

*Financial Report*

*Terrebonne Parish Sheriff*

*Houma, Louisiana*

*For the year ended June 30, 2018*

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As of and for the year ended June 30, 2018

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**FINANCIAL SECTION**

## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Honorable Jerry Larpenter,  
Terrebonne Parish Sheriff,  
Houma, Louisiana.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the General Fund and the Fiduciary Fund of the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff (the Sheriff), State of Louisiana, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Sheriff's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

### **Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

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

### **Auditor's Responsibility**

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

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

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

## **Opinions**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, General Fund, and Fiduciary Fund of the Sheriff as of June 30, 2018, and the respective changes in financial position of the governmental activities and General Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## **Other Matters**

### *Required Supplementary Information*

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis (on pages 4 through 9), Budgetary Comparison Schedule, the Schedule of Changes in the Sheriff's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios, the Schedule of the Sheriff's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability and the Schedule of Sheriff Contributions (Exhibits I through M on pages 45 through 49) be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

### *Other Information*

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Sheriff's basic financial statements. The supplementary information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements.

The supplementary information section, Schedules 1 through 3 on pages 50 through 52, 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. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional audit procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, Schedules 1 through 3 are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

The supplementary information in Schedule 4 on page 53, Affidavit of Cash on Hand and of Taxes Collected and Assessed and Uncollected, has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and accordingly, we express no opinion or provide any assurance on it.

**Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards**

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated January 22, 2019 on our consideration of the Sheriff's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the Sheriff's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

*Bougeois Bennett, L.L.C.*

Certified Public Accountants.

Houma, Louisiana,  
January 22, 2019.

## **MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

### **Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

The Management's Discussion and Analysis of the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff (the Sheriff) financial performance presents a narrative overview and analysis of the Sheriff's financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2018. This document focuses on the current year's activities, resulting changes, and currently known facts. Please read this document in conjunction with the financial statements, which follow this section.

### **FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

As of June 30, 2018, the Sheriff had a deficit net position of \$53,055,209, which represents a 120.10% decrease from last fiscal year. The significant decrease in net position is due to the implementation of GASB No. 75, "*Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits other than Pension.*"

The Sheriff's revenues slightly decreased \$110,084, or 0.41% mainly because of the net effect of the decrease in charges for services and increase in sales taxes.

The Sheriff's expenses decreased \$1,063,131, or 3.24% due to decreases in personal services and purchases of machinery and equipment.

### **OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Sheriff's financial statements. The Sheriff's annual report consists of five parts: (1) management's discussion and analysis (this section) (2) basic financial statements (3) required supplementary information (4) supplementary information and (5) various governmental compliance reports and schedules by certified public accountants and management.

The basic financial statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the Sheriff:

#### **Government-wide Financial Statements**

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Sheriff's finances, in a manner similar to a private sector business. The Statement of Net Position presents information on all of the Sheriff's assets, deferred outflow of resources, liabilities and deferred inflow of resources, with the difference reported as net position (deficit). Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the Sheriff is improving or deteriorating. The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the Sheriff's net position changed during each fiscal year. All changes are reported regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods. The governmental activity of the Sheriff is public safety. The government-wide financial statements are presented on pages 10 and 11 of this report.

## **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 Sheriff uses funds to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related laws and regulations and maintains two types of funds, governmental and fiduciary fund types.

### ***Governmental Fund***

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. Both the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The Sheriff maintains one individual governmental fund. Information is presented in the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and in the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance for the General Fund. The governmental fund financial statements can be found in pages 12 through 15 of this report.

### ***Fiduciary Fund***

Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the Sheriff. These funds report taxes collected for other taxing bodies, deposits held pending a court action and the individual prison inmate accounts. While these funds represent a trust responsibility, these assets are restricted in purpose and do not represent assets of the Sheriff. Therefore, these assets are not presented as part of the government-wide financial statements. The Statement of Fiduciary Fund can be found on page 16 of this report.

## **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. The notes to the financial statements begin on page 17 of this report.

## **Other Information**

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning the Sheriff's budget presentations, schedule of changes in the Sheriff's total OPEB liability and related ratios, a schedule of the proportionate share of net pension liability and a schedule of Sheriff contributions. A budgetary comparison statement is included as "required supplementary information" for the General Fund. This statement demonstrates compliance with the Sheriff's adopted and final revised budget. Required supplementary information can be found on pages 45 through 49 of this report.

Immediately following the required supplementary information section is the supplementary information section consisting of a Combining Statement of Changes in Agency Fund Assets and a Schedule of Ad valorem Taxes Collected and Assessed and Uncollected, which presents detail changes in the Sheriff's agency funds and ad valorem tax information for the year ended June 30, 2018. A Schedule of Compensation, Benefits, and Other Payments to Agency Head of Chief Executive Officer is also presented in the supplementary information section.

An affidavit of cash on hand and of taxes collected and assessed and uncollected, as required by the State of Louisiana, is presented in supplementary information on page 53.

### **GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS**

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the Sheriff's financial position. As of June 30, 2018, net position is a deficit of \$53,055,209. A portion of the Sheriff's net position, \$4,218,045, reflects its net investment in capital assets (e.g., land, furniture and fixtures, boats and vehicles, weapons and equipment, and buildings). Consequently, these assets are not available for future spending.

#### **Condensed Statements of Net Position**

	June 30		Dollar Change
	2018	2017	
Current and other assets	\$ 2,383,357	\$ 2,420,114	\$ (36,757)
Capital assets	4,218,045	5,095,312	(877,267)
Total Assets	6,601,402	7,515,426	(914,024)
Deferred Outflows of Resources	5,456,804	7,573,257	(2,116,453)
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	12,058,206	15,088,683	(3,030,477)
Current Liabilities	981,339	917,994	63,345
Long-term liabilities	60,267,776	36,761,372	23,506,404
Total liabilities	61,249,115	37,679,366	23,569,749
Deferred Inflows of Resources	3,864,300	1,514,848	2,349,452
Total liabilities and deferred inflows of resources	65,113,415	39,194,214	25,919,201
Net Position:			
Net Investment in capital assets	4,218,045	5,095,312	(877,267)
Restricted	492,801	326,446	166,355
Unrestricted (deficit)	(57,766,055)	(29,527,289)	(28,238,766)
Total Net Position	\$ (53,055,209)	\$ (24,105,531)	\$ (28,949,678)

## Governmental Activities

Governmental activities decreased the Sheriff's net position by \$5,223,375. GASB Statement No. 75, "Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits other than Pension" required the Sheriff to retroactively recognize the balance of the unfunded actuarial liability for OPEB. Beginning net position was decreased by \$23,726,303. The total net decrease to net position was \$28,949,678. Key elements of this decrease are as follows:

### Condensed Statement of Activities

	For the year ended June 30,		Dollar	Total
	2018	2017	Change	Percent
				Change
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Program:				
Charges for services	\$ 6,081,834	\$ 7,273,093	\$ (1,191,259)	-16.38%
Capital grants and contributions	20,550	56,532	(35,982)	-63.65%
Operating grants and contributions	1,555,336	1,832,495	(277,159)	-15.12%
General:				
Ad valorem taxes	7,146,478	6,990,666	155,812	2.23%
Sales taxes	10,678,589	9,471,098	1,207,491	12.75%
Grants not restricted to specific program	999,283	969,006	30,277	3.12%
Unrestricted investment earnings	913	177	736	415.82%
Total revenues	<u>26,482,983</u>	<u>26,593,067</u>	<u>(110,084)</u>	<u>-0.41%</u>
<b>Program Expenses:</b>				
Public Safety	<u>31,706,358</u>	<u>32,769,489</u>	<u>(1,063,131)</u>	<u>-3.24%</u>
Increase in net position	<u>(5,223,375)</u>	<u>(6,176,422)</u>	<u>953,047</u>	<u>-15.43%</u>
Net position (deficit), beginning of year	(24,105,531)	(17,929,109)	(6,176,422)	34.45%
Restatement, implementation of GASB No. 75	(23,726,303)	-	(23,726,303)	100.00%
Net position, beginning of year as restated	<u>(47,831,834)</u>	<u>(17,929,109)</u>	<u>(29,902,725)</u>	<u>166.78%</u>
Net position (deficit), end of year	<u>\$ (53,055,209)</u>	<u>\$ (24,105,531)</u>	<u>\$ (28,949,678)</u>	<u>-120.10%</u>

Revenues decreased because of the net effect of the decrease in charges for services and the increase in sales taxes during the year. The decrease in charges for services was mainly due to the decreases of approximately \$683,000 in the keeping, feeding and transporting of prisoners due to a decrease in the number of prisoners held during the fiscal year. Also, in the prior year the Sheriff recognized approximately \$470,000 of revenue related to three large insurance proceeds amounts received for from accident claims. Sales tax revenue increased by approximately \$1,207,000 due to a slight increase in the local economy. Program expenditures decreased due to a decrease in personal services and decrease in purchases of equipment and machinery.

## FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S FUNDS

As noted earlier, the Sheriff uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

## **Governmental Funds**

The focus of the Sheriff's governmental fund is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Sheriff's financing requirements. The General Fund is the chief operating fund of the Sheriff. It is used to account for all financial resources except those that are required to be accounted for in another fund. The Sheriff's total General Fund balance decreased by \$100,102 during the current fiscal year and the unassigned fund balance component of the General Fund's fund balance was \$619,644 and is available for spending at the Sheriff's discretion. The remainder of the General Fund's fund balance of \$782,374 is comprised of \$289,573 of resources in a nonspendable form and \$492,801 of restricted resources. During the fiscal year the General Fund issued \$5,000,000 and repaid \$4,000,000 revenue anticipation notes. This represented an increase in debt activity of \$2,000,000 over 2017.

## **Fiduciary Funds**

These funds are used as depositories for civil suits, cash bonds, taxes, fees and other custodial funds. Disbursements from these funds are made to various parish agencies, litigants in suits, etc. in the manner prescribed by law. These funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve the measurement of results of operations. The activity from these funds are excluded from the Sheriff's government-wide financial statements because the Sheriff cannot use these assets to finance operations.

## **General Fund Budgetary Highlights**

The budgetary comparison schedule for the General Fund displays original and final budgets and actual, with a variance column showing the favorable or (unfavorable) differences of actual with the final budget. The budget was amended once during the year. The major differences between the original General Fund budget and the final amended budget were as follows:

- Revenues
  - Feeding, keeping and transporting prisoners decreased by \$1,179,000 to reflect an overall decrease in the number of prisoners housed by the Sheriff.
  - Other fees, charges, and commissions for services decrease \$392,969 to reflect a decrease in the amount of insurance proceeds actually received.
- Other financing sources
  - Debt proceeds increased \$4,000,000 for issuance of revenue anticipation notes.
- Expenditures
  - Personal services and related benefits increased by \$553,016 because of step increases in the current year.
  - Operation and maintenance decreased by \$137,185 to reflect the decreases in various maintenance, supply, and repair accounts.
  - Debt service principal expenditures increased \$4,000,000 for payback of revenue anticipation notes.
  - Capital outlay decreased \$307,363 due decrease in the amount of actual purchases of vehicles, deputy equipment, and radios.

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## **CAPITAL ASSETS**

### **Capital Assets**

The Sheriff's investment in capital assets for its governmental activities as of June 30, 2018, amounts to \$4,218,045 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, furniture and fixtures, boats and vehicles, weapons and equipment, and buildings and improvements as follows:

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Land	\$ 338,500	\$ 338,500
Furniture and fixtures	289,779	326,501
Boats and vehicles	1,642,306	2,304,749
Weapons and equipment	438,158	524,870
Buildings	<u>1,509,302</u>	<u>1,600,692</u>
Totals	<u>\$ 4,218,045</u>	<u>\$ 5,095,312</u>

Capital asset additions for the year were \$197,043 and reductions were \$177,740. Depreciation expense for the year was \$1,051,117.

Major capital asset additions during the current fiscal year included the following:

- Addition of 68 new laptops.
- Addition of 7 new bullet proof vests.
- Addition of 13 new tasers.
- Addition of Excavator, 2018 Versa, and Dump Truck.

Additional information on the Sheriff's capital assets can be found in Note 6, Exhibit H of this report.

## **ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET**

Approximately 63% of the Sheriff's budgeted revenues are derived from ad valorem and sales taxes. Revenues and expenses in total are expected to remain stable.

## **REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION**

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Sheriff's finances for all those with an interest in the Sheriff's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to: Jerry Larpenfer, Terrebonne Sheriff and Tax Collector, P.O. Box 1670, Houma, LA. 70361.

**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION****Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

June 30, 2018

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
<b>Assets</b>	
Cash and interest-bearing deposits	\$ 544,770
Receivables:	
Due from other governmental units	514,213
Sales and use taxes	937,040
Accounts	97,761
Prepaid items	289,573
Capital Assets:	
Non-depreciable	338,500
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation	<u>3,879,545</u>
Total assets	<u>6,601,402</u>
<b>Deferred Outflows of Resources</b>	
Pension	4,222,078
Other postemployment benefits	<u>1,234,726</u>
Total deferred outflow of resources	<u>5,456,804</u>
Total assets and deferred outflow of resources	<u>12,058,206</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Accounts and other accrued payables	981,339
Long-term liabilities:	
Due within one year	1,404,919
Due after one year	<u>58,862,857</u>
Total liabilities	<u>61,249,115</u>
<b>Deferred Inflows of Resources</b>	
Pension	2,268,483
Other postemployment benefits	<u>1,595,817</u>
Total deferred inflow of resources	<u>3,864,300</u>
Total liabilities and deferred inflow of resources	<u>65,113,415</u>
<b>Net Position (Deficit)</b>	
Net investment in capital assets	4,218,045
Restricted for special programs	492,801
Unrestricted	<u>(57,766,055)</u>
Total net position (deficit)	<u>\$ (53,055,209)</u>

See notes to financial statements.

**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES****Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

Functions/Programs	Expenses	Program Revenue		Net (Expenses) Revenue and Changes in Net Position	
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions		Capital Grants and Contributions
Governmental activities:					
General government- public safety	<u>\$ 31,706,358</u>	<u>\$ 6,081,834</u>	<u>\$ 1,555,336</u>	<u>\$ 20,550</u>	<u>(24,048,638)</u>
General revenues:					
Property taxes					7,146,478
Sales tax					10,678,589
Grants not restricted to specific programs					999,283
Unrestricted investment earnings					913
Total general revenues					<u>18,825,263</u>
Change in net position					(5,223,375)
Net Position (Deficit)					
Beginning of year, as restated					<u>(47,831,834)</u>
Ending					<u>\$ (53,055,209)</u>

See notes to financial statements.

**GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCE SHEET****Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

June 30, 2018

	<u>General Fund</u>
<b>Assets</b>	
Cash and interest-bearing deposits	\$ 544,770
Receivables:	
Due from other governmental units	514,213
Sales and use taxes	937,040
Accounts	97,761
Prepaid items	<u>289,573</u>
Total assets	<u><u>\$ 2,383,357</u></u>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Accounts payable	\$ 463,805
Salaries payable	<u>517,534</u>
Total liabilities	<u>981,339</u>
<b>Fund balances:</b>	
Nonspendable	289,573
Restricted - narcotics	492,801
Unassigned	<u>619,644</u>
Total fund balances	<u>1,402,018</u>
Total liabilities and fund balances	<u><u>\$ 2,383,357</u></u>

See notes to financial statements.

**RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUND  
BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

June 30, 2018

**Fund Balances - Governmental Fund** \$ 1,402,018

Amounts reported for governmental activities  
in the statement of net position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not  
financial resources and, therefore, are not reported  
in the governmental funds:

Governmental capital assets	\$ 15,182,666	
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(10,964,621)</u>	4,218,045

Deferred outflows of resources used in  
governmental activities are not financial resources and,  
therefore, are not reported in governmental funds.

5,456,804

Non-current liabilities are not due and payable  
in the current period and therefore are not  
reported in the governmental funds:

Notes Payable	(1,000,000)	
Compensated absences	(404,919)	
Net pension liability	(9,327,249)	
Other postemployment benefit obligations	<u>(49,535,608)</u>	(60,267,776)

Deferred inflows of resources are not due and  
payable in the current period and, therefore,  
are not reported in governmental funds.

(3,864,300)

**Net Position of Governmental Activities** **\$ (53,055,209)**

See notes to financial statements.

**STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND REVENUES**  
**EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

	General Fund
<b>Revenues</b>	
Ad valorem taxes	\$ 7,146,478
Sales taxes	10,678,589
Intergovernmental revenues:	
Federal grants	173,370
State revenue sharing, net	217,075
State supplemental pay	1,356,966
State gaming revenue	782,208
Other	25,000
Fees, charges, and commissions for services:	
Contract services	1,520,442
Civil and criminal fees and commissions	1,936,056
Feeding, keeping, and transporting prisoners	2,163,425
Other	482,461
Interest	913
Total revenues	26,482,983
<b>Expenditures</b>	
Current:	
Public safety:	
Personal services and related benefits	21,940,048
Operating services	902,894
Operation and maintenance	4,418,313
Travel and other charges	26,559
Debt service	
Principal	4,000,000
Issuance costs	29,105
Interest	82,020
Capital outlay	197,043
Total expenditures	31,595,982
<b>Deficit of revenues over expenditures</b>	(5,112,999)
<b>Other sources and uses</b>	
Issuance of notes	5,000,000
Sale of surplus equipment	12,897
Total other financing sources	5,012,897
<b>Net change in fund balance</b>	(100,102)
<b>Fund balance</b>	
Beginning of year	1,502,120
End of year	\$ 1,402,018

See notes to financial statements.

**RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENTAL  
FUND REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND  
BALANCE TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

**Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Fund** \$ (100,102)

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

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures.

However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation exceeded capital outlay in the current period:

Capital outlay	\$ 197,043	
Depreciation expense	<u>(1,051,117)</u>	(854,074)

The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets, such as sales, trade-ins and donations, is to decrease net position.

Disposition of capital assets		(23,193)
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The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction however has an effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities.

Issuance of notes	(5,000,000)	
Principal payments on tax anticipation notes	<u>4,000,000</u>	(1,000,000)

Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.

Increase in compensated absences	(10,657)	
Increase in other postemployment benefits	(4,245,684)	
Decrease in pension expense	<u>1,010,335</u>	<u>(3,246,006)</u>

**Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities** **\$ (5,223,375)**

See notes to financial statements.

**STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY FUND**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

June 30, 2018

	<u>Agency Funds</u>
<b>Assets</b>	
Cash and interest-bearing deposits	<u>\$ 1,097,410</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Due to taxing authorities	\$ 85,586
Due to other governments and others	1,004,384
Due to inmates	<u>7,440</u>
Total liabilities	<u>\$ 1,097,410</u>

See notes to financial statements.

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS****Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

June 30, 2018

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The Terrebonne Parish Sheriff (the Sheriff) serves a four-year term as the chief executive officer of the law enforcement district and ex-officio tax collector of Terrebonne Parish (the Parish) as provided by Article V, Section 27 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974. The Sheriff administers the parish jail system and exercises duties required by the parish court system, such as providing bailiffs, executing orders of the court, and serving subpoenas.

As the chief law enforcement officer of the Parish, the Sheriff has the responsibility for enforcing state and local laws and ordinances within the territorial boundaries of the Parish. The Sheriff provides protection to the residents of the Parish through on-site patrols and investigations and serves the residents of the parish through the establishment of neighborhood watch programs, anti-drug abuse programs, etc. In addition, when requested, the Sheriff provides assistance to other law enforcement agencies within the Parish.

As the ex-officio tax collector of the Parish, the Sheriff is responsible for collecting and distributing ad valorem property taxes, parish occupational licenses, state revenue sharing funds, sporting licenses, fines, costs, and bond forfeitures imposed by the district court.

The accounts of the tax collector are established to reflect the collections imposed by law, distributions pursuant to such law, and unsettled balances due various taxing authorities and others.

The accounting policies of the Sheriff conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies:

**a) Reporting Entity**

For financial reporting purposes, the Sheriff includes all funds and activities controlled by the Sheriff as an independently elected parish official. As an independently elected parish official, the Sheriff is solely responsible for the operations of his office, which include the hiring and retention of employees, authority over budgeting, responsibility for deficits, and the receipt and disbursement of funds. Other than certain operating expenditures of the Sheriff's office that are paid or provided by the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government as required by Louisiana law, the Sheriff is a separate governmental reporting entity.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**a) Reporting Entity (continued)**

GASB No. 14, *The Financial Reporting Entity*, GASB No. 39, *Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units-an amendment of GASB Statement No. 14*, and GASB No. 61, *The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus and amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34* established the criterion for determining which component units should be considered part of the Sheriff for financial reporting purposes. The basic criteria are as follows:

1. Legal status of the potential component unit including the right to incur its own debt, levy its own taxes and charges, expropriate property in its own name, sue and be sued, and the right to buy, sell and lease property in its own name.
2. Whether the governing authority appoints a majority of the board members of the potential component unit.
3. Fiscal interdependency between the Sheriff and the potential component unit.
4. Imposition of will by the Sheriff on the potential component unit.
5. Financial benefit/burden relationship between the Sheriff and the potential component unit.

The Sheriff has reviewed all of its activities and determined that there are no potential component units which should be included in its financial statements.

**b) Basis of Presentation**

The Sheriff's financial statements consist of the government-wide statements on all of the non-fiduciary activities and the fund financial statements.

**Government-wide Financial Statements:**

The government-wide financial statements include the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities for all activities of the Sheriff. The government-wide presentation focuses primarily on the sustainability of the Sheriff as an entity and the change in aggregate financial position resulting from the activities of the fiscal period. Governmental activities of the Sheriff generally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues.

Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

b) Basis of Presentation (continued)

**Fund Financial Statements:**

The daily accounts and operations of the Sheriff are organized on the basis of a fund and accounts groups, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of the fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, equity, revenues and expenditures. Government resources are allocated to and accounted for in the fund based upon the purpose for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled. The various funds of the Sheriff are grouped, into generic fund types and two broad categories as follows:

Governmental activities presented as governmental funds in the fund financial statements:

**General Fund** – This fund is the primary operating fund of the Sheriff and accounts for and reports the operations of the Sheriff. The General Fund is available for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred in accordance with state and federal laws and according to Sheriff policy. The General Fund is always a major fund.

Fiduciary funds:

**Agency Funds** - These funds are used to account for and report assets that the Sheriff holds for others in an agency capacity. Since by definition these assets are being held for the benefit of others and cannot be used to address activities or obligations of the Sheriff, these funds are not incorporated into the government wide statements. The agency funds are as follows:

**Sheriff's Fund** – To account for and report funds held in connection with civil suits, Sheriff's sales and garnishments and payment of these collections to the Sheriff's General Fund and other recipients in accordance with applicable laws.

**Tax Collector Fund** – Article V, Section 27 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, provides that the Sheriff will serve as the collector of state and parish taxes and fees. The Tax Collector Fund is used to account for and report the collection and distribution of taxes and fees to the appropriate taxing authorities.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**b) Basis of Presentation (continued)**

**Bonds and Fines Fund** – To account for and report the collection of bonds, fines, costs and payments of these collections to the Sheriff’s General Fund and other recipients in accordance with applicable laws.

**Inmate Deposit Fund** – To account for and report funds belonging to individuals incarcerated in the parish prison. The funds are used by prisoners to purchase personal items while incarcerated, and any remaining balances are returned to prisoners upon their release.

**c) Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting**

Measurement focus is a term used to describe “which” transactions are recorded within the various financial statements. Basis of accounting refers to “when” transactions are recorded regardless of the measurement focus applied.

**Government-wide Financial Statements:**

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows.

**Fund Financial Statements:**

All governmental funds are accounted for using a current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other uses) in net current position. Governmental funds are maintained on the modified accrual basis of accounting.

Governmental fund revenues resulting from exchange transactions are recognized in the fiscal year in which the exchange takes place and meets the government’s availability criteria (susceptible to accrual). Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For this purpose, the Sheriff considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal year.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**c) Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (continued)**

Non-exchange transactions, in which the Sheriff receives value without directly giving value in return, include sales and use tax, property tax, grants and entitlements. Ad valorem taxes are recorded in the year taxes are due and payable. Ad valorem taxes are assessed on a calendar year basis, become due on November 15 of each year, and become delinquent on December 31. Sales and use taxes are recognized in the period when the underlying transaction has occurred and the resources are available. Federal and state entitlements (which include state supplemental pay for deputies and state revenue sharing) are recorded as unrestricted grants when available and measurable. Federal and state grants are recorded when the allowable expenditures have been incurred.

Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred. An exception to this general rule is interest and principal payments on general long-term debt, which is recognized when due, and certain compensated absences and claims and judgments which are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available resources. Allocations of cost such as depreciation are not recognized in the governmental funds.

Agency Funds are unlike all other types of funds, reporting only assets and liabilities. Therefore agency funds cannot be said to have a measurement focus. They do, however, use the accrual basis of accounting to recognize receivables and payables.

**d) Use of Estimates**

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

**e) Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and interest-bearing deposits include amounts in demand deposits, interest-bearing demand deposits, and time deposits. They are stated at cost, which approximates market. Under state law, the Sheriff may deposit with state banks organized under Louisiana law or any other state of the United States, or under the laws of the United States. Tax collections must be deposited in a bank domiciled in the parish where the funds are collected.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**f) Accounts Receivable**

The financial statements of the Sheriff contain no allowance for uncollectible accounts. Uncollectible amounts for receivables are recognized as reductions in revenue at the time information becomes available which would indicate the uncollectibility of the particular receivable. These amounts are not considered to be material in relation to the financial position or operation of the funds.

**g) Capital Assets**

The accounting treatment over property, plant and equipment (capital assets) depends on whether the assets are reported in the government-wide or fund financial statements.

**Government-wide Financial Statements:**

In the government-wide financial statements, fixed assets are accounted for as capital assets. Capital assets purchased or acquired with an original cost of \$500 or more are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual cost is unavailable, except for donated capital assets which are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of donation. Automobiles awarded to the Sheriff's office by court award are recorded as capital assets at their estimated fair market value at the date of award. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred.

Depreciation of all exhaustible capital assets is recorded as an allocated expense in the Statement of Activities, with accumulated depreciation reflected in the Statement of Net Position. Depreciation is provided over the assets' estimated useful lives using the straight-line method of depreciation. The range of estimated useful lives by type of asset is as follows:

Furniture and fixtures	5 - 7 years
Boats and vehicles	2 - 10 years
Weapons and equipment	3 - 5 years
Buildings	30 years

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**g) Capital Assets (continued)**

Fund Financial Statements:

In the fund financial statements, capital assets used in governmental fund operations are accounted for as capital outlay expenditures of the governmental fund upon acquisition.

**h) Non-Current Liabilities**

The accounting treatment of non-current liabilities depends on whether they are reported in the government-wide or fund financial statements.

Government-wide Financial Statements:

All non-current liabilities to be repaid from governmental resources are reported as liabilities in the government-wide statements. Non-current liabilities consist of certificates of indebtedness, obligations for other postemployment benefits (group healthcare and life insurance) and net pension liability.

Fund Financial Statements:

Non-current liabilities for governmental funds are not reported as liabilities in the fund financial statements.

**i) Compensated Absences**

The following vacation hours are earned during a fiscal year:

<u>Years of Service</u>	<u>Total Annual Leave Earned for Fiscal Year</u>
1 - 15 years	120 hours
16 - 24 years	160 hours
25 and above years	200 hours

Vacation time must be taken on a calendar year basis and is not available for carryover.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**j) Compensated Absences (continued)**

Beginning October 1, 2013, employees are paid for worked overtime each pay period. Prior to October 1, 2013, unpaid overtime was allowed to accumulate as comp-time. Comp-time may be used for paid time off from work. As of June 30, 2018, the Sheriff had \$17,393 of comp-time remaining to be paid and included comp-time in compensated absences.

**k) Interfund Transactions**

In the financial statements, interfund activity is reported as either loans or transfers. Loans between funds are reported as interfund receivables (due from) and payables (due to) as appropriate. Transfers represent a permanent relocation of resources between funds. In other words, they are not expected to be paid. Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as “internal balances”. At and for the year ended June 30, 2018, the Sheriff did not have any residual balances from interfund loans/borrowing arrangements or transfers.

**l) Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources**

In addition to assets, the Statement of Financial Position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expenses/expenditures) until then. As of June 30, 2018, deferred outflows of resources related to pensions and other postemployment benefits.

In addition to liabilities, the Statement of Financial Position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until then. As of June 30, 2018, deferred inflows of resources in the government-wide statements related to pensions and other postemployment benefits.

**m) Pensions**

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Sheriff’s Pension and Relief Fund (the System) and additions to/deductions from the System fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the System. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**n) Fund Equity**

Government-wide Statements:

Equity is classified as net position and may be displayed in three components:

- a. Net investment in capital assets – 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 improvement of those assets. At June 30, 2018, the Sheriff did not report any borrowings.
- b. Restricted net position – Consists of net position with constraints placed on the use either by (1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributions or laws or regulations of other governments; or (2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- c. Unrestricted net position – All other net position that does not meet the definition of “restricted” or “net investment in capital assets.”

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Sheriff’s policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

Fund Financial Statements:

Governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance. Fund balance is further classified as follows:

- a. Non-spendable – Amounts that cannot be spent either because they are in a non-spendable form or because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.
- b. Restricted – Amounts for which constraints have been placed on the use by externally imposed donors, grantors, creditors, or government laws and regulations, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- c. Committed – Amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Sheriff.
- d. Assigned – Amounts that are constrained by the Sheriff’s intent to be used for a specific purpose but do not meet the criteria for restricted or committed.
- e. Unassigned – All other spendable amounts.

For the classification of governmental fund balances, the Sheriff considers an expenditure to be made from the most restrictive fund balance first when more than one classification is available.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**o) Restatement of Net Position**

Effective for the year ended June 30, 2018, the Sheriff implemented GASB Statement No. 75, “*Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits other than Pensions.*” Implementation of the new accounting standard required restatement of beginning net position for the net OPEB liability.

The restatement had the following impact on previously reported balances:

Statement of Activities	Governmental Activities
Net Position, July 1, 2017 as previously reported	\$ (24,105,531)
Restatement for implementation of GASB Statement No. 75, see Note 1p).	<u>(23,726,303)</u>
Net position, July 1, 2017, restated	<u>\$ (47,831,834)</u>

**p) New GASB Statements**

During the year ending June 30, 2018, the Sheriff implemented the following GASB Statements:

Statement No. 75, “*Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits other than Pensions*” replaces the requirements of GASB Statement No. 45. This Statement requires governments to report a liability on the face of the financial statements for the OPEB that they provide: governments that are responsible only for OPEB liabilities related to their own employees and that provide OPEB through a defined benefit OPEB plan administered through a trust that meets specified criteria will report a net OPEB liability, governments that participate in a cost-sharing OPEB plan that is administered through a trust that meets the specified criteria will report a liability equal to their proportionate share of the collective OPEB liability for all entities participating in the cost-sharing plan and governments that do not provide OPEB through a trust that meets specified criteria will report the total OPEB liability related to their employees. The requirements of this Statement are effective for financial statements for periods beginning after June 15, 2017. Implementation of this Statement required the restatement of net position as of July 1, 2017 for the cumulative unfunded actuarial liability as described in Note 1o).

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**p) New GASB Statements (continued)**

Statement No. 81, "*Irrevocable Split Interest Agreements*" provided recognition and measurement guidance for situation in which a government is a beneficiary of an irrevocable split interest agreement. This Statement requires that a government that receives resources pursuant to an irrevocable split interest agreement recognize assets, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources at the inception of the agreement. Furthermore, this Statement requires that a government recognize assets representing its beneficial interests in agreements administered by third parties. Governments are required by this Statement to recognize revenue when the resources become applicable to the reporting period. This Statement enhances comparability and decision usefulness of financial statements among governments. This Statement did not affect the Sheriff's financial statements.

Statement No. 85, "*Omnibus 2017*." On March 20, 2017, GASB issued "*Omnibus 2017*" covering four main topics: blending component units; goodwill, fair value measurement and application; and postemployment benefits. "*Omnibus 2017*" is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2017. However, due to the nature of topic covered, GASB is allowing the option of early implementation for single topics. This Statement did not affect the Sheriff's financial statements.

Statement No. 86, "*Certain Debt Extinguishment Issues*" improves consistency in accounting and financial reporting for in-substance defeasance of debt by providing guidance for transactions in which cash and other monetary assets acquired with only existing resources – resources other than the proceeds of refunding debt – are placed in an irrevocable trust for the sole purpose of extinguishing debt. This Statement also improves accounting and financial reporting for prepaid insurance on debt that is extinguished and notes to financial statements for debt that is defeased in substance. This Statement did not affect the Sheriff's financial statements.

The GASB has issued the following Statements which will become effective in future years as shown below:

Statement No. 83, "*Certain Asset Retirement Obligations*" addresses accounting and financial reporting for certain asset retirement obligations (AROs). An ARO is a legally enforceable liability associated with the retirement of a tangible capital asset. A government that has legal obligations to perform future asset retirement activities related to its tangible capital assets should recognize a liability based on the guidance in this Statement. This Statement establishes criteria for determining the timing and pattern of recognition of a liability and a corresponding deferred outflow of resources for AROs.

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**p) New GASB Statements (continued)**

The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2018. Management has not yet determined the effect of this Statement on the financial statements.

Statement No. 84, "*Fiduciary Activities*" improves guidance regarding the identification of fiduciary activities for accounting and financial reporting purposes and how those activities should be reported. This Statement establishes criteria for identifying fiduciary activities of all state and local governments. The focus of the criteria generally is on (1) whether a government is controlling the assets of the fiduciary activity and (2) the beneficiaries with whom a fiduciary relationship exists. Separate criteria are included to identify fiduciary component units and postemployment benefit arrangements that are fiduciary activities. An activity meeting the criteria should be reported in a fiduciary fund in the basic financial statements. This Statement also provides for recognition of a liability to the beneficiaries in a fiduciary fund when an event has occurred that compels the government to disburse fiduciary resources. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2018. Management has not yet determined the effect of this Statement on the financial statements.

Statement No. 87, "*Leases*" increases the usefulness of governments' financial statements by requiring recognition of certain lease assets and liabilities for leases that previously were classified as operating leases and recognized as inflows of resources or outflows of resources based on the payment provisions of the contract. It establishes a single model for lease accounting based on the foundational principle that leases are financings of the right to use an underlying asset. Under this Statement, a lessee is required to recognize a lease liability and an intangible right-to-use lease asset, and a lessor is required to recognize a lease receivable and a deferred inflow of resources, thereby enhancing the relevance and consistency of information about governments' leasing activities. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. Earlier application is encouraged. Management has not yet determined the effect of this Statement on the financial statements.

Statement No. 88, "*Certain Disclosures Related to Debt, including Direct Borrowings and Direct Placements*" improves the information that is disclosed in notes to government financial statements related to debt, including direct borrowings and direct placements. The Statement clarifies which liabilities governments should include when disclosing information related to debt. This Statement requires that additional essential information related to debt be disclosed in notes to financial statements, including unused lines of credit; assets pledged as collateral for the debt; and terms specified in debt agreements related to significant events of default with finance-related consequences,

**Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

**p) New GASB Statements (continued)**

significant termination events with finance-related consequences, and significant subjective acceleration clauses. For notes to financial statements related to debt, this Statement also requires that existing and additional information be provided for direct borrowings and direct placements of debt separately from other debt. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 30, 2018. Management has not yet determined the effect of this Statement on the financial statements.

Statement No. 89, “*Accounting for Interest Cost Incurred before the End of a Construction Period*” establishes accounting requirements for interest cost incurred before the end of a construction period. Such interest cost includes all interest that previously was accounted for in accordance with the requirements of paragraphs 5–22 of Statement No. 62, Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance Contained in Pre-November 30, 1989 FASB and AICPA Pronouncements, which are superseded by this Statement. This Statement requires that interest cost incurred before the end of a construction period be recognized as an expense in the period in which the cost is incurred for financial statements prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. As a result, interest cost incurred before the end of a construction period will not be included in the historical cost of a capital asset reported in a business-type activity or enterprise fund. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. Management has not yet determined the effect of this Statement on the financial statements.

Statement No. 90, “*Majority Equity Interest*” improves the consistency and comparability of reporting a government’s majority equity interest in a legally separate organization and improves the relevance of financial statement information for certain component units. It defines a majority equity interest and specifies that a majority equity interest in a legally separate organization should be reported as an investment if a government’s holding of the equity interest meets the definition of an investment. A majority equity interest that meets the definition of an investment should be measured using the equity method. This Statement establishes that ownership of a majority equity interest in a legally separate organization results in the government being financially accountable for the legally separate organization and therefore, the government should report that organization as a component unit. The requirements of this Statement are effective for the reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2018. Management has not yet determined the effect of this Statement on the financial statements.

**Note 2 - DEPOSITS**

Louisiana state law allows all political subdivisions to invest excess funds in obligations of the United States or any other federally insured investments, certificates of deposit of any bank domiciled or having a branch office in the state of Louisiana, guaranteed investment contracts and investment grade (A-1/P-1) commercial paper or domestic corporations.

State law also requires that deposits of all political subdivisions be fully collateralized at all times. Acceptable collateralization includes FDIC insurance and the market value of securities purchased and pledged to the political subdivision. Obligations of the United States, the State of Louisiana and certain political subdivisions are allowed as security for deposits. Obligations furnished as security must be held by the political subdivision or with an unaffiliated bank or trust company for the account of the political subdivision.

The year end balances of deposits are as follows:

<u>Bank Balance</u>	<u>Reported Amount</u>
\$ 2,851,017	\$ 1,636,180

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Sheriff's deposits may not be returned to it. The Sheriff does not have a policy to monitor or attempt to reduce exposure to custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2018, \$2,022,648 of the Sheriff's bank balance of \$2,851,017 was exposed to custodial credit risk. These deposits were uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent, and are deemed to be held in the Sheriff's name by state statutes.

At June 30, 2018, cash in excess of the FDIC insurance was collateralized by securities held by an unaffiliated bank for the account of the Sheriff. The GASB, considers these securities subject to custodial credit risk. Even though the deposits are considered subject to custodial credit risk under the provisions of GASB Statement No. 40, Louisiana Revised Statute 39:1229 imposes a statutory requirement on the custodial bank to advertise and sell the pledged securities within 10 days of being notified by the depositor that the fiscal agent has failed to pay deposited funds upon demand.

**Note 2 - DEPOSITS (Continued)**

A reconciliation of deposits as shown on the Statement of Net Position and Governmental Fund Balance Sheet is as follows on the next page:

Report amount	\$ 1,636,180
Less cash reported in the Statement of Fiduciary Fund	(1,097,410)
Cash on hand	<u>6,000</u>
Cash - Statement of Net Position	<u>\$ 544,770</u>

As of June 30, 2018, the Sheriff, as ex-officio tax collector, has cash in the Tax Collector Agency Fund totaling \$85,592. The unsettled balance at June 30, 2018 consists of:

Protest taxes	\$ 15,712
Interest on protested taxes	6,514
Refunds and redemptions	<u>63,366</u>
	<u>\$ 85,592</u>

**Note 3 - PROPERTY TAXES**

The Sheriff is the ex-officio tax collector of the Parish and is responsible for the collection and distribution of ad valorem property taxes. Ad valorem taxes are levied each November 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1 for all real property, merchandise and movable property located in the Parish. Assessed values are established by the Terrebonne Parish Assessor's Office and the State Tax Commission at percentages of actual value as specified by Louisiana law. Taxes are due and payable December 31 with interest being charged on payments after January 1. Taxes can be paid through the tax sale date, which is the last Wednesday in June.

Ad valorem taxes are budgeted and recorded in the year levied and billed. For the year ended June 30, 2018, law enforcement taxes applicable to the Sheriffs General Fund, were levied at the rate of 7.58 mills on property with net assessed valuations totaling \$951,124,643. Total law enforcement taxes levied in November 2017 were \$7,209,525.

**Note 4 - DUE FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTAL UNITS**

Amounts due from other governmental units at June 30, 2018, consist of the following:

Government	Purpose	Amounts	
State of Louisiana	Prisoner Maintenance	\$ 106,560	
	Video poker	164,951	
	Supplemental pay	111,657	
	Prisoner hold	18,383	
	Sex Offender Watch	23,750	
	Other	6,658	\$ 431,959
Terrebonne Parish Sales & Used Tax Department	Sales tax		937,040
Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government	Prisoner maintenance	\$ 55,143	
	Prisoner transportation	12,755	
	Court attendance	2,482	
	Other	2,050	72,430
Other Governments			9,824
Total			\$ 1,451,253

**Note 5 - ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE**

Accounts receivable detail for the year ended June 30, 2018 was as follows:

Jail phone reimbursement	\$ 55,166
Commisary sales	16,988
Detail reimbursement	8,405
Agent advances	11,440
Other	5,762
Total	\$ 97,761

**Note 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital assets activity for the year ended June 30, 2018 was as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2017	Additions	Deletions/ Adjustments	Balance June 30, 2018
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 338,500	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 338,500
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Furniture and fixtures	2,776,097	121,676	(101,672)	2,796,101
Boats and vehicles	6,593,881	44,502	(58,911)	6,579,472
Weapons and equipment	2,773,113	30,865	(17,157)	2,786,821
Buildings and improvements	2,681,772	-	-	2,681,772
Total capital assets being depreciated	<u>14,824,863</u>	<u>197,043</u>	<u>(177,740)</u>	<u>14,844,166</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Furniture and fixtures	(2,449,596)	(136,851)	80,125	(2,506,322)
Boats and vehicles	(4,289,132)	(706,121)	58,087	(4,937,166)
Weapons and equipment	(2,248,243)	(116,755)	16,335	(2,348,663)
Buildings and improvements	(1,081,080)	(91,390)	-	(1,172,470)
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>(10,068,051)</u>	<u>(1,051,117)</u>	<u>154,547</u>	<u>(10,964,621)</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	<u>4,756,812</u>	<u>(854,074)</u>	<u>(23,193)</u>	<u>3,879,545</u>
Total capital assets, net	<u>\$ 5,095,312</u>	<u>\$ (854,074)</u>	<u>\$ (23,193)</u>	<u>\$ 4,218,045</u>

During the year ended June 30, 2018, \$1,051,117 for depreciation was charged to public safety.

**Note 7 - ACCOUNTS AND ACCRUED PAYABLES**

Accounts payable and accrued expenditures at June 30, 2018 consisted of the following:

	Governmental Activities
Vendors	\$ 419,105
Salaries and benefits	517,534
Due to other governments:	
Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government	44,193
Terrebonne Parish Clerk of Court	<u>507</u>
Total	<u>\$ 981,339</u>

**Note 8 - NON - CURRENT LIABILITIES**

Non-current liabilities consist of accumulated unpaid vacation and comp-time, net pension liability and other postemployment benefits. The following is a summary of noncurrent liability transactions of the Sheriff for the year ended June 30, 2018:

	Payable July 1, 2017	Increase/ Earned	Decrease/ Used	Payable June 30, 2018	Due within one year
Compensated absences	\$ 394,262	\$ 716,754	\$ (706,097)	\$ 404,919	\$ 404,919
Revenue Anticipation Note, Series 2017	-	4,000,000	(4,000,000)	-	
Certificate of Indebtedness, Series 2018	-	1,000,000		1,000,000	1,000,000
Net pension liability	14,442,398	-	(5,115,149)	9,327,249	-
Other postemployment benefits, restated	45,651,015	3,884,593	-	49,535,608	-
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 60,487,675</b>	<b>\$ 9,601,347</b>	<b>\$ (9,821,246)</b>	<b>\$ 60,267,776</b>	<b>\$ 1,404,919</b>

On July 13, 2017, the Sheriff issued Revenue Anticipation Note, Series 2017 with a maturity date of June 30, 2018 as a drawdown note for the purpose of paying current general expenses for the fiscal year. The principal amount of \$4,000,000 along with 3.00% interest was due on June 30, 2018. This note was secured by and payable from all revenues accruing to the Sheriff's General Fund. During the fiscal year, the Sheriff drewdown \$4,000,000 and paid back \$4,000,000. At June 30, 2018, there was no outstanding debt on the Series 2017 note.

On May 25, 2018, the Sheriff issued Certificates of Indebtedness, Series 2018 with a maturity date of May 30, 2019 for the purpose of paying the cost of current expenses. The principal amount of \$6,000,000 along with 3.25% interest is due on May 30, 2019. This certificate is secured by and payable from all revenues accruing to the Sheriff's General Fund. During fiscal year end, the Sheriff drewdown \$1,000,000 which is outstanding as of June 30, 2018.

Compensated absences are described in Note 1i.

Other postemployment obligations are described in Note 9.

Net pension liability is described in Note 10.

**Note 9 - OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS**

**Plan Description**

The Sheriff administers a single employer defined benefit healthcare plan (the Plan). The Plan provides for the lifetime payment of medical and dental insurance premiums to eligible retirees and their dependents through the Sheriff's group health plan, which cover both active and retired members. Sheriff employees with 20 years of permanent full-time creditable service with the Sheriff or 30 years of permanent full-time creditable service with any sheriff's office are eligible to participate in the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund (see Note 10) and are eligible to participate in the Plan, which provides 100% of retiree healthcare and life insurance. The amount of life insurance coverage is a continuation of the amount in effect at the retirement date but retiree coverage is reduced to 75% and 50% of the retirement date amount at ages 65 and 75, respectively. A retiree may elect dependent healthcare coverage at applicable rates. A retiree with less than 20 years of permanent full-time creditable service is eligible to participate in the Plan at the applicable rates. The Sheriff does not issue a publicly available financial report on the Plan.

**Employees Covered by Benefit Terms**

At June 30, 2018, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive employees currently receiving benefits payments	54
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet receiving benefit payments	0
Active Employees	<u>287</u>
 Total	 <u><u>341</u></u>

**Total OPEB Liability**

The Sheriff's total OPEB liability of \$49,535,608 was measured as of June 30, 2018 and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2017.

**Note 9 - OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (Continued)**

**Actuarial assumptions and other inputs**

The total OPEB liability in June 30, 2018 was determined using the following actuarial assumptions and other inputs, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Measurement date	June 30, 2018
Actuarial valuation date	July 1, 2017
Inflation	2.30%
Salary increases, include inflation	3.70%
Discount rate	3.87%
Healthcare cost trend rates	<p>Medical - Pre-65 Trend - 4.30% in year 1, 4.40% in year 2, 4.60% in year 3, 4.70% in years 4 through 13, 4.80% in years 14 through 21 and 4.90% thereafter.</p> <p>Medical - Post-65 Trend - 6.80% in year 1, 6.30% in year 2, 5.70% in year 3, 5.40% in year 4, 5.30% in year 5, 5.20% in year 6, 5.00% in year 7, 4.90% in year 8, 4.80% in year 9, 4.70 in year 10 through 12, 4.80% in year 12, 5.10% in year 14 and 5.30% thereafter.</p> <p>Dental - 5.19% in year 1 decreasing in decrements of 0.14% per year until 3.92% in year 2026.</p>
Retirees' share of benefit-related costs	<p>An employee is eligible to elect medical coverage upon retiring or disability. Eligibility is based on 20 years of service with Terrebonne Parish Sheriff's office or 30 years of service at any Sheriff's Office.</p> <p>Spouses of retiring members are also eligible for health and life benefits under the Plan, however, they are responsible for full cost of coverage.</p>

**Note 9 - OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (Continued)**

The discount rate was based on the Bond Buyer General Obligation 20-Bond Municipal Index.

Mortality rates for pre-retirement/post-retirement/disabled employees were based on RP-2014 Total Dataset Mortality Table projected backward to 2006 with Mortality Improvement Scale MP-2014 and then forward with Mortality Improvement Scale MP-2017 on a generational basis with healthy annuitant rates after benefit commencement.

**Changes in total OPEB Liability**

	Total OPEB Liability
Balance at 6/30/2017, restated	\$ 45,651,015
Changes for the year:	
Service Cost	3,030,930
Interest	1,734,547
Difference between expected and actual experience	(1,833,999)
Changes in assumptions or other inputs	1,419,013
Benefit Payments	(465,898)
Net Changes	3,884,593
Balance at 6/30/2018	\$ 49,535,608

**Sensitivity to the total OPEB Liability to Change in the Discount Rate**

The following presented the total OPEB liability of the Sheriff, as well as what the Sheriff's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percent lower or higher than the current discount rate.

	1.0% Decrease (2.87%)	Current Discount Rate (3.87%)	1.0% Increase (4.87%)
Total OPEB Liability	\$ 61,145,454	\$ 49,535,608	\$ 40,749,931

**Note 9 - OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (Continued)**

**Sensitivity of the total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Health Cost Trend Rates**

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the Sheriff, as well as what the Sheriff's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a rate that is 1 percent lower or higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates.

	1.0% Decrease	Current Healthcare Cost Trend Rate	1.0% Increase
Total OPEB Liability	<u>\$ 39,708,900</u>	<u>\$ 49,535,608</u>	<u>\$ 63,262,816</u>

**OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB**

For the year ended June 30, 2018, the Sheriff recognized total OPEB expense of \$4,399,084. At June 30, 2018, the Sheriff reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ -	\$ (1,595,817)
Changes of assumptions	<u>1,234,726</u>	<u>-</u>
Totals	<u>1,234,726</u>	<u>(1,595,817)</u>

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

For the year ended June 30,	Amount
2019	\$ (53,895)
2020	(53,895)
2021	(53,895)
2022	(53,895)
2023	(53,895)
Thereafter	<u>(91,616)</u>
Total	<u>\$ (361,091)</u>

**Note 10 - PENSION PLAN**

**Plan Description** - The Sheriff contributes to the Sheriffs Pension and Relief Fund (Retirement System), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the Sheriffs Pension and Relief Fund, a public corporation created in accordance with the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statute 11:2171 to provide retirement, disability and survivor benefits to employees of sheriff's offices throughout the State of Louisiana. The Sheriffs Pension and Relief Fund issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to the Sheriffs Pension and Relief Fund, 1225 Nicholson Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802.

**Benefits Provided.** The System provides retirement, deferred retirement, disability and death benefits. Members who became eligible on or before December 31, 2011, with twelve years of creditable service may retire at age fifty-five, members with thirty years may retire regardless of age. The retirement allowance is equal to three and one-third percent of the member's average final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, not to exceed (after reduction for optional payment form) 100% of average final compensation. Active, contributing members with at least ten years of creditable service may retire at age sixty. The accrued normal retirement benefit is reduced for each month retirement begins prior to normal retirement date. For members who became eligible on or after January 1, 2012, with twelve years of creditable service may retire at age sixty-two, members with twenty years of service may retire at age sixty; members with thirty or more years of service may retire at age fifty-five. The benefit accrual rate for members with less than thirty years of creditable service is three percent per year, while members with thirty or more years the benefit accrual rate is three and one-third percent per year. The retirement allowance is equal the benefit accrual rate times the member's average final compensation multiplied by his years of creditable service, not to exceed (after reduction for optional payment form) 100% of average final compensation. For a member whose first employment making him eligible for membership in the system began on or before June 30, 2006, final average compensation is based on the average monthly earnings during the highest thirty-six consecutive months or joined months if service was interrupted. For a member whose first employment making him eligible for membership in the system began after June 30, 2006 is based on the average monthly earnings during the highest sixty consecutive months or joined months if service was interrupted. For a member whose first employment making him eligible for membership in the system began before July 1, 2013, the earnings to be considered for each 12 month period within the applicable 36 or 60 month period shall not exceed 125% of the preceding 12 month period earnings. For a member whose first employment making him eligible for membership in the system began on or after July 1, 2013 the earning to be considered for each 12 month period within the 60 month period shall not exceed 115% of the preceding 12 month period earnings.

**Note 10 - PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

In lieu of receiving a service retirement allowance, any member of the fund who has more than sufficient service for a regular service retirement may elect to receive a "Back-DROP" benefit. The Back-DROP period is the lesser of three years or the service accrued between the time a member first becomes eligible for retirement and his actual date of retirement. The member's employee retirement contributions are also credited to his account during the Back-Drop period. At retirement the member will receive a lump-sum payment equal to the monthly benefit multiplied by the number of months in the Back-Drop period. A member is eligible to receive disability benefits if he has at least ten years of creditable service when a non-service related disability is incurred; there are no service requirements for a service related disability. Death benefits are payable to eligible surviving dependents based on the deceased member's years of creditable service and compensation and the dependent's relationship to the deceased member. The System provides permanent benefit increases, cost of living adjustments (COLA) as approved by the State Legislature.

**Contributions.** According to state statute, contribution requirements for all employees are actuarially determined each year. For the year ending June 30, 2018, the actual employer contribution rate was 12.75%. For the year ended June 30, 2017, the actuarially determined employer contribution rate was 13.25%. The actual rate differs from the actuarially required rate due to state statutes that require the contribution rate be calculated and set two years prior to the year effective.

In accordance with state statute, the System receives ad valorem taxes, insurance premium taxes and state revenue sharing funds. These additional sources of income are used as employer contributions and are considered support from non-employer contributing entities, but are not considered special funding situations.

Contributions to the System from the Sheriff were \$1,889,085 for the year ended June 30, 2018.

**Pension Liabilities.** At June 30, 2018, the Sheriff reported a liability of \$9,327,249 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2017 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Sheriff's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Sheriff's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2017, the Sheriff's proportion was 2.15396%, which was a decrease of 0.12155% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2016.

**Pension Expense.** For the year ended June 30, 2018, the Sheriff recognized pension expense of \$1,045,361.

**Note 10 - PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

**Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions.** At June 30, 2018, the Sheriff reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ -	\$ (1,623,658)
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	-	(133,874)
Change in proportion	691,815	(510,951)
Change in assumptions	1,641,178	-
Sheriff contributions subsequent to the measurement date	1,889,085	-
	\$ 4,222,078	\$ (2,268,483)

The Sheriff reported \$1,889,085 as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from the Sheriff's contributions subsequent to the measurement date and will be recognized as a reduction of the Net Pension Liability in the valuation for the year ended June 30, 2018. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

For the year ended June 30th.	Amount
2019	\$ (186,461)
2020	810,852
2020	234,980
2022	(759,327)
2023	11,491
2024	(47,025)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 64,510</b>

**Note 10 - PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

**Actuarial Assumptions.** A summary of the actuarial methods and assumptions used in determining the total pension liability as of June 30, 2017 are as follows:

Valuation Date	June 30, 2017
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal Method
Actuarial Assumptions:	
Expected Remaining Service Lives	7 years (2016 7 years and 2015 and 2014 6 years)
Investment Rate of Return	7.5 %, net of investment expense.
Discount Rate	7.4%
Projected Salary Increases	5.5 % (2.775% inflation, 2.725% merit)
Mortality Rates	RP-2000 Combined Healthy with Blue Collar Adjustment Sex Distinct Table for active members, healthy annuitants and beneficiaries / RP-2000 Disabled Lives Mortality Table for disabled annuitants.
Cost of Living Adjustments	The present value of future retirement benefits is based on benefits currently being paid by the System and includes previously granted cost of living increases. The present values do not include provisions for potential future increases not yet authorized by the Board of Trustees as they were deemed not to be substantively automatic.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class based on the System's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2017 are as shown on the next page:

**Note 10 - PENSION PLAN (Continued)**

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Real Return Arithmetic Basis</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
Equity Securities	60.00%	7.40%	4.40%
Bonds	25.00%	2.60%	0.70%
Alternative Investments	15.00%	4.20%	0.60%
 Total	 100.00%		 5.70%
 Inflation			 <u>2.60%</u>
 Expected Arithmetic Nominal Rate			 <u><u>8.30%</u></u>

**Discount Rate.** The discount rate used to measure the collective pension liability was 7.4%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current contribution rates and that contributions from participating employers will be made at the actuarially determined rates approved by PRSAC taking into consideration the recommendation of the System’s actuary. Based on those assumptions, the System’s fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

**Sensitivity of the Sheriff’s Proportionate Share of the Collective Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate.** The following presents the Sheriff’s proportionate share of the Collective Net Pension Liability using the discount rate of 7.4%, as well as what the Sheriff’s proportionate share of the Net Pension Liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage-point lower (6.4%) or one percentage-point higher (8.4%) than the current rate:

	<u>1.0% Decrease (6.4%)</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate (7.4%)</u>	<u>1.0% Increase (8.4%)</u>
Sheriff’s proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 19,216,593	\$ 9,327,249	\$ 1,006,714

**Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position.** The Sheriff’s Pension and Relief Fund has issued a stand-alone audit report on their financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2017. Access to the report can be found on the Louisiana Legislative Auditor’s website, [www.la.la.gov](http://www.la.la.gov).

**Note 11 - DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN**

The Sheriff offers its employees participation in the Louisiana Public Employees Deferred Compensation Plan adopted by the Louisiana Deferred Compensation Commission and established in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. Complete disclosures relating to the Plan are included in the separately issued audit report for the Plan, available from the Louisiana Legislative Auditor, Post Office Box 94397, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9397. During the year then ended June 30, 2018, the Sheriff contributed \$490,284 to the Plan.

**Note 12 - TAXES PAID UNDER PROTEST**

The unsettled balance due to taxing authorities in the Fiduciary Fund at June 30, 2018 includes \$22,226 of taxes paid under protest and interest earned on the investment of these funds. These funds are held pending resolution of the protest and are accounted for in the Tax Collector Agency Fund.

**Note 13 - LITIGATION, CLAIMS, AND RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Sheriff's Office is exposed to various risks of losses related to general liability, auto liability, property, and group health benefits. For the year ending June 30, 2018, the Sheriff purchased commercial liability insurance to cover risk of loss related to torts or negligence by employees. Commercial insurance has also been obtained to cover real and personal property, general liability, automobile, crime, and law enforcement liability. Management believes coverage obtained will adequately cover any future claims.

At June 30, 2018, the Sheriff is involved in various lawsuits claiming damages. Some of these lawsuits seek substantial amounts. The Sheriff plans to vigorously oppose these suits and, based on the advice of counsel, does not believe their ultimate disposition will materially affect the accompanying financial statements.

**Note 14 - STATE OF LOUISIANA TAX ABATEMENTS**

The Sheriff's ad valorem tax revenues were reduced by \$390,547 under agreements entered into with the State of Louisiana.

**Note 15 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

Management evaluates events occurring subsequent to the date of financial statements in determining the accounting for and disclosure of transactions and events that effect the financial statements. Subsequent events have been evaluated through January 22, 2019 which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES  
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -  
BUDGET AND ACTUAL -  
GENERAL FUND**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
<b>Revenues</b>				
Ad valorem taxes	\$ 7,000,000	\$ 7,060,000	\$ 7,146,478	\$ 86,478
Sales and use taxes	10,500,000	10,500,000	10,678,589	178,589
Intergovernmental revenues:				
Federal grants	148,000	140,782	173,370	32,588
State revenue sharing, net	216,500	217,074	217,075	1
State supplemental pay	1,400,000	1,420,000	1,356,966	(63,034)
State gaming revenue	725,000	730,000	782,208	52,208
Other	-	-	25,000	25,000
Fees, charges, and commissions for services:				
Contract services	1,800,000	1,855,000	1,520,442	(334,558)
Civil and criminal fees and commissions	1,671,000	1,686,510	1,936,056	249,546
Feeding, keeping, and transporting prisoners	3,405,000	2,226,000	2,163,425	(62,575)
Other	1,063,100	670,131	482,461	(187,670)
Interest	8,000	2,000	913	(1,087)
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>27,936,600</b>	<b>26,507,497</b>	<b>26,482,983</b>	<b>(24,514)</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>				
Current:				
Public Safety:				
Personal services and related benefits	21,699,000	22,252,016	21,940,048	311,968
Operating services	960,000	960,000	902,894	57,106
Operation and maintenance	4,229,600	4,092,415	4,418,313	(325,898)
Travel and other charges	60,000	28,500	26,559	1,941
Debt service				
Principal	-	4,000,000	4,000,000	-
Issuance costs	13,800	-	29,105	(29,105)
Interest	12,000	143,141	82,020	61,121
Capital outlay	536,750	229,387	197,043	32,344
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>27,511,150</b>	<b>31,705,459</b>	<b>31,595,982</b>	<b>109,477</b>
<b>Excess (Deficiencies) of Revenues Over Expenditures</b>	<b>425,450</b>	<b>(5,197,962)</b>	<b>(5,112,999)</b>	<b>84,963</b>
<b>Other Financing Uses</b>				
Issuance of revenue anticipation notes	-	4,000,000	5,000,000	1,000,000
Sale of surplus equipment	100,000	-	12,897	12,897
<b>Total other financing uses</b>	<b>100,000</b>	<b>4,000,000</b>	<b>5,012,897</b>	<b>1,012,897</b>
<b>Net Change in Fund Balance</b>	<b>525,450</b>	<b>(1,197,962)</b>	<b>(100,102)</b>	<b>1,097,860</b>
<b>Fund Balance</b>				
Beginning of year	4,142,721	1,502,120	1,502,120	-
End of year	\$ 4,668,171	\$ 304,158	\$ 1,402,018	\$ 1,097,860

**NOTES TO BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

June 30, 2018

**Note 1 - BASIS OF ACCOUNTING**

Budgeted amounts are as originally adopted or as finally amended by the Sheriff. The budget is adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

**Note 2 - BUDGETS**

The Sheriff follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

- The chief administrative deputy prepares a proposed budget for the General Fund and submits it to the Sheriff for the fiscal year no later than fifteen days prior to the beginning of each year.
- A summary of the proposed budget is published and the public notice that the proposed budget is available for public inspection. At the same time, a public hearing is called.
- A public hearing is held on the proposed budget at least ten days after publication of the call for the hearing.
- After the holding of the public hearing and completion of all action necessary to finalize and implement the budget, the budget is legally adopted prior to the commencement of the fiscal year for which the budget is being adopted.
- All budgetary appropriations lapse at the end of each fiscal year.

**SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE SHERIFF'S TOTAL  
OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

	2018
Total OPEB Liability	
Service Cost	\$ 3,030,930
Interest	1,734,547
Difference between expected and actual experience	(1,833,999)
Changes in assumptions or other inputs	1,419,013
Benefit Payments	(465,898)
Net Change in Total OPEB Liability	3,884,593
Total OPEB Liability, beginning of year	45,651,015
Total OPEB Liability, end of year	\$ 49,535,608
Covered Employee Payroll	\$ 13,728,991
Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered employee payroll	360.81%

Notes to Schedule:

Changes of Benefit Terms:	None
Changes of assumptions and other inputs reflected the effects of changes in the discounts rate each period:	0.00%

**SCHEDULE OF THE SHERIFF'S PROPORTIONATE  
SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY**

Terrebonne Parish Sheriff

June 30, 2018

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Sheriff's proportion of the net pension liability	2.15396%	2.27551%	2.23508%	2.15876%
Sheriff's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 9,327,249	\$ 14,442,398	\$ 9,962,908	\$ 9,886,954
Sheriff's covered-employee payroll	\$ 13,749,637	\$ 15,611,414	\$ 14,831,345	\$ 13,860,372
Sheriff's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	67.836%	92.520%	67.175%	71.33%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	88.49%	82.10%	86.61%	87.34%

**SCHEDULE OF SHERIFF CONTRIBUTIONS**

Terrebonne Parish Sheriff

June 30, 2018

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Contractually required contributions	\$ 1,889,085	\$ 1,821,827	\$ 2,146,174	2,113,467
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(1,889,085)	(1,821,827)	(2,146,174)	(2,109,110)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,357</u> (1)
Sheriff's covered-employee payroll	14,816,355	13,749,637	15,611,414	14,831,345
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	12.75%	13.25%	13.75%	14.22%

(1) Difference due to refunds or timing matters during the year.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SECTION**

**COMBINING STATEMENT OF CHANGES**  
**IN AGENCY FUND ASSETS**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

	<u>Sheriff's Fund</u>	<u>Tax Collector Fund</u>	<u>Bonds and Fines Fund</u>	<u>Inmate Deposit Fund</u>	<u>Total Agency Funds</u>
Balance, July 1, 2017	\$ 237,787	\$ 34,972	\$ 1,225,415	\$ 55,920	\$ 1,554,094
Additions	3,988,563	95,509,295	1,746,021	838,012	102,081,891
Reductions	<u>(4,135,674)</u>	<u>(95,458,681)</u>	<u>(2,098,347)</u>	<u>(845,873)</u>	<u>(102,538,575)</u>
Balance, June 30, 2018	<u>\$ 90,676</u>	<u>\$ 85,586</u>	<u>\$ 873,089</u>	<u>\$ 48,059</u>	<u>\$ 1,097,410</u>

**SCHEDULE OF AD VALOREM TAXES  
COLLECTED AND ASSESSED AND UNCOLLECTED**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

Description	Taxes Collected	Taxes Assessed and Uncollected
Law Enforcement Taxes		
Law Enforcement	\$ 7,139,628	\$ 33,583
District Taxes/Special Fees		
Assessment District	1,789,616	8,418
Terrebonne Levee District	4,605,908	21,665
Veterans Memorial (Mtce)	470,952	2,215
Bayou Blue Fire District (Mtce)	294,855	32
Bayou Cane Fire District (Mtce)	4,760,513	10,403
Coteau Fire District (Mtce)	859,982	91
Fire District No. 4A (Mtce)	1,413,071	6,243
Fire District No. 5 (Bonds)	144,446	28
Fire District No. 5 (Mtce)	288,892	57
Fire District No. 6 (Mtce)	726,799	1,661
Fire District No. 7 (Bonds)	256,991	2,847
Fire District No. 7 (Mtce)	1,027,328	11,382
Fire District No. 8 (Mtce)	430,363	7,123
Fire District No. 9 (Mtce)	559,085	15,682
Fire District No. 10 (Bonds)	8,931	113
Fire District No. 10 (Mtce)	1,027,010	15,131
Schriever Fire Dist (Bonds)	150,931	28
Schriever Fire Dist (Mtce)	1,131,982	1,439
Village East Fire Dist (Mtce)	388,372	557
Recreation District No. 1 (Mtce)	686,554	2,412
Recreation District No. 23 (Mtce)	1,342,279	2,591
Recreation District No. 3 (Mtce)	128,155	281
Recreation District No. 11 (Mtce)	1,360,135	1,576
Recreation District No. 4 (Mtce)	570,423	2,414
Recreation District No. 5 (Mtce)	260,587	39
Recreation District No. 6 (Bonds)	168,072	385
Recreation District No. 6 (Mtce)	454,249	1,037
Recreation District No. 7 (Mtce)	611,554	6,700
Recreation District No. 8 (Mtce)	368,181	6,094
Recreation District No. 9 (Mtce)	799,375	15,681
Recreation District No. 10 (Mtce)	511,271	7,523
Tax comission Fee No. 1	2,626	-
Tax comission Fee No. 2	37,360	-
Bayou Lafourche Freshwater	1,940,321	9,127
Parish Taxes		
Parish Tax	2,588,808	13,447
Sewerage Tax (Bonds)	546,304	2,570
Health Unit (Mtce)	1,563,560	7,355
Drainage Tax (Bonds)	546,304	2,570
Drainage Tax (Mtce)	6,885,314	32,387
Roads and Bridges (Bonds)	546,304	2,570
Recreation Tax (Mtce)	1,996,835	9,393
Terrebonne ARC	5,020,345	23,614
Sanitation Dist (Mtce)	10,558,737	49,666
Mental Health	395,599	1,861
Council on Aging	7,064,276	33,228
Youth Detention Center(1)	923,065	4,342
Youth Detention Center(2)	904,227	4,253
Road District No. 6 (Mtce)	37,246	85
Road Light No. 1 (Mtce)	525,692	831
Road Light No. 2 (Mtce)	186,446	482
Road Light No. 3A (Mtce)	578,504	451
Road Light No. 4 (Mtce)	144,462	611
Road Light No. 5 (Mtce)	41,457	6
Road Light No. 6 (Mtce)	79,493	182
Road Light No. 7 (Mtce)	225,309	2,468
Road Light No. 8 (Mtce)	61,364	1,016
Road Light No. 9 (Mtce)	65,755	1,307
Road Light No. 10 (Mtce)	111,631	1,643
City Ad Valorem Tax	1,684,453	1,217
City of Houma Fire Protection Dist	1,341,232	969
City of Houma Police Protection Dist	1,341,232	969
Nuisance Fee	31,362	26,087
School Board Taxes		
School Tax Maint/Regular	3,635,747	17,105
School Tax Maint/Special	5,095,697	23,969
	<u>\$ 91,443,557</u>	<u>\$ 461,212</u>

**SCHEDULE OF COMPENSATION, BENEFITS AND OTHER PAYMENTS TO**  
**AGENCY HEAD OR CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the Year Ended June 30, 2018

Agency Head Name: Jerry J. Larpenter, Sheriff

<b>Purpose</b>	<b><u>Amount</u></b>
Salary	160,338
Benefits - insurance	9,428
Benefits - retirement	39,638
Benefits - deferred compensation	12,000
Car allowance	-
Vehicle provided by government	-
Per diem	450
Reimbursements	-
Travel	-
Registration fees	50
Conference travel	1,352
Continuing professional education fees	-
Housing	-
Unvouchered expenses	-
Meals	42
	<u>42</u>
	<u>\$ 223,298</u>

**AFFIDAVIT OF CASH ON HAND AND OF TAXES  
COLLECTED AND ASSESSED AND UNCOLLECTED**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

June 30, 2018

State of Louisiana  
Parish of Terrebonne

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally came and appears, Jerry J. Larpenter, the sheriff of Terrebonne Parish, State of Louisiana, who after being duly sworn, deposed and said:

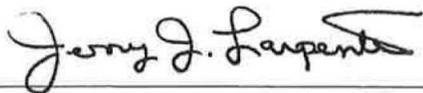
**The following information is true and correct:**

**\$85,592 is the amount of cash on hand in the tax collector account at June 30, 2018, of which \$15,712 has been paid under protest and held in a separate and special account pending adjudication by the courts.**

He further deposed and said:

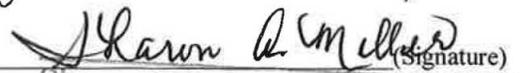
**All itemized statements of the amount of taxes collected for the tax year 2017 by taxing authority, are true and correct.**

**All itemized statements of all taxes assessed and uncollected, which indicate the reasons for the failure to collect, by taxing authority, are true and correct.**



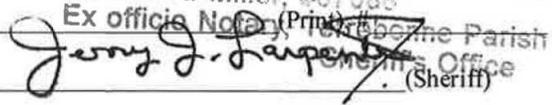
Jerry Larpenter, Sheriff  
Terrebonne Parish

Sworn to and subscribed before me, Notary, this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 20 19 in my office  
in Houma, Louisiana.



Sharon A. Miller, #37088

Ex officio Notary Public for the Parish of Terrebonne



(Sheriff)

**SPECIAL REPORTS OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS**

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

To the Honorable Jerry Larpenter,  
Terrebonne Parish Sheriff,  
Houma, Louisiana.

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the General Fund and the Fiduciary Fund of the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff (the Sheriff) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Sheriff’s basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated January 22, 2019.

**Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

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

*A deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Sheriff’s financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weakness. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Sheriff's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards, and are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as items 2018-001 and 2018-002.

### **Purpose of this Report**

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

*Bourgeois Bennett, L.L.C.*

Certified Public Accountants.

Houma, Louisiana,  
January 22, 2019.

## SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES

### Terrebonne Parish Sheriff

For the year ended June 30, 2018

#### Section I Summary of Auditor's Results

##### a) Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued: unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

- Material weakness(es) identified?                     yes         no
- Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not  
  considered to be material weaknesses?             yes         none reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?     yes         no

##### b) Federal Awards

The Sheriff did not expend federal awards in excess of \$750,000 during the year ended June 30, 2018 and therefore is exempt from the audit requirements under a single audit under *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)*.

#### Section II Financial Statement Findings

##### Internal Control

No material weaknesses were noted during the audit for the year ended June 30, 2018.  
No reportable conditions were reported during the audit for the year ended June 30, 2018.

##### Compliance

**2018-001 Criteria** - Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513 requires public entities to submit their audited financial statements to the Legislative Auditor within six months of the close of the fiscal year.

**Condition** - The Sheriff's audit was not completed within six months of the close of its fiscal year.

**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES**  
(continued)

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

**Section II Financial Statement Findings (Continued)**

**2018-001 (Continued)**

**Context** - This was limited to the current fiscal year.

**Effect** - The Sheriff was not in compliance with state law.

**Cause** - In November of 2018, the Sheriff's Office contacted its actuary to arrange for an actuarial valuation of its retiree group health and life insurance benefit program as of July 1, 2017. Due to unforeseen issues compiling the census data the final actuarial valuation report was received January 7, 2019. The late delivery of the actuary's valuation report did not allow enough time for the audit to be completed prior to December 31, 2018.

**Recommendation** - We recommend that the Sheriff comply with state law and submit the audited financial statements to the Legislative Auditor within six months of the close of the fiscal year.

**2018-002 Criteria** - Louisiana Revised Statute 18:1465 prohibits the use of public funds to urge any elector to vote for or against any candidate or proposition.

**Condition** - An advertisement was posted on the Sheriff's website urging all citizens within Terrebonne Parish to vote yes to new tax proposition.

**Context** - This was limited to the current fiscal year.

**Effect** - The Sheriff was not in compliance with state law.

**Cause** - In November of 2018, there was an election being held in which the Sheriff was proposing a 0.5 percent sales tax increase. Prior to this election, there was an advertisement posted on the Sheriff's website urging voters to vote "yes" to the proposed sales tax increase.

**Recommendation** - We recommend that the Sheriff comply with state law and not use public funds to urge any elector to vote for or against any candidate or proposition.

**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES**  
**(continued)**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

**Section II Financial Statement Findings (Continued)**

**2018-002 (Continued)**

**Views of management** – The Sheriff paid for the website modifications personally and did so without the use of public funds.

**Section III Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs**

Not applicable.

## **REPORTS BY MANAGEMENT**

## **SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS AND RESPONSES**

### **Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

#### **Section I Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements**

##### **Internal Control**

No material weaknesses were noted during the audit for the year ended June, 30, 2017.

No significant deficiencies were reported during the audit for the year ended June 30, 2017.

##### **Compliance**

No compliance findings material to the financial statements were noted during the year ended June, 30, 2017.

#### **Section II Internal Control and Compliance Material to Federal Awards**

The Sheriff did not expend federal awards in excess of \$750,000 during the year ended June 30, 2017 and therefore is exempt from the audit requirements under *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)*.

#### **Section III Management Letter**

A management letter was not issued in connection with the audit of the Sheriff's financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2017.

## MANAGEMENT'S CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

### Terrebonne Parish Sheriff

For the year ended June 30, 2018

#### Section I Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Basic Financial Statements

##### Internal Control

No material weaknesses were reported during the audit for the year ended June 30, 2018.

No significant deficiencies were reported during the audit for the year ended June 30, 2018.

##### Compliance

**2018-001 Recommendation** - We recommend that the Sheriff comply with state law and submit their audited financial statements to the Legislative Auditor within six months of the close of the fiscal year.

**Management's Response** - The Sheriff will to the best of his ability abide by state law by submitting the audited financial statements to the Legislative Auditor within six months of the close of our fiscal year.

**2018-002 Recommendation** - We recommend that the Sheriff comply with state law and not use public funds to urge any elector to vote for or against any candidate or proposition

**Management's Response** - The Sheriff paid for website modifications personally and will continue to abide by state law.

#### Section II Internal Control and Compliance Material to Federal Awards

The Sheriff did not expend federal awards in excess of \$750,000 during the year ended June 30, 2018 and therefore is exempt from the audit requirements under *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance)*.

#### Section III Management Letter

A management letter was not issued in connection with the audit of the Sheriff's financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018.

**STATEWIDE AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES**

**INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON**  
**APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES**

To the Honorable Jerry Larpenter,  
Terrebonne Parish Sheriff,  
Houma, Louisiana.

We have performed the procedures described in Schedule 5, which were agreed to by the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff (the Sheriff) and the Louisiana Legislative Auditor (LLA) on the control and compliance (C/C) areas identified in the LLA's Statewide Agreed-upon Procedures (SAUPs) for the year ended June 30, 2018. The Sheriff's management is responsible for those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs.

This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with the attestation standards established by the AICPA and applicable standards contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of the specified users of this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures referred to above, either for the purpose for which this report has been requested, or for any other purpose.

The procedures and associated findings are described in Schedule 5.

We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination or review, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion or conclusion, respectively, on these C/C areas identified in the SAUPs. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion or conclusion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

The purpose of this report is to describe the scope of testing performed on those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs, and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on control or compliance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 23:513, this report is distributed by the LLA as a public document.

*Bourgeois Bennett, L.L.C.*

Certified Public Accountants

Houma, Louisiana,  
January 22, 2019.

**Schedule of Procedures and Associated Findings of the  
Statewide Agreed-upon Procedures**

**Terrebonne Parish Sheriff**

For the year ended June 30, 2018

The required procedures and our findings are as follows:

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's written policies and procedures:**

1. Obtain the Sheriff's written policies and procedures and report whether those written policies and procedures address each of the following financial/business functions (or report that the Sheriff does not have any written policies and procedures), as applicable:

a) Budgeting, including preparing, adopting, monitoring, and amending the budget

Performance: Obtained and read the written policy for budgeting.

Exceptions: The budgeting policy does not contain a provision on monitoring the budget.

Management's response: Management will consider adding the requirements listed above in the policy.

b) Purchasing, including (1) how purchases are initiated; (2) how vendors are added to the vendor list; (3) the preparation and approval process of purchase requisitions and purchase orders; (4) controls to ensure compliance with the public bid law; and (5) documentation required to be maintained for all bids and price quotes.

Performance: Obtained and read the written policy for purchasing, and found it to address all the functions listed above.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

c) Disbursements, including processing, reviewing, and approving

Performance: Obtained and read the written policy for disbursements, and found it to address all the functions listed above.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

d) Receipts/Collections, including receiving, recording, and preparing deposits. Also, policies and procedures should include management's actions to determine the completeness of each type of revenue or agency fund additions (e.g. periodic confirmation with outside parties, reconciliation to utility billing after cutoff procedures, reconciliation of traffic ticket number sequences, agency fund forfeiture monies confirmation).

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's written policies and procedures: (Continued)**

Performance: Inquired of a written policy for receipts.

Exceptions: There is no written policy for receipts.

Management's response: Management will consider drafting a policy on receipts, including the requirements listed in these procedures.

- e) Payroll/Personnel, including (1) payroll processing, and (2) reviewing and approving time and attendance records, including leave and overtime worked.

Performance: Obtained and read the written policy for payroll and personnel.

Exceptions: The policy did not include provisions related to payroll processing.

Management's response: Management will consider adding the provision listed above to their existing payroll policy.

- f) Contracting, including (1) types of services requiring written contracts, (2) standard terms and conditions, (3) legal review, (4) approval process, and (5) monitoring process

Performance: Inquired of a written policy for contracting.

Exceptions: There is no written policy for contracting.

Management's response: Management will consider drafting a policy on contracting, including the requirements listed in these procedures.

- g) Credit Cards (and debit cards, fuel cards, P-Cards, if applicable), including (1) how cards are to be controlled, (2) allowable business uses, (3) documentation requirements, (4) required approvers of statements, and (5) monitoring card usage (e.g. determining the reasonableness of fuel card purchases)

Performance: Obtained and read the written policy for credit cards.

Exceptions: The policy does not include provisions related to required approvers and monitoring card usage.

Management's response: Management will consider adding the provision listed above to their existing credit card policy.

- h) Travel and expense reimbursement, including (1) allowable expenses, (2) dollar thresholds by category of expense, (3) documentation requirements, and (4) required approvers

Performance: Obtained and read the written policy for travel and expense reimbursement.

Exceptions: The policy does not include provision for dollar threshold by category of expense.

Management's response: Management will consider adding provision listed above to their existing policy.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's written policies and procedures: (Continued)**

- i) Ethics, including (1) the prohibitions as defined in Louisiana Revised Statute 42:1111-1121, (2) actions to be taken if an ethics violation takes place, (3) system to monitor possible ethics violations, and (4) requirement that all employees, including elected officials, annually attest through signature verification that they have read the Sheriff's ethics policy.

Performance: Inquired of a written policy for ethics.

Exceptions: There is no written policy for ethics.

Management's response: Management will consider drafting a policy on ethics, including the requirements listed in these procedures.

- j) Debt Service, including (1) debt issuance approval, (2) continuing disclosure/EMMA reporting requirements, (3) debt reserve requirements, and (4) debt service requirements.

Performance: Inquired of a written policy for debt service.

Exceptions: There is no written policy for debt service.

Management's response: Management will consider drafting a policy on debt service, included the requirements listed in these procedures.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's bank reconciliations:**

- 2. Obtain a listing of the Sheriff's bank accounts from management and management's representation that the listing is complete. Management will identify the main operating account. Select the Sheriff's main operating account and select 4 additional accounts (or all accounts if less than 5). Select one month from the fiscal period, obtain and inspect the corresponding bank statement and reconciliation for each selected account, and observe that:

Performance: Obtained the listing of bank accounts from management, and received management's representation in a separate letter. Selected June from the fiscal period, and obtained the corresponding bank statement and reconciliation for the Sheriff's main operating account and 4 additional accounts.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- a) Bank reconciliations include evidence that they were prepared within 2 months of the related statement closing date (e.g. initialed and dated, electronically logged);

Performance: Observed that bank reconciliations were prepared within 2 months of the related statement closing date.

Exceptions: The installment account and the cash bond account did not have documentation of the individual who prepared the reconciliation.

Management's response: Management will begin verifying that all reconciliations contain signature/initials of individual who prepared the bank reconciliations.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's bank reconciliations: (Continued)**

- b) Bank reconciliations include evidence that a member of management or a board member who does not handle cash, post ledgers, or issue checks has reviewed each bank reconciliation (e.g. initialed and dated, electronically logged); and

Performance: Observed that a member of management or the Sheriff reviewed each bank reconciliation.

Exceptions: There was no documentary evidence of review of the bank reconciliation for the installment account, cash bond account, and inmate account.

Management's response: Management will verify that the reviewer sign/initial and date all bank reconciliations.

- c) If applicable, management has documentation reflecting that it has researched reconciling items that have been outstanding for more than 12 months from the statement closing date.

Performance: Observed that management has documentation reflecting that it has researched reconciling items that have been outstanding for more than 12 months from the statement closing date. Only the payroll account had outstanding items more than 12 months from the statement closing date. Each item includes supporting information about what the check was for and why it was still outstanding.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's collections:**

3. Obtain a listing of deposit sites for the fiscal period where deposits for cash/check/money order (cash) are prepared and management's representation that the listing is complete. Select 5 deposit sites (or all deposit sites if less than 5).

Performance: Obtained the listing of deposit sites from management, and received management's representation in a separate letter. The Sheriff has five deposit sites.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

4. For each deposit site selected, obtain a listing of collection locations and management's representation that the listing is complete. Select one collection location for each deposit site (i.e. collection locations for 5 deposit sites), obtain and inspect written policies and procedures relating to employee job duties (if no written policies or procedures, inquire of employees about their job duties) at each collection location, and observe that job duties are properly segregated at each collection location such that:

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's collections: (Continued)**

Performance: Obtained the listing of collection locations from management, and received management's representation in a separate letter. The Sheriff has five deposit sites with seven collection locations.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- a) Employees that are responsible for cash collections do not share cash drawers/registers.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: In the bookkeeping department, there are two employees who are responsible for cash collections and there is only one cash drawer. There are four employees in the civil department that can collect cash receipts. Each does not have their own cash drawer. In the civil department, checks are collected throughout the week and stored in the desk drawer of two employees. The deposit is done weekly.

Management's response: Management will ensure each employee responsible for cash collections has their own cash drawer.

- b) Each employee responsible for collecting cash is not responsible for preparing/making bank deposits, unless other employee/official is responsible for reconciling collection documentation (e.g. pre-numbered receipts) to the deposit.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: At the Criminal Justice Complex Office (Inmate Fund), the employee responsible for preparing bank deposits also is responsible for collecting cash. There is no other employee or official who reconciles collection documentation. The civil department also does not have another employee or official reconcile collection documentation to deposits.

Management's response: Management will shift the duty of deposits preparation to another employee within each department.

- c) Each employee responsible for collecting cash is not responsible for posting collection entries to the general ledger or subsidiary ledgers, unless another employee/official is responsible for reconciling ledger postings to each other and to the deposit.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's collections: (Continued)**

- d) The employee(s) responsible for reconciling cash collections to the general ledger and/or subsidiary ledgers, by revenue source and/or agency fund additions are not responsible for collecting cash, unless another employee verifies the reconciliation.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

5. Inquire of management that all employees who have access to cash are covered by a bond or insurance policy for theft.

Performance: Obtained a listing of all employees who have access to cash and inquired of management if these employees are covered by a bond or insurance policy for theft.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

6. Select two deposit dates for each of the 5 bank accounts selected for procedure #2 under "Procedures performed on the Sheriff's bank reconciliations" above (select the next deposit date chronologically if no deposits were made on the dates selected and select a deposit if multiple deposits were made on the same day). Obtain supporting documentation for each of the 10 deposits and:

- a) Observe that receipts are sequentially pre-numbered.

Performance: Obtained supporting documentation for the 10 selected deposits and observed that receipts were sequentially pre-numbered.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- b) Trace sequentially pre-numbered receipts, system reports, and other related collection documentation to the deposit slip.

Performance: Traced supporting documentation to the deposit slip.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- c) Trace the deposit slip total to the actual deposit per the bank statement.

Performance: Traced deposit slip total to actual deposit per bank statement.

Exceptions: There was no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's collections: (Continued)**

- d) Observe that the deposit was made within one business day of receipt at the collection location (within one week if the depository is more than 10 miles from the collection location or the deposit is less than \$100).

Performance: Observed that the deposit was made within one business day of receipt.

Exceptions: For the operating account, one deposit dated 6/8/18 had receipts received as early as 4/11/18. For the installment account, it took 6 business days for receipt received on 8/23/17 to be deposited. For cash bond account, check was received 9/12/17 and was not deposited until 9/19/17.

Management's response: Management will make every effort to deposit cash collections within one day of receipt.

- e) Trace the actual deposit per the bank statement to the general ledger.

Performance: Traced the actual deposit per the bank statement to the general ledger.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's non-payroll disbursements (excluding card purchases/payments, travel reimbursements, and petty cash purchases)**

7. Obtain a listing of locations that process payments for the fiscal period, and management's representation that the listing is complete. Select 5 locations (or all locations if less than 5)

Performance: Obtained the listing of location that process payments, and received management's representation in a separate letter. The Sheriff only has five locations that processes payments.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

8. For each location selected under #7 above, obtain a listing of those employees involved with non-payroll purchasing and payment functions. Obtain written policies and procedures relating to employee job duties (if the Sheriff has no written policies and procedures, inquire of employees about their job duties), and observe that job duties are properly segregated such that:

Performance: Obtained a listing of those employees involved with non-payroll purchasing and payments functions, and received management's representation in a separate letter.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's non-payroll disbursements (excluding card purchases/payments, travel reimbursements, and petty cash purchases): (Continued)**

- a) At least two employees are involved in initiating a purchase request, approving a purchase, and placing an order/making the purchase.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- b) At least two employees are involved in processing and approving payments to vendors.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- c) The employees responsible for processing payments are prohibited from adding/modifying vendor files, unless another employee is responsible for periodically reviewing changes to vendor files.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: The employee who can process payments in the tax collector department, bonds & fines department, and jail can also add and modify vendors in their respective department's accounting software. Also, there is no other employee responsible for reviewing changes to vendor files.

Management's response: Management will verify that an employee not responsible for processing payments or adding/modifying vendor files periodically review changes to the vendor files.

- d) Either the employee/official responsible for signing checks mails the payment or gives the signed checks to an employee to mail who is not responsible for processing payments.

Performance: Inspected policy manuals and inquired of management and employees as to requirement listed above.

Exceptions: Signed checks are given back to the employee who is responsible for processing payments to prepare checks for mailing in all departments.

Management's response: Management will consider reassigning mailing duties to an employee who does not process disbursements.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's non-payroll disbursements (excluding card purchases/payments, travel reimbursements, and petty cash purchases): (Continued)**

9. For each location selected under #7 above, obtain the Sheriff's non-payroll disbursement transaction population (excluding cards and travel reimbursements) and obtain management's representation that the population is complete. Select 5 disbursements for each location, obtain supporting documentation for each transaction and:

Performance: Obtained the Sheriff's general ledger for the fiscal period, and obtained management's representation in a separate letter.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- a) Observe that the disbursement matched the related original invoice/billing statement.

Performance: Obtained the disbursement and observed that the disbursement and the related original invoice/billing statement were in agreement.

Exceptions: There was no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- b) Observe that the disbursement documentation included evidence (e.g., initial/date, electronic logging) of segregation of duties tested under #8, as applicable.

Performance: Obtained the disbursement documentation and observed for proper segregation of duties as listed under #8 above.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's credit cards, debit cards, fuel cards, p-cards:**

Prior year testing resulted in no exceptions related to travel and travel-related expense reimbursement. Therefore, testing was no required in the current year.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's travel and travel-related expense reimbursements:**

10. Obtain from management a listing of all travel and related expense reimbursements during the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing or general ledger is complete. Select 5 reimbursements, obtain the related expense reimbursement forms/prepaid expense documentation of each selected reimbursement, as well as the supporting documentation. For each of the 5 reimbursements selected:

Performance: Obtained a list of all travel and travel related expense reimbursement, and received management's representation in a separate letter.

Exceptions: There were no exceptions noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's travel and travel-related expense reimbursements:  
(Continued)**

- a) If reimbursed using a per diem, agree the reimbursement rate to those rates established either by the State of Louisiana or the U.S. General Services Administration ([www.gsa.gov](http://www.gsa.gov)).

Performance: Selected 5 reimbursements and obtained the supporting documentation. 3 of the 5 reimbursements tested were per diem. Observed that the reimbursement rate agreed to those rates established either by the State of Louisiana or the U.S. General Services Administration.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- b) If reimbursed using actual costs, observe that the reimbursement is supported by an original itemized receipt that identifies precisely what was purchased.

Performance: Selected 5 reimbursement and obtained the supporting documentation. 2 of the 5 reimbursements tested were for actual costs. Observed that the reimbursement was supported by original itemized receipt.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- c) Observe that each reimbursement is supported by documentation of the business/public purpose (for meal charges, observe that the documentation includes the names of those individuals participating) and other documentation required by written policy (procedures #1h).

Performance: Selected 5 reimbursement and obtained the supporting documentation. Observed that each reimbursement has evidence of documentation of the business/public purpose and other documentation required by written policy.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

- d) Observe that each reimbursement was reviewed and approved, in writing, by someone other than the person receiving the reimbursement.

Performance: Selected 5 reimbursement and obtained the supporting documentation. Observed that each reimbursement was reviewed and approved by someone other than the person receiving the reimbursement.

Exceptions: There was no documentary evidence for one reimbursement that the travel was approved.

Management's response: Management will verify that all travel is approved before individual receives reimbursement.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's contracts**

Prior year testing resulted in no exceptions related to contracts. Therefore, testing was no required in the current year.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's payroll and personnel**

Prior year testing resulted in no exceptions related to payroll and personnel. Therefore, testing was not required in the current year.

**Procedure performed on the Sheriff's ethics:**

Prior year testing resulted in no exceptions related to ethics. Therefore, testing was not required in the current year.

**Procedures performed on the Sheriff's debt service**

Prior year testing resulted in no exceptions related to debt service. Therefore, testing was not required in the current year.

**Other procedures performed on the Sheriff:**

11. Obtain a listing of misappropriations of public funds or assets during the fiscal period, and management's representation that the listing is complete. Select all misappropriations on the listing, obtain supporting documentation, and observe that the Sheriff reported the misappropriations(s) to the legislative auditor and the Sheriff attorney of the parish in which the Sheriff is domiciled.

Performance: Inquired of management of any misappropriations of public funds or assets.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.

12. Observe and report whether the Sheriff has posted on its premises and website, the notice required by R.S. 24:523.1. This notice (available for download or print at [www.la.gov/hotline](http://www.la.gov/hotline)) concerns the reporting of misappropriation, fraud, waste, or abuse of public funds.

Performance: Inquired and observed such notice posted in the premises.

Exceptions: There was no exception noted.

Management's response: Not applicable.