DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA FINANCIAL REPORT

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,2014

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Asa Skinner
District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District
Leesville, Louisiana

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District Attorney's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District as of December 31, 2014, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 3 through 6 and 25 through 27 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 District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District's basic financial statements. The schedule of compensation, benefits and other payments to the agency head is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

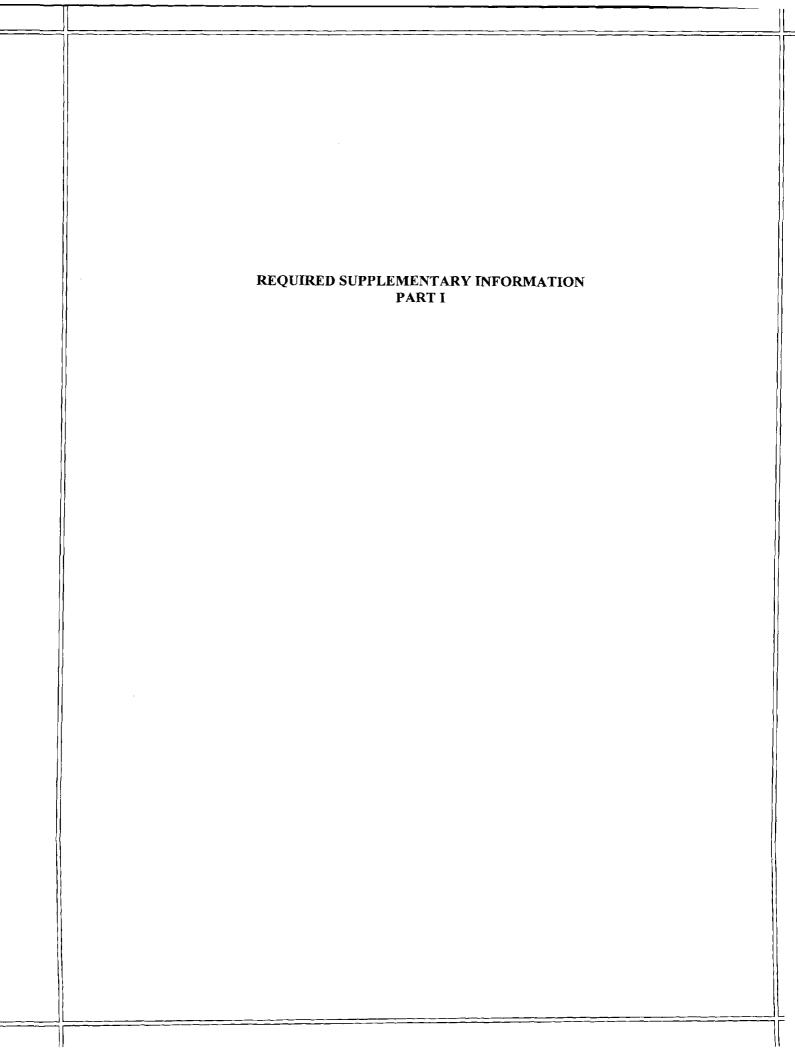
The schedule of compensation, benefits and other payments to the agency head is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing 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 basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated June 9, 2015, on our consideration of the District Attorney'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 internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Governmental Auditing Standards in considering the District Attorney's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Marcus, Robinson Harrell

Marcus, Robinson and Hassell Monroe, Louisiana June 9, 2015



Our discussion and analysis of the District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District, Vernon Parish, Louisiana's financial performance provides an overview of the financial activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014. Please read it in conjunction with the basic financial statements and the accompanying notes to the financial statements.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The Government-Wide Financial Statements (GWFS) - The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities provide information about the financial activities as a whole and present a longer-term view of the finances. Fund Financial Statements (FFS) - The Balance Sheet and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances tell how these services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. Fund Financial Statements also report the operations in more detail than the Government-Wide Statements by providing information about the most significant funds.

Our auditor has provided assurance in his independent auditor's report, that the Basic Financial Statements are fairly stated. The auditor regarding the Required Supplemental Information is providing varying degrees of assurance. A user of this report should read the independent auditor's report carefully to ascertain the level of assurance being provided for each of the other parts in the Financial Section.

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities report information about the entity as a whole and about its activities. These statements include all assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private sector companies. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the net position and changes in them. You can think of net position - the difference between assets and liabilities - as one way to measure the financial health, or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the net position are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating.

Fund Financial Statements

The Fund Financial Statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds - not the operations as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State laws. Other funds are established to help control and manage money for particular purposes (such as Worthless Check Collection Fund) or to show that it is meeting legal responsibilities for using certain taxes, grants, and other money (such as the Title IV-D Funds).

All of the District Attorney's services are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance programs.

The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds are shown in reconciliations at the bottom and following the fund financial statements.

Financial Highlights

Our financial statements provide these insights into the results of this year's operations:

- Net position of our governmental activities increased by \$77,994.
- During the year, the District Attorney expenses of \$743,326 were \$76,455 less than the \$819,781 generated in fees and other revenues for governmental programs.
- The government funds reported total ending fund balance of \$975,539, an increase of \$86,677 from the prior year.

Financial Analysis of Government-Wide Financial Statements

Our analysis below focuses on the net position of the government-type activities:

Condensed Statement of Net Position

Current and Other Assets Capital Assets, net Total Assets	12-31-14 \$1,031,414 148,923 1,180,337	12-31-13 \$ 938,005 160,642 1,098,647
Current Liabilities Non-current Liabilities Total Liabilities	55,875 	49,143 118,322 167,465
Investment in Capital Assets Unrestricted Total Net Position	148,923 <u>860,253</u> <u>\$1,009,176</u>	160,642 <u>770,540</u> <u>\$ 931,182</u>

The District Attorney's net position increased by \$77,994 as a result of this years operations. Current assets increased by \$93,409. This was in cash retained to use in future years and in the amounts due from other governments as grant receivables. Current liabilities increased by \$6,732. The non-current liabilities decreased by \$3,036, which is the net increase in compensated absences payable. The Unrestricted Net Position is the part of the net position that can be used to finance day-to-day operations without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation or other legal requirements.

Our analysis below focuses on the changes in net position of the governmental-type activities:

Condensed Statement of Activities

	<u>12-31-14</u>	12-31-13
Total Program Expenses	\$ 743,326	\$742,004
Total Program Revenues	<u>819,781</u>	<u>885,642</u>
Net Program Income (Loss)	76,455	143,638
General Revenues	1,539	<u> </u>
Change in Net Position	77,994	145,563
Net Position - Beginning of Year	<u>931,182</u>	<u>_785,619</u>
Net Position - End of year	<u>\$1,009,176</u>	<u>\$931,182</u>

There were no significant changes in the make up of revenue between 2013 and 2014.

Financial Analysis of the Governmental Fund Financial Statements

The District Attorney utilizes funds to control and manage money for particular purposes. Reviewing individual funds provides the information to determine if an entity is being accountable for the resources provided and may also give you more insight into the overall financial health.

The governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$975,539. This reflects an increase of \$86,677 from last year.

GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The original budgets were not amended during the year.

CAPITAL ASSETS

At December 31, 2014, the District Attorney had \$233,091 invested in capital assets as follows:

	<u>12-31-14</u>	<u>12-31-13</u>
Land	\$ 12,812	\$ 12,812
Office Equipment	92,641	92,641
Office Renovations	<u> 127,638</u>	127,638
Total Capital Assets, at cost	233,091	233,091
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>84,168</u>	72,449
Capital Assets, net	<u>\$148,923</u>	<u>\$160,642</u>

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET

Among the factors considered in compiling the 2015 budget were:

- 1. Any changes in rates and fees for the next fiscal year.
- 2. Any new laws and regulations enacted that would apply to the upcoming year.
- 3. Any new revenue sources or expenditures not previously encountered.

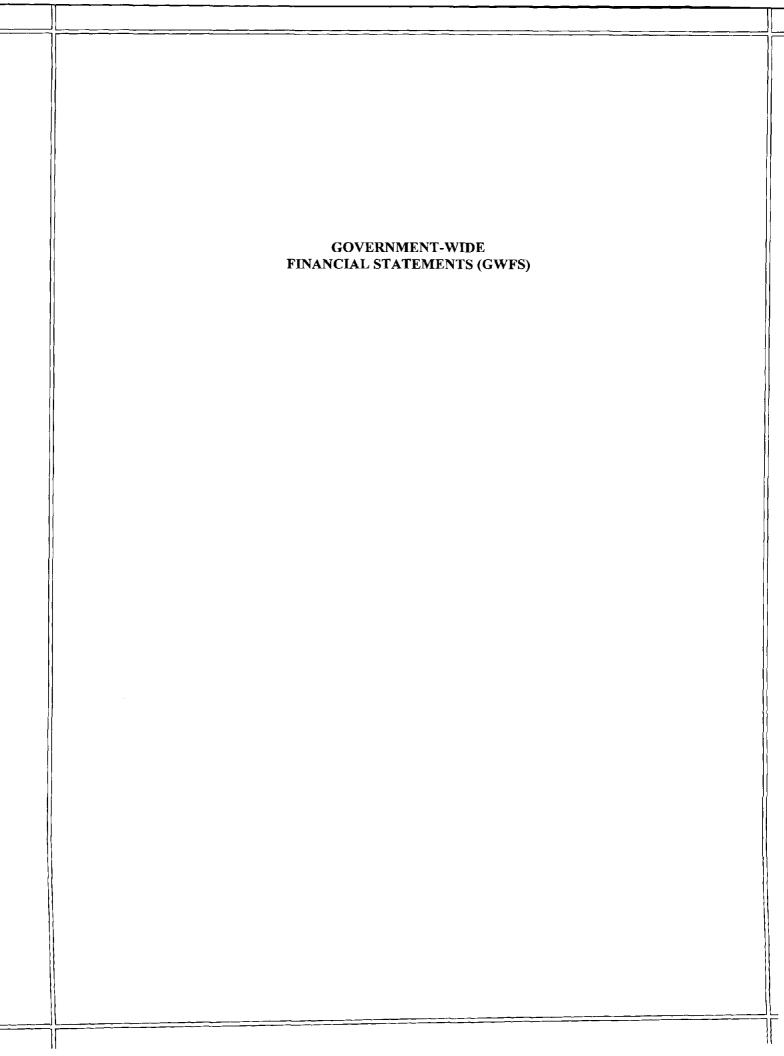
HIGHLIGHTS ON NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET

Projected Beginning Balance	\$975,539
Anticipated Income for 2015	744,940
Anticipated Expenditures for 2015	_744,940
Excess of Expenditures Over Income	0
Projected Ending Balance	\$975,539

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the District Attorney's finances and to show the district Attorney's accountability for money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact:

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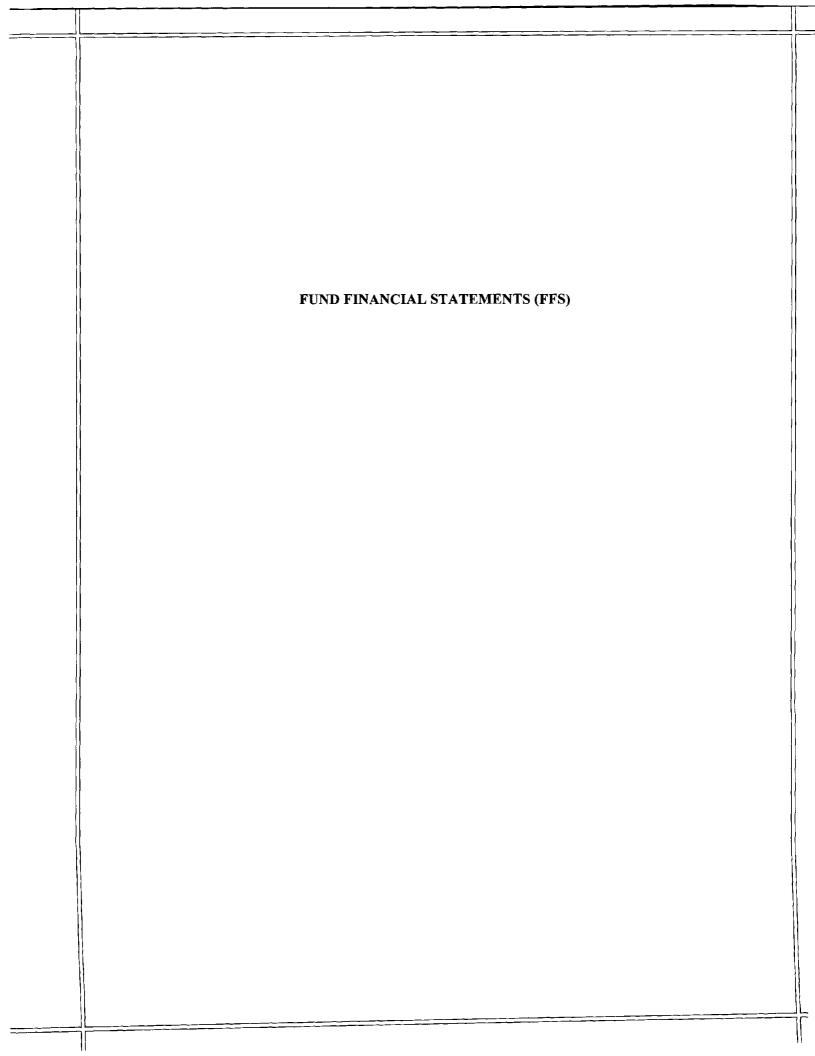


DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DECEMBER 31, 2014

1	ASSETS	
ļ	CURRENT ASSETS	
l	Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 949,064
ĺ	Receivables	82,350
	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	1,031,414
	Capital Assets, net of depreciation	148,923
l	TOTAL ASSETS	_1,180,337
	LIABILITIES	
ĺ	CURRENT LIABILITIES	
	Deposits Due to Others	\$ 55,875
	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	55,875
	Non-Current Liabilities	
•	Compensated Absences Payable	115 200
į	TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>115,286</u>
		<u> 171,161</u>
	<u>NET POSITION</u>	
	Invested in Capital Assets	148,923
J	Unrestricted	_ 860,253
١	TOTAL NET POSITION	\$1,009,176

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

		Program Reven	ue		Net
		Charges for	Capital	Operating	(Expense)
	Expenses	<u>Services</u>	<u>Grants</u>	Grants	Revenues
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS Judicial Activities	\$(743,326)	<u>\$430,764</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$389,017	\$ 76,455
TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	<u>\$(743,326)</u>	<u>\$430,764</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$389,017</u>	<u>\$ 76,455</u>
	Interest	L REVENUES GENERAL REV			1,539 1,539
	<u>CHANGI</u>	E IN NET POSI	<u> TION</u>		77,994
	NET POS	SITION - BEGIN	NNING OF	YEAR	931,182
	NET POS	SITION - END C	OF YEAR		<u>\$1,009,176</u>



DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2014

	General <u>Fund</u>	Title IV-D <u>Fund</u>	Worthless Check Fund	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS Cash and Cash Equivalents Receivables	\$697,099 	\$185,807 63,318	\$66,158 0	\$ 949,064 <u>82,350</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$716,131</u>	<u>\$249,125</u>	<u>\$66,158</u>	<u>\$1,031,414</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE LIABILITIES				
Deposits Due to Others	<u>\$ 55.875</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$ 55,875
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>55,875</u>	0	0	55,875
FUND BALANCES				
Assigned	0	249,125	66,158	315,283
Unassigned	660,256	0	0	660,256
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	660,256	_249,125	66,158	975,539
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND				
BALANCES	<u>\$716,131</u>	<u>\$249,125</u>	<u>\$66,158</u>	<u>\$1,031,414</u>

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2014

Total Fund Balances at December 31, 2014 - Governmental Funds

\$ 975,539

Total Net Position reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position is different because:

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

Capital Assets
Less: Accumulated Depreciation
Net Capital Assets

<u>84,168</u> 148,923

233,091

Long-Term liabilities, compensated absences payable are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the fund liabilities

(115,286)

Total Net Position at December 31, 2014 - Governmental Activities

\$1,009,176

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

	General Fund	Title IV-D Fund	Worthless Check Fund	Total GovernmentalFunds
REVENUES				
Fines and Fees	\$298,277	\$ 0	\$21,619	\$319,896
Court Cost	110,868	0	0	110,868
Intergovernmental	30,000	359,017	0	389,017
Interest	1,275	206_	58	1,539
TOTAL REVENUES	440,420	359,223	21,677	821,320
<u>EXPENDITURES</u>				
General Governmental - Judicial				
Personnel Services	637,997	0	0	637,997
Operating Services	55,080	135	0	55,215
Material and Supplies	2,111	0	0	2,111
Travel and Seminars	39,320	0	0	39,320
Capital Outlay	0	0	0	0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	734,508	135	0	734,643
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	(294,088)	359,088	21,677	86,677
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers (Infund Activity)	361,018	(361,018)	0	0
NET OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	361,018	(361,018)	0	0
NET CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES	66,930	(1,930)	21,677	86,677
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING	593,326	251,055	44,481	888,862
FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$660,256</u>	<u>\$249,125</u>	<u>\$66,158</u>	<u>\$975,539</u>

See Notes to Financial Statements

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

Net Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$86,677
The change in Net Position reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities is different because:	
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of these assets is allocated over their useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation exceeds capital outlay in the current period.	
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, such as the net decrease in compensated absences, do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as an expenditure in governmental funds.	3,036

\$77,994

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities

As provided by Article V, Section 26 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, the District Attorney has charge of every criminal prosecution by the state in his district; is the representative of the state before the grand jury in his district; and is the legal advisor to the grand jury. He performs other duties as provided by law. The district attorney is elected by the qualified electors of the judicial district for a term of six years. The Thirtieth Judicial District encompasses Vernon Parish, Louisiana.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District (District Attorney), have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant accounting policies established in GAAP and used by the District Attorney are described below.

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, in conformance with GASB Codification Section 2100, the District Attorney is a part of the district court system of the State of Louisiana. The GASB has established several criteria for determining the governmental reporting entity and component units that should be included within the reporting entity.

Financial accountability is determined by applying criteria established by the GASB as listed below:

- 1. Financial benefit or burden
- 2. Appointment of a voting majority
- 3. Imposition of will
- 4. Fiscally dependent

Certain transactions between the District Attorney and the Parish Police Jury are mandated by state statue and do not reflect fiscal dependency; thereby, they do not reflect financial accountability. The other three criteria of financial accountability do not pertain to the District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District when applying them as a means of identifying potential component units of the Vernon Parish Police Jury. Since, the District Attorney is an independently elected official, is legally separate and fiscally independent, the District Attorney is a separate governmental reporting entity.

The financial statements of the District Attorney include all funds and activities that are within the oversight responsibility of the District Attorney.

B. Basic Financial Statements - Basis of Presentation

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The District Attorney's basic financial statements include both government-wide (reporting the District Attorney as a whole) and fund financial statements (reporting the District Attorney's major funds). Both the government-wide and fund financial statements categorize primary activities as governmental or business-type. All of the District Attorney's judicial and administrative services are classified as governmental activities.

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position, the governmental activities are reported on a full accrual, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well al long-term debt and obligations. The District Attorney's net position is reported in three parts - invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted net position; and unrestricted net position.

The government-wide Statement of Activities reports both the gross and net cost of each of the District Attorney's functions and activities (judicial). These functions are also supported by general government revenues (interest earned). The Statement of Activities reduces gross expenses (including depreciation) by related program revenues, operating and capital grants. Program revenues must be directly associated with the function (judicial). Operating grants include operating-specific and discretionary (either operating or capital) grants.

The net costs (by function) are normally covered by general revenue (interest earned, etc.). This government-wide focus is more on the sustain-ability of the District Attorney as an entity and the change in the District Attorney's net position resulting from the current year's activities.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial transactions of the District Attorney are reported in individual funds in the fund financial statements. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprises its assets, liabilities, reserves, fund equity, revenues and expenditures/expenses. The various funds are reported by generic classification within the financial statements.

The governmental fund type is the only type used by the District Attorney. The focus of the governmental funds' measurement (in the fund statements) is upon determination of financial position and changes in financial position (sources, uses, and balances of financial resources) rather than upon net income. The following is a description of the governmental funds of the District Attorney:

Governmental Funds:

- General Fund The General Fund was established in compliance with Louisiana Revised Statute 15:571.11, which provides that 12 per cent of the fines collected and bonds forfeited be transmitted to the District Attorney to defray the necessary expenses of his office.
- Special Revenue Funds are used to account for fees, fines, and costs collected for a specified purpose or grants to be used for specific purposes that deal with judicial prosecution.

Major and Nonmajor Funds:

All the funds are further classified as major based on the total amount of revenue or assets per fund.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Accrual Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting refers to the point at which revenues or expenditures are recognized in the accounts and reported on the financial statements. It relates to the timing of the measurements made regardless of the measurement focus applied.

Governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements are presented on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets and liabilities resulting from exchange and exchange-like transactions are recognized when the exchange takes place. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets, and liabilities resulting from non-exchange transactions are recognized in accordance with the requirements of GASB Statement No. 33 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Non-exchange Transactions."

Program revenues included in the Statement of Activities derive directly from the program itself and reduce the cost of the function to be financed from the general revenues.

Modified Accrual Basis of Accounting

The fund financial statements are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they become both measurable and available). "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period or within 60 days after year end. Expenditures are generally recorded when the related fund liability is incurred.

With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases (i.e. revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets.

Fines, fees, and other revenues are recorded when collected and are considered susceptible to accrual.

D. Cash

Cash includes demand deposits of the District Attorney. Under state law the entities may deposit funds in demand deposits, interest-bearing demand deposits, or time deposits with state banks organized under Louisiana law and national banks having their principal offices in Louisiana.

E. Interfund Receivables and Payables

During the course of operations transactions occur between individual funds. These receivables and payables are classified as "due to or due from other funds" on the fund financial statement balance sheet.

In the process of aggregating data for the government-wide financial Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities some amounts reported as due to/from balances were eliminated. Interfund receivables and payables were eliminated to minimize the "grossing up" effect on the assets and liabilities within the governmental activities column.

F. Capital Assets

In the government-wide financial statements capital assets purchased or acquired with an original cost of \$5,000 or more are recorded at either historical cost or estimated historical cost and depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Contributed assets are recorded at fair market value at the date received. 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. Straight-line depreciation is used based on the following estimated useful lives:

Office EquipmentOffice Renovation3-7 years40 years

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

G. Compensated Absences

Full time employees are granted ten (10) working days of vacation per year for the first through sixth year of service; fifteen (15) working days per year for the seventh through twelfth year; and twenty (20) working days per year after the twelfth year of service.

Part-time Assistant District Attorneys are authorized ten (10) working days per year.

The District Attorney and First District Attorney are authorized thirty (30) working days per year after the twentieth year of service.

Vacation time may be accumulated from year to year but no more than thirty (30) days of vacation can be taken in one year.

In the event of resignation, termination of employment, or retirement, an employee will be compensated for any unused accumulated vacation time.

The District Attorney and all full-time employees can elect to receive either compensatory time or compensatory pay for each hour worked in excess of seven hours per day computed by calendar month. Compensatory time can be accumulated and taken as vacation time or, if elected, compensatory pay can be paid annually or upon resignation, termination of employment, or retirement.

Each full-time employee shall accrue sick leave at the rate of one (1) day per month. Accumulated sick leave cannot exceed seventy-two (72) days. In the event of resignation, termination of employment, or retirement, full time employees will be paid full accumulated sick leave not to exceed seventy-two (72) days.

H. Equity Classifications - Government-wide Statement

Net position represent the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources less liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. The District Attorney reports three categories of net position, as follows:

- Net investment in capital assets-consists of net capital assets reduced by outstanding balances of any related debt obligations and deferred inflows of resources attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets and increase by balances of deferred outflows of resources related to those assets.
- Restricted net position net position is considered restricted if their use is constrained to a particular purpose. Restrictions are imposed by external organizations such as federal or state laws. Restricted net position is reduced by liabilities and deferred inflows of resources related to the restricted assets.
- Unrestricted net position consists of all other net position that does not meet the definition of the above two components and is available for general use by the District Attorney.

When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available, management applies unrestricted net position first, unless a determination is made to use restricted net position. The District Attorney's policy concerning which to apply first varies with the intended use and legal requirements. Management typically makes this decision on a transactional basis at the incurrence of the expenditure.

I. 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 statement and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

J. Budgets

The district attorney prepares annual budgets for the General Fund and the Special Revenue Funds on a modified accrual basis of accounting. The proposed budgets are made available for public inspection no later than 15 days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year. Budgets are formally adopted by the district attorney who has sole authority to amend them. Formal budget integration (within the accounting records) is not employed as a management control device. Encumbrances are not recognized; therefore, encumbrances are not reflected for either budgeting or accounting purposes. Unexpended appropriations lapse at year end and must be reappropriated in the next year's budget to be expended. Budget amounts included in the accompanying financial statements include the original adopted budgets and any amendments made during the year.

K. Bad Debts

Uncollectible accounts receivable are recognized as bad debts through the establishment of an allowance at the time information becomes available which would indicate the uncollectibility of the particular receivable. At December 31, 2014, all receivables were considered to be collectible.

L. Fund Equity of Fund Financial Statements

Accounting standards require governmental fund balances to be reported in as many as five classifications as listed below:

<u>Nonspendable</u> - represents amounts that are not expected to be converted to cash because they are either not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

<u>Restricted</u> - represents balances where constraints have been established by parties outside the District Attorney's office or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

<u>Committed</u> - represents balances that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the District Attorney's highest level of decision-making authority.

<u>Assigned</u> - represents balances that are constrained by the District Attorney's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are not restricted nor committed.

<u>Unassigned</u> - represents balances that have not been assigned to other funds and have not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund.

NOTE 2 - CASH

Deposits are stated at cost, which approximates fair value. Under state law, these deposits (or the resulting bank balances) must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The fair value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent. These securities are held in the name of the pledging fiscal agent bank in a holding or custodial bank that is mutually acceptable to both parties.

At December 31, 2014, the district attorney has cash and cash equivalents (book balances) totaling \$949,064 as follows:

Petty Cash	\$ 200
Demand Deposits	648,864
Time Deposits	300,000
	<u>\$949,064</u>

Cash is classified into three categories to give an indication of the level of risk assumed at year-end. Category 1 includes cash insured or registered which are held by the district attorney or its agent in the district attorney's name. Category 2 includes uninsured or unregistered cash for which securities are held by the bank or agent in the district attorney's name. Category 3 includes uninsured or unregistered cash with the securities held by the bank or agent, not in the district attorney's name, but pledged to the district attorney.

The carrying amount of the district attorney's deposits with financial institutions was \$1,007,322 and the book balance was \$949,064. The bank balances are categorized as follows:

Category 1	\$ 779,862
Category 2	227,460
Category 3	0
	\$1,007,322
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NOTE 3 - RECEIVABLES

The following is a summary of receivables at December 31, 2014:

	General	Title IV - D	
	<u>Fund</u>	_ Funds	_Total_
Fines and Fees	\$11,138	\$ 0	\$11,138
Court Costs	7,894	0	7,894
Grants from LA Department of Social Services	vices:		
Title IV-D	0	63,318	63,318
TOTAL	<u>\$19,032</u>	<u>\$63,318</u>	<u>\$82,350</u>

NOTE 4 - CAPITAL ASSETS

A summary of capital assets at December 31, 2014 follows:

	Balance			Balance
Asset	December 31, 2013	Additions	Retirements	December 31, 2014
Land	\$ 12,812	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 12,812
Office Equipment	92,641	0	0	92,641
Office Renovation	127,638	0	0	<u>127,638</u>
Total	233,091	0	0	233,091
Accumulated Depreciation				
Office Equipment	38,091	8,528	0	46,619
Office Renovation	<u>34,358</u>	<u>3,191</u>	0	<u>37,549</u>
Total	<u>_72,449</u>	11,719	0	84,168
Capital Assets, Net	<u>\$160,642</u>	<u>\$11,719</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$148,923</u>

NOTE 5 - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

A. DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM:

PLAN DESCRIPTION

The district attorney and assistant district attorneys are members of the Louisiana District Attorney's Retirement System (System), a multiple-employer (cost-sharing), public employee retirement system (PERS), controlled and administered by a separate board of trustees.

Assistant district attorneys who earn, as a minimum, the amount paid by the state for assistant district attorneys and are under the age of 60 at the time of original employment and all district attorneys are required to participate in the System. For members who joined the system before July 1, 1990, and who elected not to be covered by the new provisions, the following applies: Any member with 23 or more years of creditable service regardless of age may retire with a 3 per cent benefit reduction for each year below age 55, provided that no reductions is applied if the member has 30 or more years of service. Any member with at least 18 years of service may retire at age 55 with a 3 per cent benefit reduction for each year below age 60. In addition, any member with at least 10 years of service may retire at age 60 with a 3 per cent benefit reduction for each year below age 60. In addition, any

member with at least 10 years of service may retire at age 60 with a 3 per cent benefit reduction for each year retiring below the age of 62. The retirement benefit is equal to 3 per cent of the member's final average compensation, defined by L.R.S. 11:1581(5), multiplied by the number of years of his membership service, not to exceed 100 per cent of average final compensation.

For members who joined the System after July 1, 1990, or who elected to be covered by the new provisions the following applies: Members are eligible to receive normal retirement benefits if they are age 60 and have 10 years of service credit, are age 55 and have 24 years of service credit, or have 30 years of service credit regardless of age. The normal retirement benefit is equal to 3.5 per cent of the member's final-average compensation multiplied by years of membership service. A member is eligible for early retirement if he is age 55 and has 18 years of service credit. The early retirement benefit is equal to the normal retirement benefit reduced 3 per cent for each year the member retires in advance of normal retirement age. Benefits may not exceed 100 per cent of average final compensation. The System also provides death and disability benefits. Benefits are established by state statute.

The District Attorney's Retirement System issues an annual publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the retirement system. That report may be obtained by writing to the District Attorney's Retirement System, 2109 Decatur Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 70116-2012, or by calling (504)-947-5551.

FUNDING POLICY

Plan members are required by state statute to contribute 7 percent of their annual covered salary and the District Attorney is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current rate is 9.75 percent of annual covered payroll. Contributions to the System also include 0.2 per cent of the ad valorem taxes collected throughout the state and revenue sharing funds as appropriated by the Louisiana legislature. The contribution requirements of plan members and the district attorney are established and may be amended by state statute. As provided by Louisiana Revised Statute 11:103, the employer contributions are determined by an actuarial valuation and are subject to change each year based on the results of the valuation for the prior fiscal year. The Thirtieth Judicial District Attorney's contributions to the system for the year ending December 31, 2014 was \$19,418 equal to the required contributions for the year.

B. PAROCHIAL EMPLOYEE'S RETIREMENT SYSTEM

PLAN DESCRIPTION

The district attorney's administrative and secretarial employees are members of the Parochial Employee's Retirement System (System), a multiple-employer (cost-sharing), public employee retirement system (PERS), controlled and administered by a separate board of trustees. The System is composed of two distinct Plans, Plan A and Plan B, with separate assets and benefits provisions. The employees are members of Plan B administered by the System.

All permanent employees working at least twenty-eight hours per week who are paid wholly or in part from district attorney funds and all elected parish officials are eligible to participate in the System. Members covered under Plan A who retire at or after age 60 with at least 10 years of creditable service, or after age 55 with at least 25 years of creditable service, or at any age with at least 30 years of creditable service are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, equal to 3 per cent of their final average salary for each year of creditable service. Final average salary is the employee's average salary over the 36 consecutive or joined months that produce the highest average.

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Employees who terminate with at least the amount of creditable service stated above, and do not withdraw their employee contributions, may retire at the ages specified above and receive the benefits accrued to their date of termination. The system also provides death and disability benefits. Benefits are established or amended by state statute.

The Parochial Employee's Retirement System issues an annual publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the retirement system. That report may be obtained by writing to the Parochial Employee's Retirement System of Louisiana, PO Box 14619, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70898-4619, or by calling (504) 928-1361.

FUNDING POLICY

Plan members are required by state statute to contribute 3.0 per cent of their annual covered salary and the District Attorney is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current rate is 9.25 percent of annual covered payroll. Contributions to the System also include 0.25 per cent (except Orleans and East Baton Rouge Parishes) of the ad valorem taxes collected throughout the state. These tax dollars are divided between Plan A and Plan B based proportionately on the salaries of the active members of each plan. As provided by Louisiana Revised Statute 11:103, the employer contributions are determined by an actuarial valuation and are subject to change each year based on the results of the valuation for the prior fiscal year. The Thirtieth Judicial District Attorney's contributions to the system under Plan B for the year ending December 31, 2014 were \$20,674, equal to the required contributions for the year.

C. STATE OF LOUISIANA DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN

PLAN DESCRIPTION

Effective September 1, 2000 all full time employees are eligible to participate in the State of Louisiana Deferred Compensation Plan. The Plan is pursuant to IRC Section 457, and Louisiana R.S. 42:1301-1308.

Under the Plan, eligible employees can elect to reduce a portion of their salary by deferring it into the plan. Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code limits the amount which may be deferred each year to the lessor of \$8,000 or 33 1/3% of includable compensation. Additionally, during the three calendar years ending prior to an employee's retirement age as defined by the Plan, the employee may be eligible to contribute a "catch up" amount if the maximum allowable contribution was not made in previous years of participation in the Plan.

Annual reports are prepared by the Louisiana Public Employees Deferred Compensation Plan. That report may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana Deferred Compensation Plan, 2237 South Acadian Thruway, Suite 702, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70808.

FUNDING POLICY

Plan members elect the amount of salary deferral on January 1st of each year. The District Attorney made employer contributions during 2014 totaling \$67,355.

D. POST RETIREMENT BENEFITS

The District Attorney has no policy for payment of any post retirement benefits.

NOTE 6 - ON BEHALF PAYMENTS AND EXPENDITURES NOT INCLUDED IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The accompanying financial statements do not include certain expenditures of the district attorney paid by the Vernon Parish Police Jury or directly by the state. A portion of the salaries of the district attorney and assistant district attorney are paid directly by the state. The Vernon Parish Criminal Court Fund pays certain salaries and employer contributions of secretarial personnel. In addition, the police jury provides certain fixed assets for the district attorney's office and pays employee health benefits. At December 31, 2014, the amount of the expenses paid or absorbed by these other agencies has not been determined.

NOTE 7 - OPERATING LEASES

The District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District maintains an operating lease for one automobile at December 31, 2014. The lease term is for 36 months beginning on the date the lease is signed. Lease payments made totaled \$8,189 for the year ending December 31, 2014. The monthly minimum lease rental for the vehicle is \$732.44 and will expire in October 2017. The future minimum lease payments are as follows:

2015 \$ 8,789 2016 8,789 2017 <u>7,324</u> \$24,902

NOTE 8 - LITIGATION AND CLAIMS

At December 31, 2014, there is no litigation pending against the District Attorney's office.

NOTE 9 - FEDERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

The District Attorney participates in the United States Department of Health and Human Services Child Support Enforcement Title IV-D Program, Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 13.783. This program is funded by indirect assistance payments, in the form of both incentive payments and reimbursements of a portion of certain expenditures, received from the Louisiana Department of Social Services. The reimbursement payments are restricted by a formal agreement between the District Attorney and the Louisiana Department of Social Services and include a budget of expected expenditures for each fiscal year ending June 30. The District Attorney submits reimbursement requests to the Louisiana Department of Social Services on a monthly basis. There are no restrictions on how incentive payments may be expended, except as may be required by state law for any other funds of the district attorney. However, these payments, as well as the reimbursement payments, may be subjected to further review and audit by the Federal grantor agency. No provision has been made in the financial statements for the reimbursement of any expenditures that may be disallowed as a result of such a review or audit.

NOTE 10 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The District Attorney maintains commercial insurance coverage covering each of those risks of loss. Management believes such coverage is sufficient to preclude any significant uninsured losses to the District Attorney.

NOTE	11 - SU	BSEQUENT	EVENTS

Management has evaluated subsequent events through June 9, 2015 the date that the financial statements were available to be issued, and determined that no events occurred that require disclosure.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION PART II DESCRIPTION OF MAJOR FUNDS

<u>General Fund</u> - The General Fund was established in compliance with Louisiana Revised Statute 15:571.11, which provides that 12 percent of the fines collected and bonds forfeited be transmitted to the District Attorney to defray the necessary expenses of his office.

<u>Title IV-D Fund</u> - The Title IV-D Office Fund consists of reimbursement grant payments from the Louisiana Department of Social Services, authorized by Act 117 of 1975, to establish family and child support programs compatible with Title IV-D of the Social Security Act. The purpose of the fund is to enforce the support obligation owed by absent parents to their families and children, to locate absent parents, to establish paternity, and to obtain family and child support.

<u>Worthless Check Fund</u> - The Worthless Check Collection Fee Special Revenue Fund consists of fees collected in accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 16:15, which provides for a specific fee whenever the District Attorney's office collects and processes a worthless check. Expenditures from this fund are at the sole discretion of the District Attorney and may be used to defray the salaries and the expenses of the office of the District Attorney, but may not be used to supplement the salary of the District Attorney.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

	<u>Budgete</u> Original	ed Amounts Final	Actual Amounts	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES	Original	<u>I mai</u>	Milounts	(Omavorable)
Fines and Fees	\$328,900	\$252,240	\$298,277	\$46,037
Court Cost	94,000	95,000	110,868	15,868
l ·	30,000	30,000	30,000	15,808
Intergovernmental	,	•	•	-
Interest TOTAL DEVENIES	700	700	1,275	575
TOTAL REVENUES	453,600	377,940	440,420	62,480
EVDENDITUDES				
EXPENDITURES General Governmental-Judicial				
	600,000	620,000	627.007	(17.007)
Personnel Services	600,000	620,000	637,997	(17,997)
Operating Services	182,000	87,940	55,080	32,860
Materials and Supplies	1,000	2,000	2,111	(111)
Travel and Seminars	17,000	35,000	39,320	(4,320)
Capital Outlay	0	0	0	0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	800,000	<u>744,940</u>	734,508	10,432
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES	(346,400)	(367,000)	(294,088)	72,912
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers (Interfund Activity) NET OTHER FINANCING	347,000	347,000	361,018	14,018
SOURCES (USES)	347,000	347,000	361,018	14,018
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	600	(20,000)	66,930	86,930
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING	593,326	593,326	593,326	0
FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$593,926</u>	<u>\$573,326</u>	<u>\$660,256</u>	<u>\$86,930</u>

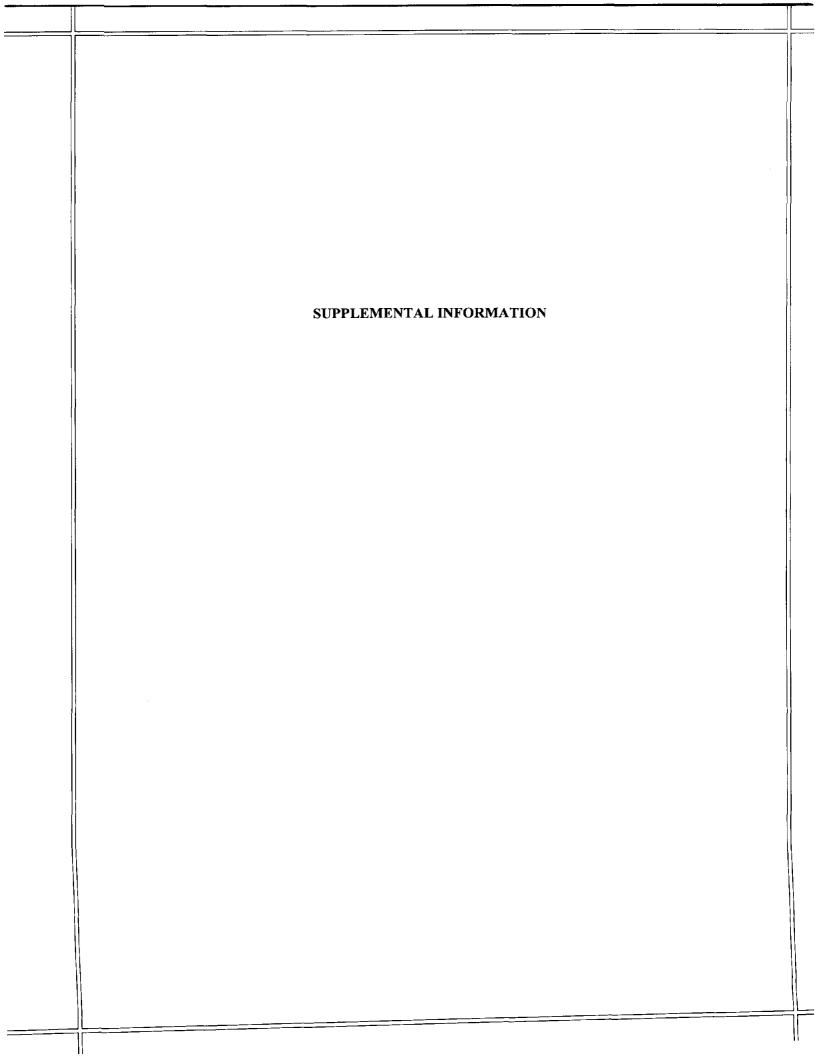
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DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - TITLE IV - D FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

	Budgete	d Amounts	Actual	Variance Favorable
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Amounts</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>
REVENUES				
Intergovernmental	\$347,000	\$347,000	\$359,017	\$ 12,017
Interest	0	0	206	206
TOTAL REVENUES	347,000	347,000	359,223	12,223
EXPENDITURES				
General Governmental - Judicial				
Personnel Services	0	0	0	0
Operating Services	0	0	135	(135)
Materials and Supplies	0	0	0) O
Travel and Seminars	0	0	0	0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	0	0	135	(135)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES				
OVER EXPENDITURES	347,000	347,000	359,088	12,088
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Transfer Interfund Activity	(347,000)	(347,000)	(361,018)	(14,018)
·				
NET OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(347,000)	(347,000)	(361,018)	_(14,018)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	0	0	(1,930)	(1,930)
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING	251,055	251,055	251,055	0
FUND BALANCE - ENDING	<u>\$251,055</u>	<u>\$251,055</u>	<u>\$249,125</u>	<u>\$ (1,930)</u>

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - WORTHLESS CHECK FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

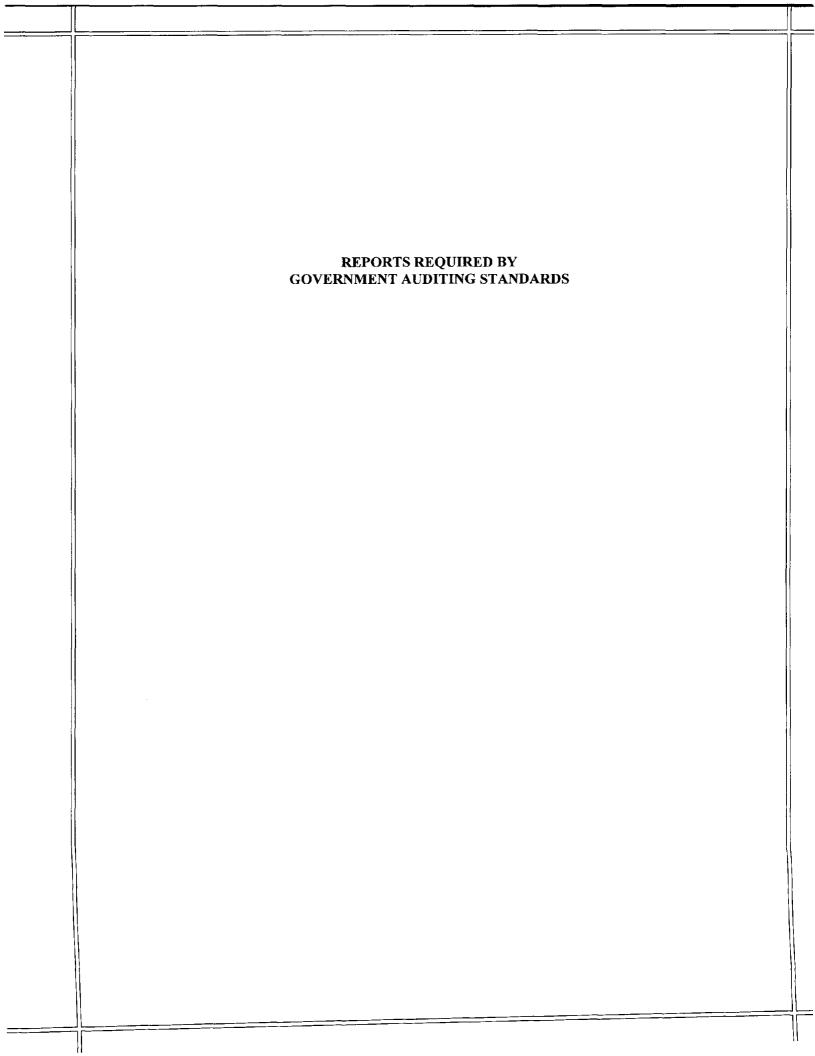
DEVENIJES	<u>Budgeted</u> Original	d Amounts Final	Actual <u>Amounts</u>	Variance Favorable (<u>Unfavorable</u>)
REVENUES Fines and Fees	\$ 9,400	\$20,000	\$21,619	\$1,619
Interest	\$ 9,400 0	\$20,000 N	58_	
TOTAL REVENUES	9,400	20,000	21,677	<u>58</u> 1,677
EXPENDITURES				
General Government - Judicial	^			
Personnel Services	0	0	0	0
Operating Services	$\frac{0}{0}$	$\frac{0}{0}$	<u> </u>	0
TOTAL EXPENDITURES			U	0
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES	9,400	20,000	21,677	1,677
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Transfers (Interfund Activity)	0	0	0	0
NET OTHER FINANCING	_		_	
SOURCES (USES)	0_	0	0	0
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	9,400	20,000	21,677	1,677
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING	44,481	44,481	44,481	0
<u>FUND BALANCE - ENDING</u>	\$53,881	<u>\$64,481</u>	<u>\$66,158</u>	<u>\$1,677</u>



DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA SCHEDULE OF COMPENSATION, BENEFITS AND OTHER PAYMENTS TO AGENCY HEAD FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

AGENCY HEAD - DISTRICT ATTORNEY - ASA SKINNER

Salary	\$84,569
Benefits - Retirement	7,065
Benefits - Deferred Comp.	10,430
Vehicle Provided by Government	8,189
Per Diem	685
Reimbursements	2,067
Registration Fees	925
Conference Travel	1,693
Dues	1,053



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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

Honorable Asa Skinner District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District Leesville, 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, component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District Attorney's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 9, 2015.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the District Attorney'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 District Attorney's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District Attorney'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 entity'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 weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District Attorney's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statements amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

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 entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management of the District Attorney of the thirtieth Judicial District and the Legislative Auditor of Louisiana and is not intended to be, and should not be used by anyone other than the specified parties. Although the intended use of these reports may be limited, under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

Marcus, Robinson and Hassell June 9, 2015

Marcus Robinson Harsell

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the District Attorney of the Thirtieth Judicial District, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014, which collectively comprise the basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated June 9, 2015. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our audit of the financial statements as of December 31, 2014 resulted in an unmodified opinion.

Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

a.	Report on Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements
	Internal Control Material Weaknessesyes_x_no Significant Deficiencyyes_x_no
	Compliance Compliance Material to Financial Statementsyes _x _ no
b.	Federal Awards -N/A
	Internal Control Material Weaknessesyes no Significant Deficiencyyes no
	Type of Opinion on Compliance Unqualified Qualified Disclaimer Adverse
	Are their findings required to be reported in accordance with Circular A-133, Section .510(a)?
c.	Identification of Major Programs: N/A
	CFDA Number(s) Name of Federal Program (or cluster)
Dolla	ar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B Programs \$N/A
Is the	auditee a "low-risk" auditee, as defined by OMB Circular A-133? yes No N/A
Section II - F	inancial Statement Findings
No	matters were reported.
Section III -	Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs - N/A

DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT LEESVILLE, LOUISIANA

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

Section I - <u>Internal Control and Compliance Material to the Financial Statements</u>

No findings were reported under this section

Section II -Internal Control and Compliance Material to Federal Awards

No findings were reported under this section.

Section III - Management Letter

No management letter was issued.