## TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON COUNTY OF MORRIS NEW JERSEY

REPORT ON EXAMINATION OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR 2020

## TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON COUNTY OF MORRIS, NEW JERSEY

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YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the Township Committee
Township of Boonton
Boonton, New Jersey 07005

## **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the financial statements - regulatory basis of the various funds and account groups of the Township of Boonton, in the County of Morris, as of and for the years then ended December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements, as listed in the foregoing table of contents.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements - regulatory basis in accordance with accounting principles prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements - regulatory basis 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 - regulatory basis based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey 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 - regulatory basis are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements - regulatory basis. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements - regulatory basis, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Township's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements - regulatory basis 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 Township'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 - regulatory basis.

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

## Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

As described in Note 1, these financial statements - regulatory basis have been prepared in conformity with accounting practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, to demonstrate compliance with the modified accrual basis, with certain exceptions, and the budget laws of New Jersey. The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

## Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the "Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles" paragraph, the financial statements - regulatory basis referred to in the first paragraph, do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the Township as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the results of its operations for the years then ended.

## Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the financial statements - regulatory basis referred to above, present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the various funds of the Township of Boonton at December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the results of operations and changes in fund balance, where applicable, of such funds, thereof for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles on the basis of financial reporting provisions prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, as described in Note 1.

### **Other Matters**

### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements - regulatory basis that collectively comprise the Township's financial statements. The supplementary schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements - regulatory basis.

The supplementary schedules are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the 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 procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary schedules are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements - regulatory basis taken as a whole.

## Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated August 18, 2021 on our consideration of the Township of Boonton's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Township of Boonton's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Township of Boonton's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

SAMUEL KLEIN AND COMPANY, LLP CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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Newark, New Jersey August 18, 2021

## **COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS**

A Sheet #1

ASSETS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	Ref.	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance Dec. 31, 2019
Regular Fund	2.4	# 0 470 00C 00	¢ 2 240 469 47
Cash - Checking	A-4	\$ 2,470,026.32	\$ 2,210,468.17 200.00
Change Fund	A-7	200.00	2,210,668.17
		2,470,226.32	2,210,000.17
Receivables and Other Assets with Full			
Reserves:			
Delinquent Taxes	A-9	272,584.04	318,483.71
Tax Title Liens	A-10	39,995.24	36,887.80
Property Acquired for Taxes at			
Assessed Valuation	A-11	332,000.00	332,000.00
Sales Contracts Receivable	A-12	17,000.00	
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-13	587.54	1,946.71
		662,166.82	689,318.22
Deferred Charges:			
Special Emergency Authorization			
(N.J.S. 40A:4-53)	A-17	21,000.00	28,000.00
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		3,153,393.14	2,927,986.39
Federal and State Grant Fund			
Grants Receivable	A-14	21,626.50	30,795.50
Interfunds Receivable	A-16	19,889.35	31,201.54
		41,515.85	61,997.04
		\$ 3,194,908.99	\$ 2,989,983.43
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## **COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS**

A Sheet #2

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>Ref.</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>
Regular Fund			
Appropriation Reserves:	A 0 40	¢ 422.402.05	e 224.269.74
Encumbered	A-3,18	\$ 132,492.25	\$ 221,268.71
Unencumbered	A-3,18	912,749.52	434,388.76
Reserve for Digitized Tax Maps	A-19	23,120.00	23,120.00
Accounts Payable	A-20	16,558.84	
Deposit on Sale of Property	A-21	1,700.00	
Due to State of New Jersey	A-22	1,150.00	875.00
Tax Overpayments	A-23	8,556.91	8,556.91
Interfunds Payable	A-24	19,889.35	31,201.54
Prepaid Taxes	A-27	152,127.37	168,912.53
Reserve for Pending Tax Appeals	A-28	118,693.23_	118,523.72
		1,387,037.47	1,006,847.17
Reserves for Receivables and Other Assets		662,166.82	689,318.22
Fund Balance	A-1	1,104,188.85	1,231,821.00
		3,153,393.14	2,927,986.39
Federal and State Grant Fund			
Accumulated Revenue Unappropriated	A-29	11,785.04	13,634.11
Appropriated Reserves for Federal and			
State Grants	A-30	29,730.81	48,362.93
		41,515.85	61,997.04
		\$ 3,194,908.99	\$ 2,989,983.43

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>A-1</u>

	Ref.	<u>Year 2020</u>	Year 2019
B 100 1			
Revenue and Other Income	A-2	\$ 1,000,000,00	¢ 1 244 232 00
Fund Balance Utilized	A-2 A-2a	\$ 1,000,000.00 829,627.18	\$ 1,244,232.00 813,641.40
Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated	A-2a A-2b	318,733.71	223,921.53
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes Receipts from Current Taxes	A-2b A-2b	20,293,083.40	19,938,377.67
Nonbudget Revenue	A-26 A-2c	122,499.62	189,860.24
Other Credits to Income:	71-20	122,400.02	100,000.2
Interfund Credits			4,267.52
Unexpended Balance of Appropriation			1,201102
Reserves	A-18	373,492.58	308,256.00
Reserve for Grant Expenditures Cancelled	A-24	405.17	,
11000110 101 Orani Zaponanaros Gariosinos		22,937,841.66	22,722,556.36
		88	
Expenditures			
Budget Appropriations:			
Operations		4,242,627.26	4,205,087.19
Capital Improvements		50,000.00	100,000.00
Debt Service		613,825.00	617,859.99
Deferred Charges		35,823.65	7,000.00
Statutory Expenditures		611,764.00	612,411.00
	A-3	5,554,039.91	5,542,358.18
Prior Year Revenue Refunds	A-4	1,740.00	40.00
Disallowed Senior Citizens Deductions	A-8	250.00	
Dedicated Open Space Taxes	A-24	264,011.76	262,861.50
Local School District Tax	A-25	13,692,642.00	13,503,487.00
County Taxes	A-26	2,552,790.14	2,531,962.83
		22,065,473.81	21,840,709.51
Excess in Revenue		872,367.85	881,846.85
2.0000			,
Adjustment to Income before Surplus: Expenditures Included Above Which Are by Statute Deferred Charges to Budget of			
Succeeding Year			35,000.00
Statutany Evapon to Surplus		872,367.85	916,846.85
Statutory Excess to Surplus		072,307.03	910,040.03
Fund Balance		4 004 004 00	4 550 000 45
Balance January 1	Α	1,231,821.00	1,559,206.15
		2,104,188.85	2,476,053.00
Decreased by:			
Utilized as Anticipated Revenue	A-2	1,000,000.00	1,244,232.00
			<del>4 10 1</del> 1
Balance December 31	Α	\$ 1,104,188.85	\$ 1,231,821.00

## STATEMENT OF REVENUE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>A-2</u>

	Ref.	Budget	Realized	Excess
Fund Balance Anticipated	A-1	\$ 1,000,000.00	\$ 1,000,000.00	\$
Miscellaneous Revenue	A-2a	759,148.42	829,627.18	70,478.76
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	A-2b	252,000.00	318,733.71	66,733.71
Amount to be Raised by Taxes: Local Tax for Municipal				
Purposes	A-2b,9	4,127,904.55	4,368,652.56	240,748.01
Budget Totals	A-3	6,139,052.97	6,517,013.45	377,960.48
Nonbudget Revenue	A-2c		122,499.62	122,499.62
		\$ 6,139,052.97	\$ 6,639,513.07	\$500,460.10

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

# STATEMENT OF REVENUE (Continued) ANALYSIS OF MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>A-2a</u>

	Ref.	Budget	Realized	Excess or (Deficit)
Miscellaneous Revenue				
Licenses:				
Alcoholic Beverages	A-13	\$ 2,400.00	\$ 2,400.00	\$
Fines and Costs:				
Municipal Court	A-13	18,000.00	12,294.55	(5,705.45)
Interest and Costs on Taxes	A-6	50,500.00	84,531.62	34,031.62
Energy Receipts Tax	A-13	240,871.00	240,870.99	(0.01)
Dedicated Uniform Construction Code Fees				
Offset with Appropriations:				
(N.J.S. 40A:4.36 and N.J.A.C. 5:23-4.17):				
Uniform Construction Code Fees	A-13	5,000.00	18,970.66	13,970.66
Special Items:				
State and Federal Revenue Offset with				
Appropriations:				
Clean Communities Program	A-14	13,071.49	13,071.49	
Municipal Alliance on Alcoholism and				
Drug Abuse	A-14	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Body Armor Grant	A-14	1,591.15	1,591.15	
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation				
Fund	A-14	562.62	562.62	
Other Special Items:				
Cable TV Franchise Fee	A-13	20,106.00	20,763.74	657.74
Victoria Mews Assisted Living Agreement:				
Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT)	A-13	173,786.70	173,786.70	
Reserve for Open Space Trust to Offset				
Debt Service	A-15	155,677.50	155,677.50	
Trust Assessment Fund Balance	A-15	2,640.48	2,640.48	
General Capital Fund Balance	A-15	11,326.00	11,326.00	
Off-Duty Police Administrative Fees	A-13	10,000.00	14,228.75	4,228.75
Field Usage Revenue	A-13	5,000.00	27,215.00	22,215.00
Cell Tower Rental	A-13	36,015.48	37,095.93	1,080.45
Recreation Trust Field Revenue to Offset				
Debt Service	A-15	10,000.00	10,000.00	
	A-1,2	\$ 759,148.42	\$ 829,627.18	\$ 70,478.76

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

# STATEMENT OF REVENUE (Continued) ANALYSIS OF REALIZED TAX REVENUE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>A-2b</u>

	Ref.		
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes Collection of Delinquent Taxes: 2020 Collections	A-1,2, 9		\$ 318,733.71
Allocation of Current Tax Collections Collections of Current Taxes:			
2020 Collections	A-9	\$20,100,420.87	
2019 Collections	A-27	168,912.53	
Due from State of New Jersey	A-8	23,750.00	
·	A-1	3 <del></del>	\$20,293,083.40
Allocated to:			
Open Space Tax	A-24	264,011.76	
Local School District Tax	A-25	13,692,642.00	
County Taxes	A-26	2,552,790.14	
		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	16,509,443.90
			3,783,639.50
Plus: Appropriation for Reserve for	4.2		E0E 040 00
Uncollected Taxes	A-3		585,013.06
Realized for Support of Municipal Budget	A-2		\$ 4,368,652.56

# STATEMENT OF REVENUE (Continued) ANALYSIS OF NONBUDGET REVENUE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>A-2c</u>

		Ref.

Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated			
CARES Funding		\$ 52,654.16	
Prior Year Reimbursements		9,969.95	
Sanitary Fees		7,440.00	
Planning Board		6,335.00	
Zoning Fees		5,100.00	
Smoke Detectors		4,285.00	
Miscellaneous Reimbursements		3,707.57	
Uniform Fire Safety		3,341.46	
Road Opening Permits		2,000.00	
Registrar		1,688.00	
Police Fees		1,220.85	
Food Licenses		1,215.00	
Fuel Reimbursements		1,023.60	
		800.00	
Bid Specifications		600.00	
Division of Motor Vehicles - Inspection Fines		547.00	
Void Checks		547.00	
Senior Citizens and Veterans Deductions -		475.00	
Administrative Fee			
200 Foot Listings		230.00 47.50	
Copies and Maps			
Code Books		30.00	
Wayside Permit		25.00	
Tax Searches		10.00	
Raffles		10.00	
Duplicate Tax Bills		6.00	0.400.704.00
	A-4		\$102,761.09
Interest on Investments and Deposits:			
Collections	A-4	13,687.17	
Interfunds Receivable	A-15	3,322.85	
		1	17,010.02
Other Sources			
Interfunds Receivable:			
Interest on Assessments	A-15		2,052.04
Interest on Delinquent Assessments	A-15		676.47
			: <del></del>
	A-1,2		\$122,499.62

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

A-3 Sheet #1

	Appropriations			Expended	
Appropriation	Budget	Modified Budget	Paid or <u>Charged</u>	Encumbered	Reserved Unencumbered
APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"					
GENERAL GOVERNMENT General Administration:					
Salaries and Wages	\$ 41,678.00	\$ 41,678.00	\$ 41,672.57	↔	\$ 5.43
Other Expenses Human Resources:	00.008,6	00.000	5.5		
Other Expenses	20,000.00	20,000.00	3,236.00		16,764.00
Mayor and Township Committee:					
Other Expenses	4,000.00	4,000.00	2,318.42		1,681.58
Municipal Clerk:					9
Salaries and Wages	66,813.00	66,813.00	66,808.22		4.78
Other Expenses	8,400.00	8,400.00	3,777.30	2,236.34	2,386.36
Codification	5,000.00	5,000.00	1,195.00		3,805.00
Financial Administration:					
Salaries and Wages	55,391.00	55,391.00	54,280.71		1,110.29
Other Expenses	00.000.00	6,000.00	4,433.36		1,566.64
Annual Audit	13,055.00	13,055.00		13,055.00	
Assessment of Taxes:					
Salaries and Wages	26,129.00	26,129.00	24,194.74		1,934.26
Other Expenses	5,500.00	5,500.00	2,301.89	350.00	2,848.11
Collection of Taxes:					
Salaries and Wages	38,058.00	38,058.00	37,660.88		397.12
Other Expenses	4,825.00	4,825.00	4,325.83		499.17
Computerized Data Processing:					
Salaries and Wages	12,528.00	12,528.00	12,528.00		
Other Expenses	12,000.00	12,000.00	11,337.64		662.36
Legal Services and Costs:					
Other Expenses	96,800.00	96,800.00	58,924.65		37,875.35
Engineering Services and Costs:					
Other Expenses	88,400.00	88,400.00	48,478.36		39,921.64
Historical Committee:		00 000 0	00 000 6		
Other Expenses Public Employees' Occupational Safety and Hazards Act	3.000.00	3,000.00	2,500.00		200.00

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

A-3 Sheet #2

	Appropriations	- 1	:	Expended	
Appropriation	Budget	Modified Budget	Paid or <u>Charged</u>	Encumbered	Unencumbered
APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"					
GENERAL GOVERNMENT Municipal Land Use Law (N.J.S.A. 40:55D-1):					
Salaries and Wages	\$ 50,856.00	\$ 52,856.00	\$ 52,325.49	\$	\$ 530.51
Other Expenses	31,650.00	31,650.00	24,881.06	133.48	6,635.46
General Liability	96,000.00	96,000.00	96,000.00		10 584 00
Workmen's Compensation Group Insurance Plan	255,000.00 987,683.00	255,000.00 289,683.00	254,716.60 842,279.73	15,774.82	283.40 131,628.45
PUBLIC SAFETY					
Police:					
Salaries and Wages	1,677,195.00	1,677,195.00	1,557,438.62	1 930 04	119,756.38 76.171.31
Other Expenses Police Disnatch/911:	134,305.00	134,303.00	50,203,65	10.000	
Other Expenses	30,200.00	30,200.00	4,272.92		25,927.08
Aid to Volunteer Fire Companies:					
Other Expenses	52,912.00	52,912.00	32,668.10	5,030.20	15,213.70
Uniform Fire Safety Act: Fire Official:					
Salaries and Wages	5,711.00	5,711.00	5,415.00		296.00
Other Expenses	2,325.00	2,325.00	472.46	821.00	1,031.54
Municipal Prosecutor:					
Salaries and Wages	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,500.00		
Office of Emergency Management:	3 607 00	3.607.00	3.587.00		20.00
Other Expenses	3.000.00	3,000.00	2,967.97		32.03
	1,915,755.00	1,915,755.00	1,669,525.72	7,781.24	238,448.04
STREETS AND ROADS Road Repairs and Maintenance:					;
Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	25,359.00 157,000.00	25,359.00 157,000.00	25,358.50 84,171.18	44,688.00	0.50 28,140.82

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

	Appropriations	-	Paid or		Reserved
Appropriation APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	Budget	Budget	<u>Charged</u>	Encumbered	Unencumbered
STREETS AND ROADS Other Public Works Functions: Snow Plowing and Sanding: Other Expenses	\$ 466,220.00	\$ 464,220.00	\$ 29,801.42	\$ 62,129.20	\$ 372,289.38
Recycling: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	8,930.00 114,166.00	8,930.00 114,166.00	8,930.00 98,350.79		15,815.21
Buildings and Grounds: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	81,042.00 45,500.00	81,042.00 45,500.00	80,949.83 30,620.12	498.99	92.17 14,380.89
Vehicle Maintenance: Other Expenses	64,600.00 962,817.00	64,600.00	31,932.04	1,620.00	31,047.96
HEALTH AND WELFARE Board of Health: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses Board of Health Contractual Services	20,122.00 4,550.00 19,700.00	20,122.00 4,550.00 19,700.00	20,092.22 3,940.58 11,307.67		29.78 609.42 8,392.33
Environmental Committee: Other Expenses	200.00	200.00			200.00
Animal Control Services: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	775.00 16,000.00 61,647.00	775.00 16,000.00 61,647.00	16,000.00 51,340.47		775.00
RECREATION AND EDUCATION Recreation: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	17,521.00 1,000.00	17,521.00 1,000.00	17,521.00 995.51		4.49
Celebration of Public Events: Other Expenses	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,245.29		754.71

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

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Approp	Appropriations		Expended	
Budget	Modified Budget	Paid or <u>Charged</u>	Reserved Encumbered	Unencumbered
27,656.00 4,500.00	\$ 27,656.00 4,500.00	\$ 23,663.00 1,852.22	69	\$ 3,993.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00 29,515.22		6,640.78
2,000.00	2,000.00	1,812.00		188.00
15,000.00	15,000.00	9,013.98		5,986.02
2,000.00	2,000.00	440.00 6.072.78		1,560.00
6,000.00	00.000,0	2,534.29		3,465.71
40,000.00 90,500.00	90.000.00 90,500.00	15,405.24 51,314.83		24,594.76 39,185.17
6,000.00	6,000.00			6,000.00
4,083,079.00	4,083,079.00	3,055,663.65	132,492.25	894,923.10
2,165,871.00 1,917,208.00	2,167,871.00	2,038,925.78 1,016,737.87	132,492.25	128,945.22 765,977.88

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Appropriation

APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"

Municipal Court: Salaries and Wages

Other Expenses

Other Expenses

Public Defender:

MUNICIPAL COURT

UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE - APPROPRIATIONS OFFSET BY DEDICATED REVENUES (N.J.A.C.

Construction Official:

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Other Expenses

UNCLASSIFIED Utility Expenses:

Electricity Telephone Salaries and Wages

Detail:

Total Operations

CONTINGENT

Other Expenses

Fuel Oil Sewerage Processing Gasoline

Natural Gas

Water

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

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	unencumbered		\$ 14,939.49 100.00 436.90 15,476.39	910,399.49	0.03	0.03	2,350.00
Expended	Reserved		₩	132,492.25			
	Paid or <u>Charged</u>		\$ 56,684.00 150,060.51 387,980.00 1,563.10 596,287.61	3,651,951.26	102,000.00 1,723.00 24,999.97	10,000.00 138,722.97 562.62 1,591.15 13,071.49	2,600.00 650.00 18,475.26
Appropriations	Modified Budget		\$ 56,684.00 165,000.00 387,980.00 100.00 2,000.00 611,764.00	4,694,843.00	102,000.00 1,723.00 25,000.00	10,000.00 138,723.00 562.62 1,591.15 13,071.49	2,600.00 3,000.00 20,825.26
Approp	Budget		\$ 56,684.00 165,000.00 387,980.00 100.00 2,000.00 611,764.00	4,694,843.00	102,000.00 1,723.00 25,000.00	10,000.00 138,723.00 562.62 1,591.15 13,071.49	2,600.00 3,000.00 20,825.26
	Appropriation	APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	STATUTORY EXPENDITURES  Contribution to: Public Employees' Retirement System Social Security System (OASI) Police and Firemen's Retirement System of N.J. Unemployment Insurance Defined Contribution Retirement Program	Total Appropriations Within "CAPS"	APPROPRIATIONS EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"  OPERATIONS 911 Communication System: Other Expenses Storm Water Tier A General Permit (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3(cc)): Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	Reserve for Tax Appeals PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROGRAMS OFFSET BY REVENUES Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation Fund Body Armor Replacement Fund Clean Communities Program Municipal Alliance Against Substance Abuse:	State Funds Township Funds

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

A-3 Sheet #6

	Approp	Appropriations		Expended	
Appropriation	Budget	Modified Budget	Paid or <u>Charged</u>	Reserved Encumbered	ved Unencumbered
APPROPRIATIONS EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"					
Total Operations	\$ 159,548.26	\$ 159,548.26	\$ 157,198.23	↔	\$ 2,350.03
Detail: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	1,723.00	1,723.00	1,723.00		2,350.03
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS Capital Improvement Fund	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00		
MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE Payment of Bond Principal Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes and Capital Notes Interest on Bonds	227,000.00 340,800.00 5,285.00 40,740.00 613,825.00	227,000.00 340,800.00 5,285.00 40,740.00 613,825.00	227,000.00 340,800.00 5,285.00 40,740.00 613,825.00		
DEFERRED CHARGES Special Emergency Authorization - 5 Years (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-53) Deficit in Trust Assessment Budget	7,000.00 28,823.65 35,823.65	7,000.00 28,823.65 35,823.65	7,000.00 28,823.65 35,823.65		
Total Appropriations Excluded from "CAPS"	859,196.91	859,196.91	856,846.88		2,350.03
Sub-Total	5,554,039.91	5,554,039.91	4,508,798.14	132,492.25	912,749.52
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	585,013.06	585,013.06	585,013.06		
Total Appropriations	\$ 6,139,052.97	\$ 6,139,052.97	\$ 5,093,811.20	\$ 132,492.25	\$ 912,749.52
Reference	A-2	Sheet #7	Sheet #7	ΚI	∢I

## STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

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		Modified	Paid or
	Ref.	Budget	Charged
Adopted Budget		\$6,136,452.97	\$
Added by N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87		2,600.00	
Cash Disbursed:			0.040.040.70
Salaries and Wages			2,040,648.78
Township's Matching Funds for Grants	A-30		650.00
Other Expenditures			2,403,850.45
·	A-4	6,139,052.97	4,445,149.23
Deferred Charges - Special Emergency	A-17		7,000.00
Interfunds Payable Reserve for Pending Tax Appeals	A-24 A-28		28,823.65 10,000.00
Reserve for Grant Expenditures	A-30		17,825.26
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	A-2b	3 <u></u>	585,013.06
	Sheet #6	¢ 6 420 052 07	¢ € 002 911 20
	Sheet #6	\$6,139,052.97	\$5,093,811.20
Analysis of Expended Charges to			
Fund Balance	Alana		¢ 5 002 944 20
Paid or Charged Less: Reserve for Uncollected	Above		\$5,093,811.20
Taxes	Above		585,013.06
			4,508,798.14
Reserved: Encumbered	Sheet #6	\$ 132,492.25	
Unencumbered	Sheet #6	912,749.52	
		-	1,045,241.77
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	A-1		\$5,554,039.91

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

B Sheet #1

ASSETS	Ref.	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>
Assessment Trust Fund Cash - Checking Assessments Receivable:	B-4	\$ 43,590.05	\$ 48,816.83
Pledged Unpledged	B-8 B-8	133,805.12 238,922.10 416,317.27	28,823.65 71,257.25 148,897.73
Animal Control Trust Fund Cash - Checking	B-4	167.87	440.90
General Trust Fund Cash - Checking	B-4	278,021.01	209,060.75
Municipal Open Space Trust Fund Cash - Checking	B-4	1,264,289.07	1,338,592.67_
		\$1,958,795.22	\$1,696,992.05

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

B Sheet #2

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>Ref.</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>
Assessment Trust Fund Assessment Serial Bonds Bond Anticipation Notes	B-23 B-22	\$ 137,257.00	\$ 75,000.00
Reserve for Assessments Fund Balance	B-18 B-1	238,922.10 40,138.17 416,317.27	71,257.25 2,640.48 148,897.73
Animal Control Trust Fund Reserve for Animal Control Trust Fund	D 40	407.07	440.00
Expenditures	B-19	167.87	440.90
General Trust Fund	D 40	470.040.00	445 400 90
Special Deposits Premiums on Tax Sale	B-13 B-14	170,242.32 52,400.00	145,492.82 11,000.00
Payroll Deductions Payable	B-15	150.14	11,000.00
Reserve for: State Unemployment Trust Fund	- /-		
Expenditures  Municipal Alliance on Alcoholism and	B-20	52,595.49	50,104.87
Drug Abuse - Program Income	B-21	2,633.06 278,021.01	2,463.06 209,060.75
Municipal Open Space Trust Fund Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	B-16	1,264,289.07	1,338,592.67
Maniopal Open Opaco Fracti and		\$1,958,795.22	\$1,696,992.05

# STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE - ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

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	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	В	\$ 2,640.48
Increased by: Collection of Unpledged Assessments	B-18	<u>40,138.17</u> <u>42,778.65</u>
Decreased by: Anticipated as Current Fund Revenue	B-17	2,640.48
Balance December 31, 2020	В	<u>\$40,138.17</u>

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# STATEMENT OF REVENUE ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>B-2</u>

	Ref.	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Realized</u>
Assessment Cash Deficit (General Budget)		\$46,176.35 28,823.65	\$46,176.35 
	B-3	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00

# STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

B-3

	Ref.	Budget	Expended
Payment of Bond Principal	B-2	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
	Reference		<u>B-23</u>

## TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>C</u>

ASSETS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	Ref.	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>
Cash - Checking	C-2	\$ 563,782.38	\$ 500,524.64
Grants Receivable Prospective Assessments Raised by Taxation	C-4 C-5	236,755.86	156,243.00
Deferred Charges to Future Taxation: Funded	C-7		227,000.00
Unfunded	C-8	2,574,698.86	2,536,000.00
		\$3,375,237.10	\$3,419,767.64
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE			
Serial Bonds	C-16	\$	\$ 227,000.00
Bond Anticipation Notes	C-15	1,792,743.00	2,037,000.00
Improvement Authorizations:	0.0	404 420 07	25 200 70
Funded	C-9 C-9	104,436.97	35,866.79
Unfunded	C-9 C-10	989,319.73	687,712.61
Capital Improvement Fund Reserves for:	C-10	124,271.14	146,771.14
Grants Receivable	C-12	236,755.86	
Prospective Assessments Raised by Taxation	C-13	200,700.00	156,243.00
Griffith Pond	C-14	117,848.10	117,848.10
Fund Balance	C-1	9,862.30	11,326.00
Tana Balanoc	0 .		11,020.00
		\$3,375,237.10	\$3,419,767.64
Bonds and Notes Authorized but Not Issued	C-17	\$ 781,955.86	\$ 499,000.00

# TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>C-1</u>

	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	С	\$11,326.00
Increased by: Premium on Sale of Notes	C-2	9,862.30 21,188.30
Decreased by: Anticipated as Current Fund Revenue	C-11	11,326.00_
Balance December 31, 2020	С	\$ 9,862.30

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

D Sheet #1

<u>ASSETS</u>	Ref.	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance Dec. 31, 2019
Operating Fund Cash - Checking Assets with Full Reserves:	D-5	\$ 824,866.82	\$ 752,832.55
Consumer Accounts Receivable	D-10	51,423.90 876,290.72	28,427.68 781,260.23
Assessment Trust Fund Cash - Checking	D-5	601.80	586.04
Assessments Receivable: Unpledged	D-11	1,904.25 2,506.05	2,506.05 3,092.09
Capital Fund			
Cash - Checking	D-5	120,750.00	114,750.00
Fixed Capital	D-12	158,468.29 279,218.29	157,296.29 272,046.29
		\$ 1,158,015.06	\$1,056,398.61

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

D Sheet #2

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>Ref.</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>
Operating Fund Appropriation Reserves:			
Encumbered	D-4,13	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 43,944.84
Unencumbered	D-4,13	179,593.74	142,801.69
Accrued Interest on Bonds	D-14	,	160.42
Water Rent Overpayments	D-15	5,627.32	1,322.49
, ,		187,721.06	188,229.44
Reserve for Receivables		51,423.90	28,427.68
Fund Balance	D-1	637,145.76	564,603.11
		876,290.72	781,260.23
Assessment Trust Fund			
Reserve for Assessments	D-18	1,904.25	2,506.05
Fund Balance	D-2	601.80	586.04
		2,506.05	3,092.09
Capital Fund			
Serial Bonds	D-20		10,000.00
Capital Improvement Fund	D-16	120,750.00	114,750.00
Amortization Fund	D-19	158,468.29	147,296.29
		279,218.29	272,046.29
		\$1,158,015.06	\$1,056,398.61

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - OPERATING FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>D-1</u>

	Ref.	<u>Year 2020</u>	<u>Year 2019</u>
Revenue and Other Income			
Fund Balance Utilized	D-3	\$ 145,906.96	\$ 139,750.46
Rents	D-3	348,046.16	338,637.17
Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated	D-3	7,196.13	14,437.37
Water Utility Assessment Trust Fund Balance	D-3	586.04	2,339.54
Other Credits to Income:			_,
Unexpended Balance of Appropriation			
Reserves	D-13	142,121.90	139,500.78
		643,857.19	634,665.32
Expenditures			
Budget Appropriations:			
Operating	D-4	399,193.00	395,690.00
Capital Improvements	D-4	10,000.00	10,000.00
Debt Service	D-4	10,014.58	9,363.13
Statutory Expenditures	D-4	6,200.00	6,000.00
,,		425,407.58	421,053.13
			·
Excess in Revenue		218,449.61	213,612.19
		,	•
Fund Balance			
Balance January 1	D	564,603.11	490,741.38
•		783,052.72	704,353.57
		,	
Decreased by:			
Utilized as Anticipated Revenue	D-3	145,906.96	139,750.46
,		9	
Balance December 31	D	\$637,145.76	\$ 564,603.11

## STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE - ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>D-2</u>

	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	D	\$ 586.04
Increased by: Collection of Unpledged Assessments	D-18	<u>601.80</u> 1,187.84
Decreased by: Water Assessment Trust Fund Balance Anticipated as Water Operating Revenue	D-17	586.04
Balance December 31, 2020	D	\$ 601.80

## STATEMENT OF REVENUE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>D-3</u>

	Ref.	Budget	Realized	Excess
Source				
Fund Balance Anticipated	D-1	\$ 145,906.96	\$ 145,906.96	\$
Rents	D-1,10	278,000.00	348,046.16	70,046.16
Miscellaneous	D-1,3a	1,000.00	7,196.13	6,196.13
Water Utility Assessment				
Trust Fund Balance	D-1,9	586.04	586.04	<u> </u>
Total Revenue	D-4	\$ 425,493.00	\$ 501,735.29	\$76,242.29

# STATEMENT OF REVENUE (Continued) ANALYSIS OF MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE REALIZED - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>D-3a</u>

	Ref.	<u>Total</u>
Analysis of Miscellaneous Revenue Realized		
Interest on Delinquent Water Accounts	D-5	\$ 2,454.68
Interest on Water Assessment Accounts	D-9	67.51
Interest on Deposits:		
Collections	D-5	4,139.04
Interfunds Receivable	D-9	534.90
	D-3	\$ 7,196.13

# STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

D-4 Sheet #1

Cancelled	↔		85.42 85.42		\$ 85.42	
Reserved	\$ 4,871.47 170,342.37 175,213.84	4,000.00		0.00 379.90 379.90	\$ 179,593.74	
Expended Res Encumbered	\$ 2,500.00 2,500.00				\$ 2,500.00	
Paid or Charged	\$ 47,321.53 174,157.63 221,479.16	6,000.00	10,000.00 14.58 10,014.58	2,200.00 3,620.10 5,820.10	\$243,313.84	Sheet #2
Budget	\$ 52,193.00 347,000.00 399,193.00	6,000.00 4,000.00 10,000.00	10,000.00	2,200.00 4,000.00 6,200.00	\$ 425,493.00	<u>D-3</u>
Ref.	1-0	D-1	t-0	D-1		Reference
Appropriations	Operating Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	Capital Improvements Capital Improvement Fund Capital Outlay	Debt Service Payment of Bond Principal Interest on Bonds	Statutory Expenditures Contribution to: Public Employees' Retirement System Social Security System (OASI)	Total Appropriations	

#### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

D-4 <u>Sheet #2</u>

Ref. Paid or Charged

Cash Disbursed D-5 \$243,299.26 Accrued Interest on Bonds D-14 14.58

Sheet #1 \$243,313.84

#### COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

E Sheet #1

ASSETS	Ref.	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>
Operating Fund Cash - Checking Assets with Full Reserves:	E-7	\$ 524,341.18	\$ 474,310.02
Consumer Accounts Receivable	E-12	21,216.98 545,558.16	19,608.32 493,918.34
Assessment Trust Fund Cash - Checking Assessments Receivable:	E-7	16,192.10	22,456.01
Unpledged	E-13	49,327.46 65,519.56	65,519.56 87,975.57
Capital Fund			
Cash - Checking	E-7	70,753.69	64,753.69
Fixed Capital	E-14	361,642.74 432,396.43	361,642.74 426,396.43
		\$1,043,474.15	\$1,008,290.34

#### COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

E Sheet #2

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>Ref.</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>
Operating Fund			
Appropriation Reserves:	=		
Encumbered	E-4,15	\$ 3,287.42	\$ 3,276.70
Unencumbered	E-4,15	63,938.67	65,157.76
Accrued Interest on Bonds	E-16		288.75
Sewer Rent Overpayments	E-17	2,183.61	890.37
Reserve for Contingency	E-20	35,000.00	35,000.00
		104,409.70	104,613.58
Reserve for Receivables		21,216.98	19,608.32
Fund Balance	E-1	419,931.48	369,696.44
		545,558.16	493,918.34
Assessment Trust Fund	F 00		40.000.00
Assessment Serial Bonds	E-23		18,000.00
Reserve for Assessments	E-21	49,327.46	65,519.56
Fund Balance	E-2	16,192.10	4,456.01
		65,519.56	87,975.57
Capital Fund			
Capital Improvement Fund	E-18	70,753.69	64,753.69
Amortization Fund	E-22	361,642.74	361,642.74
The second secon	ter Amarina	432,396.43	426,396.43
			.20,000.10
		\$1,043,474.15	\$1,008,290.34

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - OPERATING FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>E-1</u>

	Ref.	<u>Year 2020</u>	<u>Year 2019</u>
Revenue and Other Income Fund Balance Utilized Rents Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated Source Utility Acceptance Trust Fund	E-3 E-3 E-3	\$ 95,337.99 236,520.82 8,283.77	\$ 95,720.18 232,879.29 9,516.45
Sewer Utility Assessment Trust Fund Balance	E-3	4,456.01	3,056.77
Other Credits to Income: Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves	E-15	62,194.69 406,793.28	39,147.95 380,320.64
Expenditures Budget Appropriations: Operating Capital Improvements Debt Service Deferred Charges Statutory Expenditures	E-4 E-4 E-4	247,294.00 8,000.00 26.25 0.00 5,900.00 261,220.25	240,238.00 8,000.00 656.25 5,738.95 5,600.00 260,233.20
Excess in Revenue		145,573.03	120,087.44
Fund Balance Balance January 1	E	369,696.44 515,269.47	345,329.18 465,416.62
Decreased by: Utilized as Anticipated Revenue	E-3	95,337.99	95,720.18
Balance December 31	Ε	\$419,931.48	\$369,696.44

# STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE - ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>E-2</u>

	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	E	\$ 4,456.01
Increased by: Collection of Unpledged Assessments	E-21	16,192.10 20,648.11
Decreased by: Sewer Fund Balance Anticipated as Sewer Operating Revenue	E-19	4,456.01
Balance December 31, 2020	E	\$16,192.10

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUE - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>E-3</u>

	Ref.	<u>Budget</u>	Realized	Excess
Source				
Fund Balance Anticipated	E-1	\$ 95,337.99	\$ 95,337.99	\$
Rents	E-1,12	160,000.00	236,520.82	76,520.82
Miscellaneous	E-1,3a	1,500.00	8,283.77	6,783.77
Sewer Utility Assessment				
Trust Fund Balance	E-1,11	4,456.01	4,456.01	
Total Revenue	E-4	\$261,294.00	\$344,598.59	\$83,304.59

# STATEMENT OF REVENUE (Continued) ANALYSIS OF MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE REALIZED - REGULATORY BASIS

E-3a

	Ref.	<u>Total</u>
Analysis of Miscellaneous Revenue Realized	F 7	# 2 000 00
Sewer Connection Fees	E-7	\$ 3,000.00
Interest on Delinquent Sewer Accounts	E-7	1,379.39
Interest on Sewer Assessment Accounts	E-11	1,355.93
Interest on Delinquent Sewer Assessment		
Accounts	E-11	29.83
Interest on Deposits:		
Collections	E-7	2,094.94
Interfunds Receivable	E-11	423.68
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	E-3	\$ 8,283.77

# STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

E-4 Sheet #1

Cancelled	€		73.75		\$ 73.75	
Reserved <u>Unencumbered</u>	\$ 78.47 61,779.16 61,857.63	2,000.00		81.04	\$ 63,938.67	Ш
Expended Res	\$ 3,287.42 3,287.42				\$3,287.42	Ш
Paid or <u>Charged</u>	\$ 47,306.53 134,842.42 182,148.95	6,000.00	26.25	2,200.00 3,618.96 5,818.96	\$ 193,994.16	Sheet #2
Budget	\$ 47,385.00 199,909.00 247,294.00	6,000.00 2,000.00 8,000.00	100.00	2,200.00 3,700.00 5,900.00	\$261,294.00	E-3
Ref.	F-1	<u>п</u>	F-1	<u> </u>		Reference
Appropriations	Operating Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	<u>Capital Improvements</u> Capital Improvement Fund Capital Outlay	<u>Debt Service</u> Interest on Bonds	Statutory Expenditures Contribution to: Public Employees' Retirement System Social Security System (OASI)	Total Appropriations	

#### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS

E-4 Sheet #2

	<u>Ref.</u>	Paid or <u>Charged</u>
Cash Disbursed Accrued Interest on Bonds	E-7 E-16	\$193,967.91 26.25
	Sheet #1	\$193,994.16

# STATEMENT OF REVENUE SEWER ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>E-5</u>

	<u>Ref.</u>	Budget	Realized
Assessment Cash	E-6	\$18,000.00	\$18,000.00

# STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES SEWER ASSESSMENT TRUST FUND - REGULATORY BASIS

E-6

	Ref.	<u>Budget</u>	Expended
Payment of Bond Principal	E-5	\$18,000.00	\$18,000.00
	Reference		<u>E-23</u>

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# TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRUST FUND

#### COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>F</u>

ASSETS	Ref.	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance Dec. 31, 2019
Trust Fund Account #1 Cash - Checking Account	F-2	\$ 21,507.78	\$ 19,414.23
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE			
<u>Trust Fund Account #1</u> Reserve for Expenditures	F-1	\$ 21,507.78	\$ 19,414.23

# TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON CAPITAL FIXED ASSETS

#### COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>G</u>

ASSETS	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Balance Dec. 31, 2019
Land	\$14,560,600.00	\$14,560,600.00
Buildings	1,283,500.00	1,283,500.00
Vehicles and Equipment	2,042,179.90	1,980,327.48
	\$17,886,279.90	\$17,824,427.48
RESERVES		
Investment in Capital Fixed Assets	\$17,886,279.90	\$17,824,427.48

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** 

#### TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. Reporting Entity

The Township of Boonton is governed by an elected Committee. The Township Committee consists of five members. Each Committee member is elected in a general election for a term of three years. The Mayor shall be elected by the members of the Committee. Each member of the Committee carries a legislative vote.

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 14 establishes certain standards for defining and reporting on the financial entity. In accordance with these standards, the reporting entity should include the primary government and those component units which are fiscally accountable to the primary government.

The financial statements of the Township of Boonton include every board, body, officer or commission supported and maintained wholly or in part by funds appropriated by the Township, as required by the provisions of N.J.S. 40A:5-5.

#### B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation

#### **Description of Funds**

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the recognized standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The GASB establishes three fund types and two account groups to be used by governmental units when reporting financial position and results of operations in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP).

The accounting policies of the Township of Boonton conform to the accounting principles applicable to municipalities which have been prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. These principles are a "Modified Accrual Basis of Accounting" which differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) for governmental entities. Such principles and practices are designed primarily for determining compliance with legal provisions and budgetary restrictions and as a means of reporting on the stewardship of public officials with respect to public funds. Under this method of accounting, the Township of Boonton accounts for its financial transactions through the following separate funds which differ from the fund structure required by GAAP:

Current Fund - Encompasses resources and expenditures for basic governmental operations. Fiscal activity of Federal and State grant programs are reflected in a segregated section of the Current Fund.

Trust Funds - The records of receipts, disbursements and custodianship of monies in accordance with the purpose for which each account was created are maintained in Trust Funds. These include the Assessment Trust Fund, Animal Control Trust Fund, General Trust Fund and Municipal Open Space Trust Fund.

General Capital Fund - The receipts and expenditure records for the acquisition of general infrastructure and other capital facilities, other than those acquired in the Current Fund, are maintained in this Fund, as well as, related long-term debt accounts.

#### B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (Continued)

#### **Description of Funds** (Continued)

Utilities Funds - Water and Sewer Utilities are treated as separate entities. Each maintains its own Operating, Assessment Trust and Capital Funds which reflect revenue, expenditures, stewardship, acquisitions of utility infrastructure and other capital facilities, debt service, long-term debt and other related activity.

Public Assistance Trust Fund - Receipts and disbursements of funds that provide assistance to certain residents of the Township of Boonton pursuant to the provisions of Title 44 of the New Jersey statutes are maintained in the Public Assistance Trust Fund.

Capital Fixed Assets - This account reflects estimated valuations of land, buildings and certain movable fixed assets of the Township as discussed under the caption of "Basis of Accounting".

#### Basis of Accounting

The accounting principles and practices prescribed for municipalities by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, differ in certain respects from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The accounting system is maintained on the modified accrual basis with certain exceptions. Significant accounting policies in New Jersey are summarized as follows:

#### Property Taxes and Other Revenue

Property taxes and other revenue are realized when collected in cash or approved by regulation for accrual from certain sources of the State of New Jersey and the Federal Government. Accruals of taxes and other revenue are otherwise deferred as to realization by the establishment of offsetting reserve accounts. GAAP requires such revenue to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual, reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

#### **Grant Revenue**

Federal and State grants, entitlements or shared revenue received for purposes normally financed through the Current Fund are recognized when anticipated in the Township of Boonton budget. GAAP requires such revenue to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual.

#### **Expenditures**

Expenditures for general and utility operations are generally recorded on the accrual basis. Unexpended appropriation balances, except for amounts which may have been cancelled by the governing body or by statutory regulation, are automatically recorded as liabilities at December 31<sup>st</sup> of each year, under the title of "Appropriation Reserves".

Grant appropriations are charged upon budget adoption to create spending reserves.

Budgeted transfers to the Capital Improvement Fund are recorded as expenditures to the extent permitted by law.

Expenditures from Trust and Capital Funds are recorded upon occurrence and charged to accounts statutorily established for specific purposes.

#### B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (Continued)

#### **Basis of Accounting (Continued)**

#### **Expenditures** (Continued)

Budget Appropriations for interest on General Capital Long-Term Debt is raised on the cash basis and is not accrued on the records; interest on Utility Debt is raised on the accrual basis and so recorded.

GAAP requires expenditures to be recognized in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unmatured interest on general long-term debt, which should be recognized when due.

#### **Encumbrances**

As of January 1, 1986 all local units were required by Technical Accounting Directive No. 85-1, as promulgated by the Division of Local Government Services, to maintain an encumbrance accounting system. The directive states that contractual orders outstanding at December 31<sup>st</sup> are reported as expenditures through the establishment of an encumbrance payable. Encumbrances do not constitute expenditures under GAAP.

#### Appropriation Reserves

Appropriation reserves are available, until lapsed at the close of the succeeding year, to meet specific claims, commitments or contracts incurred during the preceding year. Lapsed appropriation reserves are recorded as additions to income. Appropriation reserves do not exist under GAAP.

#### Compensated Absences

Expenditures relating to obligations for unused vested accumulated sick, vacation and compensatory pay are not recorded until paid. GAAP requires that the amount that would normally be liquidated with expendable available financial resources be recorded as an expenditure in the operating funds and the remaining obligations be recorded as a long-term obligation.

#### Property Acquired for Taxes

Property Acquired for Taxes (Foreclosed Property) is recorded in the Current Fund at the assessed valuation during the year when such property was acquired by deed or foreclosure and is offset by a corresponding reserve account. GAAP requires such property to be recorded in the capital fixed assets at market value on the date of acquisition.

#### **Self-Insurance Contributions**

Contributions to self-insurance funds are charged to budget appropriations. GAAP requires that payments be accounted for as an operating transfer and not as an expenditure.

#### Interfunds Receivable

Interfunds Receivable in the Current Fund are generally recorded with offsetting reserves which are established by charges to operations. Collections are recognized as income in the year that the receivables are realized. Interfunds Receivable of all other funds are recorded as accrued and are not offset with reserve accounts. Interfunds Receivable of one fund are offset with Interfunds Payable of the opposite fund. GAAP does not require the establishment of an offsetting reserve.

#### B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (Continued)

#### **Basis of Accounting (Continued)**

#### Inventories of Supplies

Materials and supplies purchased by all funds are recorded as expenditures.

An annual inventory of materials and supplies for the Water and Sewer Utilities are required, by regulation, to be prepared by Township personnel for inclusion on the Water and Sewer Utilities Operating Fund balance sheet. Annual changes in valuations, offset with a Reserve Account, are not considered as affecting results of operations. Materials and supplies of other funds are not inventoried nor included on their respective balance sheets.

#### Capital Fixed Assets

#### General:

In accordance with Technical Accounting Directive No. 85-2, Accounting for Governmental Fixed Assets, as promulgated by the Division of Local Government Services, which differs in certain respects from GAAP, the Township of Boonton has developed a fixed asset accounting and reporting system.

GAAP requires that fixed assets be capitalized at historical or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. Depreciation on utility fixed assets should also be recorded.

Capital fixed assets used in governmental operations (general fixed assets) are accounted for in the Capital Fixed Assets. Public domain ("infrastructure") capital fixed assets consisting of certain improvements other than buildings, such as roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, streets and sidewalks and drainage systems are not capitalized.

Acquisitions of land, buildings, machinery, equipment and other capital assets are recorded on a perpetual capital fixed asset record.

Vehicles, furniture, equipment and other items are reflected at replacement values at time of inventory preparation. Additions to the established capital fixed assets are valued at cost.

Depreciation of assets is not recorded as an operating expense of the Township.

#### Utilities:

Capital acquisitions, including utility infrastructure costs of the Water and Sewer Utilities, are recorded at cost upon purchase or project completion in the Fixed Capital Account of the utilities. The Fixed Capital Accounts are adjusted for dispositions or abandonments. The accounts include movable fixed assets of the Utility but are not specifically identified and are considered as duplicated in the Capital Fixed Assets. The duplication is considered as insignificant on its effect on the financial statements taken as a whole.

Utility improvements that may have been constructed by developers are not recorded as additions to Capital Fixed Assets.

Fixed Capital of the Utilities are offset by accumulations in Amortization Reserve Accounts. The accumulations represent costs of fixed assets purchased with budgeted funds or acquired by gift as well as grants, developer contributions or liquidations or related bonded debt and other liabilities incurred upon fixed asset acquisition.

#### B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (Continued)

#### **Basis of Accounting (Continued)**

#### Capital Fixed Assets (Continued)

The Fixed Capital Accounts reflected herein are as recorded in the records of the municipality and do not necessarily reflect the true condition of such Fixed Capital. The records consist of a control account only. Detailed records are not maintained.

#### C. Basic Financial Statements

The GASB Codification also defines the financial statements of a governmental unit to be presented in the general purpose financial statements to be in accordance with GAAP. The Township of Boonton presents the financial statements listed in the table of contents which are required by the Division of Local Government Services and which differ from the financial statements required by GAAP. In addition, the Division requires the financial statements listed in the table of contents to be referenced to the supplementary schedules. This practice differs from GAAP.

#### D. Recent Accounting Pronouncements Not Yet Effective

In June 2017, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued <u>GASB Statement No. 87</u>, "Leases". The object of this Statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by improving accounting and financial reporting for leases by governments. This Statement increases the usefulness of government's 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 and is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements. GASB Statement No. 95 was issued in May, 2020, which postponed the effective date of this GASB by eighteen months.

In June 2018, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued <u>GASB Statement No. 89</u>, "Accounting for Interest Cost Incurred before the End of a Construction Period". The objectives of this Statement are (1) to enhance the relevance and comparability of information about capital assets and the cost of borrowing for a reporting period and (2) to simplify accounting for interest cost incurred before the end of a construction period. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. The requirements of this Statement should be applied prospectively. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements. GASB Statement No. 95 was issued in May 2020, which postponed the effective date of this GASB by one year.

In May 2019, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued <u>GASB Statement No. 91</u>, "Conduit Debt Obligations". The primary objectives of this Statement are to provide a single method of reporting conduit debt obligations by issuers and eliminate diversity in practice associated with (1) commitments extended by issuers, (2) arrangements associated with conduit debt obligations, and (3) related note disclosures. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2020. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements. GASB Statement No. 95 was issued in May 2020, which postp9oned the effective date of this GASB by one year.

In January 2020, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued <u>GASB Statement No. 92</u>, "Omnibus 2020". The primary objective of this Statement is to enhance comparability in accounting and financial reporting and to improve the consistency of authoritative literature by addressing practice issues that have been identified during implementation and adoption of certain GASB statements and is effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2020. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements. GASB Statement No. 95 was issued in May 2020, which postponed the effective date of this GASB by one year.

#### D. Recent Accounting Pronouncements Not Yet Effective (Continued)

In March 2020, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued <u>GASB Statement No. 93</u>, "Replacement of Interbank Offered Rates". The primary objective of this Statement is to address those and other accounting and financial reporting implications that result from the replacement of an Interbank Offered Rate (IBOR) and is effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2020. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements. GASB Statement No. 95 was issued in May 2020, which postponed the effective date of this GASB by one year.

In March 2020, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued <u>GASB Statement No. 94</u>, "Public-Private and Public-Public Partnerships and Availability Payment Arrangements". The primary objective of this Statement is to improve financial reporting by addressing issues related to public-private and public-public partnership arrangements (PPPs). As used in this Statement, a PPP is an arrangement in which a government (the transferor) contracts with an operator (a governmental or nongovernmental entity) to provide public services by conveying control of the right to operate or use a nonfinancial asset, such as infrastructure or other capital asset (the underlying PPP asset), for a period of time in exchange or exchange-like transaction and is effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2022. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements.

In May 2020, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued <u>GASB Statement No. 96</u>, "Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements". This Statement provides guidance on the accounting and financial reporting for subscriptions-based information technology arrangements (SBITAs) for government end users (governments). This Statement (1) defines a SBITA; (2) establishes that a SBITA results in a right-to-use subscription asset - an intangible asset - and a corresponding subscription liability; (3) provides the capitalization criteria for outlays other than subscription payments, including implementation costs of a SBITA; and (4) requires note disclosures regarding a SBITA and is effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2022. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements.

In June 2020, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued GASB Statement No. 97, "Certain Component Unit Criteria and Accounting and Financial Reporting for Internal Revenue Code Section 457 Deferred Compensation Plans". The primary objectives of this Statement are to (1) increase consistency and comparability related to the reporting of fiduciary component units in circumstances in which a potential component unit does not have a governing board and the primary government performs the duties that a governing board typically would perform; (2) mitigate costs associated with the reporting of certain defined contribution pension plans, defined contribution other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plans, and employee benefit plans other than pension plans or OPEB plans (other employee benefit plans) as fiduciary component units in fiduciary fund financial statements; and (3) enhance the relevance, consistency, and comparability of the accounting and financial reporting for Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 457 deferred compensation plans (Section 457 plans) that meet the definition of a pension plan and for benefits provided through those plans and is effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2021. The Township is currently reviewing what effect, if any, this Statement might have on future financial statements.

#### 2. CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND INVESTMENTS

#### A. Cash and Cash Equivalents

New Jersey statutes permit the deposit of public funds in institutions located in New Jersey, which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) or any other agencies of the United States that insures deposits or the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund.

#### 2. CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

#### A. Cash and Cash Equivalents (Continued)

The State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund is authorized by statute and regulations of the State Investment Council to invest in fixed income and debt securities which mature or are redeemed within one year. Twenty-five percent of the Fund may be invested in eligible securities which mature within two years provided, however, the average maturity of all investments in the Fund shall not exceed one year. Collateralization of Fund investments is generally not required.

In addition, by regulation of the Division of Local Government Services, municipalities are allowed to deposit funds in the Municipal Bond Insurance Association (MBIA) through their investment management company, the Municipal Investors Service Corporation.

In accordance with the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act of New Jersey, public depositories are required to maintain collateral for deposits of public funds that exceed insurance limits as follows:

The market value of the collateral must equal five percent of the average daily balance of public funds or

If the public funds deposited exceed 75 percent of the capital funds of the depository, the depository must provide collateral having a market value equal to 100 percent of the amount exceeding 75 percent.

All collateral must be deposited with the Federal Reserve Bank, The Federal Home Loan Bank Board or a banking institution that is a member of the Federal Reserve System and has capital funds of not less than \$25,000,000.00.

The Township considers petty cash, change funds and cash in banks as cash and cash equivalents.

As of December 31, 2020, the Township's cash and cash equivalents consisted of:

	2020
Lakeland Bank - Checking Accounts	\$ 6,198,889.36
Change Funds	200.00
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 6,199,089.36

<u>Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits</u> - Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the deposits may not be returned. The Township does not have a specific deposit policy for custodial risk other than those policies that adhere to the requirements of statute, which requires cash be deposited only in New Jersey based bank institutions that participate in the New Jersey Governmental Depository Protection Act (GUDPA) or in qualified investments established in New Jersey Statutes 40A:5-15.1(a) that are treated as cash equivalents. Under the act, all demand deposits are covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). Public funds owned by the Township in excess of FDIC insured amounts are protected by GUDPA. As of December 31, 2020, of the cash balance in the bank, \$250,000.00 was covered by Federal Depository Insurance and \$5,996,442.15 was covered under the provisions of NJGUDPA.

Interest Rate Risk - This is the risk that changes in market interest rates that will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Generally, the longer the maturity of an investment the greater the sensitivity of its fair value to change in market interest rates. The Township's investment policy does not include limits on investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

As of December 31, 2020, the Township had funds on deposit in checking accounts. The amount on deposit of the Township's cash and cash equivalents as of December 31, 2020 was \$6,246,442.15. These funds constitute "deposits with financial institutions" as defined by GASB Statement No. 40.

#### 2. CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

#### **B.** Investments

New Jersey P.L. 2017, c. 310 permits the Townships to purchase various investments in accordance with the Township's Cash Management Plan.

#### 3. TAXES AND TAX TITLE LIENS RECEIVABLE

Property assessments are determined on true values and taxes are assessed based upon these values. The residential tax bill includes the levies for the Township, County and School purposes. Certified adopted budgets are submitted to the County Board of Taxation by each taxing district. The tax rate is determined by the board upon the filing of these budgets.

The tax bills are mailed by the Tax Collector annually in June and are payable in four quarterly installments due the first of August and November of the current year and a preliminary billing due the first of February and May of the subsequent year. The August and November billings represent the third and fourth quarter installments and are calculated by taking the total year tax levy less the preliminary first and second quarter installments due February and May. The preliminary levy is based on one-half of the current year's total tax.

Tax installments not paid by the above due dates are subject to interest penalties determined by a resolution of the governing body. The rate of interest in accordance with the aforementioned resolution is 8% per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of delinquency and 18% on any delinquency in excess of \$1,500.00. The resolution also sets a grace period of ten days before interest is calculated.

Taxes unpaid on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of the eleventh month in the fiscal year when the taxes become in arrears are subject to the tax sale provisions of the New Jersey statutes. The municipality may institute in rem foreclosure proceedings after six months from the date of the sale if the lien has not been redeemed.

The following is a five year comparison of certain statistical information relative to property taxes and property tax collections for the current and previous four years.

#### Comparative Schedule of Tax Rates

	2020	2019	2018	2017	<u>2016</u>
Tax Rate	\$2.347	\$2.315	\$2.254	\$2.221	\$2.192
Apportionment of Tax Rate:					
Municipal	\$0.469	\$0.452	\$0.431	\$0.425	\$0.420
Municipal Open Space	0.030	0.030	0.030	0.030	0.030
County	0.282	0.281	0.267	0.264	0.264
School	1.557	1.543	1.516	1.492	1.468
County Open Space	0.009	0.009	0.010	0.010	0.010

#### 3. TAXES AND TAX TITLE LIENS RECEIVABLE (Continued)

#### **Assessed Valuations**

<u>Year</u>	Amount
2020	\$879,417,900.00
2019	875,277,000.00
2018	874,117,300.00
2017	871,918,800.00
2016	869,768,700.00

#### Comparison of Tax Levies and Collections

Year	Tax Levy	Collections	Percentage of Collections
2020	\$20,654,311.48	\$20,293,083.40	98.25%
2019	20,284,149.13	19,938,377.67	98.30
2018	19,717,653.17	19,503,605.92	98.91
2017	19,387,163.87	19,150,224.29	98.78
2016	19,093,914.64	18,777,337.73	98.34

#### **Delinquent Taxes and Tax Liens**

Year	Amount of Tax Title Liens	Amount of DelinquentTaxes	Total <u>Delinguent</u>	Percentage of <u>Tax Levy</u>
2020	\$39,995.24 36,887.80	\$272,584.04 318,483.71	\$312,579.28 355,371.51	1.51% 1.75
2019 2018 2017	54,291.19 44,697.35	196,767.35 226,365.28	251,058.54 271,062.63	1.72 1.40
2016	27,897.83	310,548.95	338,446.78	1.77

#### 4. PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY TAX TITLE LIEN LIQUIDATION

The value of property acquired by liquidation of tax title liens, on the basis of the last assessed valuation of such properties in the year of acquisition, was as follows:

<u>Year</u>	Amount
2020	\$ 332,000.00
2019	332,000.00
2018	332,000.00
2017	332,000.00
2016	332,000.00

#### 5. WATER CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

The Township of Boonton maintains a utility fund for the billing and collection of water rents. Billings are done on a quarterly basis.

#### 5. WATER CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE (Continued)

A comparison of Water Utility billings and collections for the past five years are as follows:

<u>Year</u>	Billing	Collection
2020	\$371,330.94	\$348,046.16
2019	351,756.75	338,637.17
2018	330,692.09	332,121.23
2017	357,242.39	356,857.01
2016	341,601.39	345,215.37

Cash collections include realization of prior year uncollected balances.

#### 6. SEWER CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

The Township of Boonton maintains a utility fund for the billing and collection of sewer rents. Billings are done on a quarterly basis.

A comparison of Sewer Utility billings and collections for the past five years are as follows:

<u>Year</u>	Billing	Collection
2020	\$238,217.17	\$236,520.82
2019	235,521.45	232,879.29
2018	231,564.38	230,742.71
2017	232,445.74	233,049.92
2016	219,809.50	219,604.85

Cash collections include realization of prior year uncollected balances.

#### 7. FUND BALANCES APPROPRIATED

			Utilized
		Balance	in Budgets of
4.	<u>Year</u>	December 31,	Succeeding Year
Current Fund:	2020	\$1,104,188.85	\$ 920,794.00
	2019	1,231,821.00	1,000,000.00
	2018	1,559,206.15	1,244,232.00
	2017	1,668,285.80	1,244,232.00
	2016	1,588,368.63	1,018,750.00
Water Utility Operating Fund:	2020	637,145.76	136,935.20
	2019	564,603.11	145,906.96
	2018	490,741.38	139,750.46
	2017	434,173.91	129,920.53
	2016	346,486.53	124,325.44
Sewer Utility Operating Fund	2020	419,931.48	83,601.90
,	2019	369,696.44	95,337.99
	2018	345,329.18	95,720.18
	2017	277,890.44	87,925.43
	2016	229,725.12	81,324.89

#### 8. PENSION PLANS

#### **Description of Systems**

Substantially all of the Township's employees participate in one of the following contributory defined benefit public employee retirement systems which have been established by State statute: the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) or the Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS). These systems are sponsored and administered by the New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits. The Public Employees' Retirement System and the Police and Firemen's Retirement System are considered a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan.

The amount of the Township's contribution is certified each year by PERS and PFRS on the recommendation of the actuary, who makes an annual actuarial valuation. The valuation is based on a determination of the financial condition of the retirement system. It includes the computation of the present dollar value of benefits payable to former and present members and the present dollar value of future employer and employee contributions, giving effect to mortality among active and retired members and also to the rates of disability, retirement, withdrawal, former service, salary and interest. In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. Specific information on actuarial assumptions and rates of return can be found at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts.shtml">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts.shtml</a>.

The actuarially determined employer contribution includes funding for cost-of-living adjustments and noncontributory death benefits in the PERS and PFRS. In the PERS and PFRS the employer contribution includes funding for post-retirement medical premiums.

		PERS	
	2020	2019	<u>2018</u>
Covered Employee Payroll Total Payroll Actuarial Contribution	\$ 439,222	\$ 462,723	\$ 438,389
	2,229,532	2,257,551	2,272,062
Requirements	72,901	61,024	57,699
Total Contributions Employer Share	107,710	95,916	90,226
	72,901	61,024	57,699
% of Covered Payroll	16.60%	13.19%	13.16%
Employee's Share	34,809	34,892	32,527
% of Covered Payroll	7.93%	7.54%	7.42%
		PFRS	
	2020	2019	2018
Covered Employee Payroll Total Payroll	\$ 1,412,547	\$ 1,339,906	\$ 1,325,272
	2,229,532	2,257,551	2,272,062
Actuarial Contribution Requirements Total Contributions	424,175	387,980	392,012
	565,430	522,076	525,363
Employer Share	424,175	387,980	392,012
% of Covered Payroll	30.03%	28.96%	29.58%
Employee's Share	141,255	134,096	133,351
% of Covered Payroll	10.00%	10.01%	10.06%

#### **Assumptions**

The collective total PERS and PFRS pension liability for June 30, 2020 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2019 using an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2018 for PERS and for the period July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2018 for PFRS. The pension liability was rolled forward to June 30, 2020. The actuarial valuation used an inflation rate of 2.75% for price and 3.25% for wage, projected salary increases through 2026 of 2.00% to 6.00% for PERS and thereafter 3.00% to 7.00% based on years of service and through all future years 3.25% to 15.25% for PFRS based on years of service and an investment rate of return 7.00%.

For PERS, pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Employee mortality table with an 82.2% adjustment for males and 101.4% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 91.4% adjustment for males and 99.7% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 127.7% adjustment for males and 117.2% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2020.

For PFRS, pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Safety Employee mortality table with a 105.6% adjustment for males and 102.5% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. For healthy annuitants, post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Safety Retiree Below-Median Income Weighted mortality table with a 96.7% adjustment for males and 96.0% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. For beneficiaries, the Pub-2010 General Retiree Below-Median Income Weighted mortality table was used, unadjusted, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability rates were based on the Pub-2010 Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 152.0% adjustment for males and 109.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2020.

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% for PERS and 7.00% for PFRS as of June 30, 2020. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers and the nonemployer contributing entity will be based on 78% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the local employers. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability. More information on mortality rates and other assumptions, and investment policies can be found at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts.shtml">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts.shtml</a>.

#### Public Employees' Retirement System:

The Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) was established as of January 1, 1955 under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide retirement, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The Public Employees' Retirement System is a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan. Membership is mandatory for substantially all full-time employees of the State of New Jersey or any county, municipality, school district or public agency, provided the employee is not required to be a member of another State-administered retirement system or other state of local jurisdiction.

#### Public Employees' Retirement System: (Continued)

#### Significant Legislation

P.L. 2011, c. 78, effective June 28, 2011, made various changes to the manner in which PERS operates and to the benefit provisions of that system. Provisions impacting employee pension and health benefits include:

- New members of PERS hired on or after June 28, 2011 (Tier 5 members), will need 30 years of creditable service and age 65 for receipt of the early retirement benefit without a reduction of ¼ to 1 percent for each month that the member is under age 65.
- The eligibility age to qualify for a service retirement in the PERS is increased from age 62 to 65 for Tier 5 members.
- Active member contribution rates will increase. PERS active member rates increase from 5.5 percent of annual compensation to 6.5 percent plus an additional 1 percent phased-in over 7 years. For Fiscal Year 2013, the member contribution rates increased in July 2013. The phase-in of the additional incremental member contributions for PERS members will take place in July of each subsequent fiscal year.
- The payment of automatic cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) additional increases to current and future retirees and beneficiaries is suspended until reactivated as permitted by this law.

In addition, the method for amortizing the pension systems' unfunded accrued liability changed (from a level percent of pay method to a level dollar of pay).

The following presents the Township's proportionate share of the collective PERS net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.00% and 6.28% as of June 30, 2020 and 2019, respectively, as well as what the PERS net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower or one percentage point higher than the assumed rate.

### Sensitivity of the Township's Proportionate Share of the Collective PERS Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

	At 1% Decrease (6.00%)	At Current Discount Rate(7.00%)	At 1% Increase (8.00%)
2020	\$1,378,765	\$1,095,273	\$854,721
	At 1% Decrease (5.28%)	At Current Discount Rate (6.28%)	At 1% Increase (7.28%)
2019	\$1,437,830	\$1,138,278	\$885,863

#### **Special Funding Situation**

Under N.J.S.A. 43:15A-15, local participating employers are responsible for their own contributions based on actuarially determined amounts, except where legislation was passed that legally obligated the State if certain circumstances occurred. The legislation, which legally obligates the State, is Chapter 366, P.L. 2001. The amounts contributed on behalf of the local participating employers under this legislation is considered to be a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Since the local participating employers do not contribute under this legislation directly to the plan (except for employer specific financed amounts), there is no net pension liability or deferred outflows or inflows to report in the financial statements of the local participating employers related to this legislation. Below is the portion of the nonemployer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the collective net pension liability that is associated with the local participating employers:

	2020	<u>2019</u>
Employer Net Pension Liability Nonemployer Proportional Share	\$ 1,086,727.00	\$ 1,130,414.00
of the Net Pension Liability	8,546.00	7,864.00
	\$ 1,095,273.00	\$ 1,138,278.00

#### Police and Firemen's Retirement System:

The Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS) was established in July, 1944 under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:16A to provide coverage to substantially all full time county and municipal police and firemen and State firemen appointed after June 30, 1944. Membership is mandatory for such employees. Members may opt for Service Retirement if over age 55 or Special Retirement at any age if they have a minimum of 25 years of service or 20 years of service if enrolled in the PFRS as of January 18, 2000. Retirement benefits vary depending on age and years of service.

Chapter 428, Public Law of 1999, effective January 18, 2000, allows a member, age 55 and older with 20 or more years of service, to retire with a benefit equaling 50% of final compensation, in lieu of the regular retirement allowance available to the member. Final compensation means the compensation received by the member in the last twelve months of creditable service preceding retirement.

In addition, a member of the system as of the effective date of this law may retire with 20 or more years of service with a retirement allowance of 50% of final compensation, regardless of age, and if required to retire because of attaining the mandatory retirement age of 65, an additional 3% of final compensation for every additional year of creditable service up to 25 years.

P.L. 2011, c. 78, effective June 28, 2011, made various changes to the manner in which PFRS operates and to the benefit provisions of that system.

This new legislation's provisions impacting employee pension and health benefits include:

The annual benefit under special retirement for new PFRS members enrolled after June 28, 2011 (Tier 3 members), will be 60 percent instead of 65 percent of the member's final compensation plus 1 percent for each year of creditable service over 25 years but not to exceed 30 years.

#### Police and Firemen's Retirement System: (Continued)

The following presents the Township's proportionate share of the collective PFRS net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.00% and 6.85% as of June 30, 2020 and 2019, respectively, as well as what the PFRS net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate of one percentage point lower or one percentage point higher than the assumed rate.

### Sensitivity of the Township's Proportionate Share of the Collective PFRS Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

	At 1% Decrease (6.00%)	At Current Discount Rate	At 1% Increase (8.00%)
2020	\$ 7,536,543	\$ 5,667,451	\$ 4,115,027
	At 1% Decrease <u>(5.85%)</u>	At Current Discount Rate (6.85%)	At 1% Increase (7.85%)
2019	\$ 7,356,578	\$ 5,442,723	\$ 3,858,732

#### **Special Funding Situation**

Under N.J.S.A. 43:16A-15, local participating employers are responsible for their own contributions based on actuarially determined amounts, except where legislation was passed that legally obligated the State if certain circumstances occurred. The legislation, which legally obligates the State, is as follows: Chapter 8, P.L. 2000, Chapter 318, P.L. 2001, Chapter 86, P.L. 2001, Chapter 511, P.L. 1991, Chapter 109, P.L. 1979, Chapter 247, P.L. 1993 and Chapter 201, P.L. 2001. The amounts contributed on behalf of the local participating employers under this legislation is considered to be a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Since the local participating employers do not contribute under this legislation directly to the plan (except for employer specific financed amounts), there is no net pension liability or deferred outflows or inflows to report in the financial statements of the local participating employers related to this legislation. Below is the portion of the nonemployer contributing entities' total proportionate share of the collective net pension liability that is associated with the local participating employer:

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
Employer Net Pension Liability Nonemployer Proportional Share of	\$ 4,906,054.00	\$ 4,700,504.00
the Net Pension Liability	761,397.00	742,219.00
	\$ 5,667,451.00	\$ 5,442,723.00

# Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pension

Although the Division administers one cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan, separate (sub) actuarial valuations are prepared to determine the actuarially determined contribution rate by group. Following this method, the measurement of the collective net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources and pension expense excluding that attributable to employer-paid member contributions are determined separately for each individual employer of the State and local groups.

To facilitate the separate (sub) actuarial valuations, the Division maintains separate accounts to identify additions, deductions, and fiduciary net position applicable to each group. The allocation percentages presented for each group in the schedule of employer allocations are applied to amounts presented in the schedules of pension amount by employer. The allocation percentages for each group as of June 30, 2020 and 2019 are based on the ratio of each employer's contributions to total employer contributions of the group for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

Following is the total of the Township's portion of the PERS and PFRS net pension liabilities, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions and the pension expense and expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020:

	<u>PERS</u>	<u>PFRS</u>
Net Pension Liabilities	\$1,086,727	\$4,906,054
Deferred Outflow of Resources	242,554	637,100
Deferred Inflow of Resources	474,600	1,568,096
Pension Expense	(30,733)	(52,149)
Contributions Made After		
Measurement Date	72,901	424,175

GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, requires participating employers in PERS to recognize their proportionate share of the collective net pension liability, collected deferred outflows of resources, collective deferred inflows of resources and collective pension expense excluding that attributable to employer-paid member contributions. The employer allocation percentages presented in the PERS schedule of employer allocations and applied to amounts presented in the PERS schedule of pension amounts by employer are based on the ratio of the contributions as an individual employer to total contributions to the PERS and PFRS during the years ended June 30, 2020 and 2019. The Township's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability as of June 30, 2020 and 2019 was .0067% and .0063% for PERS and .0380% and .01384% for PFRS, respectively.

It is important to note that New Jersey's municipalities and counties do not follow GAAP accounting principles and, as such, do not follow GASB requirements with respect to recording the net pension liability as a liability on their balance sheets. However, N.J.A.C. 5:30-6.1(c)(2) requires municipalities and counties to disclose GASB 68 information in the Notes to the Financial Statements.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pension (Continued)

At June 30, 2020, the amount determined as the Township's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability was \$1,086,727. For the year ended June 30, 2020, the Township would have recognized PERS pension expense of \$(30,733). At June 30, 2020, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the PERS pension are as follow:

	Deferred Outflows of	Deferred Inflows of
	Resources	Resources
Difference Between Expected and		
Actual Experience	\$ 19,788	\$ 3,843
Change of Assumptions	35,255	455,023
Net Difference Between Projected		
and Actual Investment Earnings	37,145	
Net Change in Proportions	150,366	15,734
Total Contributions and Proportionate		
Share of Contributions After the		
Measurement Date	72,901	<u> </u>
	\$ 315,455	\$ 474,600

At June 30, 2020, the amount determined as the Township's proportionate share of the PFRS net pension liability was \$4,906,054. For the year ended June 30, 2020, the Township would have recognized PFRS pension expense of \$(52,149). At June 30, 2020, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the PFRS pension are as follows:

	Deferred	Deferred
	Outflows of	Inflows of
	Resources	Resources
Difference Between Expected and		
Actual Experience	\$ 49,461	\$ 17,607
Change of Assumptions	12,346	1,315,284
Net Difference Between Projected		
and Actual Investment Earnings	287,665	
Net Change in Proportions	287,628	235,205
Total Contributions and Proportionate Share of Contributions After the		
Measurement Date	424,175	51 <del></del>
	\$1,061,275	\$ 1,568,096

#### Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2020) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return 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. Best estimates of arithmetic rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plan's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2020 are summarized in the following table:

100	Target	Long-Term Expected Real Rate
Asset Class	Allocation	of Return
US Equity	27.00%	7.71%
Non-U.S. Developed Market Equity	13.50%	8.57%
Emerging Market Equity	5.50%	10.23%
Private Equity	13.00%	11.42%
Real Assets	3.00%	9.73%
Real Estate	8.00%	9.56%
High Yield	2.00%	5.95%
Private Credit	8.00%	7.59%
Investment Grade Credit	8.00%	2.67%
Cash Equivalents	4.00%	0.50%
U.S. Treasuries	5.00%	1.94%
Risk Mitigation Strategies	3.00%	3.40%

#### Contributions Required and Made

Contributions made by employees for PERS and PFRS are currently 7.50% and 10.0% of their base wages, respectively. Employer contributions are actuarially determined on an annual basis by the Division of Pensions. Contributions to the plan for the past three years are as follows:

	PE	RS	PF	RS
Year	Township	<u>Employees</u>	Township	Emloyees
2020	\$61,084.00	\$ 34,808.72	\$ 387,980.00	\$ 141,254.77
2019	57,699.00	34,891.96	392,012.00	134,096.29
2018	52,996.00	32,527.07	327,411.00	133,351.40

#### 9. DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PROGRAM

#### Description of System

The Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) was established on July 1, 2007 for certain public employees under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2007. The program provides eligible members, with a minimum base salary of \$1,500.00 or more, with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, in addition to life insurance and disability coverage. The DCRP is jointly administered by the Division of Pensions and Benefits and Prudential Financial.

If the eligible elected or appointed official will earn less than \$5,000.00 annually, the official may choose to waive participation in the DCRP for that office or position. This waiver is irrevocable.

#### 9. DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PROGRAM (Continued)

#### Description of System (Continued)

As of May 21, 2010, the municipal base salary required for eligibility in the DCRP was increased to \$5,000.00.

This retirement program is a new pension system where the value of the pension is based on the amount of the contribution made by the employee and employer and through investment earnings. It is similar to a Deferred Compensation Program where the employee has a portion of tax deferred salary placed into an account that the employee manages through investment options provided by the employer.

The law requires that three classes of employees enroll in the DCRP, detailed as follows:

- All elected officials taking office on or after July 1, 2007, except that a person who is reelected to an elected office held prior to that date without a break in service may remain in the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS).
- A Governor appointee with the advice and consent of the Legislature or who serves at the pleasure of the Governor only during that Governor's term of office.
- Employees enrolled in the PERS on or after July 1, 2007 or employees enrolled in the PFRS after May 21, 2010 who earn salary in excess of established "maximum compensation" limits.
- Employees otherwise eligible to enroll in the PERS on or after November 2, 2008 who do not earn the minimum salary for PERS Tier 3, but who earn salary of at least \$5,000.00.
- Employees otherwise eligible to enroll in the PERS after May 21, 2010, who do not work the minimum number of hours per week required for PERS Tier 4 or Tier 5 enrollment (32 hours per week) but who earn salary of at least \$5,000.00 annually.

Notwithstanding the foregoing requirements, other employees who hold a professional license or certificate or meet other exceptions are permitted to remain to join or remain in PERS.

#### Contributions Required and Made

Contributions made by employees for DCRP are currently at 5.5% of their base wages. The employer contribution is 4.05% which includes a member contribution match of 3.0%, Group Life Insurance is .74% of gross wages and Long-Term Disability is .31% of gross wages. Contributions to the plan for the past three (3) years are as follows:

Year	Township	<u>Employees</u>
2020	\$1,563.10	\$2,122.58
2019	1,172.26	1,525.36
2018	1,688.20	2,287.25

#### 10. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION

The Township of Boonton, by contractual agreement, provides the following benefits to policemen:

"Upon retirement after 25 years of service with the Township of Boonton, each policeman shall be entitled to an annual retirement supplement from the Township of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750.00) to be paid to the retiree, commencing with the date of retirement, and on each anniversary date of retirement thereafter. The said benefit shall terminate on the 65<sup>th</sup> birthday of the retiree.

This benefit is available to all qualifying policemen and is intended with respect to policemen hired after January 1, 1988 to be in lieu of longevity pay. Those policemen who are currently working for the Township, as of January 1, 1994, shall be allowed to include all service in the Police and Firemen's Retirement System for purposes of qualifying for this benefit.

#### 10. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION (Continued)

Employees hired after January 1, 1994, must have at least 25 years of service with Boonton Township to receive the retirement supplement".

Disbursements for post-employment benefits other than pension for the year ended December 31, 2020 was \$3,750.00.

In addition to the pension described above, the Township provides post-employment health care benefits to Non-Police and Fire Retirement System employees as part of the State Health Benefits Local Government Retired Employees Plan. Employees must have 25 years in the pension system and at least 5 years of service with Boonton Township. 65% of the premium of eligible employees will be paid by the Township up to age 65.

#### General Information about the OPEB Plan

The State Health Benefit Local Government Retired Employees Plan (the Plan) is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit other post-employment benefit (OPEB) plan with a special funding situation. It covers employees of local government employers that have adopted a resolution to participate in the Plan. The plan meets the definition of an equivalent arrangement as defined in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for the Post-employment Benefits Other Than Pensions* (GASB Statement No. 75); therefore, assets are accumulated to pay associated benefits. For additional information about the Plan, please refer to the State of New Jersey (the State) Division of Pensions and Benefits (the Division) Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR), which can be found at https://www.state/nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml.

The Plan provides medical and prescription drugs to retirees and their covered dependents of the employers. Under the provisions of Chapter 88, P.L. 1974 and Chapter 48, P.L. 1999, local government employers electing to provide postretirement medical coverage to their employees must file a resolution with the Division. Under Chapter 88, local employers elect to provide benefit coverage based on the eligibility rules and regulations promulgated by the State Health Benefits Commission. Chapter 48 allows local employers to establish their own age and service eligibility for employer paid health benefits coverage for retired employees. Under Chapter 48, the employer may assume the cost of postretirement medical coverage for employees and their dependents who: 1) retired on a disability pension; or 2) retired with 25 or more years of service credit in a State or locally administered retirement system and a period of service of up to 25 years with the employer at the time of retirement as established by the employer; or 3) retired and reached the age of 65 with 25 or more years of service credit in a state or locally administered retirement system and a period of service of up to 25 years with the employer at the time of retirement as established by the employer, or 4) retired and reached age 62 with at least 15 years of service with the employer. Further, the law provides that the employer paid obligations for retiree coverage may be determined by means of a collective negotiations agreement.

As of July 1, 2020, the Township of Boonton will provide medical coverage to employees retired from a Non-Police and Fire Retirement System with 25 or more years of service credit in such retirement system and a minimum of 5 years of service with the Township of Boonton. The Township will pay 65% of the monthly premium. Retiree benefits under this program will cover the employee and any eligible dependents and will stop when the employee reaches age 65.

As of December 31, 2020, there was one (1) retiree eligible for this benefit.

#### **Funding Policy**

Contributions to pay the medical benefits of participating retirees are billed to the Township of Boonton on a monthly basis.

The Township of Boonton's payments for the year ended December 31, 2020 was \$8,088.57.

#### Special Funding Situation

Information presented below is as of June 30, 2019. Additional information was not available as of the date of this audit.

#### 10. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION (Continued)

#### Special Funding Situation (Continued)

Under Chapter 330, P.L. 1997, the State shall pay the premium or periodic charges for the qualified local police and firefighter retirees and dependents equal to 80 percent of the premium or periodic charge for the category of coverage elected by the qualified retiree under the State managed care plan or a health maintenance organization participating in the program providing the lowest premium or periodic charge. The State also provides funding for retiree health benefits to survivors of local police officers and firefighters who die in the line of duty under Chapter 271, P.L. 1989.

Therefore, these employers are considered to be in a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 75 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Since the local participating employers do not contribute under this legislation directly to the plan, there is no net OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources or deferred inflows of resources to report in the financial statements of the local participating employers related to this legislation.

The Township as of June 30, 2019 had 18 members under the Special Funding Situation. The State proportionate share of the net OPEB liability attributed to the Township is \$3,336,318.

#### 11. MUNICIPAL DEBT

The Local Bond Law governs the issuance of bonds and notes to finance general capital expenditures. All bonds are retired in serial installments within the statutory period of usefulness. Bonds issued by the Township are general obligation bonds, backed by the full faith and credit of the Township. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-8.1, bond anticipation notes, which are issued to temporarily finance capital projects, cannot be renewed past the third anniversary unless an amount equal to at least the first legal requirement is paid prior to each anniversary and must be paid off within ten years and five months or retired by the issuance of bonds.

#### Summary of Municipal Debt (Excluding Current and Operating Debt)

	Year 2020	Year 2019	Year 2018
Issued General:			
Bonds and Notes	\$1,792,743.00	\$2,264,000.00	\$2,390,000.00
Assessment Trust Fund: Bonds and Notes Water Utility:	137,257.00	75,000.00	150,000.00
Bonds and Notes		10,000.00	19,000.00
Sewer Assessment Fund: Bonds and Notes	1,930,000.00	<u>18,000.00</u> 2,367,000.00	<u>36,000.00</u> 2,595,000.00
Authorized but Not Issued General: Bonds and Notes Total Debt	781,955.86 2,711,955.86	499,000.00 2,866,000.00	2,595,000.00
<u>Deductions</u> Cash on Hand:			
Open Space Trust Fund		153,000.00	314,000.00
Assessment Trust Fund Sewer Assessment Trust Fund	3,451.88	46,176.35 18,000.00	78,369.31 12,261.05
Grants Receivable	236,755.86 240,207.74	217,176.35	404,630.36
Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized but Not Issued	\$2,471,748.12	\$2,648,823.65	\$2,190,369.64

#### 11. MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

#### Summary of Statutory Debt Condition - Annual Debt Statement

The summarized statement of debt condition which follows is prepared in accordance with the required method of setting up the Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of 0.255%.

	Gross Debt	<u>Deductions</u>	Net Debt
Water Utility Sewer Utility	\$	\$	\$
General	2,711,955.86	240,207.74	2,471,748.12
	\$2,711,955.86	\$240,207.74	\$2,471,748.12

Net debt, \$2,471,748.12 divided by Average Equalized Valuation Basis per N.J.S. 40A:2-2 as amended, \$968,803,827.00 equals 0.255%.

#### Borrowing Power Under N.J.S. 40A:2-6 as Amended

3 1/2% of Equalized Valuation Basis	\$ 33,908,133.95
Net Debt	2,471,748.12
	# 0.4 400 005 00
Remaining Borrowing Power	<u>\$31,436,385.83</u>

#### **School Debt Deductions**

School debt is deductible up to the extent of 3.0% of the Average Equalized Assessed Valuations of real property for the Local School District.

The foregoing debt information is in agreement with the Revised Annual Debt Statement filed by the Chief Financial Officer.

As of December 31, 2020, the Township's long-term debt is as follows:

#### **Bond Anticipation Notes**

Outstanding Bond Anticipation Notes are summarized as follows:

	Interest <u>Rate</u>	Amount
General Capital	1.00%	\$ 1,792,743.00
Assessment Trust Fund	1.00%	\$ 137,257.00

## 11. MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

## **Bond Anticipation Notes (Continued)**

Statutory requirements for providing sums equivalent to legally payable installments for the redemption of notes (Budget Appropriations) and permanent funding (Bond Issues) are summarized as follows:

Original Notes Issued	Installments Due	Funding Required as of May 1
2011	2014 - 2021	2022
2012	2015 - 2022	2023
2013	2016 - 2023	2024
2014	2017 - 2024	2025
2015	2018 - 2025	2026
2016	2019 - 2026	2027
2017	2020 - 2027	2028
2018	2021 - 2028	2029
2019	2022 - 2029	2030
2020	2023 - 2030	2031

## Bonds and Notes Authorized but Not Issued

	Balance	Balance
	Dec. 31, 2020	Dec. 31, 2019
General Capital Fund:		
General Improvements	\$781,955.86	\$499,000.00

## 12. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019 was as follows:

Governmental Activities	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Additions	Retirement	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
Land	\$ 14,560,600.00	\$	\$	\$ 14,560,600.00
Buildings and Improvements	1,283,500.00			1,283,500.00
Vehicles and Equipment	1,980,327.48_	61,852.42		2,042,179.90
	\$ 17,824,427.48	\$ 61,852.42		\$ 17,886,279.90
Governmental Activities	Balance Dec. 31, 2018	Additions	<u>Retirement</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2019
Land	\$ 14,726,200.00	\$	\$ 165,600.00	\$ 14,560,600.00
Buildings and Improvements	1,283,500.00			1,283,500.00
Vehicles and Equipment	1,812,205.95	169,121.53_	1,000.00	1,980,327.48
	\$ 17,821,905.95	\$ 169,121.53	\$166,600.00	\$ 17,824,427.48

### 13. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

As of December 31, 2020, interfund receivables and payables that resulted from various interfund transactions were as follows:

	Due from Other Funds	Due to Other Funds
Current Fund Federal and State Grant Fund	\$ 19,889.35	\$19,889.35
	\$19,889.35	\$19,889.35

### 14. DEFERRED CHARGES TO BE RAISED IN SUCCEEDING YEARS' BUDGETS

Certain expenditures are required to be deferred to budgets of succeeding years. At December 31, 2020, the following deferred charges are shown on the balance sheet of the Current Fund:

	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	2021 Budget Appropriation	To be Raised in Subsequent Budget
Current Fund: Special Emergency Appropriation	\$ 21,000.00_	\$7,000.00	\$ 14,000.00

### 15. DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN

The Township of Boonton offers its employees a Deferred Compensation Plan created in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S. 43:15B-1 et seq., and the Internal Revenue Code, Section 457. The plan, available to all municipal employees, permits them to defer a portion of their salary until future years. The deferred compensation is not available to employees until termination, retirement, death or unforeseeable emergency.

Statutory and regulatory requirements governing the establishment and operation of Deferred Compensation Plans have been codified in the New Jersey Administrative Code under the reference N.J.A.C. 5:37.

The "Small Business Job Protective Act of 1996" revised several provisions of Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code. A provision of the act required that all existing plans be modified to provide that the funds be held for the exclusive benefit of the participating employees and their beneficiaries.

The Administrator for the Township of Boonton Deferred Compensation Plan is the Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company (VALIC).

### 16. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Township of Boonton is a member of the Morris County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund which provides coverage for general liability, property insurance, automobile coverage and workers' compensation.

### 17. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

### A. Compensated Absences

The Township permits employees to accumulate (with certain restrictions) unused vacation and sick leave. Employees are permitted to carry over a maximum of 15 vacation days into the following year. Employees who retire or resign from the Township shall receive payment for accumulated and earned vacation days at their existing daily rate. Employees are permitted to accumulate a maximum of 90 days of unused sick time.

Employees who retire or resign from the Township shall receive payment for accumulated sick days at a rate of one day for each two days of unused accumulated sick time at the rate of the employee's base salary.

The Township estimates that the current cost of such unpaid compensation would be \$419,583.46 payable to 21 officials and employees on the basis of 2020 salary rates. This amount was not verified by audit.

Benefits paid in any future years will be charged to that year's budget.

Provision for the above is not reflected on the Financial Statements of the Township.

### B. Tax Appeals

As of August 3, 2021, there were twelve (12) appeals pending before the New Jersey Tax Court with an assessed valuation of \$40,595,404.00. Potential liability was undeterminable. The Township has made provision from tax revenues, in the sum of \$118,693.23, for these appeals in the event that tax reductions are granted.

Judgments favorable to the taxpayers generally extend to two years following the year judged and would also subject the Township to a liability for statutory interest based upon the amount of taxes refunded from the date of payment to the date of refund (R.S. 54:3-27.2).

### C. Federal and State Awards

The Township participates in several federal and state grant programs which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies; therefore, to the extent that the Township has not complied with the rules and regulations governing the grants, refunds of any money received may be required and the collectibility of any related receivable at December 31, 2020 may be impaired. In the opinion of management, there are no significant contingent liabilities relating to compliance with the rules and regulations governing the respective grants; therefore, no provisions have been recorded in the accompanying statutory basis financial statements for such contingencies.

## D. Arbitrage Rebate Calculation

In 1985, under the Tax Reform Act, the Arbitrage Rebate Law went into effect requiring issuers of tax exempt debt obligations to rebate to the Federal Government all of the earnings in excess of the yield on investments of proceeds of such debt issuances (the "Rebate Arbitrage"). The Rebate Regulations apply to obligations issued after August 31, 1986. The arbitrage rebate liability must be calculated every installment computation date (last day of the fifth bond year) or earlier if the bonds are retired, defeased or refunded and pay at least 90% of the rebatable arbitrage (plus any earnings thereon) within 60 days after such date.

### E. Payments in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT)

Under N.J.S.A. 40A:20-12, each municipality is required to annually remit to the County five percent (5%) of the annual service charge for each long-term PILOT financial agreement entered into by the municipality.

## 17. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (Continued)

## F. Litigation

There is no significant litigation or any contingent liabilities, unasserted claims or assessments or statutory violations which would affect the financial position or results of operations of the Township.

General liability claims pending against the Township are handled by insurance carriers.

The City of Jersey City is currently a member of the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority ("RVRSA"), as is the Township as well as a number of other Morris County municipalities. A lawsuit was filed in 2010 by the City of Jersey City and the Jersey City Municipal Utilities Authority (the plaintiff) claiming that 1) they have no obligation to contribute to the RVRSA's capital costs; 2) that the 1984 settlement agreement among the parties is void or in the alternative that it be reformed to decrease the plaintiffs' share of the costs and 3) that they are entitled to damages for what plaintiffs contend was an incorrect assessment of capital costs. A motion for partial summary judgment was granted to the member municipalities of the RVRSA finding that Jersey City's obligation to pay for operating costs, maintenance and repairs must continue. However, the City of Jersey City has added another claim to its lawsuit asserting that the terms of the 1971/1984 agreements should be interpreted to mean that the City of Jersey City's obligation to make any payments should end now or in the very near future. The Court rejected the claims of Jersey City and ruled that the 1971 and 1984 settlements remain valid and enforceable and that Jersey City had breached the agreements. On March 15, 2021, a second trial started to determine the amount of damages arising from the breach. The trial has concluded and no decision has been made yet. The Township has established a Reserve for Contingency of \$35,000 in the Sewer Utility Operating Fund to offset the costs of litigation related to this matter.

### 18. SECONDARY MARKET DISCLOSURE

Solely for purposes of complying with Rule 15c2.12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission, as amended and interpreted from time to time (the "Rule"), and provided that the Bonds are not exempt from the Rule and provided that the Bonds are not exempt from the requirements in accordance with Paragraph (d) of the Rule, for so long as the Bonds remain outstanding (unless the Bonds have been wholly defeased), the municipality shall provide for the benefit of the holders of the Bonds and the beneficial owners thereof various financial documents relating to the financial conditions of the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board through the Electronic Municipal Access Data Port (the "MSRB").

### 19. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Township of Boonton has evaluated subsequent events that occurred after the balance sheet date but before August 18, 2021 and it was determined that the following item requires disclosure:

Due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Township of Boonton implemented several policies to protect the health and safety of its employees and citizens. It is anticipated that certain revenues will not be realized to the extent it was budgeted for in fiscal year 2021.

## CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS TREASURER

<u>A-4</u>

	Ref.	Regula	ar Fund		and State t Fund
Balance December 31, 2019	Α		\$ 2,210,468.17		\$
Increased by Receipts:					
Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated	A-2c	\$ 102,761.09		\$	
Interest on Investments and Deposits	A-2c	13,687.17			
Turnovers from Collector	A-6	20,655,813.57			
Due from State of New Jersey	A-8	23,750.00			
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-13	547,626.32			
Grants Receivable	A-14			11,591.15	
Interfunds Receivable	A-15,16	185,695.34		10,907.02	
Accounts Payable	A-20	4,678.84			
Deposit on Sale of Property	A-21	1,700.00			
Due to State of New Jersey	A-22	400.00			
Accumulated Revenue - Unappropriated	A-29			11,785.04	
Township's Matching Funds for Grants Contra Items:	A-30			650.00	
Petty Cash Funds	Contra	100.00			
, only cache and		:=	21,536,212.33		34,933.21
			23,746,680.50		34,933.21
Decreased by Disbursements:					
Prior Year Revenue Refunds	A-1	1,740.00			
Budget Appropriation	A-3	4,445,149.23			
Appropriation Reserves	A-18	270,284.89			
Due to State of New Jersey	A-22	375.00			
Interfunds Payable	A-24	303,742.43			
Local School District Tax	A-25	13,692,642.00			
County Taxes	A-26	2,552,790.14			
Reserve for Pending Tax Appeals	A-28	9,830.49			
Appropriated Reserves for Federal					
and State Grants	A-30			34,933.21	
Contra Item	Contra	100.00			
			21,276,654.18		34,933.21
Balance December 31, 2020	Α		\$ 2,470,026.32		\$ -

## CASH RECONCILIATION DECEMBER 31, 2020 TREASURER

<u>A-5</u>

Balance per Statements: Lakeland Bank, Boonton, New Jersey: #624601505 Current Account #624601548 General Account	\$ 2,428,889.60
Plus: Deposit-in-Transit	<u>41,157.42</u> 2,544,300.73
Less: Outstanding Checks	74,274.41
	\$ 2,470,026.32

## CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS COLLECTOR

<u>A-6</u>

	Ref.			
Increased by Receipts:				
Interest and Costs on Taxes	A-2a	\$ 84,531.62		
Property Taxes Receivable	A-9	20,419,154.58		
Prepaid Taxes	A-27	152,127.37		
		<del> </del>	\$ 20,65	5,813.57
Decreased by Disbursements:				
Turnovers to Treasurer	A-4		20,65	5,813.57
			\$	()#S

## **CHANGE FUNDS**

<u>A-7</u>

		Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
Tax Collector		\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Municipal Court		100.00	100.00
		\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
	Reference	<u>A</u>	A

## DUE FROM STATE OF NEW JERSEY PER CHAPTER 129, P.L. 1976

<u>A-8</u>

	Ref.			
Increased by: Deductions per Tax Billings: Senior Citizens Veterans		\$ 250.00 23,750.00	\$24,000.00	
Less: Deductions Disallowed by Tax Collector: Senior Citizens	A-2b, 9		<u>250.00</u> 23,750.00	
Transferred to Due to State of New Jersey	A-22		250.00	\$24,000.00
Decreased by: Deductions Disallowed by Tax Collector - 2019 Collections	A-1 A-4		250.00 23,750.00	24,000.00

# TAXES RECEIVABLE AND ANALYSIS OF PROPERTY TAX LEVY

A-9

Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	\$ 272,584.04	\$ 272,584.04	۷I			\$ 13,692,642.00	2.552.790.14	264,011.76	4 144 867 58	\$ 20,654,311.48
Cancelled	\$ 85,536.60	\$ 85,536.60	Reserve				\$ 2,551,007.49 1,782.65	263,825.37 186.39	4,127,904.55	
Transfer to Tax Title Liens	\$ 3,107.44	\$ 3,107.44	<u>A-10</u>		Ref.	A-25	A-26 A-26	A-24	A-2	Above
Due from State of New Jersey	\$ 23,750.00	\$ 23,750.00	<u>A-8</u>	N		tract)		Тах	oal Purposes (Budget)	
Collections 2020	\$ 318,733.71 20,100,420.87	\$ 20,419,154.58	A-2b,6	ANALYSIS OF 2020 PROPERTY TAX LEVY		Tax Levy Local School District (Abstract) County Taxes:	County Tax (Abstract) Added Tax	Local Taxes: Municipal Open Space Tax Added Taxes	Local Taxes for Municipal Purposes (Budget) Added Taxes	
Coll.	168,912.53	\$ 168,912.53	A-27	ANALYSIS OF 2020			<b>;</b>	2		
Added	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00	Reserve							
2020 Levy	\$ 20,654,311.48	\$ 20,654,311.48	Below			\$ 20,639,939.01	14,372.47			\$ 20,654,311.48
Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 318,483.71	\$ 318,483,71	∢		Ref.					Above
Year	2019 2020		Reference			<u>Tax Yield</u> General Property Tax	Added Taxes			

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<u>A-10</u>

	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	Α	\$ 36,887.80
Increased by: Transfers from Taxes Receivable	A-9	3,107.44
Balance December 31, 2020	Α	\$ 39,995.24

## PROPERTY ACQUIRED FOR TAXES (AT ASSESSED VALUE)

<u>A-11</u>

	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	Α	\$332,000.00
Balance December 31, 2020	Α	\$332,000.00

## SALES CONTRACTS RECEIVABLE

<u>A-12</u>

\$17,000.00

Ref.

Increased by:

2020 Sales Reserve

Balance December 31, 2020 A <u>\$17,000.00</u>

Analysis of Balance

Block Lot Year Purchaser Amount

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# REVENUE ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

<u>A-13</u>	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	ક્ક		587.54							\$ 587.54	∢I
	Collections	\$ 2,400.00	18,970.66	12,294.55	240,870.99	20,763.74	173,786.70	14,228.75	27,215.00	37,095.93	\$ 547,626.32	A-4
	2020 <u>Accruals</u>	\$ 2,400.00	18,970.66	10,935.38	240,870.99	20,763.74	173,786.70	14,228.75	27,215.00	37,095.93	\$ 546,267.15	Reserve
NEVENUE ACCOUNTS NECETVABLE	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	↔		1,946.71							\$1,946.71	Α
	<u>Ref.</u>	A-2a	A-2a	A-2a	A-2a	A-2a	A-2a	A-2a	A-2a	A-2a		Reference
	Source	Budget Revenue Clerk: ABC Licenses	Fees and Permits	Magistrate: Fines and Costs	State of New Jersey: Energy Receipts Tax	Treasurer: Cable TV Franchise Fee	Victoria Mews Assisted Living Agreement: Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT)	Off-Duty Police Administrative Fees	Field Usage Revenue	Cell Tower Rental		

## **GRANTS RECEIVABLE**

<u>A-14</u>

		Balance Dec. 31, 2019	2020 <u>Grants</u>	<u>Decrease</u>	Cancelled	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
Clean Communities Act: 2020 Body Armor Grant: 2020 Municipal Alliance on Ald	coholism and	\$	\$ 13,071.49 1,591.15	\$ 13,071.49 1,591.15	\$	\$
Drug Abuse: 2019 2020 Alcohol Education and R Grant:		8,269.00	2,600.00		1,769.00	6,500.00 2,600.00
2020			562.62	562.62		
Highlands - Plan Confort 2017 2018	nance:	2,526.50 20,000.00		10,000.00_		2,526.50 10,000.00
		\$ 30,795.50	\$ 17,825.26	\$ 25,225.26	\$ 1,769.00	\$ 21,626.50
	Reference	$\mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{a}}$	<u>A-2a</u>	Below	<u>A-30</u>	A
			Ref.			
	Cash Receipts Unappropriated	Reserves Applied	A-4 A-29	\$ 11,591.15 13,634.11		
			Above	\$ 25,225.26		

## INTERFUNDS RECEIVABLE CURRENT FUND

A-15	General Capital Fund	\$ 11,326.00	2,474.91	13,800.91	13,800.91	φ
	Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	\$ 155,677.50		155,677.50	155,677.50	49
	General <u>Trust Fund</u>	\$ 10,000.00	515.58	10,515.58	10,515.58	<i>₽</i>
Q	Animal Control Trust Fund	မ	18.83	18.83	18.83	<u>-</u>
CURRENT FUND	Assessment Trust Fund	\$ 2,640.48	313.53 2,052.04	676.47 5,682.52	5,682.52	φ.
: 1	Total	\$ 179,643.98	3,322.85 2,052.04	676.47 185,695.34	185,695.34	₩.
	Ref.	A-2a	A-2c A-2c	A-2c	A-4	
		Increased by: Anticipated as Current Fund Revenue	Interest on Investments and Deposits Interest on Assessment	Interest on Delinquent Assessments	Decreased by: Settlements	

## INTERFUNDS RECEIVABLE FEDERAL AND STATE GRANT FUND

<u>A-16</u>

		Current
	Ref.	<u>Fund</u>
Balance December 31, 2019	Α	\$ 31,201.54
Decreased by: Settlements	A-4	10,907.02
Reserve for Grant Expenditures Cancelled	A-30	<u>405.17</u> <u>11,312.19</u>
Balance December 31, 2020	А	\$ 19,889.35

# DEFERRED CHARGES N.J.S. 40A:4-53 SPECIAL EMERGENCY

A-17

	Balance Dec. 31, 202 <u>0</u>	\$21,000.00	ΚI
	Budget <u>Appropriation</u>	\$7,000.00	<u>A-3</u>
	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	\$ 28,000.00	∢
1/5 of	Net Amount Authorized	\$ 7,000.00	
	Net Amount Authorized	\$35,000.00	
	Purpose	Preparation of Digitized Tax Maps	Reference
	Date <u>Authorized</u>	4-08-19	

## APPROPRIATION RESERVES

A-18 Sheet #1

	Lapsed		\$ 1,142.07	1,307.78	1,8/0./0	7,176.79		250.00	596.84	187.18	4	302.61		,	1.00	1,996.67		1,437.91		5,283.39		1,457.32	0	288.00	000	0,900.	572 GE	2.751.18			1,318.50	8,590.83
	Decrease		\$ 389.64	0	270.03	80.00			1,696.57			106.66	12,675.00			12,993.09		286.54	•	726.25		8,838.76			9	0,403.00		4 690.85				3,767.82
Balance After	Transfers		\$ 1,531.71	1,307.78	2,140.73	7,256.79		250.00	2,293.41	187.18		409.27	12,675.00		1.00	14,989.76		1,724.45		6,009.64		10,296.08	6	599.00		15,385.11	22 052	57.2.00 7.442.03			1,318.50	12,358.65
nce 2010	Unencumbered		\$ 1,431.71	1,307.78	2,091.11	7,256.79		250.00	746.72	187.18		409.27			1.00	1,996.67		1,590.91		6,009.64		4,376.08		599.00		5,385.11	9	30.2.00			1,318.50	12,303.65
Balance Dec 34 9010	Encumbered		\$ 100.00		49.62				1,546.69				12,675.00			12,993.09		133.54				920.00						2 135 15				55.00
	APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	GENERAL GOVERNMENT Mayor and Township Committee:	Other Expenses General Administration:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	numan Resources: Other Expenses	Municipal Clerk:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Codification	Financial Administration:	Other Expenses	Audit	Assessment of Taxes:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses	Collection of Taxes:	Other Expenses	Computer:	Other Expenses	Legal Services and Costs:	Other Expenses	Municipal Prosecutor:	Salaries and Wages	Engineering Services and Costs:	Other Expenses	Public Buildings and Grounds:	Salaries and Wages	Minicipal and Heal aw /N.1.S.A. 40:55D-13:	Planning Board:	Salaries and Wages	Other Expenses

# APPROPRIATION RESERVES

A-18 Sheet #2

<u>Lapsed</u>	\$ 500.00	9,106.00 5,204.52	571.26	117,708.42 8,863.58 23,267.08	422.00 376.35	580.00 33.56	2,000.00	44,520.64
Decrease	↔	100.00	8,973.15	623.81 53,882.04	602.00 897.50	2,053.82	12,761.48	109,334.43
Balance After <u>Transfers</u>	\$ 500.00	9,106.00 5,304.52	9,544.41	118,332.23 62,745.62 23,267.08	1,024.00 1,273.85	580.00 2,087.38	2,000.00 18,992.31	153,855.07 32,507.98
Balance Dec. 31, 2019 Unencumbered	\$ 500.00	9,106.00 5,254.52	211.26	118,332.23 11,332.45 23,267.08	1,024.00 376.35	580.00 156.72	2,000.00	72,457.12 28,293.08
Bala Dec. 3 <sup>-</sup> Encumbered	↔	50.00	8,333.15	51,413.17	897.50	1,930.66	12,761.48	103,397.95
APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	GENERAL GOVERNMENT Environmental Committee: Other Expenses	Insurance: General Liability Group Insurance Plan	PUBLIC SAFETY Fire: Other Expenses	Police: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses Dispatch	Uniform Fire Safety Act: Fire Official: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	Office of Emergency Management: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	STREETS AND ROADS  Road Repairs and Maintenance: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses Other Public Works Functions:	Snow Plowing and Sanding: Other Expenses Vehicle Maintenance: Other Expenses

694.95

131.20

826.15

826.15

## APPROPRIATION RESERVES

A-18 Sheet #3

APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	Bal Dec. 3 <u>Encumbered</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2019 Unencumbered	Balance After <u>Transfers</u>	Decrease	Lapsed
HEALTH AND WELFARE Board of Health Contractual	ь	\$ 4,184.13	\$ 4,184.13	\$ 182.55	\$ 4,001.58
Animal Control Officer: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses		775.00 170.50	775.00 170.50	151.52	775.00
RECREATION AND EDUCATION Recreation: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses		1.00	1.00 1,871.86		1.00 1,871.86
SANITATION Solid Waste Collection: Recycling: Other Expenses	6,031.17	14,646.24	20,677.41	19,745.49	931.92
MUNICIPAL COURT  Municipal Court:  Salaries and Wages  Other Expenses	351.24	3,594.00 66.42	3,594.00 1,417.66	375.04	3,594.00 1,042.62
Public Defender: Other Expenses Public Employees' Occupational Safety and Hazards Act		400.00	400.00		400.00
UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE - APPROPRIATIONS  OFFSET BY DEDICATED REVENUES (N.J.A.C., 5:23-4.17)  Construction Official: Other Expenses		248.98	248.98		248.98
UNCLASSIFIED Utility Expenses: Electricity Telephone Water Gas See Fuel Oil	204.84	6,970.62 2,514.70 1,568.00 1,926.80 2,959.84	6,970.62 2,719.54 1,568.00 3,001.06 2,959.84	1,680.37 1,406.52 2,092.03 777.33	5,290.25 1,313.02 1,568.00 909.03 2,182.51

# APPROPRIATION RESERVES

A-18 Sheet #4	Papsed	\$ 80.00	6,000.00	13,467.02 100.00 827.74		23,450.00	932.75	\$ 373,492.58	A-1			
	Decrease	\$ 2,752.96		119.73		3,360.00		\$ 282,164.89	Below		\$ 270,284.89	\$ 282,164.89
	Balance After <u>Transfers</u>	\$ 80.00 13,055.28	6,000.00	13,586.75 100.00 827.74		26,810.00	932.75	\$ 655,657.47		Ref.	A-4 A-20	Above
N KESSEN	2019 Unencumbered	\$ 80.00 13,055.28	6,000.00	13,586.75 100.00 827.74		26,810.00	932.75	\$ 434,388.76	∢		Cash Disbursed Accounts Payable	
APPROPRIA IION RESERVES	Balance Dec. 31, 2019 Encumbered	€>						\$ 221,268,71	ΥI			
									Reference			
	APPROPRIATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	UNCLASSIFIED Utility Expenses: Sewerage Processing Gasoline	CONTINGENT	STATUTORY EXPENDITURES Contribution to: Social Security System (OASI) Unemployment Insurance Defined Contribution Retirement Program	APPROPRIATIONS EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"	OPERATIONS Storm Water Tier A General Permit (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.3(cc)): Other Expenses	PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROGRAMS OFFSET BY REVENUES Municipal Alliance Against Substance Abuse: Township Funds					

RESERVE FOR DIGITIZED TAX MAPS	<u>A-19</u>
Ref. A	\$ 23,120.00 \$ 23,120.00
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	<u>A-20</u>
Ref. A-4 A-18 A	\$ 4,678.84 11,880.00 \$ 16,558.84
DEPOSIT ON SALE OF PROPERTY	<u>A-21</u>
A-4	\$ 1,700.00 \$ 1,700.00
	Ref. A A  A  A  ACCOUNTS PAYABLE  Ref. A-4 A-18 A  DEPOSIT ON SALE OF PROPERTY  Ref.

## DUE TO STATE OF NEW JERSEY

<u>A-22</u>

	<u>Ref.</u>	<u>Total</u>	Senior Citizens' and Veterans' Deductions	Marriage License <u>Fees</u>
Balance December 31, 2019	Α	\$ 875.00	\$ 750.00	\$125.00
Increased by: Collections Transferred from Due from State of New Jersey	A-4 A-8	400.00 <u>250.00</u> 1,525.00	<u>250.00</u> 1,000.00	400.00
Decreased by: Payments	A-4	375.00_		375.00
Balance December 31, 2020	Α	_\$1,150.00_	\$1,000.00	\$150.00

## TAX OVERPAYMENTS

<u>A-23</u>

Ref.

Balance December 31, 2019 A <u>\$8,556.91</u>

Balance December 31, 2020 A <u>\$8,556.91</u>

## INTERFUNDS PAYABLE CURRENT FUND

A-24

Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	↔	264,011.76	264,011.76	264,011.76	264,011.76	↔
Assessment Trust Fund	↔	28,823.65 28,823.65	28,823.65	28,823.65	28,823.65	€
Federal and State Grant Fund	\$31,201.54		31,201.54	10,907.02	405.17	\$19,889.35
Total	\$ 31,201.54	264,011.76 28,823.65 292,835.41	324,036.95	303,742.43	405.17 304,147.60	\$ 19,889.35
<u>Ref.</u>	∢	A-1,2b,9 A-3		A-4	A-1	Ą
	Balance December 31, 2019	Increased by: Open Space Tax Budget Appropriation		Decreased by: Settlements Reserve for Grant Expenditures	Cancelled	Balance December 31, 2020

## LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX

A-25

Ref.

Increased by:

Levy - Calendar Year 2020 A-1,2b,9 \$13,692,642.00

Decreased by:

**Payments** 

A-4

13,692,642.00

\$

## **COUNTY TAXES**

A-26

Ref.

Increased by:

2020 Levy County Open Space Tax \$2,477,396.76 73,610.73

A-9 Added Assessments

2,551,007.49

A-9 A-1,2b 1,782.65

\$ 2,552,790.14

Decreased by:

**Payments** 

A-4

2,552,790.14

\$

## PREPAID TAXES

	111217110 1771120	<u>A-27</u>
	<u>Ref.</u>	
Balance December 31, 2019	А	\$168,912.53
Increased by: Collections - 2021 Taxes	A-6	<u>152,127.37</u> 321,039.90
Decreased by: Transfer to 2020 Taxes Receivable	A-2b,9	168,912.53
Balance December 31, 2020	Α	\$152,127.37
RESER	RVE FOR PENDING TAX APPEALS	<u>A-28</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	Α	\$118,523.72
Increased by: Budget Appropriation	A-3	10,000.00 128,523.72
Decreased by:	Λ. 4	0 830 40

Refunds

Balance December 31, 2020

A-4

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9,830.49

\$118,693.23

## ACCUMULATED REVENUE - UNAPPROPRIATED

<u>A-29</u>

	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	Increase	Decrease Anticipated as Current Fund Revenue	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
Federal and State Grant Fund Clean Communities Grant Alcohol Education and	\$13,071.49	\$11,785.04	\$ 13,071.49	\$11,785.04
Rehabilitation Fund	562.62_		562.62	
	<u>\$13,634.11</u>	\$11,785.04	<u>\$ 13,634.11</u>	\$11,785.04
Reference	<u>A</u>	<u>A-4</u>	<u>A-14</u>	A

A-30 Sheet #1	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	\$ 13,071.49	6,958.55	501.61	819.16	1.460.00	650.00	3,040.00 1,230.00	2,000.00	\$ 29,730.81	A
	Cancelled	↔				1,769.00	405.17			\$2,174.17	Sheet #2
STATE GRANTS	Decrease	\$ 11,709.95	523.28	20.89 61.01	1,376.54 1,544.49 1,682.98 771.99	6,500.00	832.08	8,770.00		\$ 34,933.21	A-4
FOR FEDERAL AND	2020 Budget <u>Appropriations</u>	\$ 13,071.49		562.62	1,591.15	2 600 00	650.00			\$18,475.26	Sheet #2
APPROPRIATED RESERVES FOR FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 11,709.95	7,481.83	20.89	1,376.54 1,544.49 1,682.98	8,269.00	1,237.25	3,040.00	2,000.00	\$ 48,362.93	∢
APPRO	Grant	Clean Communities Act: 2019 2020	Drunk Driving Enforcement Program: 2019	Alcohol Education and Renabilitation Fund; 2019 2020	2017 2018 2019 2019 2020	Municipal Alliance on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse: State Share - 2019	Township Share - 2020  Township Share - 2020	Highlands - Plan Conformance Grant. 2017 2018	Sustainable Jersey Sirian Grants Frogram. 2018		Reference

## APPROPRIATED RESERVES FOR FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS

A-30 Sheet #2

<u>Grant</u>	Ref.	2020 Budget <u>Appropriations</u>	Cancelled
State and Federal Grants:			
2020 Grants	A-3	\$ 17,825.26	\$
Township's Matching Funds	A-3,4	650.00	
Grants Receivable	A-14		1,769.00
Interfunds Receivable	A-16	<u> </u>	405.17
	Sheet #1	\$ 18,475.26	\$ 2,174.17

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
TREASURER

Municipal Open Space Trust Fu <u>nd</u>	\$ 1,338,592.67											268,724.17 1,607,316.84														1000	343,027.77	\$ 1,264,289.07	
Municipal Open <u>Space Trust Fun</u>		69	264.011.76			1710 41	1.71												87,350.27	755,677.50									
ust Fund	\$ 209,060.75											2,487,074.43															2,418,114.17	\$ 278,021.01	
General Trust Fund		↔	3.00		204,454.32 52,400.00	935,960.18	515.58		170.00		1,293,571.35					169,707.82	00.000,11	933,163.15		10,515.58				156.27		1,293,571.35			
Animal Control Trust Fund	\$ 440.90											6,721.33															6,994.36	\$ 167.87	
Animal Cont		\$ 6,546.50		156.00			18.83							156.00	732.60					18.83		6,086.93							
t Trust Fund	\$ 48,816.83											75,455.74 124,272.57															80,682.52	\$ 43,590.05	
Assessment Trust		89 67 00 00 00 00 00	28 823 65				3,042.04													5,682.52					75,000.00				
Ref.	æ	9-8 8-8	9-8-8-0 6-1-0	B-17	B-13 B-14	B-15	B-17		B-21		Contra			B-11	B-12	B-13	B-14	B-15	B-16	B-17		B-19		B-20	B-23	Contra		ш	
	Balance December 31, 2019	Increased by Receipts: Turnovers from Collector's Account	Due from Municipal Court	Accounts Payable	Special Deposits Premiums on Tax Sale	Payroll Deductions Payable	Municipal Open Space Trust Fulld Interfunds Payable	Reserve for Municipal Alliance on Alcoholism and Drug Abrise	Program Income	Contra Item:	Net Payroll		Decreased by Disbursements:	Accounts Payable	Due to State of New Jersey	Special Deposits	Premiums on Lax Sale	Payroll Deductions Payable	Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	Interfunds Payable	Reserve for Animal Control Trust	Fund Expenditures	Reserve for State Unemployment	Trust Fund Expenditures	Assessment Serial Bonds	Contra Item		Balance December 31, 2020	97

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<u>B-5</u>

	Assessment Trust Fund	Animal Control <u>Trust Fund</u>	General Trust Fund	Municipal Open Space <u>Trust Fund</u>
Balance per Statements:				
Lakeland Bank,				
Boonton, New Jersey:				
#624603842 - Trust Assessment	\$ 180,865.05	\$	\$	\$
#624601572 - Dog License Fund		168.38		
#624603966 - Affordable Housing			32,283.71	
#624604016 - Cash Bonds			27,150.14	
#624612078 - Developer's Account			38,263.50	
#624612086 - Developer's Account Disbursement			540.00	
#624608631 - Flexible Spending Account			556.97	
#624603958 - Law Enforcement			1,732.77	
#624612094 - Other Trust			43,949.51	
#624603990 - Police Outside Duty			21,891.33	
#624601556 - Recreation Trust			9,893.02	
#624605179 - Tax Sale Premiums			52,400.34	
#624603974 - Unemployment Compensation			52,606.70	
#624601513 - Payroll Account			14.02	
#624601521 - Salary Agency			39,373.11	
#624603826 - Open Space Trust			v	1,264,289.07
,	180,865.05	168.38	320,655.12	1,264,289.07
Plus: Deposit-in-Transit			8,072.81	
	180,865.05	168.38	328,727.93	1,264,289.07
Less: Outstanding Checks	137,275.00	0.51	50,706.92	<u></u>
	\$ 43,590.05	\$ 167.87	\$ 278,021.01	\$ 1,264,289.07

## CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNTS

<u>B-6</u>

	Ref.	Animal Control Trust Fund
Increased by Receipts:  Due to State of New Jersey	B-12	\$ 732.60
Reserve for Animal Control Trust Fund Expenditures	B-19	<u>5,813.90</u> \$6,546.50
Decreased by Disbursements: Turnover to Treasurer	B-4	6,546.50_
		\$ -

# ANALYSIS OF ASSESSMENT TRUST CASH AND INVESTMENTS

B-7

	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	↔	3,451.88	40,138.17	\$ 43,590.05	ΔΙ			
	fers To	\$ 18,099.94 10,723.71		2,640.48	\$ 31,464.13	Contra			
	Transfers From	<del>⇔</del>		28,823.65	\$ 31,464.13	Contra			
ements	Other	↔		5,682.52	\$ 5,682.52	B-17			
Disbursements	Serial Bonds	\$ 51,000.00 24,000.00			\$ 75,000.00	B-23			
olpts	Other	↔		31,865.69	\$ 31,865.69	Below		\$ 28,823.65 3,042.04	\$ 31,865.69
Recei	Assessments Receivable	↔	3,451.88	40,138.17	\$ 43,590.05	B-8	Ref.	B-10 B-17	Above
	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 32,900.06 13,276.29	(3)	2,640.48	\$ 48,816.83	ΩI		Intefunds Receivable Interfunds Payable	
		Assessment Serial Bonds: #593 #638	Assessment Bond Anticipation Notes: #821, 843	Other Accounts: Current Interfund Fund Balance		Reference		<u> </u>	

ASSESSMENTS RECEIVABLE

Ordinance Number

593

638

821,843

645

B-8

	DUE FROM MUNICIPAL COURT	<u>B-9</u>
	Ref.	
Increased by: Parking Offenses Adjudication Act	B-13	\$3.00
Decreased by: Collections: Parking Offenses Adjudication Act	B-4	3.00
		<u>\$ -</u>

### **INTERFUNDS RECEIVABLE**

<u>B-10</u>

	<u>Ref.</u>	Assessment Trust Fund Current Fund	Municipal Open Space Trust Fund Current Fund
Increased by: Municipal Open Space Tax	B-16	\$	\$264,011.76
Budget Appropriation:	5 10	•	<b>420 1,01 111 0</b>
Deficit (General Budget)	B-18	28,823.65	
Decreased by:			
Settlements	B-4	28,823.65	264,011.76
		\$ -	\$ -

## ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

<u>B-11</u>

	<u>Ref.</u>	Animal Control <u>Trust Fund</u>
Increased by: Collections	B-4	\$ 156.00
Decreased by: Refunded	B-4	<u>156.00</u> \$ -

## $\frac{\text{TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON}}{\text{TRUST FUND}}$

### **DUE TO STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

<u>B-12</u>

	Ref. A	nimal Control Trust Fund
Increased by:		
Registration Fees	\$4	98.00
Pilot Clinic Fund		99.60
Animal Population Control Fund	1	35.00
	B-6	<del>*************************************</del>
Decreased by:		
Payments	B-4	732.60
		\$ -

## SPECIAL DEPOSITS

<u>B-13</u>

Account	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	<u>Increase</u>	Decrease	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>
Escrow Deposits Affordable Housing	\$ 38,795.35 20,541.82	\$ 38,033.85 11,741.89	\$ 38,565.00	\$ 38,264.20 32,283.71
Cash Bonds	4,150.00	26,000.02	3,000.00	27,150.02
High School Law Enforcement				
Training Program Donations	670.09			670.09
Housing Rehabilitation	25,885.28			25,885.28
Law Enforcement Trust	1,731.94	0.83		1,732.77
Parking Offenses Adjudication				
Act	68.97	3.00	68.00	3.97
Police Outside Duty	21,103.10	76,650.78	78,726.44	19,027.44
Police Donations	4,265.34	1,500.00		5,765.34
Recreation	10,339.00	20,746.00	21,192.69	9,892.31
Recycling	17,293.81	1,958.00	10,341.40	8,910.41
Security Deposits		1,300.00	1,200.00	100.00
Flexible Spending Account	648.12	3,000.00	3,091.34	556.78
Redemption of Tax Title Liens		23,522.95	23,522.95	-
	\$145,492.82	\$204,457.32	\$179,707.82	\$170,242.32
Reference	<u>B</u>	Below	Below	<u>B</u>
	Ref.			
Collections	B-4	\$204,454.32	\$	
Cash Disbursed	B-4	Ψ20 1, 10 1.02	169,707.82	
Due from Municipal Court	B-9	3.00	.00,,002	
Interfunds Payable	B-17	(	10,000.00	
	Above	\$204,457.32	\$179,707.82	

## PREMIUMS ON TAX SALE

		<u>B-14</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	В	\$11,000.00
Increased by: Collections	B-4	<u>52,400.00</u> 63,400.00
Decreased by: Payments	B-4	11,000.00_
Balance December 31, 2020	В	_\$52,400.00_

## $\frac{\text{TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON}}{\text{TRUST FUND}}$

## PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS PAYABLE

	17111022 2220	<del></del>	<u>B-15</u>
	Ref.		
Increased by: Payroll Deductions	B-4		\$935,960.18
Decreased by: Payments Transfer to Reserve for State	B-4	\$933,163.15	
Unemployment Trust Fund Expenditures	B-20	2,646.89	935,810.04
Balance December 31, 2020	В		\$ 150.14

## $\frac{\text{TOWNSHP OF BOONTON}}{\text{TRUST FUND}}$

### MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND

<u></u>			<u>B-16</u>
Balance December 31, 2019	<u>Ref.</u> B		\$1,338,592.67
Increased by: Interest on Deposits Municipal Open Space Tax	B-4 B-10	\$ 4,712.41 264,011.76	268,724.17 1,607,316.84
Decreased by: Expenditures Anticipated as Current Fund Operating Revenue Appropriated to Finance Improvement Authorization	B-4 B-17 B-17	87,350.27 155,677.50 100,000.00	343,027.77
Balance December 31, 2020	В		\$1,264,289.07

## INTERFUNDS PAYABLE

pen Space Fund	General Capital Fund	<b>⇔</b>			100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00
Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	Current Fund	ь		155,677.50	155,677.50	155,677.50	155,677.50
Total	Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	↔		155,677.50	100,000.00	255,677.50	255,677.50
General	Trust Fund Current Fund	\$ 515.58	10,000.00		10,515.58	10,515.58	10,515.58
Animal Control	Trust Fund Current Fund	\$ 18.83			18.83	18.83	18.83
Assessment Trust Fund	General Capital Fund	<b>↔</b>	137,257.00		137,257.00		137,257.00
Assessmer	Current Fund	\$ 313.53 2,052.04 676.47 3,042.04	2,640.48		5,682.52	5,682.52	5,682.52
	Total Assessment Trust Fund	\$ 313.53 2,052.04 676.47 3,042.04	2,640.48 137,257.00		142,939.52	5,682.52	137,257.00
	Ref.	8 4	B-8 -13	B-16	B-16	B-4	B-22
		Increased by: Interest on Deposits - Treasurer Interest on Assessments Interest on Delinquent Assessments	Assessment Trust Fund Balance Anticipated as Current Fund Revenue Assessments Confirmed Recreation Trust Field Revenue Anticipated as Current Find Revenue	Municipal Open Space Trust Funds Anticipated as Current Fund Revenue Municipal Open Space Trust Funds	Appropriated to Finance Improvement Authorizations	Decreased by: Settlements Bond Anticipation Notes Transferred	from General Capital Fund

## RESERVE FOR ASSESSMENTS

B-18

Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	\$ 45,912.20	12,924.36	1,094.54	178,991.00	\$ 238,922.10	<b>©</b> ]
Cancelled	\$ 11.63				\$ 11.63	B-8
Collections	\$ 30,254.92	8,815.69	1,067.56		\$ 40,138.17	B-1
Costs Raised Prior to Assessment	↔			178,991.00	\$ 178,991.00	8-B
Current Budget for Deficit	\$ 7,083.60	21,740.05			\$ 28,823.65	B-10
Balance Dec. <u>31,</u> 2019	\$ 69,095.15		2,162.10		\$ 71,257.25	<b>©</b> ]
<u>Improvement Description</u>	Sanitary Sewerage and Water System: Elcock Avenue/Grove Street	Sanitary Sewerage and Water System: Kent Avenue/Janet Road	Sanitary Sewerage and Water System: Elcock Avenue/Grove Street #2	Sanitary Sewerage System: East Glen Road/North Road		Reference
Ordinance Number	593	638	645	821, 843		

RESERVE FOR ANIMAL CONTROL TRUS	ST FUND EXPENDI	<u>TURES</u>	<u>B-19</u>
	Ref.		
Balance December 31, 2019	В		\$ 440.90
Increased by:  Dog License Fees Miscellaneous Revenue:  Late Fees Duplicate Dog Tags	\$5 B-6	,378.40 435.00 0.50	<u>5,813.90</u> 6,254.80
Decreased by: Expenditures Under N.J.S.A. 40A:4-39	B-4		6,086.93
Balance December 31, 2020	В		\$ 167.87
Animal Control Trust Fund Collections	<u>Year</u>		
	2019 2018		\$ 6,475.60 6,608.60
	Maximum Reserv	е	\$13,084.20

RESERV	'E FOR STATE UNEMPLOYMENT TR	RUST FUND EXPENDITURES	<u>B-20</u>
		Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019		В	\$50,104.87
Increased by: Payroll Deductions		B-15	2,646.89 52,751.76
Decreased by: Claims		B-4	156.27
Balance December 31, 2020		В	\$52,595.49
	RESERVE FOR MUNICIPAL A ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE -		<u>B-21</u>
		Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019		В	\$ 2,463.06
Increased by: Collections		B-4	170.00
Balance December 31, 2020		В	\$ 2,633.06

# **BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES**

B-22

\$137,257.00	\$137,257.00 \$137,257.00	1.00 Reference Ref. B-17,Above	$\Sigma$	9-03-20 9-03-2 Transferred from General Capital Fund	9-08-16	Improvement of the Sanitary Sewerage System - East Glen Road and North Road
\$137,257.00	\$137,257.00 Below	Reference				
57,000.00	57,000.00	1.00	9-03-21	9-03-20	9-08-16	ent of the Sanitary e System - East Glen d North Road
\$ 80,257.00	\$ 80,257.00	1.00 %	9-03-21	9-03-20	9-13-13	Improvements to Sanitary Sewerage System - East Glen Road and North Road
Balance Dec. 31, 2020	Increase	Interest Rate	Date of Maturity	Date of <u>Issue</u>	Date of Original Issue	Improvement Description

## ASSESSMENT SERIAL BONDS

B-23

	Orig	inal Issue	Interest	Balance	
Purpose	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	_Rate_	Dec. 31, 2019	<u>Decrease</u>
Trust Assessment Bonds	1-15-10	\$750,000.00	3.50%	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
			Reference	<u>B</u>	<u>B-4</u>

## CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CASH RECONCILIATION DECEMBER 31, 2020

<u>C-2</u>

	Ref.		
Balance December 31, 2019	С		\$ 500,524.64
Increased by Receipts: Premium on Sale of Notes Grants Receivable Interfunds Receivable Capital Improvement Fund Interfunds Payable Bond Anticipation Notes	C-1 C-4 C-6 C-10 C-11 C-15	\$ 9,862.30 262,244.14 100,000.00 50,000.00 2,474.91 233,800.00	<u>658,381.35</u> 1,158,905.99
Decreased by Disbursements: Improvement Authorizations Interfunds Payable	C-9 C-11	581,322.70 13,800.91	595,123.61
Balance December 31, 2020	С		\$ 563,782.38
Cash Reconciliation December 31, 2020 Balance per Statement: Lakeland Bank, Boonton, New Jersey: #624603834			\$ 426,635.23
Plus: Deposit-in-Transit			<u>137,257.00</u> 563,892.23
Less: Outstanding Checks			109.85
			\$ 563,782.38

# ANALYSIS OF CASH AND INVESTMENTS

	Balance Dec. 31, 2020	\$ 568.40 23,881.78 6,084.17 207,363.87 9,613.62 244.50 31,544.50	9,862.30 124,271.14 117,848.10	\$ 563,782.38	O			
	의	\$ 31,500.00 8,000.00 100,000.00 33,000.00	11,326.00	\$ 183,826.00	Contra			
	Transfers From	↔	11,326.00 72,500.00 100,000.00	\$ 183,826.00	Contra			
ments	Other	₩	13,800.91	\$ 13,800.91	C-11			
Disbursements	Improvement Authorizations	\$ 796.80 4,535.64 477,392.88 21,886.38 7,755.50 68,455.50		\$ 581,322.70	6) O			
ipts	Other	\$ 262,244.14	9,862.30 50,000.00 2,474.91 100,000.00	\$ 424,581.35	Below		\$ 9,862.30 262,244.14 100,000.00 50,000.00 2,474.91	\$ 424,581.35
Receipts	Anticipation Notes	\$ 233,800.00		\$ 233,800.00	C-15	Ref.	2 2 2 2 2 4 6 5 2	Above
	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 1,365.20 23,881.78 10,619.81 188,712.61	11,326.00 146,771.14 117,848.10	\$ 500,524.64	Ol		Fund Balance Grants Receivable Interfunds Receivable Capital Improvement Fund Interfunds Payable	
		Improvement Authorizations General Improvements: #856 #863 #874 #875, 889 #882 #884 #885	Other Accounts Fund Balance Capital Improvement Fund Current Fund Interfund General Trust Fund Interfund Reserve for Griffith Pond		Reference		Fund Balance Grants Receivable Interfunds Receival Capital Improveme Interfunds Payable	

## **GRANTS RECEIVABLE**

<u>C-4</u>

	Ordinance Number	Grant <u>Amount</u>	2020 <u>Grant</u>	Collections	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
State Grants  New Jersey Department of Transportation: Transportation Trust Fund: Improvements to					
Rockaway Valley Road	875	\$499,000.00	\$499,000.00	\$ 262,244.14	\$236,755.86
			<u>C-12</u>	<u>C-2</u>	<u>C</u>

# PROSPECTIVE ASSESSMENTS RAISED BY TAXATION

0-5

	Assessments	Confirmed			\$ 192,743.00	<u>C-13</u>
Notes Paid	by Budget	<u>Appropriation</u>			\$36,500.00	C-13
	Balance	Dec. 31, 2019			\$156,243.00	OI
	Down	<u>Payment</u>		\$11,500.00	5,000.00	Reference
Ordinance	Total	<u>Appropriated</u>		\$ 230,000.00	100,000.00	
		Date		5-13-13	11-09-15	
		Improvement Description	Improvements to the Sanitary	Sewerage System - East	Glen Road and North Road	
	Ordinance	Number		821,	843	

### INTERFUNDS RECEIVABLE

<u>C-6</u>

	Ref.	Total General Capital Fund	Assessment Trust Fund	Municipal Open Space Trust Fund
Increased by:				
Assessments Confirmed on November 13,	C-8	\$137,257.00	\$137,257.00	\$
2020 - Ordinance Numbers 821, 843 Municipal Open Space Funds Appropriated	C-0	φ137,237.00	φ137,237.00	Φ
to Finance Improvement Authorizations	C-9	100,000.00		100,000.00
		237,257.00	137,257.00	100,000.00
Decreased by:				
Settlements	C-2	100,000.00		100,000.00
Bond Anticipation Notes Transferred to	0.45	407.017.00	407.057.00	
Assessment Trust Fund	C-15	<u>137,257.00</u> 237,257.00	137,257.00 137,257.00	100,000.00
		251,251.00	131,231.00	100,000.00
		\$ -	\$ -	<u> </u>

## **DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - FUNDED**

<u>C-7</u>

 Ref.

 Balance December 31, 2019
 C
 \$227,000.00

Decreased by:

Serial Bond Payments C-16 227,000.00

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DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - UNFUNDED

Balance Unexpended Improvement Authorization	ь									2,955,86	152,000.00	627,000.00		\$ 781,955.86	
Analysis of Balance Bond Unex Anticipation Impro Notes Autho	\$ 21,000.00	6,118.00	16,200.00	41,875.00	128,550.00	161,250.00	155,750.00	228,000.00	424,000.00	610,000.00				\$ 1,792,743.00	C-15
Balance Dec. 31, 2020	\$ 21,000.00	6,118.00	16,200.00	41,875.00	128,550.00	161,250.00	155,750.00	228,000.00	424,000.00	612,955.86	152,000.00	627,000.00		\$ 2,574,698.86	O
Assessments Confirmed	69												137,257.00	\$ 137,257.00	9-2
Collections	φ.									262,244.14				\$ 262,244,14	C-12
Bond Anticipation Notes Paid by Budget Appropriations	\$ 23,000.00	7,000.00	8,000.00	14,500.00	42,850.00	41,000.00	31,150.00	38,000.00	57,000.00	41,800.00			36,500.00	\$ 340,800.00	C-15
2020 Authorizations	ь	G									152,000.00	627,000.00		\$ 779,000.00	<u>ම</u>
Balance Dec. 31, 201 <u>9</u>	\$ 44,000.00	13,118.00	24,200.00	56,375.00	171,400.00	202,250.00	186,900.00	266,000.00	481,000.00	917,000.00			173,757.00	\$ 2,536,000.00	O
<u>Improvements</u>	General Improvements Improvements of Various Roads	Improvements to Rockaway Valley Road - South Section and Oak Road	Improvements to Oak Road	Improvements of Various Roads	Acquisition of New and Additional Fire Equipment	Improvements to RVA Fields and Valley Road	Improvements to RVA Fields, Road Resurfacing and James Road Retaining Wall	Improvement of Various Roads	Improvement of Various Roads	Various Capital Improvements	Various Capital Improvements	Acquisition of New Fire Truck	<u>Local Improvements</u> Improvements to Sanitary Sewerage System - East Glen Road and North Road		Reference
Ordinance Number	793	810	810	824	828	833	842	848	855	875,889	884	887	821, 843		

## IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

				Bal	Balance			Bala	Balance
	Nimber	Ordinance	Amount	Dec. 3	Dec. 31, 2019	2020 Authorizations	Expended	Dec. 3	Dec. 31, 2020
General Improvements Improvements to Leonard Park	856	4-10-17	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 1,365.20	↔	69	\$ 796.80	\$ 568.40	G
Various Capital Improvements	*863	4-09-18	143,791.00	23,881.78				23,881.78	
Various Capital Improvements	*874	4-08-19	44,000.00	10,619.81			4,535.64	6,084.17	
Various Capital Improvements	875,889	4-08-19	963,000.00		687,712.61		477,392.88		210,319.73
Various Capital Improvements	*882	4-27-20	31,500.00			31,500.00	21,886.38	9,613.62	
Various Capital Improvements	884	7-13-20	160,000.00			160,000.00	7,755.50	244.50	152,000.00
Improvements to RVA Fields	885	7-13-20	100,000.00			100,000.00	68,455.50	31,544.50	
Acquisition of New Fire Truck	887	10-13-20	00.000.099			00.000,099	500.00	32,500.00	627,000.00
				\$ 35,866.79	\$ 687,712.61	\$ 951,500.00	\$ 581,322.70	\$ 104,436.97	\$ 989,319,73
			Reference	OI	OI	Below	C-2	OI	Ol
					Ref.				
			Interfunds Receivable	ible	ဗို	\$ 100,000.00			
			Unfunded Capital Improvement Fund	to ruture Taxation -	C-10	779,000.00			
					Above	\$ 951,500.00			

\*Funded in Full from the Capital Improvement Fund.

## CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

	CAI TTAL IIVII NOVEIVIENTT OND	<u>C-10</u>
	<u>Ref.</u>	
Balance December 31, 2019	С	\$146,771.14
Increased by: Budget Appropriation	C-2	50,000.00 196,771.14
Decreased by: Appropriated to Finance Improvemen Authorization: Ordinance #882 Ordinance #884 Ordinance #887	\$ 31,500.0 8,000.0 33,000.0	0
Balance December 31, 2020	С	\$124,271.14

## INTERFUNDS PAYABLE

<u>C-11</u>

	Ref.	Current <u>Fund</u>
Increased by:		
General Capital Fund Balance Anticipated		
as Current Fund Revenue	C-1	\$11,326.00
Interest on Deposits	C-2	2,474.91
		13,800.91
Decreased by:		
Settlements	C-2	13,800.91
		\$

## RESERVE FOR GRANTS RECEIVABLE

<u>C-12</u>

	Ordinance Number	Grant <u>Amount</u>	2020 <u>Grant</u>	Collections	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
State Grants New Jersey Department of Transportation: Transportation Trust Fund: Improvements to Rockaway					
Valley Road	875	\$499,000.00	\$499,000.00	\$262,244.14	\$236,755.86
			<u>C-4</u>	<u>C-8</u>	<u>C</u>

# RESERVE FOR PROSPECTIVE ASSESSMENTS RAISED BY TAXATION

C-13

	Assessments	Confirmed		\$192,743.00	5-5
Notes Paid	by Budget	<u>Appropriation</u>		\$ 36,500.00	C-5
	Balance	Dec. 31, 2019		\$156,243.00	O
	Down	<u>Payment</u>	\$11,500.00	5,000.00	Reference
Ordinance	Total	<u>Appropriated</u>	\$ 230.000.00	100,000.00	
		<u>Date</u>	5-13-13	11-09-15	
		Improvement Description	Improvements to the Sanitary Sewerage System - East	Glen Road and North Road	
	Ordinance	Number	821	843	

## RESERVE FOR GRIFFITH POND

<u>C-14</u>

	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	С	\$ 117,848.10
Balance December 31, 2020	С	\$ 117,848.10

C-15 Sheet #1	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	\$ 21,000.00	6,118.00	16,200.00		41,875.00	128,550.00	161,250.00	155,750.00		228,000.00
	Decrease	\$ 44,000.00	13,118.00	24,200.00	107,257.00	56,375.00	171,400.00	202,250.00	186,900.00	66,500.00	266,000.00
Increase ease	\$ 21,000.00	6,118.00	16,200.00		41,875.00	128,550.00	161,250.00	155,750.00		228,000.00	
	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 44,000.00	13,118.00	24,200.00	107,257.00	56,375.00	171,400.00	202,250.00	186,900.00	66,500.00	266,000.00
BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES	Interest Rate	2.00 %	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
SOND ANTICIP	Date of <u>Maturity</u>	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20	9-04-20 9-03-21
ш	Date of <u>Issue</u>	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-04-19	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-04-19	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-04-19	9-04-19 9-03-20
	Date of Original Issue	9-29-11	9-25-12	9-25-12	9-13-13	9-13-13	9-11-14	9-11-14	9-10-15	9-08-16	9-08-16
	Improvement Description	Improvements of Various Roads	Improvements to Rockaway Valley Road - South Section	Improvements to Oak Road	Improvements to Sanitary Sewerage System - East Glen Road and North Road	Improvements of Various Roads	Acquisition of New and Additional Fire Equipment	Improvements to RVA Recreational Fields and Valley Road	Improvements to RVA Recreational Fields, Road Resurfacing and James Road Retaining Wall	Improvement of the Sanitary Sewerage System - East Glen Road and North Road	Improvement of Various Roads
	Ordinance Number	793	810	810	821	824	828	833	842	821,843	848

## BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

Ordinance Number

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C-15 Sheet #2

Balance Dec. 31, 2020	\$ 224,000.00	200,000.00	376,200.00	233,800.00	\$ 1,792,743.00	OI				
Decrease	\$ 256,000.00	225,000.00	418,000.00		\$ 2,037,000.00	Below		€	137,257.00 340,800.00 1,558,943.00	\$ 2,037,000.00
Increase	\$ 224,000.00	200,000.00	376,200.00	233,800.00	\$ 1,792,743.00	Below		\$ 233,800.00	1,558,943.00	\$ 1,792,743.00
Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 256,000.00	225,000.00	418,000.00		\$ 2,037,000.00	Ol	Ref.	C-2	C-6 C-8 Contra	Above
Interest Rate	2.00 %	2.00	2.00	1.00		Reference			sment Trust opriation	
Date of Maturity	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-04-20 9-03-21	9-03-21		<b>α</b> Ι		Issued for Cash	Fransferred to Assessment Trust Fund Paid by Budget Appropriation Renewals	
Date of <u>Issue</u>	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-04-19	9-04-19 9-03-20	9-03-20				Issued	ransierre Fund Paid by Bu Renewals	
Date of Original	9-07-17	9-06-18	9-04-19	9-03-20			*			
Improvement Description	Improvement of Various Roads	Improvement of Various Roads	Various Capital Improvements	Various Capital Improvements						

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## SERIAL BONDS

<u>C-16</u>

	Ori	Original Issue		Balance	
<u>Purpose</u>	Date	Amount	_Rate_	Dec. 31, 2019	<u>Decrease</u>
General Bonds	1-15-10	\$ 644,000.00	3.50 %	\$ 74,000.00	\$ 74,000.00
Open Space Bonds	1-15-10	1,515,000.00	3.50	153,000.00	153,000.00
				\$227,000.00	\$227,000.00
			Reference	<u>C</u>	<u>C-7</u>

# BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED

C-17

Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	\$ 2,955.86 152,000.00 627,000.00	\$781,955.86	Ol
Bond Anticipation Notes Issued	\$233,800.00	\$233,800.00	<u>C-15</u>
Grant	\$262,244.14	\$262,244.14	C-4
2020 Authorizations	\$ 152,000.00 627,000.00	\$779,000.00	6-O
Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 499,000.00	\$ 499,000.00	OI
Ordinance Number	875,889 884 887		Reference
	General Improvements Various Capital Improvements Various Capital Improvements Acquisition of New Fire Truck		

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS	TREASURER
CASH RE	

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<u>Capital Fund</u>	\$ 114,750.00									6,531.30 121,281.30						531.30	\$ 120,750.00
Capit		ь						00.000,9	531.30	ř					531.30		
Assessment Trust Fund	\$ 586.04									672.91 1,258.95						657.15	\$ 601.80
Assessm		↔				601.80			71.11						657.15		
ıg Fun <u>d</u>	\$ 752,832.55									360,133.16						288,098.89	\$ 824,866.82
Operating Fund		\$ 2,454.68	4,139.04	1,188.45	346,723.67		5,627.32					243,299.26	44,624.63	175.00			
Ref.	Q	D-3a	D-3a	6-0	D-10	0-11	D-15	D-16	D-17			D-4	D-13	D-14	D-17		Ο
	Balance December 31, 2019	Increased by Receipts: Interest on Delinquent Water Accounts	Interest on Deposits	Interfunds Receivable	Consumer Accounts Receivable	Assessments Receivable	Water Rent Overpayments	Capital Improvement Fund	Interfunds Payable		Decreased by Disbursements:	Budget Appropriations	Appropriation Reserves	Accrued Interest on Bonds	Interfunds Payable		Balance December 31, 2020

## $\frac{\text{TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON}}{\text{WATER UTILITY}}$

## CASH RECONCILIATION DECEMBER 31, 2020

<u>D-6</u>

	Operating <u>Fund</u>	Assessment Trust Fund	Capital Fund
Cash Reconciliation Balance per Statements: Lakeland Bank, Boonton, New Jersey:			
#624603869 - Water Operating Account #624603850 - Water and Sewer	\$798,236.52 26,383.00	\$	\$
#624603885 - Water Assessment #624603877 - Water Capital		601.97	120,774.82
Plus: Deposit-in-Transit	<u>28,034.68</u> 852,654.20	601.97	120,774.82
Less: Outstanding Checks	27,787.38	0.17	24.82_
	\$824,866.82	\$601.80	\$120,750.00

# ANALYSIS OF ASSESSMENT TRUST CASH AND INVESTMENTS

D-7

	Balance Dec. 31, 2020		\$ 601.80		\$ 601.80	
	Transfers To To	ł	\$ 586.04	100 mm	\$ 586.04	Contra
			\$ 586.04		\$ 586.04	Contra
	Disbursements Other		\$657.15	10000 E0000	\$657.15	<u>D-17</u>
ipts	Other		\$71.11	2000	\$71.11	<u>D-17</u>
Rece	Assessments Receivable Other		\$ 601.80		\$ 601.80	D-11
	Balance Dec. 31, 2019		\$ 586.04	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	\$586.04	
		Other Accounts:	Water Operating Interfund Fund Balance			Reference

## ANALYSIS OF CAPITAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS

<u>D-8</u>

	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Receipts Other	<u>Disbursements</u> <u>Other</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
Other Accounts: Capital Improvement Fund Water Operating Interfund	\$114,750.00	\$6,000.00 531.30	\$ 531.30_	\$ 120,750.00 ———
	\$114,750.00	\$6,531.30	\$531.30	\$120,750.00
Reference	<u>D</u>	<u>Below</u>	<u>D-17</u>	D
	Ref.			
Capital Improvement Fund Interfunds Payable	D-16 D-17	\$6,000.00 531.30		
	Above	\$6,531.30		

### **INTERFUNDS RECEIVABLE**

<u>D-9</u>

		Total	Water Opera	ing Fund	
		Water	Water	Water	
		Operating	Assessment	Capital	
	Ref.	Fund	Trust Fund	_Fund_	
Increased by:					
Water Assessment Fund Balance Anticipated in Water Operating					
Fund Budget	D-3	\$ 586.04	\$ 586.04	\$	
Interest on Water Assessment					
Accounts	D-3a	67.51	67.51		
Interest on Deposits	D-3a	534.90	3.60	531.30	
,		1,188.45	657.15	531.30	
Decreased by:					
Settlements	D-5	1,188.45	657.15	531.30	
		_\$	\$	\$ -	

## CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	:	<u>D-10</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	D	\$ 28,427.68
Increased by: Water Billings	Reserve	371,330.94 399,758.62
Decreased by: Collections Overpayments Applied Cancelled	D-5 \$ 346,723.67 D-15 1,322.49 D-3 348,046.16 Reserve 288.56	348,334.72_
Balance December 31, 2020	D	\$ 51,423.90

# ASSESSMENTS RECEIVABLE

P-1

Balance	Dec. 31, 2020 Unpledged	\$ 1,904.25	Q
	Collected	\$601.80	Z'9-Q
Balance	Dec. 31, 2019 Unpledged	\$ 2,506.05	Q
,	Due <u>Dates</u>	3-03-21/23	Reference
Confirmation	Installments	20	
	Date	12-08-03	
	Purpose	Water Supply and Distribution System: McCaffrey Lane	
	Ordinance	663	

#### FIXED CAPITAL

<u>D-12</u>

		Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Additions by <u>Budget</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
Fire Hydrants Water Meters McCaffrey Lane Water Supply and		\$ 10,787.93 17,610.52	\$ 1,172.00	\$ 10,787.93 18,782.52
Distribution System		108,897.84		108,897.84
Installation of New Water Meters and Fire Hydrants		20,000.00	-	20,000.00
		\$157,296.29	\$1,172.00	\$158,468.29
	Reference	<u>D</u>	<u>D-19</u>	<u>D</u>

# APPROPRIATION RESERVES

D-13

Balance <u>Lapsed</u>	\$ 923.34 138,224.72 139,148.06	2,828.00	145.84	\$ 142,121.90	D-1
Paid or <u>Charged</u>	\$ 43,452.63 43,452.63	1,172.00		\$ 44,624.63	<u>D-5</u>
Balance After <u>Transfers</u>	\$ 923.34 181,677.35 182,600.69	4,000.00	145.84	\$186,746.53	
nce 1, 2019 <u>Unencumbered</u>	\$ 923.34 138,904.51 139,827.85	2,828.00	145.84	\$ 142,801.69	미
Balance Dec. 31, 2019 Encumbered Une	\$ 42,772.84 42,772.84	1,172.00		\$ 43,944.84	
	Operating: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	Capital Improvements: Capital Outlay	Statutory Expenditures: Contribution to: Social Security System (OASI)		Reference

#### ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS

	ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS	<u>D-14</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	D	\$160.42
Increased by: Budget Appropriations	D-4	<u>14.58</u> 175.00
Decreased by: Payments	D-5	

#### WATER RENT OVERPAYMENTS

	WATER RENT OVER ATMENTO	<u>D-15</u>
	<u>Ref.</u>	
Balance December 31, 2019	D	\$ 1,322.49
Increased by: Collections	D-5	5,627.32 6,949.81
Decreased by: Applied to Consumer Accounts Receivable	D-10	1,322.49
Balance December 31, 2020	D	\$ 5,627.32

#### CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

		<u>D-16</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	D	\$114,750.00
Increased by: Budget Appropriation	D-5	6,000.00
Balance December 31, 2020	D	\$120,750.00

#### INTERFUNDS PAYABLE

D-17

	<u>Ref.</u>	Water Assessment Trust Fund Water Operating Fund	Water Capital Fund Water Operating Fund
Increased by:		<b>A</b> 07.54	•
Interest on Water Assessment Accounts		\$ 67.51 3.60	\$ 531.30
Interest on Deposits	D-5	71.11	531.30
Water Assessment Fund Balance Anticipated in Water Operating			
Fund Budget	D-2	586.04 657.15	531.30
Decreased by:		A== 45	504.00
Settlements	D-5	657.15	531.30_
		\$ -	<u>\$ -</u>

#### RESERVE FOR ASSESSMENTS

<u>D-18</u>

Ordinance <u>Number</u>	Improvement Description	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Collections	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
663	Water Supply and Distribution System: McCaffrey Lane	\$ 2,506.05	\$601.80	\$1,904.25
	•			_
	<u>Reference</u>	D	D-2	<u>D</u>

#### **AMORTIZATION FUND**

<u> </u>	AMORTIZATION FOND	<u>D-19</u>
Balance December 31, 2019	<u>Ref.</u> D	\$147,296.29
Increased by: Capital Outlay: Appropriation Reserves Serial Bonds Paid by Operating Budget	D-12 \$ 1,172.00 D-20 10,000.00	11,172.00_
Balance December 31, 2020	D	\$158,468.29

#### SERIAL BONDS

D-20

Original Issue		inal Issue	Interest <u>Rate</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	<u>Decrease</u>
<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Date</u>	Amount			
Water Bonds of 2010	1-15-10	\$81,000.00	3.50%	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
			Reference	<u>D</u>	D-19

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Capital Fund	\$ 64,753.69									0000	71,053.71						300.02	\$ 70,753.69
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Trust Fund	\$ 22,456.01									17 701 63	40,157.53						23.965.43	\$ 16,192.10
Assessment Trust Fund		€					16,192.10			1,509.42						5,965.43	18,000.00	
g Fund	\$ 474,310.02									750 552 04	724,863.86						200.522.68	\$ 524,341.18
Operating Fund		\$ 3,000.00	1,379.39	2,094.94	6,265.45	235,630.45		2,183.61					193,967.91	6,239.77	315.00			
<u>Ref.</u>	ш	E-3a	E-3a	E-3a	E-11	E-12	E-13	E-17	E-18	E-19			E-4	E-15	E-16	E-19	E-23	Ш
	Balance December 31, 2019	Increased by Receipts: Sewer Connection Fees Interest on Delinquent Sewer	Accounts	Interest on Deposits	Interfunds Receivable	Consumer Accounts Receivable	Assessments Receivable	Sewer Rent Overpayments	Capital Improvement Fund	Interfunds Payable		Decreased by Disbursements:	Budget Appropriations	Appropriation Reserves	Accrued Interest on Bonds	Interfunds Payable	Assessment Serial Bonds	Balance December 31, 2020

### CASH RECONCILIATION DECEMBER 31, 2020

<u>E-8</u>

	Operating Fund	Assessment Trust Fund	Capital Fund
Cash Reconciliation Balance per Statements: Lakeland Bank, Boonton, New Jersey:			
#624603893 - Sewer Operating Account #624603915 - Sewer Assessment Account #624603907 - Sewer Capital Account	\$523,138.38	\$ 16,198.63	\$ 70,767.89
Plus: Deposit-in-Transit	1,202.80 524,341.18	16,198.63	70,767.89
Less: Outstanding Checks		6.53	14.20
	\$524,341.18	\$16,192.10	\$70,753.69

TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON SEWER UTILITY

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	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2020</u>	ь	16,192.10	\$ 16,192.10	щ
	ifers To	↔	4,456.01	\$ 4,456.01	Contra
	Transfers	ь	4,456.01	\$ 4,456.01	Contra
ements	Other	↔	5,965.43	\$ 5,965.43	E-19
Disbursements	Serial Bonds	\$ 5,095.20 12,904.80		\$ 18,000.00	E-23
pts	Other	₩	1,509.42	\$ 1,509,42	E-19
Receipts	Assessments Receivable	↔	16,192.10	\$ 16,192.10	E-13
	Balance <u>Dec. 31, 2019</u>	\$ 5,095.20 12,904.80	4,456.01	\$ 22,456.01	ш
		Assessment Serial Bonds: #654 #727,745	Other Accounts: Sewer Operating Interfund Fund Balance		Reference

## $\frac{\text{TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON}}{\text{SEWER UTILITY}}$

#### ANALYSIS OF CAPITAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS

<u>E-10</u>

	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Receipts Other	<u>Disbursements</u> <u>Other</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
Other Accounts: Capital Improvement Fund Sewer Operating Interfund	\$64,753.69	\$6,000.00 300.02	\$ 300.02	\$ 70,753.69
	\$64,753.69	\$6,300.02	\$ 300.02	\$ 70,753.69
Reference	E	Below	<u>E-19</u>	<u>E</u>
	Ref.			
Capital Improvement Fund Interfunds Payable	E-18 E-19	\$6,000.00 300.02		
	Above	\$6,300.02		

#### **INTERFUNDS RECEIVABLE**

E-11

		Total	Sewer Opera	ating Fund
		Sewer	Sewer	Sewer
		Operating	Assessment	Capital
	Ref.	Fund	_Trust Fund_	_Fund_
Increased by:				
Sewer Assessment Fund Balance				
Anticipated in Sewer Operating				
Fund Budget	E-3	\$4,456.01	\$ 4,456.01	\$
Interest on Sewer Assessment				
Accounts	E-3a	1,355.93	1,355.93	
Interest on Delinquent Sewer				
Assessment Accounts	E-3a	29.83	29.83	
Interest on Deposits	E-3a	423.68	123.66	300.02
		6,265.45	5,965.43	300.02
Decreased by:				
Settlements	E-7	6,265.45_	5,965.43	300.02
		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

#### CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

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Reserve

Balance December 31, 2019

Overpayments Applied

Balance December 31, 2020

Increased by: Sewer Billings

Decreased by: Collections

Cancelled

Ref.		
Е		\$ 19,608.32
Reserve		<u>238,217.17</u> 257,825.49
E-7 E-17	\$235,630.45 890.37	

236,520.82

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236,608.51

\$ 21,216.98

# ASSESSMENTS RECEIVABLE

E-13

Balance	Dec. 31, 2020 Unpledged	\$ 14,234.54	12,647.16	22,445.76 \$ 49,327.46
	Collected	\$ 3,758.72	2,000.30	10,433.08 \$16,192.10 <u>E-7,9</u>
Balance	Dec. 31, 2019 Unpledged	\$ 17,993.26	14,647.46	32,878.84 \$ 65,519.56
	Due <u>Dates</u>	3-03-21/23	11-27-21/24	3-15-21/27 6-15-21/27 9-15-21/27 12-15-21/27
Confirmation	Installments	20	20	20 20 20 20 20
	Date	12-08-03	9-26-05	11-13-07
	Purpose	Sanitary Sewerage System: McCaffrey Lane	Sanitary Sewerage System: North Main Street	Sanitary Sewerage System: Sylvan Lane
	Ordinance	654	089	727,745

#### **FIXED CAPITAL**

<u>E-14</u>

		Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
North Main Street Line: Pipe Line Glenbourne Drive Pumping Station McCaffrey Lane Sewer North Main Street Sanitary Sewer Sylvan Lane Sanitary Sewer Generator at the Glenbourne Pump Station		\$ 10,931.62 3,075.00 125,000.00 75,000.00 110,400.12 37,236.00	\$ 10,931.62 3,075.00 125,000.00 75,000.00 110,400.12 37,236.00
		\$361,642.74	<u>\$361,642.74</u>
	Reference	<u>E</u> .	<u>E</u>

# APPROPRIATION RESERVES

E-15

	Bala Dec. 3:	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Balance After	Paid or	Balance
	Encumbered	Onencumbered	<u>  ransrers</u>	Charged	Lapsed
Operating: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	\$ 3,276.70 3.276.70	\$ 0.33 63,119.98 63,120.31	\$ 0.33 66,396.68 66.397.01	\$ 6,239.77 6.239.77	\$ 0.33 60,156.91 60,157.24
Capital Improvements: Capital Outlay		2,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00
Statutory Expenditures: Contribution to:		20 21	77 76		77
Social Security System (CASI)		07.40	04.70		04.70
	\$ 3,276.70	\$ 65,157.76	\$68,434.46	\$6,239.77	\$62,194.69
Reference	ш	Ш		E-7	딥

#### ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS

	ACCROED INTEREST ON BONDS	<u>E-16</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	E	\$288.75
Increased by: Budget Appropriations	E-4	26.25 315.00
Decreased by: Payments	E-7	<u>315.00</u> \$ -

#### **SEWER RENT OVERPAYMENTS**

		<u>E-17</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	E	\$ 890.37
Increased by: Collections	E-7	2,183.61 3,073.98
Decreased by: Applied to Consumer Accounts Receivable	E-12	890.37
Balance December 31, 2020	Е	\$2,183.61

#### CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

		<u>E-18</u>
	<u>Ref.</u>	
Balance December 31, 2019	E	\$64,753.69
Increased by: Budget Appropriation	E-7	6,000.00
Balance December 31, 2020	E	_\$70,753.69_

#### **INTERFUNDS PAYABLE**

E-19

	<u>Ref.</u>	Sewer Assessment Trust Fund Sewer Operating Fund	Sewer Capital Fund Sewer Operating Fund
Increased by:			
Interest on Sewer Assessment Accounts Interest on Delinquent Sewer		\$ 1,355.93	\$
Assessment Accounts		29.83	
Interest on Deposits	E-7	123.66 1,509.42	300.02 300.02
Sewer Assessment Fund Balance Anticipated in Sewer Operating			
Fund Budget	E-2	<u>4,456.01</u> 5,965.43	300.02
Decreased by:			
Settlements	E-7	5,965.43	300.02
		\$ -	\$ -

## $\frac{\text{TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON}}{\text{SEWER UTILITY}}$

	RESERVE FOR CONTINGENCY	<u>E-20</u>
Balance December 31, 2019	Ref. E	\$ 35,000.00
Balance December 31, 2020	E	\$ 35,000.00
	RESERVE FOR ASSESSMENTS	<u>E-21</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	E	\$ 65,519.56
Decreased by: Collection of Unpledged Assessments	E-2	16,192.10
Balance December 31, 2020	E	\$ 49,327.46
	AMORTIZATION FUND	<u>E-22</u>
	Ref.	
Balance December 31, 2019	E	\$361,642.74

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Balance December 31, 2020

\$361,642.74

#### ASSESSMENT SERIAL BONDS

<u>E-23</u>

	Orig	Original Issue		Balance		
Purpose	<u>Date</u>	Amount	_Rate_	Dec. 31, 2019	<u>Decrease</u>	
Sewer Assessment Bonds	1-15-10	\$180,000.00	3.50%	\$18,000.00	\$18,000.00	
			Reference	<u>E</u>	<u>E-7</u>	

### TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRUST FUND

## RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES TRUST FUND ACCOUNT #1

	TRUST FUND ACCOUNT #1		<u>F-1</u>
	Ref.		
Balance December 31, 2019	F		\$19,414.23
Increased by: Interest on Deposits Donations	F-2 F-2	\$ 93.55 	2,093.55
Balance December 31, 2020	F		\$21,507.78

## TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRUST FUND

#### CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND RECONCILIATION

<u>F-2</u>

	Ref	Trust Fu	und Account #1
Balance December 31, 2019	F		\$19,414.23
Increased by Receipts: Interest on Deposits Donations	F-1	•	2,093.55_
Balance December 31, 2020	F		\$21,507.78
Bank Reconciliation December 31, 2020 Balance per Statements: Lakeland Bank, Boonton, New Jersey: #624603923 - Public Assistance Trust Fund #1			_\$21,507.78_

#### PART II

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

**ROSTER OF OFFICIALS** 

GENERAL COMMENTS, FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

#### SAMUEL KLEIN AND COMPANY, LLP

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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

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the Township Committee Township of Boonton Boonton, New Jersey 07005

We have audited the financial statements - regulatory basis of the various funds of the Township of Boonton, in the County of Morris, as of and for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements - regulatory basis and have issued our report thereon dated August 18, 2021. These financial statements - regulatory basis have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements - regulatory basis, we considered the Township's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements - regulatory basis, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Township's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Township'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 Township's financial statements - regulatory basis 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 the 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 Township's financial statements - regulatory basis 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 financial statements. 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*. However, we noted certain matters that we reported to management in the comments and recommendations section of this report.

#### **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Township'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 Township's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

SAMUEL KLEIN AND COMPANY, LLP CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

JOSEPH J. FACCONE, RMA, PA

Newark, New Jersey August 18, 2021

#### **ROSTER OF OFFICIALS FOR THE YEAR 2020**

<u>Name</u> <u>Title</u>

Township Committee

Thomas R. Donadio Mayor

Paul Allieri Committeeman

Patricia Collins Committeewoman from January 13, 2020

Brian Honan Committeeman

William Klingener Committeeman

Other Officials

Douglas Cabana Township Administrator from April 1, 2020

Acting Township Clerk from April 1, 2020

Acting Township Administrator from January 1, 2020

Deputy Township Clerk from January 1, 2020

Barbara Shepard Township Administrator to March 31, 2020

Township Clerk to March 31, 2020

Norman M. Eckstein Chief Financial Officer/Treasurer

Tax Collector

Mark Burek Tax Assessor to November 19, 2020

Andrew Wubbenhorst Judge

Joan Egan Court Administrator

John P. Jansen Township Attorney

All employees were bonded by a Public Employees' Dishonesty Bond issued by Morris County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund in the sum of \$1,000,000.00 per loss.

#### Contracts and Agreements Required to be Advertised (N.J.S. 40A:11-4)

N.J.S. 40A:11-4a states "Every contract awarded by the contracting agent for the provision or performance of any goods or services, the cost of which in the aggregate exceeds the bid threshold, shall be awarded only by resolution of the governing body of the contracting unit to the lowest responsible bidder after public advertising for bids and bidding therefore, except as is provided otherwise in this act or specifically by any other law. The governing body of a contracting unit may, by resolution approved by a majority of the governing body, disqualify a bidder who would otherwise be determined to be the lowest responsible bidder, if the governing body finds that it has had prior negative experience with the bidder."

It is pointed out that the Township Committee has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed the threshold set for the fiscal year and, where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of the statute, the opinion of the Township Attorney should be sought before a commitment is made.

The statutory bidding threshold effective July 1, 2020 was the sum of \$44,000.00 in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-3a, based on the appointment of a qualified purchasing agent.

P.L. 2005, Chapter 51 and N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5, known as the "Pay-to-Play-Law", however, provides that a municipality is prohibited from executing any contract in excess of \$17,500.00, on or after January 1, 2006, to a business entity that made certain reportable contributions to any municipal committee of a political party if a member of that party is in office as a member of the governing body of the municipality when the contract is awarded unless proposals or qualifications are solicited through a fair and open process.

It is further noted that contracts between \$17,500.00 and the municipal bidding threshold, known as "window contracts", can be issued by resolution of the governing body without competitive bidding if a non-fair and open process is implemented which prohibits reportable contributions by the business entity.

The minutes indicate that bids were requested by public advertising for the following item:

Service and Construction Contracts: Resurfacing of Rockaway Valley Road

The minutes indicate that resolutions were adopted and advertised authorizing the awarding of contracts or agreements for "Professional Services" per N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5.

#### Collection of Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Water and Sewer Charges

N.J.S. 53:4-67, as amended, provides the method for authorizing interest and the maximum rate to be charged for the nonpayment of taxes or assessments on or before the date when they would become delinquent.

The Governing Body adopted the following resolution on January 6, 2020, authorizing interest to be charged on delinquent payments:

"BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Boonton, in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, that for the year 2020, the Tax Collector be authorized and he/she is hereby directed to collect interest on delinquent taxes at the rate of eight percent (8%) per annum on the first \$1,500 of the delinquency and eighteen percent (18%) per annum an any amount in excess of \$1,500 for non-payment of taxes in accordance with Chapter 435 of the laws of 1979, provided however, that no interest shall be charged if payment of any installment is made within ten days after the date upon which the same became payable, and that no discount be allowed on taxes paid in advance.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Utility Collector be authorized and he/she is hereby directed to collect interest on delinquent water and sewer payments at the rate of eight percent (8%) per annum on the first \$1,500 of the delinquency, and eighteen percent (18%) per annum on any amount in excess of \$1,500 for non-payment of water and sewer charges from the due date for the water and sewer bills."

Our review of the records of the Tax Collector indicated that interest on delinquent tax, water and sewer bills were generally collected in accordance with the provisions of the above resolution.

On October 15, 2020, the Governor signed Executive Order 190 which bars 1) all municipal water utilities from shutting off the water supply to residential accounts, or accounts primarily serving residential customers due to nonpayment, and 2) collecting fees and charges for late or otherwise untimely water payments or water supply service reconnections that have accrued, and will continue to accrue, during the Public Health Emergency declared in response to COVID-19. As a result, municipalities cannot bring delinquent water charges to tax sale for the remainder of the Public Health Emergency. This Order shall take effect on October 15, 2020 and shall remain in effect until March 15, 2021. On March 3, 2021, the Governor signed Executive Order 229 which extended the expiration date to June 30, 2021.

#### **Delinquent Taxes**

There were no delinquent taxes, exclusive of 2020, as of December 31, 2020.

The last tax sale was held on December 9, 2020 and was complete.

#### Tax Title Liens

The following comparison is made of the number of Tax Title Liens Receivable on December 31 of the last three years:

Year	Number
2020	4
2019	4
2018	5

Recourse to all means provided by the statutes should be taken to realize or eliminate tax liens through collection or foreclosure in order to return such property to a tax paying basis

Our review of the tax title lien accounts resulted in the following comment:

• The property owner of Block 40901, Lot 12, represented by Tax Title Lien Certificate #2013-04 is recorded in the tax duplicate as "Unknown".

The Township has started foreclosure proceedings on four of the Township-Owned Tax Title Liens, including Tax Title Lien Certificate #2013-04.

#### Revenue Collecting Officials

Construction Code Official:

Receipting and record maintenance procedures implemented in the Office of the Construction Code Official appear to be in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Construction Code of New Jersey and the precepts and directives of the New Jersey Division of Housing and Development in the Department of Community Affairs. The system mandates the use of standardized forms prepared and distributed by the State to all Chief Construction Code Officials. Supplies of application forms may also be maintained by private contractors. The forms are not prenumbered and their prescribed use eliminates such time-proven and inherent assurances of accountability, control of inspections and fiscal activity thus afforded. Reliance of the accuracy and integrity of all departmental activity is therefore necessarily placed upon internal numbering systems and recording practices.

#### Sales Tax

The Township ran a concession stand during 2020. Sales tax was not collected. According to the Township Attorney, the concession stand would not be subject to sales tax.

#### Payroll Fund

The Township of Boonton contracted with R and L Data Centers, Inc. to be the third party payroll service provider.

#### Municipal Court

A statutory report on the operations of the Municipal Court has been prepared and copies filed with the New Jersey Administrative Office of the Courts, the Division of Local Government Services, the Municipal Court and the Township Clerk.

Collections of the Court are summarized as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2019	Receipts	<u>Disbursements</u>	Balance Dec. 31, 2020
State of New Jersey	\$1,602.70	\$10,827.86	\$12,025.32	\$ 405.24
County	1,030.00	4,840.75	5,735.75	135.00
Municipality	1,946.71	10,935.38	12,294.55	587.54
Other Agencies and	•	•	•	
Sources	(25.00)	78.03	78.03	(25.00)
Cash Bail	×	100.00	100.00	` ,
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	<u>\$4,554.41</u>	\$26,782.02	\$30,233.65	\$1,102.78

#### Corrective Action Plan

In accordance with regulations promulgated by the Single Audit Act and the Division of Local Government Services, all municipalities are required to prepare and submit to the Division of Local Government Services, a Corrective Action Plan with regard to audit deficiencies. This plan must be approved by formal resolution of the Governing Body and submitted within 60 days from the date the audit is received.

The Corrective Action Plan was prepared by the Chief Financial Officer and filed in accordance with the aforementioned regulations.

#### Status of Prior Years' Audit Recommendations

A review was performed on all prior years' recommendations and corrective action was taken on all prior year findings.

#### <u>Miscellaneous</u>

Revenue and receipts were established and verified as to source and amount only insofar as the local records permitted.

In verifying expenditures, computations were tested on claims approved and paid. No attempt was made in this connection to establish proof of rendition, character or extent of services, nor quantities, nature, propriety of prices or receipt of materials, these elements being left necessarily to internal review in connection with approval of claims.

Individual payments of the Local School District Tax by the municipality were confirmed as received by the Secretary of the Board of Education for the year 2020.

Change and Petty Cash Funds were verified by physical counts during the course of audit.

All sums of outstanding checks shown in cash reconciliations herein are in agreement with the records of the Treasurer.

A report summarizing collections of Dog License Fees and remittances of State Registration Fees was prepared and filed with the New Jersey Department of Health and the Division of Local Government Services for the year 2020.

An exit conference was held with the Mayor, Township Administrator and Chief Financial Officer.

A summary or synopsis of this report was prepared for publication and filed with the Township Clerk.

One copy of this report was filed with the New Jersey Division of Local Government Services.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

NONE

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The foregoing comments are not of sufficient materiality whereby they would affect our ability to express an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole.

We shall be pleased to confer on any questions that might arise with respect to any matters in this report.

We desire to express our appreciation for the assistance and courtesies rendered by the Township officials and employees during the course of the audit.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL KLEIN AND COMPANY, LLP CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

SEPH J. FACCONE, RMA, PA

Newark, New Jersey August 18, 2021