub-2010 General Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for females, both projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.

Disabled retirees – 160% of Pub-2010 General Disables Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for males and 125% Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for females, both projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.

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**NOTE 12. PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension asset was 7.6%. The discount rate used in the previous year was 7.6%.

In order to determine the discount rate to be used, the actuary used an alternative method to determine the sufficiency of the fiduciary net position in all future years. This alternative method reflects the funding requirements under the funding policy and the legal requirements under the TCDRS Act:

- 1) TCDRS has a funding policy where the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) shall be amortized as a level percent of pay over 20-year closed layered periods.
- 2) Under the TCDRS Act, the employer is legally required to make the contribution specified in the funding policy.
- 3) The employer's assets are projected to exceed its accrued liabilities in 20 years or less. When this point is reached, the employer is still required to contribute at least the normal cost.
- 4) Any increased cost due to the adoption of a cost-of-living adjustment is required to be funded over a period of 15 years, if applicable.

Based on the above, the projected fiduciary net position is determined to be sufficient compared to projected benefit payments. Based on the expected level of cash flows and investment returns to the system, the fiduciary net position as a percentage of total pension liability is projected to increase from its current level in future years.

Since the projected fiduciary net position is projected to be sufficient to pay projected benefit payments in all future years, the discount rate for purposes of calculating the total pension liability and net pension liability is equal to the long-term assumed rate of return on investments. This long-term assumed rate of return should be net of investment expenses, but gross of administrative expenses. Therefore, the actuary has used a discount rate of 7.60%. This rate reflects the long-term assumed rate of return on assets for funding purposes of 7.50%, net of all expenses, increased by 0.10% to be gross of administrative expenses.

The long-term expected rate of return on TCDRS assets is determined by adding expected inflation to expected long-term real returns and reflecting expected volatility and correlation. The capital market assumptions and information shown below are provided by TCDRS' investment consultant, Cliffwater LLC. The numbers shown are based on January 2022 information for a 10 year time horizon.

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**NOTE 12. PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

Note that the valuation assumption for long-term expected return is re-assessed at a minimum of every four years and is based on a long-term time horizon. The TCDRS Board of Trustees adopted the current assumption at their March 2021 meeting. The assumption for the long-term expected return is reviewed annually for continued compliance with the relevant actuarial standards of practice. Milliman relies on the expertise of Cliffwater in this assessment.

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Geometric Real Rate of Return (Expected minus Inflation)
US Equities	11.50%	3.80%
Global Equities	2.50%	4.10%
International Equities-Development	5.00%	3.80%
International Equities-Emerging	6.00%	4.30%
Investment-Grade Bonds	3.00%	-0.85%
Strategic Credit	9.00%	1.77%
Direct Lending	16.00%	6.25%
Distressed Debt	4.00%	4.50%
REIT Equities	2.00%	3.10%
Master Limited Partnerships (MLPs)	2.00%	3.85%
Private Real Estate Partnerships	6.00%	5.10%
Private Equity	25.00%	6.80%
Hedge Funds	6.00%	1.55%
Cash Equivalents	2.00%	-1.05%

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
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**DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**NOTE 12. PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

Changes in Net Pension Liability/(Asset) for the measurement year ended December 31, 2021 are as follows:

	Increase (Decrease)		
	Total Pension Liability	Plan Fiduciary Net Position	Net Pension Liability/(Asset)
	(a)	(b)	(a)-(b)
Balances of December 31, 2020	\$ 614,583	\$ 584,353	\$ 30,230
Changes for the year:			
Service Costs	190,772		190,772
Interest on the Total Pension Liability	61,207		61,207
Effect of Economic/Demographic Gains or Losses	3,009		3,009
Effect of Assumptions Changes or Inputs	2,824		2,824
Administrative Expenses		(497)	497
Member Contributions		77,782	(77,782)
Net investment income		149,021	(149,021)
Employer Contributions		102,024	(102,024)
Other		5,258	(5,258)
Balances of December 31, 2021	<u>\$ 872,395</u>	<u>\$ 917,941</u>	<u>\$ (45,546)</u>

Sensitivity Analysis - The following presents the net pension liability/(asset) of the District, calculated using the discount rate of 7.60%, as well as what the District net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower (6.60%) or 1 percentage point higher (8.60%) than the current rate.

	1% Decrease	Current Discount Rate	1% Increase
	6.60%	7.60%	8.60%
Total Pension Liability	\$ 1,006,438	\$ 872,395	\$ 761,129
Fiduciary Net Position	<u>917,941</u>	<u>917,941</u>	<u>917,941</u>
Net Pension Liability/(Asset)	<u>\$ 88,497</u>	<u>\$ (45,546)</u>	<u>\$ (156,812)</u>

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
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**DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**NOTE 12. PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

As of December 31, 2022, the deferred inflows and outflows of resources are as follows:

	Deferred Inflows of resources	Deferred Outflows of resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 7,458	\$ 12,837
Changes in assumptions		32,705
Net difference between projected and actual earnings	80,684	
Contributions paid to TCDRS subsequent to the measurement date		134,236
Total	\$ 88,142	\$ 179,778

\$134,236 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability for the measurement year ending December 31, 2022 (i.e. to be recognized in the District’s financial statements dated December 31, 2023). Other amounts reported as deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended December 31:	
2022	\$ (13,820)
2023	(14,755)
2024	(13,454)
2025	(13,175)
2026	6,368
Thereafter	6,236

**NOTE 13. STANDARD UTILITY AGREEMENT**

Effective September 7, 2021, the District entered into a utility agreement with the State of Texas, acting by and through the Texas Transportation Commission (the “State”). The State deemed it necessary to make certain highway improvements which required the removal and/or relocation of certain facilities. The State agrees to reimburse the District seventy-five percent of construction and engineering costs and one-hundred percent of legal, appraisal and related acquisition costs. During the current fiscal year, the District has recorded revenue in the amount of \$858,938 in relation to this agreement.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

**DECEMBER 31, 2022**





**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES**  
**IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	Original and Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
<b>REVENUES</b>			
Water Service	\$ 1,021,100	\$ 1,029,584	\$ 8,484
Wastewater Service	2,354,075	2,280,821	(73,254)
Regional Water Authority Fee	2,846,106	3,178,433	332,327
Sales Tax Revenue	1,200,000	1,311,299	111,299
Penalty and Interest	70,000	43,317	(26,683)
Tap Connection and Inspection Fees	73,000	206,012	133,012
Investment Revenues		9,325	9,325
Miscellaneous Revenues	648,699	739,225	90,526
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 8,212,980</b>	<b>\$ 8,798,016</b>	<b>\$ 585,036</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
Service Operations:			
Personnel	\$ 2,339,486	\$ 2,457,345	\$ (117,859)
Professional Fees	329,000	549,253	(220,253)
Contracted Services	23,500	29,427	(5,927)
Utilities	529,785	527,323	2,462
Regional Water Authority Assessment	3,036,158	3,554,783	(518,625)
Repairs and Maintenance	541,500	693,336	(151,836)
Other	867,106	954,290	(87,184)
Capital Outlay	510,000	2,492,805	(1,982,805)
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 8,176,535</b>	<b>\$ 11,258,562</b>	<b>\$ (3,082,027)</b>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 36,445</b>	<b>\$ (2,460,546)</b>	<b>\$ (2,496,991)</b>
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES(USES)</b>			
Contributed by Other Governmental Unit	\$ - 0 -	\$ 858,938	\$ 858,938
<b>NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE</b>	<b>\$ 36,445</b>	<b>\$ (1,601,608)</b>	<b>\$ (1,638,053)</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE - JANUARY 1, 2022</b>	<b>7,072,003</b>	<b>7,072,003</b>	
<b>FUND BALANCE - DECEMBER 31, 2022</b>	<b>\$ 7,108,448</b>	<b>\$ 5,470,395</b>	<b>\$ (1,638,053)</b>

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION ASSET AND RELATED RATIOS**  
**TEXAS COUNTY & DISTRICT RETIREMENT SYSTEM**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	Measurement Date <u>12/31/2021</u>	Measurement Date <u>12/31/2020</u>	Measurement Date <u>12/31/2019</u>	Measurement Date <u>12/31/2018</u>
<b>Total Pension Liability</b>				
Service Cost	\$ 190,772	\$ 168,496	\$ 159,988	\$ 167,321
Interest (on the Total Pension Liability)	61,207	43,009	26,445	13,553
Difference between expected and actual experience	3,009	2,816	13,036	(13,426)
Changes of assumptions	2,824	40,378		0
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions	<u>                    </u>	<u>(5,083)</u>	<u>(1,950)</u>	<u>                    </u>
Net change in total pension liability	\$ 257,812	\$ 249,616	\$ 197,519	\$ 167,448
Total pension liability, beginning	<u>614,583</u>	<u>364,967</u>	<u>167,448</u>	<u>                    </u>
Total pension liability, ending (a)	<u>\$ 872,395</u>	<u>\$ 614,583</u>	<u>\$ 364,967</u>	<u>\$ 167,448</u>
<b>Plan Fiduciary Net Position</b>				
Contributions - employer	\$ 102,024	\$ 102,171	\$ 97,498	\$ 89,534
Contributions - employee	77,782	77,901	74,331	68,260
Net investment income	149,021	38,206	26,780	1,762
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions	0	(5,083)	(1,950)	0
Administrative Expense	(497)	(428)	(279)	(132)
Other	<u>5,258</u>	<u>5,214</u>	<u>5,867</u>	<u>4,701</u>
Net Change in plan fiduciary net position	\$ 333,588	\$ 217,981	\$ 202,247	\$ 164,125
Plan Fiduciary net position, beginning	<u>584,353</u>	<u>366,372</u>	<u>164,125</u>	<u>                    </u>
Plan Fiduciary net position, ending (b)	<u>\$ 917,941</u>	<u>\$ 584,353</u>	<u>\$ 366,372</u>	<u>\$ 164,125</u>
<b>Net Pension Liability/(Asset), Ending = (a) - (b)</b>	<u>\$ (45,546)</u>	<u>\$ 30,230</u>	<u>\$ (1,405)</u>	<u>\$ 3,323</u>
<b>Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability</b>	105.22%	95.08%	100.38%	98.02%
<b>Covered-employee payroll</b>	\$ 1,296,364	\$ 1,298,356	\$ 1,238,856	\$ 1,137,665
<b>Net pension liability as a percentage of covered employee payroll</b>	-3.51%	2.33%	-0.11%	0.29%

A full 10-year schedule will be displayed as it becomes available.

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS**  
**TEXAS COUNTY & DISTRICT RETIREMENT SYSTEM**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2022**

<u>Fiscal Year</u> <u>Ending</u> <u>December 31</u>	<u>Actuarially</u> <u>Determined</u> <u>Contribution</u>	<u>Actual</u> <u>Employer</u> <u>Contribution</u>	<u>Contribution</u> <u>Deficiency</u> <u>(Excess)</u>	<u>Pensionable</u> <u>Covered</u> <u>Payroll</u>	<u>Actual Contribution</u> <u>as a Percentage of</u> <u>Covered Payroll</u>
2018	\$ 89,534	\$ 89,534	\$ -0-	\$ 1,137,665	7.87%
2019	\$ 97,498	\$ 97,498	\$ -0-	\$ 1,238,856	7.87%
2020	\$ 95,819	\$ 102,171	\$ (6,352)	\$ 1,298,356	7.87%
2021	\$ 95,542	\$ 102,024	\$ (6,482)	\$ 1,296,364	7.87%
2022	\$ 134,236	\$ 134,236	\$ -0-	\$ 1,527,144	8.79%

A full 10-year schedule will be displayed as it becomes available.

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
 NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION  
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**NOTE 1. NET PENSION LIABILITY - TEXAS COUNTY & DISTRICT  
 RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

Assumptions

The following methods and assumptions were used to determine contribution rates:

Valuation Date	Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of December 31, two years prior to the end of the fiscal year in which the contributions are reported.
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age
Amortization method	Level percentage of payroll, closed
Remaining amortization period	19.1 years (based on contribution rate calculated in 12/31/21 valuation)
Asset Valuation Method	5-year, smoothed market
Inflation	2.50%
Salary Increases	Varies by age and service. 4.7%, average over career including inflation
Investment Rate of Return	7.50%, net of investment expenses, including inflation
Retirement Age	Members who are eligible for service retirement are assumed to commence receiving benefit payments based on age. The average age at service retirement for recent retirees is 61.
Mortality	135% of the Pub-2010 General Retirees Table for males and 120% of the Pub-2010 General Retirees Table for females, projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.
Changes in Assumptions and Methods Reflected in the Schedule of Employer Contributions*	2015: New inflation, mortality and other assumptions were reflected. 2017: New mortality assumptions were reflected. 2019: New inflation, mortality and other assumptions were reflected
Changes in Plan Provisions reflected in Schedule*	2015: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the Schedule. 2016: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the Schedule. 2017: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the Schedule. 2018: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the Schedule. 2019: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the Schedule. 2020: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the Schedule. 2021: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the Schedule.

\*Only changes that affect the benefit amount and that are effective 2015 and later are shown in Notes to Schedule

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE  
WATER DISTRICT FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT GUIDE**

**DECEMBER 31, 2022**



**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**SERVICES AND RATES**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

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

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

**2. RETAIL SERVICE PROVIDERS**

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

Based on the rate order effective April 1, 2005.

	<u>Minimum Charge</u>	<u>Minimum Usage</u>	<u>Flat Rate Y/N</u>	<u>Rate per 1,000 Gallons over Minimum Use</u>	<u>Usage Levels</u>
WATER:	\$ 4.00	4,000	N	\$ 1.125 \$ 1.25 \$ 1.50	4,001-10,000 10,001-20,000 20,000 and up
WASTEWATER:	\$ 15.50	Flat	Y		
SURCHARGE:					
Regional Water Authority Commission				\$ 4.60	per 1,000
Regulatory Assessments	0.5% of actual water and sewer				

District employs winter averaging for wastewater usage?          X    
Yes            No

Total monthly charges per 10,000 gallons usage: Water: \$10.75 Wastewater: \$15.50 Surcharge: \$46.13

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
SERVICES AND RATES  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**2. RETAIL SERVICE PROVIDERS (Continued)**

**b. WATER AND WASTEWATER RETAIL CONNECTIONS: (Unaudited)**

<u>Meter Size</u>	<u>Total Connections</u>	<u>Active Connections</u>	<u>ESFC Factor</u>	<u>Active ESFCs</u>
Unmetered			x 1.0	
≤¾"	3,704	3,671	x 1.0	3,671
1"	101	90	x 2.5	225
1½"	36	36	x 5.0	180
2"	127	123	x 8.0	984
3"	8	8	x 15.0	120
4"	7	7	x 25.0	175
6"	17	17	x 50.0	850
8"	15	15	x 80.0	1,200
10"	3	3	x 115.0	345
Total Water Connections	<u>4,018</u>	<u>3,970</u>		<u>7,750</u>
Total Wastewater Connections*	<u>3,964</u>	<u>3,970</u>	x 1.0	<u>3,970</u>

\* Includes Municipal Utility Districts No. 69, No. 222, and No. 248. Sewer connections are reported as SFE

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

Gallons pumped into system:	772,779,000	Water Accountability Ratio: 92%
		(Gallons billed and maintenance/Gallons pumped)
Gallons billed to customers:	706,159,000	

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**SERVICES AND RATES**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**4. STANDBY FEES** (authorized only under TWC Section 49.231):

Does the District have Debt Service standby fees? Yes  No

Does the District have Operation and Maintenance standby fees? Yes  No

**5. LOCATION OF DISTRICT:**

Is the District located entirely within one county?

Yes  No

County in which District is located:

Harris County, Texas

Is the District located within a city?

Entirely  Partly  Not at all

Is the District located within a city's extra territorial jurisdiction (ETJ)?

Entirely  Partly  Not at all

ETJ in which District is located:

City of Houston, Texas.

Are Board Members appointed by an office outside the District?

Yes  No

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

PERSONNEL EXPENDITURES (Including Benefits)	<u>\$ 2,457,345</u>
PROFESSIONAL FEES:	
Auditing	\$ 27,050
Engineering	355,034
Legal	<u>167,169</u>
TOTAL PROFESSIONAL FEES	<u>\$ 549,253</u>
CONTRACTED SERVICES:	
Bookkeeping	\$ 25,524
Security	<u>3,903</u>
TOTAL CONTRACTED SERVICES	<u>\$ 29,427</u>
UTILITIES:	
Electricity	\$ 465,592
Telephone	<u>61,731</u>
TOTAL UTILITIES	<u>\$ 527,323</u>
REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	<u>\$ 693,336</u>
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURES:	
Director Fees	\$ 34,200
Insurance	133,202
Office Supplies and Postage	103,957
Travel and Meetings	58,050
Other	<u>2,887</u>
TOTAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ 332,296</u>
CAPITAL OUTLAY	<u>\$ 2,492,805</u>

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

OTHER EXPENDITURES:

Chemicals	\$	93,757
Communications		12,055
Equipment/Tools		30,931
Fuel		57,604
Laboratory Fees		90,216
Permit Fees		47,143
Regional Water Authority Assessment		3,554,783
Regulatory Assessment		14,312
Sludge Hauling		187,246
Uniforms		12,697
Other		<u>76,033</u>
<b>TOTAL OTHER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b><u>4,176,777</u></b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b><u><u>11,258,562</u></u></b>

Number of persons employed by the District    20 Full-Time    1 Part-Time

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
INVESTMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

<u>Funds</u>	<u>Identification or Certificate Number</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Balance at End of Year</u>	<u>Accrued Interest Receivable at End of Year</u>
<u>GENERAL FUND</u>					
TexPool	XXXX0016	Varies	Daily	\$ 6,154,333	\$
TexPool	XXXX0017	Varies	Daily	1,270,775	
TOTAL GENERAL FUND				<u>\$ 7,425,108</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>
<u>DEBT SERVICE FUND</u>					
TexPool	XXXX0009	Varies	Daily	\$ 3,103,237	\$
Certificate of Deposit	XXXX1192	0.10%	08/10/23	245,038	96
TOTAL DEBT SERVICE FUND				<u>\$ 3,348,275</u>	<u>\$ 96</u>
<u>CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND</u>					
TexPool	XXXX0010	Varies	Daily	\$ 1,399,166	\$
TexPool	XXXX0011	Varies	Daily	185,461	
TexPool	XXXX0012	Varies	Daily	1,918,844	
TexPool	XXXX0014	Varies	Daily	469	
TexPool	XXXX0003	Varies	Daily	210,946	
TexPool	XXXX0015	Varies	Daily	13,721,963	
TOTAL CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND				<u>\$ 17,436,849</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>
TOTAL - ALL FUNDS				<u>\$ 28,210,232</u>	<u>\$ 96</u>

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
TAXES LEVIED AND RECEIVABLE  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	Debt Service Taxes	
TAXES RECEIVABLE -		
JANUARY 1, 2022	\$ 2,534,160	
Adjustments to Beginning Balance	127,831	\$ 2,661,991
Original 2022 Tax Levy	\$ 3,511,505	
Adjustment to 2022 Tax Levy	417,034	3,928,539
TOTAL TO BE ACCOUNTED FOR		\$ 6,590,530
TAX COLLECTIONS:		
Prior Years	\$ 2,314,961	
Current Year	1,670,182	3,985,143
TAXES RECEIVABLE - DECEMBER 31, 2022		\$ 2,605,387
TAXES RECEIVABLE BY		
YEAR:		
2022		\$ 2,258,357
2021		96,909
2020		95,499
2019		60,058
2018		24,471
2017		16,330
2016 and Prior		53,763
TOTAL		\$ 2,605,387

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
TAXES LEVIED AND RECEIVABLE  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
PROPERTY VALUATIONS:				
Land	\$ 397,056,307	\$ 389,262,649	\$ 345,206,300	\$ 287,283,351
Improvements	1,098,427,046	954,546,872	914,223,828	919,306,502
Personal Property	116,539,360	105,706,467	101,198,707	106,547,200
Exemptions	<u>(213,386,257)</u>	<u>(199,448,861)</u>	<u>(184,807,275)</u>	<u>(166,248,980)</u>
TOTAL PROPERTY VALUATIONS	<u>\$ 1,398,636,456</u>	<u>\$ 1,250,067,127</u>	<u>\$ 1,175,821,560</u>	<u>\$ 1,146,888,073</u>
TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION:				
Debt Service	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.29
Maintenance	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
TOTAL TAX RATES PER \$100 VALUATION	<u>\$ 0.28</u>	<u>\$ 0.29</u>	<u>\$ 0.29</u>	<u>\$ 0.29</u>
ADJUSTED TAX LEVY*	<u>\$ 3,928,539</u>	<u>\$ 3,601,447</u>	<u>\$ 3,464,877</u>	<u>\$ 3,326,300</u>
PERCENTAGE OF TAXES COLLECTED TO TAXES LEVIED	<u>42.51 %</u>	<u>97.31 %</u>	<u>97.24 %</u>	<u>98.19 %</u>

\* Based upon adjusted tax at time of audit for the period in which the tax was levied.

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

SERIES - 2016 REFUNDING

Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1/ September 1	Total
2023	\$ 390,000	\$ 48,288	\$ 438,288
2024	400,000	40,800	440,800
2025	410,000	33,120	443,120
2026	425,000	25,248	450,248
2027	440,000	17,088	457,088
2028	450,000	8,640	458,640
2029			
2030			
2031			
2032			
2033			
2034			
2035			
2036			
2037			
2038			
2039			
2040			
	<u>\$ 2,515,000</u>	<u>\$ 173,184</u>	<u>\$ 2,688,184</u>

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

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Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1/ September 1	Total
2023	\$ 720,000	\$ 285,875	\$ 1,005,875
2024	735,000	271,475	1,006,475
2025	1,130,000	256,775	1,386,775
2026	1,160,000	234,175	1,394,175
2027	1,195,000	208,075	1,403,075
2028	1,230,000	178,200	1,408,200
2029	2,310,000	141,300	2,451,300
2030	2,400,000	72,000	2,472,000
2031			
2032			
2033			
2034			
2035			
2036			
2037			
2038			
2039			
2040			
	<u>\$ 10,880,000</u>	<u>\$ 1,647,875</u>	<u>\$ 12,527,875</u>

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

SERIES - 2019 REFUNDING

Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1/ September 1	Total
2023	\$ 1,340,000	\$ 232,425	\$ 1,572,425
2024	1,395,000	178,825	1,573,825
2025	1,065,000	136,975	1,201,975
2026	1,100,000	105,025	1,205,025
2027	1,125,000	83,025	1,208,025
2028	1,160,000	60,525	1,220,525
2029	615,000	34,425	649,425
2030	635,000	19,050	654,050
2031			
2032			
2033			
2034			
2035			
2036			
2037			
2038			
2039			
2040			
	<u>\$ 8,435,000</u>	<u>\$ 850,275</u>	<u>\$ 9,285,275</u>

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

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Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	Principal Due September 1	Interest Due March 1/ September 1	Total
2023		\$ 316,062	\$ 316,062
2024		316,063	316,063
2025		316,062	316,062
2026		316,063	316,063
2027		316,062	316,062
2028		316,063	316,063
2029		316,062	316,062
2030		316,063	316,063
2031	1,340,000	316,062	1,656,062
2032	1,375,000	289,262	1,664,262
2033	1,405,000	261,763	1,666,763
2034	1,440,000	233,663	1,673,663
2035	1,480,000	204,863	1,684,863
2036	1,515,000	175,263	1,690,263
2037	1,555,000	143,069	1,698,069
2038	1,590,000	110,025	1,700,025
2039	1,630,000	74,250	1,704,250
2040	1,670,000	37,575	1,707,575
	\$ 15,000,000	\$ 4,374,295	\$ 19,374,295

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
LONG-TERM DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

ANNUAL REQUIREMENTS  
FOR ALL SERIES

Due During Fiscal Years Ending December 31	Total Principal Due	Total Interest Due	Total Principal and Interest Due
2023	\$ 2,450,000	\$ 882,650	\$ 3,332,650
2024	2,530,000	807,163	3,337,163
2025	2,605,000	742,932	3,347,932
2026	2,685,000	680,511	3,365,511
2027	2,760,000	624,250	3,384,250
2028	2,840,000	563,428	3,403,428
2029	2,925,000	491,787	3,416,787
2030	3,035,000	407,113	3,442,113
2031	1,340,000	316,062	1,656,062
2032	1,375,000	289,262	1,664,262
2033	1,405,000	261,763	1,666,763
2034	1,440,000	233,663	1,673,663
2035	1,480,000	204,863	1,684,863
2036	1,515,000	175,263	1,690,263
2037	1,555,000	143,069	1,698,069
2038	1,590,000	110,025	1,700,025
2039	1,630,000	74,250	1,704,250
2040	1,670,000	37,575	1,707,575
	<u>\$ 36,830,000</u>	<u>\$ 7,045,629</u>	<u>\$ 43,875,629</u>

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
CHANGE IN LONG-TERM BOND DEBT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022**

Description	Original Bonds Issued	Bonds Outstanding January 1, 2022	
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 Unlimited Tax Bonds - Series 2011	\$ 8,630,000	\$ 460,000	
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds - Series 2012	8,295,000	775,000	
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds - Series 2016	7,390,000	3,520,000	
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 Unlimited Tax Bonds - Series 2017	11,250,000	10,985,000	
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds - Series 2019	8,540,000	8,470,000	
Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61 Unlimited Tax Bonds - Series 2020	<u>15,000,000</u>	<u>15,000,000</u>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<u><u>\$ 59,105,000</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 39,210,000</u></u>	
Bond Authority:	<u>Tax and Refunding Bonds</u>	<u>Tax Bonds</u>	<u>Refunding Bonds</u>
Amount Authorized by Voters	\$ 30,000,000	\$ 75,545,000	\$ 36,000,000
Amount Issued	<u>15,000,000</u>	<u>73,935,000</u>	<u>22,330,000</u>
Remaining to be Issued	<u><u>\$ 15,000,000</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,610,000</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 13,670,000</u></u>
Debt Service Fund cash and investment balances as of December 31, 2022:		<u><u>\$ 5,050,529</u></u>	
Average annual debt service payment (principal and interest) for remaining term of all debt:		<u><u>\$ 2,437,535</u></u>	

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

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

<u>Current Year Transactions</u>				
<u>Bonds Sold</u>	<u>Retirements</u>		<u>Bonds Outstanding December 31, 2022</u>	<u>Paying Agent</u>
	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>		
\$	\$ 460,000	\$ 14,260	\$ -0-	Wells Fargo Bank N.A. Houston, TX
	775,000	23,250	\$ -0-	The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Co., N.A. Dallas, TX
	1,005,000	67,584	2,515,000	The Independent Bankers Bank Houston, TX
	105,000	287,975	10,880,000	Amegy Bank, N.A. Houston, TX
	35,000	233,475	8,435,000	The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Co., N.A. Dallas, TX
		316,062	15,000,000	Zions Bancorporation, N.A. Houston, TX
<u>\$ - 0 -</u>	<u>\$ 2,380,000</u>	<u>\$ 942,606</u>	<u>\$ 36,830,000</u>	

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES**  
**GENERAL FUND - FIVE YEARS**

	Amounts		
	2022	2021	2020
<b>REVENUES</b>			
Water Service	\$ 1,029,584	\$ 954,935	\$ 975,252
Wastewater Service	2,280,821	2,222,862	2,199,906
Regional Water Authority Fee	3,178,433	2,831,678	2,701,076
Sales Tax Revenues	1,311,299	1,154,103	1,081,209
Penalty and Interest	43,317	38,465	50,615
Tap Connection and Inspection Fees	206,012	34,078	93,112
Investment Revenues	9,325		
Miscellaneous Revenues	<u>739,225</u>	<u>855,558</u>	<u>591,453</u>
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<u>\$ 8,798,016</u>	<u>\$ 8,091,679</u>	<u>\$ 7,692,623</u>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
Personnel	\$ 2,457,345	\$ 2,161,049	\$ 2,105,283
Professional Fees	549,253	377,838	333,102
Contracted Services	29,427	25,565	19,775
Utilities	527,323	669,986	720,104
Regional Water Authority Assessment	3,554,783	3,083,139	2,882,480
Repairs and Maintenance	693,336	673,241	831,707
Other	954,290	799,754	753,498
Capital Outlay	<u>2,492,805</u>	<u>1,724,419</u>	<u>443,822</u>
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<u>\$ 11,258,562</u>	<u>\$ 9,514,991</u>	<u>\$ 8,089,771</u>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<u>\$ (2,460,546)</u>	<u>\$ (1,423,312)</u>	<u>\$ (397,148)</u>
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)</b>			
Contributed by Other Governmental Unit	<u>\$ 858,938</u>	<u>\$ 1,532,882</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>
<b>NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE</b>	\$ (1,601,608)	\$ 109,570	\$ (397,148)
<b>BEGINNING FUND BALANCE</b>	<u>7,072,003</u>	<u>6,962,433</u>	<u>7,359,581</u>
<b>ENDING FUND BALANCE</b>	<u>\$ 5,470,395</u>	<u>\$ 7,072,003</u>	<u>\$ 6,962,433</u>

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		Percentage of Total Revenue				
2019	2018	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
\$ 936,906	\$ 991,363	11.8 %	11.7 %	12.6 %	12.7 %	13.7 %
2,305,953	2,307,234	25.9	27.5	28.6	31.5	31.8
2,470,393	2,288,384	36.1	35.0	35.1	33.7	31.5
1,119,902	1,139,429	14.9	14.3	14.1	15.3	15.7
53,863	54,472	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.7
56,344	139,018	2.3	0.4	1.2	0.8	1.9
		0.1				
385,749	344,215	8.4	10.6	7.7	5.3	4.7
<u>\$ 7,329,110</u>	<u>\$ 7,264,115</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>
\$ 1,998,741	\$ 1,876,891	27.9 %	26.7 %	27.4 %	27.3 %	25.8 %
413,193	337,269	6.2	4.7	4.3	5.6	4.6
15,221	20,481	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
738,557	676,268	6.0	8.3	9.4	10.1	9.3
2,701,703	2,548,682	40.4	38.1	37.5	36.9	35.1
638,222	594,890	7.9	8.3	10.8	8.7	8.2
704,682	716,100	10.8	9.9	9.8	9.6	9.9
117,758	88,594	28.3	21.3	5.8	1.6	1.2
<u>\$ 7,328,077</u>	<u>\$ 6,859,175</u>	<u>127.8 %</u>	<u>117.6 %</u>	<u>105.3 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>94.4 %</u>
\$ 1,033	\$ 404,940	<u>(27.8) %</u>	<u>(17.6) %</u>	<u>(5.3) %</u>	<u>0.0 %</u>	<u>5.6 %</u>
\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -					
\$ 1,033	\$ 404,940					
7,358,548	6,953,608					
<u>\$ 7,359,581</u>	<u>\$ 7,358,548</u>					

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61**  
**COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES**  
**DEBT SERVICE FUND - FIVE YEARS**

	Amounts		
	2022	2021	2020
<b>REVENUES</b>			
Property Taxes	\$ 3,489,921	\$ 3,346,338	\$ 3,107,730
Penalty and Interest	46,214	69,704	36,556
Investment Revenues	24,832	1,289	15,367
Miscellaneous Revenues	10,493	76,918	72,154
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 3,571,460</b>	<b>\$ 3,494,249</b>	<b>\$ 3,231,807</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
Tax Collection Expenditures	\$ 149,288	\$ 168,711	\$ 119,286
Debt Service Principal	2,380,000	2,320,000	2,260,000
Debt Service Interest and Fees	944,671	933,993	797,442
Bond Issuance Costs			
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 3,473,959</b>	<b>\$ 3,422,704</b>	<b>\$ 3,176,728</b>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 97,501</b>	<b>\$ 71,545</b>	<b>\$ 55,079</b>
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)</b>			
Long-Term Debt Issued	\$	\$	\$
Payment to Refunded Bond Escrow Agent			
Bond Discount			
Bond Premium			
<b>TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)</b>	<b>\$ - 0 -</b>	<b>\$ - 0 -</b>	<b>\$ - 0 -</b>
<b>NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE</b>	<b>\$ 97,501</b>	<b>\$ 71,545</b>	<b>\$ 55,079</b>
<b>BEGINNING FUND BALANCE</b>	<b>3,279,084</b>	<b>3,207,539</b>	<b>3,152,460</b>
<b>ENDING FUND BALANCE</b>	<b>\$ 3,376,585</b>	<b>\$ 3,279,084</b>	<b>\$ 3,207,539</b>
<b>TOTAL ACTIVE RETAIL WATER CONNECTIONS</b>	<b>3,970</b>	<b>3,957</b>	<b>3,965</b>
<b>TOTAL ACTIVE RETAIL WASTEWATER CONNECTIONS</b>	<b>3,970</b>	<b>3,957</b>	<b>3,965</b>

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		Percentage of Total Revenue				
2019	2018	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
\$ 3,191,313	\$ 3,102,728	97.7 %	95.8 %	96.2 %	94.0 %	95.7 %
80,043	43,414	1.3	2.0	1.1	2.4	1.3
74,118	67,406	0.7		0.5	2.2	2.1
47,703	29,536	0.3	2.2	2.2	1.4	0.9
<u>\$ 3,393,177</u>	<u>\$ 3,243,084</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>
\$ 135,287	\$ 117,723	4.2 %	4.8 %	3.7 %	4.0 %	3.6 %
2,465,000	2,365,000	66.6	66.4	69.9	72.6	72.9
737,242	961,463	26.5	26.7	24.7	21.7	29.6
299,746					8.8	
<u>\$ 3,637,275</u>	<u>\$ 3,444,186</u>	<u>97.3 %</u>	<u>97.9 %</u>	<u>98.3 %</u>	<u>107.1 %</u>	<u>106.1 %</u>
\$ (244,098)	\$ (201,102)	<u>2.7 %</u>	<u>2.1 %</u>	<u>1.7 %</u>	<u>(7.1) %</u>	<u>(6.1) %</u>
\$ 8,540,000	\$					
(8,500,183)						
(74,905)						
244,709						
<u>\$ 209,621</u>	<u>\$ - 0 -</u>					
\$ (34,477)	\$ (201,102)					
3,186,937	3,388,039					
<u>\$ 3,152,460</u>	<u>\$ 3,186,937</u>					
3,940	3,937					
<u>3,887</u>	<u>3,887</u>					

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**HARRIS COUNTY FRESH WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT NO. 61  
BOARD MEMBERS, KEY PERSONNEL AND CONSULTANTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**

District Mailing Address - Harris County Fresh Water Supply District No. 61  
c/o Smith, Murdaugh, Little & Bonham, LLP  
2727 Allen Parkway, Suite 1100, Houston, Texas 77019

District Telephone Number - (281) 469-9405

<b>Board Members</b>	Term of Office (Elected or <u>Appointed</u> )	Fees of Office for the year ended <u>December 31, 2022</u>	Expense Reimbursements for the year ended <u>December 31, 2022</u>	<u>Title</u>
Darrell A. Barroso	05/22 05/26 (Elected)	\$ 7,200	\$ 171	President
Lary J. Cangelose	05/20 05/24 (Elected)	\$ 5,700	\$ -0-	Vice President
Mike Kelley	05/22 05/26 (Elected)	\$ 7,200	\$ 263	Secretary
Ben Solis	05/20 05/24 (Elected)	\$ 6,900	\$ 284	Treasurer
Jon Morgan	05/20 05/24 (Elected)	\$ 7,200	\$ 164	Assistant Secretary

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

Submission date of most recent District Registration Form: May 31, 2022

The limit on Fees of Office that a Director may receive during a fiscal year is \$7,200 as set by Board Resolution (TWC Section 49.060). Fees of Office are the amounts actually paid to a Director during the District's current fiscal year.

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<b>Consultants:</b>	<u>Date Hired</u>	<u>Fees for the year ended December 31, 2022</u>	<u>Title</u>
Smith, Murdaugh, Little & Bonham, LLP	05/22/67	\$ 587,597 \$ 11,391	General Counsel Delinquent Tax Attorney
McCall Gibson Swedlund Barfoot PLLC	12/17/14	\$ 27,050	Auditor
Municipal Business Service	01/01/83	\$ 5,199	Former District Funds Manager
Myrtle Cruz	05/18/22	\$ 14,228	District Funds Manager
Robert W. Baird & Company	02/18/15	\$ -0-	Financial Advisor
Lockwood Andrews & Newnam, Inc.	09/93	\$ 891,458	Engineer
<b>Key Personnel:</b>			
Jerry Homan	10/13/94	Salaried Employee	General Manager/ Investment Officer
Brian Breeding	03/21/11	Salaried Employee	Assistant General Manager
Pam Magee	09/27/88	Salaried Employee	Office Manager/ Investment Officer

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