

Financial Statements and Supplementary Information

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### **Independent Auditors' Report**

To the City Council of City of Ashland

### **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Ashland, Wisconsin, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City of Ashland's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the financial statements of the Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust. Those statements were audited by other auditors whose report has been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the discretely presented component unit, is based solely on the report of the other auditors. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement. The financial statements of Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust were not audited in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*.

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

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

### **Opinions**

In our opinion, based on our audit and the report of other auditors, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Ashland, Wisconsin, as of December 31, 2020 and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### Other Matters

### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the required supplementary information as listed in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Management has omitted management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic or historical context. Our opinion on the basic financial statements is not affected by this missing information.

### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Ashland's basic financial statements. The supplementary information as listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary information is fairly stated in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 24, 2021 on our consideration of the City of Ashland'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 City of Ashland'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 City of Ashland's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Eau Claire, Wisconsin September 24, 2021

Baker Tilly US, LLP

	Pr	:	Component Unit		
	Governmental Activities	Business- Type Activities	Total	Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust	
Assets					
Cash and investments	\$ 8,249,363	\$ 2,848,888	\$ 11,098,251	\$ 2,835,278	
Taxes receivable Special assessments receivable	4,870,409 40,964	-	4,870,409 40,964	-	
Notes receivable, net	1,710,788	-	1,710,788	-	
Other receivables, net	303,798	335,409	639,207	3,479	
Due from other governments	588,799	105,529	694,328	-	
Internal balances	343,673	(343,673)	-	-	
Prepaid items and inventories	69,414	165,671	235,085	-	
Restricted assets, cash and investments	2,673,904	2,727,488	5,401,392	-	
Restricted assets, net pension asset	1,552,522	149,973	1,702,495	-	
Other assets	-	24,836	24,836	-	
Capital assets: Construction in progress	3,720,791	1,086,490	4,807,281	_	
Land and right of way	4,563,071	506,830	5,069,901	-	
Other capital assets, net of depreciation	66,173,564	30,476,457	96,650,021		
Total assets	94,861,060	38,083,898	132,944,958	2,838,757	
Deferred Outflows of Resources					
OPEB related amounts	152,306	59,498	211,804	-	
Pension related amounts	3,641,946	369,844	4,011,790		
Total deferred outflows of resources	3,794,252	429,342	4,223,594		
Liabilities					
Accounts payable	1,207,585	773,294	1,980,879	9,057	
Accrued liabilities and deposits	345,837	67,828	413,665	-	
Noncurrent liabilities: Due within one year	1,483,852	460,310	1,944,162		
Due in more than one year	14,326,870	7,822,789	22,149,659	-	
Total liabilities	17,364,144	9,124,221	26,488,365	9,057	
Deferred Inflows of Resources					
Unearned revenues	4,817,245	17,635	4,834,880	_	
OPEB related amounts	503.000	196,497	699,497	-	
Pension related amounts	4,698,553	419,138	5,117,691		
Total deferred inflows of resources	10,018,798	633,270	10,652,068		
Net Position					
Net investment in capital assets Restricted:	64,318,670	24,929,187	89,247,857	-	
Future housing and economic development loans	2,626,184	-	2,626,184	-	
Future debt service	96,001	-	96,001	-	
Library	310,428	-	310,428	-	
Police programs	34,358	-	34,358	-	
NSP breakwall Home improvement program	538,653 21,005	-	538,653 21,005	-	
Future beautification projects	7,282	-	7,282	-	
Wetland mitigation	700	-	700	_	
Future TIF projects	14,068	-	14,068	-	
Waterfront development	292,220	-	292,220	-	
Ore Dock	-	-	-	2,829,700	
Debt service reserve	-	259,221	259,221	-	
Debt service redemption	-	252,809	252,809	-	
Equipment replacement Pension	1 550 500	1,525,883	1,525,883	-	
Unrestricted	1,552,522 1,460,279	149,973 1,638,676	1,702,495 3,098,955		
Total net position	\$ 71,272,370	\$ 28,755,749	\$ 100,028,119	\$ 2,829,700	

		Program Revenues			14	Position							
										rimary Governme			Component Unit
	Expenses	Charg Serv		Gran	rating ts and butions	Gra	Capital ants and tributions	Governme Activitie		Business-Type Activities		Total	Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust
Functions/Programs													
Primary government:													
Governmental activities:													
General government	\$ 1,960,683		413,432	\$	<del>.</del>	\$			,251)	\$ -	\$	(1,547,251)	\$ -
Public safety	4,634,627		333,964		185,084		165,613	(2,949		-		(2,949,966)	-
Public works	3,512,443	•	464,270		728,966		65,709	(2,253		-		(2,253,498)	-
Health and human services	222,543		2,368		76,123		-		,052)	-		(144,052)	-
Leisure activities	1,252,135		188,325		193,106		65,196	,	,508)	-		(805,508)	-
Conservation and development Interest and fiscal charges	375,185 335,750		3,726		111,839		-		,620) ,750)	-		(259,620) (335,750)	-
interest and instal charges	333,730							(333	,750)			(333,730)	
Total governmental activities	12,293,366	2,4	406,085	1,	,295,118		296,518	(8,295	,645)	-		(8,295,645)	
Business-type activities:													
Water	1,752,852	2.3	305,271		-		100,956		_	653,375		653,375	_
Wastewater	2,430,079		121,016		-		800		-	(308,263)	1	(308,263)	-
Airport	363,731		165,128		-		18,250		-	(180,353		(180,353)	-
Marina	283,313	:	229,968						-	(53,345		(53,345)	
Total business-type activities	4,829,975	4,8	821,383				120,006			111,414		111,414	
Total primary government	\$ 17,123,341	\$ 7,	227,468	\$ 1,	,295,118	\$	416,524	(8,295	,645)	111,414		(8,184,231)	
Component Unit													
Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust	\$ 85,096	\$		\$		\$							(85,096)
General Revenues Taxes:													
Property taxes, levied for general purposes								3,902		-		3,902,510	-
Property taxes, levied for debt service									,598	-		123,598	-
Property taxes, levied for TIF districts									,280	-		555,280	-
Other taxes									,595	-		196,595	-
Intergovernmental revenues not restricted to specific programs								3,943		9,778		3,952,871	-
Investment income								37	,275	19,429		56,704	29,519
Gain on disposal of assets									-	995		995	-
Miscellaneous								4//	,827	12,785		490,612	
Total general revenues								9,236	,178	42,987		9,279,165	29,519
Transfers								307	,624	(307,624)			
Change in net position								1,248	,157	(153,223)	١	1,094,934	(55,577)
Net Position, Beginning								70,024	,213	28,908,972		98,933,185	2,885,277
Net Position, Ending								\$ 71,272	,370	\$ 28,755,749	\$	100,028,119	\$ 2,829,700

	 General Fund	Sp	ecial Revenue Housing Rehab Revolving Loan Fund	 ital Projects Fund Building Facilities	 Debt Service Fund	G	Nonmajor overnmental Funds	Totals
Assets								
Cash and investments Restricted assets, construction account Receivables:	\$ 2,456,163	\$	266,302	\$ 1,066,880 1,906,715	\$ 310,834	\$	3,824,652 767,189	\$ 7,924,831 2,673,904
Taxes Delinquent personal property taxes, net	2,869,547 2,038		- -	- -	1,394,137		604,687	4,868,371 2,038
Accounts, net Notes, net	267,673		- 1,525,021	-			35,555 185,767	303,228 1,710,788
Special assessments Due from other governments	48,163		-	73,209	-		40,964 467,427	40,964 588,799
Due from other funds Advances to other funds Prepaid items and inventory	 580,845 1,684,641 69,414			 - - -	 - - -		- - -	 580,845 1,684,641 69,414
Total assets	\$ 7,978,484	\$	1,791,323	\$ 3,046,804	\$ 1,704,971	\$	5,926,241	\$ 20,447,823
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances (Deficit)								
Liabilities Accounts payable Accrued liabilities	\$ 185,589 202,271	\$	- -	\$ 745,446 -	\$ - -	\$	276,550 15,152	\$ 1,207,585 217,423
Due to other funds Due to other governments Advances from other funds	397 -	_	- - -	 - - -	 - 88,656		180,661 - 1,684,641	 180,661 397 1,773,297
Total liabilities	388,257			745,446	 88,656		2,157,004	 3,379,363
Deferred Inflows of Resources Unearned revenues	2,783,339		. <u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	1,394,137		639,769	4,817,245
Unavailable revenues	 84,195		1,525,021	 73,209	 <del>-</del>		602,111	 2,284,536
Total deferred inflows of resources	 2,867,534		1,525,021	 73,209	 1,394,137		1,241,880	 7,101,781
Fund Balances (Deficit) Nonspendable Restricted	1,316,311		- 266,302	- 1,640,865	- 222,178		- 2,610,184	1,316,311 4,739,529
Committed Assigned Unassigned (deficit)	145,028 3,261,354		- - -	 587,284 -	 - - -		117,885 1,625,976 (1,826,688)	 117,885 2,358,288 1,434,666
Total fund balances (deficit)	 4,722,693		266,302	 2,228,149	 222,178		2,527,357	 9,966,679
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances (deficit)	\$ 7,978,484	\$	1,791,323	\$ 3,046,804	\$ 1,704,971	\$	5,926,241	\$ 20,447,823

**Total Net Position, Governmental Activities** 

City of Ashland
Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position December 31, 2020

Total Fund Balance, Governmental Funds		\$ 9,966,679
Amounts Reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Net Position are Different Because:		
Capital assets used in government activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the fund statements. Capital assets at year end consist of:  Capital assets  Accumulated depreciation	\$ 103,594,146 (29,136,720)	74,457,426
Special assessments, certain grant receivables, loan receivables and various other receivables are reported as unavailable revenues in the fund financial statements and are recognized as revenue when earned in the government-wide financial statements. See Note 3 for details.		2,284,536
The net pension asset does not relate to current financial resources and is not reported in the governmental funds.		1,552,522
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions do not relate to current financial resources and are not reported in the governmental funds.		3,641,946
Deferred outflows of resources related to other post-employment benefits do not relate to current financial resources and are not reported in the governmental funds.		152,306
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions do not relate to current financial resources and are not reported in the governmental funds.		(4,698,553)
Deferred inflows of resources related to other post-employment benefits do not relate to current financial resources and are not reported in the governmental funds.		(503,000)
An internal service fund is used by management to charge the costs of other post-employment benefits to individual funds. The assets and liabilities of the internal service fund are included in governmental activities in the statement of net position.		355,407
Long-term liabilities, including bond and notes payable, are not due in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the fund statements.  Long-term liabilities at year end consist of:  General obligation debt  Accrued interest on general obligation debt  Landfill liability  Other post employment benefits  Vested compensated absences	(13,030,097) (126,177) (819,126) (1,271,106) (690,393)	(15,936,899)

\$ 71,272,370

City of Ashland
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds
Year Ended December 31, 2020

	General Fund	Special Revenue Housing Rehab Revolving Loan Fund	Capital Projects Fund Building Facilities	Debt Service Fund	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total
	Fullu	Loan Fund	raciilles	Fullu	Fullus	Total
Revenues						
Taxes	\$ 2,863,132	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,149,937	\$ 764,914	\$ 4,777,983
Intergovernmental	4,699,703	-	-	-	620,145	5,319,848
Licenses and permits	167,104	-	-	-	-	167,104
Fines, forfeitures and penalties	18,882	-	-	-	-	18,882
Public charges for services	1,519,524	-	-	-	7,501	1,527,025
Intergovernmental charges for services	702,142	-	-	-	-	702,142
Special assessments	-	-	-	-	8,321	8,321
Investment income	22,504	88	957	23	18,126	41,698
Miscellaneous	82,113	92,837			441,706	616,656
Total revenues	10,075,104	92,925	957	1,149,960	1,860,713	13,179,659
Expenditures						
Current:						
General government	1,993,745	-	-	-	15,978	2,009,723
Public safety	4,760,554	-	-	-	80,965	4,841,519
Public works	1,863,047	-	11,372	-	273,106	2,147,525
Health and human services	145,691	-	-	-	76,288	221,979
Leisure activities	489,503	-	-	-	658,679	1,148,182
Conservation and development	183,447	23,139	-	-	198,302	404,888
Capital outlay	-	-	2,810,282	-	1,470,345	4,280,627
Debt service:						
Principal retirement	-	-	-	990,900	114,370	1,105,270
Interest and fiscal charges			30,000	222,528	21,703	274,231
Total expenditures	9,435,987	23,139	2,851,654	1,213,428	2,909,736	16,433,944
Excess (deficiency) of revenues						
over expenditures	639,117	69,786	(2,850,697)	(63,468)	(1,049,023)	(3,254,285)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Long-term debt issued	-	-	4,760,000	-	1,785,000	6,545,000
Transfers in	400,184	-	40,000	75,473	1,372,520	1,888,177
Transfers out	(1,025,444)	-	(70,600)	-	(484,509)	(1,580,553)
Proceeds from sale of capital assets					26,472	26,472
Total other financing sources (uses)	(625,260)		4,729,400	75,473	2,699,483	6,879,096
Net change in fund balances	13,857	69,786	1,878,703	12,005	1,650,460	3,624,811
Fund Balances, Beginning	4,708,836	196,516	349,446	210,173	876,897	6,341,868
Fund Balances, Ending	\$ 4,722,693	\$ 266,302	\$ 2,228,149	\$ 222,178	\$ 2,527,357	\$ 9,966,679

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities

Year Ended December 31, 2020

### Net Change in Fund Balances, Total Governmental Funds

\$ 3,624,811

Amounts Reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities are Different Because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of these assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. The following differ in their presentation in the two statements:

Capital outlay is reported as an expenditure in the fund financial statements but is capitalized in the government-wide financial statements

Some functional expenditures are capitalized

Depreciation is reported in the government-wide statements

but are recognized as revenue when earned in the government-wide financial statements.

Depreciation is reported in the government-wide statements

Book value of capital assets disposed of in the current year

(80,420)

Special assessments are reported as unavailable revenues in the fund financial statements

Grant and accounts receivables are reported as unavailable revenues in the fund financial statements if not collected within 60 days of year end but are recognized as revenue when earned in the government-wide financial statements.

154,058

4,280,627

610.890

(6,063)

Debt issued provides current financial resources to governmental funds, but issuing debt increases long-term liabilities in the statement of net position. Repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net position.

Debt issued

Debt issued (6,545,000)
Principal payments paid 1,105,270

Some expenses in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial

resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds.

Change in the landfill liability

Change in the vested compensated absences

36,531

Change in the other post-employment benefits (and OPEB related deferred inflows and outflows of resources)

292,678

Change in accrued interest payable

Change in net pension liability (and pension related deferred inflows and outflows of resources)

(61,519)

Governmental funds report repayments of economic development and housing loans and notes receivables as revenue and issuing new loans as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, these amounts are not reported as revenue and expenses; they are reported as changes in the receivables balances.

(146,209)

An internal service fund is used by management to charge the costs of other post-employment benefits to individual funds. The net revenue of certain activities of internal service fund is reported with governmental activities.

22,164

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities

\$ 1,248,157

	Bu	ınds	Dental/FLEX			
	Water	Wastewater	Nonmajor		Internal	
Assets	Utility	Utility	Funds	Total	Service Fund	
Current assets:						
Cash and investments	\$ 768,503	\$ 1,923,338	\$ 157,047	\$ 2,848,888	\$ 324,532	
Restricted assets, redemption account	223,541	70,500	35,408	329,449	-	
Restricted assets, construction account Customer accounts receivable	211,965 157,968	173,533	400,970	612,935 331,501	-	
Other accounts receivable	-	-	3,908	3,908	570	
Due from other governments	95,751	-	9,778	105,529	-	
Current portion of advances to other funds Inventories and prepaid items	12,136 120,640	21,535	23,496	12,136 165,671		
Total current assets	1,590,504	2,188,906	630,607	4,410,017	325,102	
Noncurrent assets:						
Restricted assets:						
Reserve account	251,231	7,990	-	259,221	-	
Replacement account Net pension asset	57,605	1,525,883 67,255	- 25,113	1,525,883 149,973	-	
Capital assets:	37,003	07,233	23,113	149,973	-	
Construction work in progress	116,972	771,160	198,358	1,086,490	-	
Land	30,611	38,951	437,268	506,830	-	
Capital assets being depreciated	23,449,696	29,837,672	6,945,936	60,233,304	-	
Accumulated depreciation	(8,430,837)	(17,941,748)	(3,384,262)	(29,756,847)	-	
Other assets:  Advances to other funds	76.520	_	_	76,520	_	
Preliminary survey and investigations	24,836	<u> </u>		24,836		
Total noncurrent assets	15,576,634	14,307,163	4,222,413	34,106,210		
Total assets	17,167,138	16,496,069	4,853,020	38,516,227	325,102	
Deferred Outflows of Resources						
OPEB related amounts	34,089	25,409	-	59,498	-	
Pension related amounts	140,801	172,977	56,066	369,844		
Total deferred outflows of resources	174,890	198,386	56,066	429,342		
Liabilities						
Current liabilities:						
Accounts payable	129,699	639,014	4,581	773,294	-	
Accrued expenses Deposits	5,818 4,000	6,384	2,393	14,595 4,000	1,840	
Due to other funds	400,184	-	-	400,184	-	
Liabilities payable from restricted assets:	,			,		
Accrued interest	33,782	7,450	8,001	49,233	-	
Current portion of accrued compensated absences	32,385	34,096	11,347	77,828	-	
Current portion of long-term debt	271,218	74,264	37,000	382,482		
Total current liabilities	877,086	761,208	63,322	1,701,616	1,840	
Noncurrent liabilities:	E 450 004	4 400 000	272.000	7.054.057		
Long-term debt Accrued compensated absences	5,450,964 23,970	1,430,093 32,308	373,000 15,895	7,254,057 72.173	-	
Other post-employment benefits	284,504	212,055	13,093	496,559	-	
Total noncurrent liabilities	5,759,438	1,674,456	388,895	7,822,789		
Total liabilities	6,636,524	2,435,664	452,217	9,524,405	1,840	
Deferred Inflows of Resources						
Unearned revenues	12,635	-	5,000	17,635	-	
OPEB related amounts	112,583	83,914	-	196,497	-	
Pension related amounts	166,965	184,154	68,019	419,138	<del>-</del>	
Total deferred inflow of resources	292,183	268,068	73,019	633,270		
Net Position						
Net investment in capital assets Restricted for:	9,539,239	11,201,678	4,188,270	24,929,187	-	
Debt service reserve	251,231	7,990	-	259,221	-	
Debt service redemption	189,759	63,050	-	252,809	-	
Equipment replacement		1,525,883	-	1,525,883	-	
Pension Unrestricted (deficit)	57,605 375,487	67,255 1,124,867	25,113 170,467	149,973 1,670,821	- 323,262	
Total net position	\$ 10,413,321	\$ 13,990,723	\$ 4,383,850	28,787,894	\$ 323,262	
Adjustment to reflect the consolidation of internal						
service fund activities related to enterprise funds				(32,145)		
Net position of business-type activities				\$ 28,755,749		

	Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Funds								_		
		Water Utility	v	Vastewater Utility		lonmajor Funds		Totals	ı	ntal/FLEX nternal vice Fund	
Operating Revenues	\$	2,305,271	\$	2,121,016	\$	395,096	\$	4,821,383	\$	146,183	
Operating Expenses											
Operation and maintenance		1,117,009		1,548,151		418,112		3,083,272		125,426	
Depreciation		479,658		842,337		211,781		1,533,776		-	
Taxes		2,484		-				2,484			
Total operating expenses		1,599,151		2,390,488		629,893		4,619,532		125,426	
Operating income (loss)		706,120		(269,472)		(234,797)		201,851		20,757	
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)											
Investment income		6,236		12,615		578		19,429		614	
Interest and fiscal charges		(156,593)		(42,331)		(17,151)		(216,075)		-	
Grants revenue		-		-		9,778		9,778	-		
Miscellaneous revenue		7,770		4,009		1,006		12,785		6,425	
Gain on sale of capital assets		-				995		995	-		
Total nonoperating revenue (expenses)		(142,587)	_	(25,707)		(4,794)	_	(173,088)		7,039	
Income (loss) before contributions and transfers		563,533		(295,179)		(239,591)		28,763		27,796	
Contributions and Transfers											
Capital contributions		100,956		800		18,250		120,006		-	
Transfers in		-		-		92,560		92,560		-	
Transfers out		(400,184)		-		-		(400,184)		-	
Total contributions and transfers		(299,228)	_	800		110,810		(187,618)			
Change in net position		264,305		(294,379)		(128,781)		(158,855)		27,796	
Net Position, Beginning		10,149,016		14,285,102		4,512,631		28,946,749		295,466	
Net Position, Ending	\$	10,413,321	\$	13,990,723	\$	4,383,850	\$	28,787,894	\$	323,262	
Change in Net Position, Enterprise Funds							\$	(158,855)			
Adjustment to reflect the consolidation of internal service fund activities related to enterprise funds								5,632			
Tana douvilles related to enterprise funds								5,032			
Change in Net Position of Business-Type Activities							\$	(153,223)			

	Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Funds								
		Water Utility		Vastewater Utility	N	onmajor Funds		Totals	ntal/FLEX Internal vice Fund
Cash Flows From Operating Activities									
Cash received from customers	\$	1,803,368	\$	2,135,261	\$	418,807	\$	4,357,436	\$ 170,601
Cash received from city Cash paid to suppliers for goods and services Cash paid to employees for services		610,119 (633,043) (376,721)		(1,081,770) (418,934)		(248,575) (157,218)		610,119 (1,963,388) (952,873)	 (129,424) -
Net cash flows from operating activities		1,403,723		634,557		13,014		2,051,294	41,177
Cash Flows From Noncapital Financing Activities									
Transfers from other funds		-		-		92,560		92,560	-
Transfers to other funds		(400,184)	_					(400,184)	 
Net cash flows from investing activities		(400,184)				92,560		(307,624)	 
Cash Flows From Investing Activities									
Noncash equivalents purchased		(224,195)		(528,799)		-		(752,994)	-
Noncash equivalents sold		224,195		516,119		-		740,314	-
Investment income		6,236		12,615		578		19,429	 614
Net cash flows from investing activities		6,236		(65)		578		6,749	614
Cash Flows From Capital and Related Financing Activities									
Debt proceeds		700,000		-		410,000		1,110,000	-
Debt retired		(337,357)		(72,410)		-		(409,767)	-
Interest paid		(131,315)		(41,591)		-		(172,906)	-
Debt issuance costs		(15,300)		-		(9,150)		(24,450)	-
Contributions in aid of construction		- (E14.000)		1,408		18,250		19,658	-
Acquisition and construction of capital assets		(514,088)		(597,907)		(118,243)	_	(1,230,238)	 
Net cash flows from capital and related									
financing activities		(298,060)		(710,500)		300,857		(707,703)	 -
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		711,715		(76,008)		407,009		1,042,716	41,791
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning		519,330		3,074,920		186,416		3,780,666	 282,741
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Ending	\$	1,231,045	\$	2,998,912	\$	593,425	\$	4,823,382	\$ 324,532
Reconciliation of Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash and cash equivalents per statement of net position:									
Cash and investments	\$	768,503	\$	1,923,338	\$	157,047	\$	2,848,888	\$ 324,532
Restricted cash and investments:									
Reserve account		251,231		7,990				259,221	-
Redemption account		223,541		70,500		35,408		329,449	-
Construction account		211,965		-		400,970		612,935	-
Replacement account				1,525,883			_	1,525,883	 
Total cash and investments		1,455,240		3,527,711		593,425		5,576,376	324,532
Less noncash equivalents		(224,195)		(528,799)				(752,994)	 -
Cash and cash equivalents per statement of cash flows	\$	1,231,045	\$	2,998,912	\$	593,425	\$	4,823,382	\$ 324,532
					_		_	_	

City of Ashland Statement of Cash Flows - Proprietary Funds Year Ended December 31, 2020

		Bus	siness	-Type Activit	ies - I	Enterprise Fu	nds			
	Water Utility				Nonmajor Funds			Totals	Dental/FL Interna als Service Fu	
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Flows From Operating Activities										
Operating income (loss)	\$	706,120	\$	(269,472)	\$	(234,797)	\$	201,851	\$	20,757
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to	Ψ	700,120	Ψ	(200,472)	Ψ	(204,737)	Ψ	201,001	Ψ	20,737
net cash flows from operating activities:										
Nonoperating income		7.770		4.009		10,784		22,563		6,425
Noncash items included in income:		7,770		4,000		10,704		22,000		0,420
Depreciation		479.658		842.337		211.781		1,533,776		_
Depreciation charged to other accounts		18,642		(18,642)		211,701		1,000,770		_
Amortization		12,418		(10,042)		_		12,418		_
Change in assets and liabilities:		.2,						.2,		
Customer accounts receivable		63,052		(13,375)		_		49,677		_
Other accounts receivable		-		10.997		7,927		18,924		17,993
Inventories and prepaid items		9.088		1.088		2,354		12,530		-
Accounts payable		(751)		(34,494)		(1,687)		(36,932)		(455)
Due to other funds		14.831		-		(.,,		14.831		(,
Other current liabilities		(11,189)		(15,387)		(3,728)		(30,304)		(3,543)
Accrued compensated absences		7,905		8,118		13,336		29,359		-
Unearned revenues		-		-,		5,000		5,000		_
Other post-employment benefits		96,092		120,773		-,		216,865		_
Pension related deferrals and asset		87		(1,395)		2,044		736		-
Net cash flows from operating activities	\$	1,403,723	\$	634,557	\$	13,014	\$	2,051,294	\$	41,177

Noncash Capital, Investing and Financing Activities None

Statement of Fiduciary Net Position - Fiduciary Fund December 31, 2020

	Custodial Fund Tax Collection Fund
Assets	
Cash and investments	\$ 3,973,416
Taxes receivable	2,985,402
Total assets	6,958,818
<b>Liabilities</b> Due to other taxing units	6,958,818
Total liabilities	6,958,818
Total net position	\$ -

Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position - Fiduciary Fund Year Ended December 31, 2020

	 Custodial Fund Tax Collection Fund	
Additions Property taxes collected for other governments	\$ 4,467,615	
<b>Deductions</b> Property taxes distributed to other governments	 4,467,615	
Change in fiduciary net position	-	
Net Position, Beginning	-	
Net Position, Ending	\$ <u>-</u>	

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Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2020

### 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of the City of Ashland, Wisconsin (the City) conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to governmental units. The accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles is the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

### **Reporting Entity**

This report includes all of the funds of the City. The reporting entity for the City consists of the primary government and its component unit. Component units are legally separate organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable or other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that their exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading. The primary government is financially accountable if (1) it appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing body and it is able to impose its will on that organization; (2) it appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing body and there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on, the primary government; and (3) the organization is fiscally dependent on and there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on, the primary government. Certain legally separate, tax exempt organizations should also be reported as a component unit if all of the following criteria are met: (1) the economic resources received or held by the separate organization are entirely or almost entirely for the direct benefit of the primary government, its component units, or its constituents; (2) the primary government or its component units, is entitled to, or has the ability to access, a majority of the economic resources received or held by the separate organization and (3) the economic resources received or held by an individual organization that the primary government, or its component units, is entitled to, or has the ability to otherwise access, are significant to the primary government.

Component units are reported using one of three methods, discrete presentation, blending or fiduciary. Generally, component units should be discretely presented in a separate column in the financial statements. A component unit should be reported as part of the primary government using the blending method if it meets any one of the following criteria: (1) the primary government and the component unit have substantively the same governing body and a financial benefit or burden relationship exists, (2) the primary government and the component unit have substantively the same governing body and management of the primary government has operational responsibility for the component unit, (3) the component unit serves or benefits, exclusively or almost exclusively, the primary government rather than its citizens or (4) the total debt of the component unit will be paid entirely or almost entirely from resources of the primary government.

### **Discretely Presented Component Unit**

The government-wide financial statements include the Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust as a component unit. The Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust is a legally separate organization. The board of the Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust consists of the mayor of the City of Ashland; a member of the Ashland City Council, nominated by the mayor and confirmed by the Council; the chairperson of the Ashland Harbor Commission; the director of the Ashland Park and Recreation Department; the president of the Ashland Historical Society; the president of Northland College; a representative of the Ashland business community, selected by the Ashland Area Chamber of Commerce; a representative of the Ashland banking, financial services or investment community, selected by the members of the board; and a resident of the City of Ashland, not a member of the City Council or of the Harbor Commission, selected by the members of the board. Wisconsin Statues provide for circumstances whereby the City can impose its will on the Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust, and also create a potential financial benefit to or burden on the City. The Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust is part of the reporting entity of the City. See Note 3. As a component unit, the Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust's financial statements have been presented as a discrete column in the financial statements. The information presented is for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020. The Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust is a not-for-profit organization that follows Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) for accounting and financial reporting principles. Separately issued financial statements of the Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust may be requested at 601 Main Street West, Ashland, WI 54806.

### **Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements**

### **Government-Wide Financial Statements**

The statement of net position and statement of activities display information about the reporting government as a whole. They include all funds of the City except for fiduciary funds. The statements distinguish between governmental and business-type activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other nonexchange revenues. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods or services. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. The City does not allocate indirect expenses to functions in the statement of activities. Program revenues include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not included among program revenues are reported as general revenues. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

### **Fund Financial Statements**

Financial statements of the City are organized into funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts, which constitute its assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, net position/fund balance, revenues and expenditure/expenses.

Funds are organized as major funds or nonmajor funds within the governmental and proprietary statements. An emphasis is placed on major funds within the governmental and proprietary categories. A fund is considered major if it is the primary operating fund of the City or meets the following criteria:

- a. Total assets/deferred outflows of resources, liabilities/deferred inflows of resources, revenues or expenditures/expenses of that individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least 10 percent of the corresponding total for all funds of that category or type, and
- b. The same element of the individual governmental fund or enterprise fund that met the 10 percent test is at least 5 percent of the corresponding total for all governmental and enterprise funds combined.
- c. In addition, any other governmental or enterprise fund that the City believes is particularly important to financial statement users may be reported as a major fund.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

### **General Fund**

General Fund accounts for the City's primary operating activities. It is used to account for and report all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

### Special Revenue Fund - Housing Rehab Revolving Loan Fund

Special Revenue Fund - Housing Rehab Revolving Loan Fund accounts for and reports the grants and local revenues legally restricted or committed to supporting expenditures for the City's housing loan program.

### Capital Projects Fund – Building Facilities

Capital Projects Fund – Building Facilities Fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted or assigned to expenditure for the acquisition or construction of capital facilities.

### **Debt Service Fund**

Debt Service Fund accounts for and reports financial resources that are restricted, committed or assigned to expenditures for the payment of general long-term debt principal, interest and related costs, other than TIF or enterprise debt.

The City reports the following major enterprise funds:

### **Water Utility**

Water Utility accounts for the construction, operations and maintenance of the municipal water pumping, treatment and distribution systems.

### **Wastewater Utility**

Wastewater Utility accounts for the construction, operations and maintenance of the municipal sewage collection and treatment system.

The City reports the following nonmajor governmental and enterprise funds:

### **Special Revenue Funds**

Special Revenue Funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditures for specified purposes (other than debt service or capital projects).

Recycling
Economic Development Revolving Loan
Library Grants and Special Revenue
TIF No. 6 Increment

TIF No. 9 Increment
TIF No. 10 Increment

Community Planning and Development

**NSP Breakwall** 

Evidence Funds
Bretting Teen Center
Beautification
Wetlands Mitigation

Vaughn Library Insured Loss Deductible Hazardous Materials

Home Improvement Program

### **Capital Projects Funds**

Capital Projects Funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of equipment and/or major capital facilities.

Street Improvements TIF No. 9 Development TIF No. 10 Development Public Transportation Waterfront Development Capital Equipment Park Grounds Improvements Land Sales and Acquisition Capital Sidewalk Improvements

Urban Forestry Landfill Improvement

Leisure and Recreation Improvements

### **Enterprise Funds**

Enterprise Funds are used to account for and report any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services, and must be used for activities which meet certain debt or cost recovery criteria.

Airport Marina

In addition, the City reports the following fund types:

### **Internal Service Funds**

Internal Service Funds are used to account for and report the financing of goods or services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of the City, or to other governmental units, on a cost-reimbursement basis.

Dental/FLEX Fund

### **Custodial Funds**

Custodial Funds are used to account for and report assets controlled by the City and the assets are for the benefit of individuals, private organizations, and/or other governmental units. The City reports its Tax Collection Fund as a custodial fund.

### Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

### **Government-Wide Financial Statements**

The government-wide statement of net position and statement of activities are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recorded when the liability is incurred or economic asset used. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets and liabilities resulting from exchange and exchange-like transactions are recognized when the exchange takes place. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Taxes receivable for the following year are recorded as receivables and deferred inflows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider are met. Special assessments are recorded as revenue when earned. Unbilled receivables are recorded as revenues when services are provided.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the City's water and wastewater utilities and various other functions of the government. Elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when they are both measurable and available. Available means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the City considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for unmatured interest on long-term debt, claims, judgments, compensated absences, and pension expenditures, which are recorded as a fund liability when expected to be paid with expendable available financial resources.

Property taxes are recorded in the year levied as receivables and deferred inflows. They are recognized as revenues in the succeeding year when services financed by the levy are being provided.

Intergovernmental aids and grants are recognized as revenues in the period the City is entitled to the resources and the amounts are available. Amounts owed to the City which are not available are recorded as receivables and unavailable revenues. Amounts received before eligibility requirements (excluding time requirements) are met are recorded as liabilities. Amounts received in advance of meeting time requirements are recorded as deferred inflows.

Special assessments are recorded as revenues when they become measurable and available as current assets. Annual installments due in future years are reflected as receivables and unavailable revenues.

Revenues susceptible to accrual include property taxes, miscellaneous taxes, public charges for services, special assessments and interest. Other general revenues such as fines and forfeitures, inspection fees, recreation fees, and miscellaneous revenues are recognized when received in cash or when measurable and available under the criteria described above.

Proprietary fund and fiduciary financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as described previously in this note.

The proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the water and wastewater utilities are charges to customers for sales and services. Special assessments are recorded as receivables and contribution revenue when levied. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

### All Financial Statements

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

# Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position or Equity

### **Deposits and Investments**

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the City considers all highly liquid investments with an initial maturity of three months or less when acquired to be cash equivalents.

Investment of City funds is restricted by state statutes. Available investments are limited to:

- a. Time deposits in any credit union, bank, savings bank or trust company.
- b. Bonds or securities of any county, city, drainage district, technical college district, village, town, or school district of the state. Also, bonds issued by a local exposition district, a local professional baseball park district, a local professional football stadium district, a local cultural arts district, the University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics Authority, or the Wisconsin Aerospace Authority.
- c. Bonds or securities issued or guaranteed by the federal government.
- d. The local government investment pool.
- e. Any security maturing in seven years or less and having the highest or second highest rating category of a nationally recognized rating agency.
- f. Securities of an open-end management investment company or investment trust, subject to various conditions and investment options.
- g. Repurchase agreements with public depositories, with certain conditions.

The City has not adopted a formal investment policy; however, the City's budget document indicates that the City follows state statutes regarding allowable investments and abides by the following criteria: preservation of capital, maintenance of liquid position and maximum yield.

Investments are stated at fair value, which is the amount at which an investment could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties. No investments are reported at amortized cost. Adjustments necessary to record investments at fair value are recorded in the operating statement as increases or decreases in investment income. Investment income on commingled investments of municipal accounting funds is allocated based on average balances. The difference between the bank statement balance and carrying value is due to outstanding checks and/or deposits in transit.

See Note 3 for further information.

### Receivables

Property taxes are levied in December on the assessed value as of the prior January 1. In addition to property taxes for the City, taxes are collected for and remitted to the state and county governments as well as the local school district and technical college district. Taxes for all state and local governmental units billed in the current year for the succeeding year are reflected as receivables and due to other taxing units on the accompanying statement of fiduciary net position.

Property tax calendar, 2020 tax roll:

Lien date and levy date
Tax bills mailed
December 2020
Payment in full, or
First installment due
Second installment due
Personal property taxes in full
Tax sale, 2020 delinquent real estate taxes
December 2020
January 31, 2021
July 31, 2021
January 31, 2021
Cotober 2022

Delinquent real estate taxes as of July 31 are paid in full by the county, which assumes the collection thereof. Therefore, no provision has been made for uncollectible real estate taxes.

The water and wastewater utilities have the right, by law, to place substantially all delinquent bills on the tax roll. Therefore, no provision for has been made for uncollectible utility bills.

All receivables have been adjusted for estimated uncollectible accounts. The amounts recorded as receivables in the general fund have been reduced by an allowance for uncollectible accounts of \$1,166,055.

During the course of operations, transactions occur between individual funds that may result in amounts owed between funds. Short-term interfund loans are reported as "due to and from other funds." Long-term interfund loans (noncurrent portion) are reported as "advances from and to other funds." Interfund receivables and payables between funds within governmental activities are eliminated in the statement of net position. Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as internal balances.

In the governmental fund financial statements, advances to other funds are offset equally by a nonspendable fund balance account which indicates that they do not constitute expendable available financial resources and, therefore, are not available for appropriation or by a restricted fund balance account, if the funds will ultimately be restricted when the advance is repaid.

The City has received federal and state grant funds for economic development and housing rehabilitation loan programs to various businesses and individuals. The City records a loan receivable when the loan has been made and funds have been disbursed. The amount recorded as notes receivable has been reduced by an allowance for uncollectible accounts of \$50,857.

It is the City's policy to record unavailable revenue for the net amount of the receivable balance. As loans are repaid, revenue is recognized. When new loans are made from the repayments, expenditures are recorded. Interest received from loan repayments is recognized as revenue when received in cash. Any unspent loan repayments at year-end are presented as restricted fund balance in the fund financial statements.

### **Inventories and Prepaid Items**

Governmental fund inventory items, if significant, are recorded at cost based on average cost using the consumption method of accounting. Proprietary fund inventories are generally used for construction and/or for operation and maintenance work. They are not for resale. They are valued at average cost based on FIFO, and charged to construction or operation and maintenance expense when used.

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements.

### **Restricted Assets**

Mandatory segregations of assets are presented as restricted assets. Such segregations are required by bond agreements and other external parties. Current liabilities payable from these restricted assets are so classified.

### **Capital Assets**

### **Government-Wide Statements**

Capital assets, which include property, plant and equipment, are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial cost of more than \$5,000 for general capital assets and \$25,000 for infrastructure assets, and an estimated useful life in excess of 1 year. All capital assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual amounts are unavailable. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated acquisition value at the date of donation.

Additions to and replacements of capital assets of business-type activities are recorded at original cost, which includes material, labor, overhead, and an allowance for the cost of funds used during construction when significant. For tax-exempt debt, the amount of interest capitalized equals the interest expense incurred during construction netted against any interest revenue from temporary investment of borrowed fund proceeds. No interest was capitalized during the current year. The cost of renewals and betterments relating to retirement units is added to plant accounts. The cost of property replaced retired or otherwise disposed of, is deducted from plant accounts and, generally, together with removal costs less salvage, is charged to accumulated depreciation.

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

Buildings	50 - 75 years
Land improvements	25 years
Machinery and equipment	4 - 20 years
Utility system	7 - 100 years
Infrastructure	40 - 100 years

### **Fund Financial Statements**

In the fund financial statements, capital assets used in governmental fund operations are accounted for as capital outlay expenditures of the governmental fund upon acquisition. Capital assets used in proprietary fund operations are accounted for the same way as in the government-wide statements.

### **Deferred Outflows of Resources**

A deferred outflow of resources represents a consumption of net position/fund balance that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until that future time.

### **Compensated Absences**

Under terms of employment, employees are granted sick leave and vacations in varying amounts. Only benefits considered to be vested are disclosed in these statements.

All vested vacation and sick leave pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide and proprietary financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only if they have matured, for example, as a result of employee resignations and retirements, and are payable with expendable available resources.

Payments for vacation and sick leave will be made at rates in effect when the benefits are used. Accumulated vacation and sick leave liabilities at December 31, 2020 are determined on the basis of current salary rates and include salary related payments.

### **Long-Term Obligations**

All long-term obligations to be repaid from governmental and business-type resources are reported as liabilities in the government-wide statements. The long-term obligations consist primarily of notes and bonds payable, other post-employment benefits, landfill liability, and vested compensated absences.

Long-term obligations for governmental funds are not reported as liabilities in the fund financial statements. The face value of debts (plus any premiums) are reported as other financing sources and payments of principal and interest are reported as expenditures. The accounting in proprietary funds is the same as it is in the government-wide statements.

### **Deferred Inflows of Resources**

A deferred inflow of resources represents an acquisition of net position/fund balance that applies to a future period and therefore will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that future time.

### **Equity Classifications**

### **Government-Wide Statements**

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

- a. Net investment in capital assets Consists of capital assets including restricted capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances (excluding unspent bond proceeds) of any bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets.
- b. Restricted net position Consists of net position with constraints placed on their use either by 1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or, 2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- c. Unrestricted net position All other net positions that do not meet the definition of "restricted" or "net investment in capital assets."

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

### **Fund Statements**

Governmental fund balances are displayed as follows:

**Nonspendable** - Includes fund balance amounts that cannot be spent either because they are not in spendable form or because legal or contractual requirements require them to be maintained intact.

**Restricted** - Consists of fund balances with constraints placed on their use either by 1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or 2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

**Committed** - Includes fund balance amounts that are constrained for specific purposes that are internally imposed by the government through formal action of the highest level of decision-making authority. Fund balance amounts are committed through a formal action (resolution) of the City Council. This formal action must occur prior to the end of the reporting period, but the amount of the commitment, which will be subject to the constraints, may be determined in the subsequent period. Any changes to the constraints imposed require the same formal action of the City Council that originally created the commitment.

**Assigned** - Includes spendable fund balance amounts that are intended to be used for specific purposes that are not considered restricted or committed. Fund balance may be assigned through the following: 1) The City Council has adopted a policy authorizing the City Administrator or Finance Director to assign amounts for a specific purpose; and 2) All remaining positive spendable amounts in governmental funds, other than the general fund, that are neither restricted nor committed. Assignments may take place after the end of the reporting period.

**Unassigned** - Includes residual positive fund balance within the General Fund which has not been classified within the other above mentioned categories. Unassigned fund balance may also include negative balances for any governmental fund if expenditures exceed amounts restricted, committed or assigned for those purposes.

Proprietary fund equity is classified the same as in the government-wide financial statements.

The City considers restricted amounts to be spent first when both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available unless there are legal documents / contracts that prohibit doing this, such as in grant agreements requiring dollar for dollar spending. Additionally, the City would first use committed, then assigned and lastly unassigned amounts of unrestricted fund balance when expenditures are made.

See Note 3 for further information.

The City has a formal minimum fund balance policy. That policy is to maintain a total fund balance (excluding nonspendable and restricted fund balances) in the General Fund equal to 30 percent of expenditures. The balance at year-end was \$3,406,382 or 36 percent of expenditures.

### **Basis for Existing Utility Rates**

Current water rates were authorized by Public Service Commission order 250-WR-104 and were in effect for services rendered on or after November 28, 2016.

Current wastewater rates were approved by the City Council and were in effect for services rendered on or after May 24, 2017.

### Pension

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability (asset), deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS) and additions to/deductions from WRS' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by WRS. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

### 2. Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability

### **Deficit Balances**

Generally accepted accounting principles require disclosure of individual funds that have deficit balances at year-end. As of December 31, 2020, the following individual funds held a deficit balance:

Fund	Amount Reason			
TIF No. 9 Increment	\$	680,229	Expenditures in excess of revenues	
Hazardous Materials		5,312	Unavailable revenues related to current year expenditures Expenditures in excess of	
TIF No. 9 Development		898,718	revenues Expenditures in excess of	
Land Sales and Acquisition		105,902	revenues Unavailable revenues related to	
Leisure and Recreation Improvements		136,527	current year expenditures	

TIF district deficits are anticipated to be funded with future incremental taxes levied over the life of the districts, which is 27 years for the districts created before October 1, 1995, and 23 years for districts created thereafter through September 30, 2004. Beginning October 1, 2004, the life of new districts varies by type of district (20-27 years) and may be extended in some cases. TIF No. 9 adopted a plan amendment in 2015 that designated the district as distressed under Wisconsin State Statute Section 66.1105(4e), with TIF No. 6 being the donor district for increment revenue sharing. This extended the life of TIF No. 9 by 10 years to 33 years after its creation date.

Deficits in the remaining funds are anticipated to be funded with future contributions, general tax revenues, grant reimbursements, or land sales.

### **Limitations on the City's Tax Levy**

Wisconsin law limits the City's future tax levies. Generally, the City is limited to its prior tax levy dollar amount (excluding TIF districts), increased by the greater of the percentage change in the City's equalized value due to new construction, or zero percent. Changes in debt service from one year to the next are generally exempt from this limit with certain exceptions. The City is required to reduce its allowable levy by the estimated amount of fee revenue it collects for certain services, if those services were funded in 2013 by the property tax levy. Levies can be increased above the allowable limits if the amount is approved by referendum.

### 3. Detailed Notes on All Funds

### **Deposits and Investments**

The City's cash and investments at year-end were comprised of the following:

	Carrying Value			Bank Balance	Associated Risks
Demand and time deposits Cash on hand and petty cash	\$	20,471,785 1,175	\$_	18,947,300	Custodial credit risk
Total cash and investments	\$	20,473,416			
Reconciliation to financial statements: Per statement of net position: Unrestricted cash and investments Restricted cash and investments Per statement of fiduciary net position: Tax Collection Fund	\$	11,098,251 5,401,392 3,973,416			
Total cash and investments	\$	20,473,059			

Deposits in each local and area bank are insured by the FDIC in the amount of \$250,000 for time and savings accounts (including NOW accounts) and \$250,000 for demand deposit amounts (interest-bearing and noninterest bearing). In addition, if deposits are held in an institution outside of the state in which the government is located, insured amounts are further limited to a total of \$250,000 for the combined amount of all deposit accounts.

Bank accounts are also insured by the State Deposit Guarantee Fund in the amount of \$400,000. However, due to the nature of this fund, recovery of material principal losses may not be significant to individual municipalities. This coverage has been considered in computing custodial credit risk.

The City maintains collateral agreements with its banks. At December 31, 2020, the banks had pledged various government securities of approximately \$21,345,000 to secure the City's deposits.

### **Custodial Credit Risk**

### **Deposits**

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a financial institution failure, the City's deposits may not be returned to the City. The City does not have any deposits exposed to custodial credit risk.

### Receivables

All of the receivables on the balance sheet are expected to be collected within one year, except as follows:

General Fund	\$ 50,201
Housing Rehab Revolving Loan Fund	1,525,021
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	200,634

Governmental funds report *unavailable* or *unearned revenue* in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Property taxes levied for the subsequent year are not earned and cannot be used to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received, but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, the various components of *unavailable revenue* and *unearned revenue* reported in the governmental funds were as follows:

	U	Inearned	Unavailable		
Property taxes receivables Other receivables Grant receivables Special assessments not yet due Economic development and housing rehabilitation loans	\$	4,782,657 208 34,380	\$	49,768 483,185 40,794 1,710,789	
Total unearned/unavailable revenue for governmental funds	\$	4,817,245	\$	2,284,536	

For economic development loans, the City is limited by the Wisconsin Department of Administration to the amount of program income from economic development loans it may retain and loan to other businesses. The City may retain \$750,000. Program income includes the principal and interest received from economic development loan repayments. The City did not exceed its maximum retention cap and therefore no payments were made to the Wisconsin Department of Administration during 2020. This program closed in the beginning of 2021.

### **Restricted Assets**

The following represent the balances of the restricted assets.

### **Long-Term Debt Accounts**

Redemption - Used to segregate resources accumulated for debt service payments over the next twelve months.

Reserve - Used to report resources set aside to make up potential future deficiencies in the redemption account.

Construction - Used to report proceeds of bond issuances that are restricted for use in construction.

### **Equipment Replacement Account**

The wastewater utility has established an equipment replacement account to be used for significant wastewater treatment mechanical equipment replacement as required by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

### **Net Pension Asset**

Restricted assets have been reported in connection with the net pension asset balance since this balance must be used to fund employee benefits.

Following is a list of restricted assets at December 31, 2020:

	 vernmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	
Restricted cash and investments:			
Redemption account	\$ -	\$	329,449
Reserve account	-		259,221
Construction account	2,673,904		612,935
Equipment replacement account	-		1,525,883
Net pension asset	 1,552,522		149,973
Total restricted assets	\$ 4,226,426	\$	2,877,461

### **Capital Assets**

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2020 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Additions Deletions	
Governmental activities:				
Capital assets, not being				
depreciated:				
Construction in progress	\$ 1,209,221	\$ 3,553,167	\$ 1,041,597	\$ 3,720,791
Land	4,371,607	-	-	4,371,607
Right of way	191,464			191,464
Total capital assets, not				
being depreciated	5,772,292	3,553,167	1,041,597	8,283,862
Capital assets, being				
depreciated:				
Land improvements	6,970,511	1,075,957	-	8,046,468
Buildings	11,704,732	-	-	11,704,732
Machinery and equipment	8,194,918	149,942	199,973	8,144,887
Roads	35,506,717	727,696	98,901	36,135,512
Alleys	589,611	-	-	589,611
Bridges	313,693	-	-	313,693
Trails	1,597,073	-	-	1,597,073
Storm sewers	8,861,441	267,251	13,351	9,115,341
Sidewalks	5,654,908	159,101	51,042	5,762,967
Breakwater	13,900,000			13,900,000
Total capital assets,				
being depreciated	93,293,604	2,379,947	363,267	95,310,284
Less accumulated				
depreciation:				
Land improvements	1,393,699	178,057	-	1,571,756
Buildings	3,054,461	174,719	-	3,229,180
Machinery and equipment	5,503,788	423,224	180,550	5,746,462
Roads	10,579,160	689,275	71,351	11,197,084
Alleys	425,750	11,754	-	437,504
Bridges	117,226	6,274	-	123,500
Trails	521,040	39,927	-	560,967
Storm sewers	3,182,742	180,131	13,351	3,349,522
Sidewalks	2,483,505	142,085	17,595	2,607,995
Breakwater	173,750	139,000		312,750
Total accumulated				
depreciation	27,435,121	1,984,446	282,847	29,136,720
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Total capital assets,				
being depreciated,				
net ,	65,858,483	395,501	80,420	66,173,564
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Governmental activities				
capital assets, net	\$ 71,630,775	\$ 3,948,668	\$ 1,122,017	\$ 74,457,426

Depreciation expense was charged to functions as follows:

Governmental activities: General government Public safety Public works, which incl storm sewers and side Leisure activities	\$ 40,894 281,656 1,400,629 261,268			
Total government	tal activities deprec	iation expense	\$ 1,984,446	
	Beginning Balance	Additions	Deletions	Ending Balance
Business-Type Activities: Water utility: Capital assets, not being depreciated: Construction in progress Land and land rights	\$ - 30,611	\$ 591,036 -	\$ 474,064	\$ 116,972 30,611
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	30,611	591,036	474,064	147,583
Capital assets, being depreciated: Source of supply Pumping Treatment Transmission and distribution Administrative and general assets	88,116 832,593 2,648,489 18,601,573 782,905	- - - 510,286 18,259	- - - 32,525	88,116 832,593 2,648,489 19,079,334 801,164
Total capital assets, being depreciated	22,953,676	528,545	32,525	23,449,696
Total capital assets	22,984,287	1,119,581	506,589	23,597,279
Less accumulated depreciation: Source of supply Pumping Treatment Transmission and distribution Administrative and general assets	52,919 652,465 1,521,699 5,143,975 592,437	1,498 32,172 83,520 337,219 45,458	- - - 32,525	54,417 684,637 1,605,219 5,448,669 637,895
Total accumulated depreciation	7,963,495	499,867	32,525	8,430,837
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	14,990,181	28,678		15,018,859
Total water utility capital assets, net	\$ 15,020,792	\$ 619,714	\$ 474,064	\$ 15,166,442

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	Beginning Balance	Additions Deletions		Ending Balance		
Wastewater utility: Capital assets, not being depreciated:						
Construction in progress Land and land rights	\$ 242,724 38,951	\$	856,704 -	\$ 328,268	\$ 	771,160 38,951
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	 281,675		856,704	 328,268		810,111
Capital assets, being depreciated:						
Collection system Collection system	13,285,562		34,357	-		13,319,919
pumping Treatment and disposal	3,665,421 9,728,240		22,850 457,281	-		3,688,271 10,185,521
Administrative and general assets	2,637,202		6,759	<u>-</u>		2,643,961
Total capital assets, being depreciated	 29,316,425		521,247	<u>-</u>		29,837,672
Total capital assets	 29,598,100		1,377,951	328,268		30,647,783
Less accumulated depreciation	17,118,053		823,695			17,941,748
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	12,198,372		(302,448)	 <u> </u>		11,895,924
Total wastewater utility capital assets, net	\$ 12,480,047	\$	554,256	\$ 328,268	\$	12,706,035

City of Ashland

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	Beginning Balance	A	dditions	Delet	ions	Ending Balance		
Airport:								
Capital assets, not being depreciated:								
Construction in progress Land and land rights	\$ 5,096 45,768	\$	- -	\$	- -	\$	5,096 45,768	
Total capital assets, not								
being depreciated	 50,864			-			50,864	
Capital assets, being depreciated:								
Land improvements	3,090,427		-		-		3,090,427	
Buildings	574,074		-		-		574,074	
Equipment	 822,029		22,765	-			844,794	
Total capital assets,								
being depreciated	 4,486,530		22,765	-			4,509,295	
Total capital assets	 4,537,394		22,765				4,560,159	
Less accumulated								
depreciation:	1 000 100		440.005				4 = 4 4 00 4	
Land improvements	1,392,139		118,865		-		1,511,004	
Buildings	224,610		11,272		-		235,882	
Equipment	 769,642		7,640	-			777,282	
Total accumulated								
depreciation	 2,386,391		137,777				2,524,168	
Total capital assets, being depreciated,								
net	 2,100,139		(115,012)				1,985,127	
Total airport capital								
assets, net	\$ 2,151,003	\$	(115,012)	\$		\$	2,035,991	

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Deletions	Ending Balance		
Marina: Capital assets, not being						
depreciated: Construction in progress Land and land rights	\$ 408,580 391,500	\$ 57,742 	\$ 273,060 	\$ 193,262 391,500		
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	800,080	57,742	273,060	584,762		
Capital assets, being depreciated:						
Land improvements Buildings Equipment	972,695 1,190,886	273,060	- - -	273,060 972,695 1,190,886		
Total capital assets, being depreciated	2,163,581	273,060		2,436,641		
Total capital assets	2,963,661	330,802	273,060	3,021,403		
Less accumulated depreciation: Land improvements Buildings Equipment	214,126 571,964	2,731 19,456 51,817	- - -	2,731 233,582 623,781		
Total accumulated depreciation	786,090	74,004		860,094		
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	1,377,491	199,056		1,576,547		
Total marina capital assets, net	\$ 2,177,571	\$ 256,798	\$ 273,060	\$ 2,161,309		
Business-type capital assets, net	\$ 31,829,413	\$ 1,315,756	\$ 1,075,392	\$ 32,069,777		

Accumulated depreciation is not available by capital asset class for the wastewater utility.

Depreciation expense was charged to function as follows:

Business-type activities: Water Wastewater Airport Marina	\$	479,658 842,337 137,777 74,004
Total business-type activities depreciation expense	Ф.	,
rotal business-type activities depreciation expense	Φ	1,533,776

Depreciation expense may be different from business-type activity accumulated depreciation additions because of joint metering, salvage, cost of removal, internal allocations or costs associated with the disposal of assets.

#### Interfund Receivables/Payables, Advances and Transfers

#### Interfund Receivables/Payables

The following is a schedule of interfund receivables and payables, including any overdrafts on pooled cash and investment accounts.

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount		
General Fund	Home Improvement Program Leisure and Recreation	\$	55,162	
General Fund	Improvements		125,499	
General Fund	Water Utility		400,184	
Total fund financial statements			580,845	
Less advances Add interfund receivable created with internal service			(88,656)	
fund eliminations			32,145	
Less fund and government-wide eliminations			(180,661)	
Total internal balances for government-		ф	242 672	
wide statement of net position		\$	343,673	
Governmental Activities Business-Type Activities	Business-Type Activities Governmental Activities	\$	432,329 (88,656)	
Total internal balances for government- wide statement of net position		\$	343,673	

All amounts are due within one year.

The purpose for the interfund between the General Fund and the Water Utility is the payment in lieu of taxes. The primary purpose of most of the interfunds is a negative balance in pooled cash. Other interfund balances resulted from the time lag between the dates that interfund goods and services are provided or reimbursable expenditures occur, transactions are recorded in the accounting system, and payments between funds are made.

#### **Advances**

The Water Utility advance to the Debt Service Fund is to repay the Water Utility for the City's portion of debt related to construction project costs. A repayment schedule has been established for this advance.

No repayment schedule has been established for the remaining advances. Those advances are a result of a negative balance in pooled cash in those funds. TIF No. 9 Increment Fund is expected to repay \$463,566 of the advance within one year. The remaining balances are not expected to be repaid within one year.

The following is a schedule of interfund advances.

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	 Amount
General Fund General Fund	TIF No. 9 Increment TIF No. 9 Development Land Sales and	\$ 680,229 898,718
General Fund Water Utility	Acquisition Debt Service Fund	 105,694 88,656
Total fund financial statements		1,773,297
Less fund and government-wide eliminations		 (1,684,641)
Total advances for government-wide statement of net position		\$ 88,656

The repayment schedule for the Water Utility advance to the Debt Service Fund:

	<u>P</u>	rincipal
2021	\$	12,136
2022		12,308
2023		12,483
2024		12,660
2025		12,840
2026 - 2028		26,229
Total	\$	88,656

# **Transfers**

The following is a schedule of interfund transfers:

Fund Transferred To	Fund Transferred From		Amount
General Fund	Water Utility	\$	400,184
Vaughn Library	General Fund	Ψ	322,320
Community Planning and Development	General Fund		14,000
Home Improvement Program	General Fund		5,000
Recycling	General Fund		80,475
Wetlands Mitigation	General Fund		13,649
Capital Equipment	General Fund		50,000
Street Improvements	General Fund		405,000
Landfill Improvement	General Fund		5,000
Airport	General Fund		45,000
Street Improvements	Buildings and Facilities		70,600
Debt Service Fund	TIF No. 10 Increment		75,473
TIF No. 9 Increment	TIF No. 6 Increment		331,293
TIF No.10 Development	TIF No. 10 Increment		9,808
Buildings and Facilities	General Fund		40,000
Capital Equipment	General Fund		15,000
очрны Едиртоп	Waterfront		10,000
Leisure and Recreation Improvements	Development Waterfront		20,375
Marina	Development		47,560
Park Grounds	General Fund		10,000
Leisure and Recreation Improvements	General Fund		20,000
Total fund financial statements			1,980,737
Less fund and government-wide eliminations			(1,673,113)
Total government-wide statement of			
activities		\$	307,624
Business-Type Activities	Governmental Activities	\$	400,184
•	Business-Type		
Governmental Activities	Activities		(92,560)
Total transfers for government-wide			
statement of activities		\$	307,624

Generally, transfers are used to (1) move revenues from the fund that collects them to the fund that the budget requires to expend them, (2) move receipts restricted to debt service from the funds collecting the receipts to the debt service fund and (3) use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations. In addition, the transfer from the water utility to the general fund is for a payment in lieu of taxes.

# **Long-Term Obligations**

Long-term obligations activity for the year ended December 31, 2020 was as follows:

	 Beginning Balance			· ·		Increases Decreases		•		Oue Within One Year
Governmental Activities  Bonds and notes payable: General obligation bonds										
payable General obligation notes	\$ 4,079,997	\$	-	\$	320,000	\$	3,759,997	\$	320,000	
payable General obligation notes from direct borrowings	2,140,000		6,545,000		520,000		8,165,000		665,000	
and direct placements	 1,256,000	_			150,900		1,105,100		167,149	
Total bonds and notes payable	 7,475,997		6,545,000		990,900		13,030,097		1,152,149	
Other liabilities: Vested compensated										
absences Other post-employment	726,924		56,696		93,227		690,393		331,703	
benefits	1,261,368		9,738		-		1,271,106		-	
Landfill liability	828,163		_		9,037		819,126		-	
Advance from developer	114,370		_		114,370		_		-	
Net pension liability	 1,688,382				1,688,382					
Total other liabilities	4,619,207		66,434		1,905,016		2,780,625		331,703	
Total governmental activities, long-term										
liabilities	\$ 12,095,204	\$	6,611,434	\$	2,895,916	\$	15,810,722	\$	1,483,852	

	Beginning Balance	_	Increases	Decreases	 Ending Balance	_	ue Within One Year
Business-Type Activities Bonds and notes payable:							
General obligation debt	\$ -	\$	1,110,000	\$ _	\$ 1,110,000	\$	101,000
Revenue bonds Revenue bonds from direct borrowings and direct	5,769,700		-	195,846	5,573,854		202,502
placements	1,166,605		_	213,921	952,685		78,980
Total bonds and notes payable	6,936,305	_	1,110,000	409,767	 7,636,539		382,482
Other liabilities: Vested compensated							
absences Other post-employment	120,642		31,173	1,814	150,001		77,828
benefits	274,541		222,018	-	496,559		-
Net pension liability	163,502		-	 163,502	 -		<del>-</del>
Total other liabilities	558,685	_	253,191	 165,316	 646,560		77,828
Total business-type activities, long-term							
liabilities	\$ 7,494,990	\$	1,363,191	\$ 575,083	\$ 8,283,099	\$	460,310

#### **General Obligation Debt**

All general obligation notes and bonds payable are backed by the full faith and credit of the City. Notes and bonds in the governmental funds will be retired by future property tax levies accumulated by the debt service fund and by tax increments generated by the TIF districts. Business-type activities debt is payable by revenues from user fees of those funds, or if the revenues are not sufficient, by future tax levies.

In accordance with Wisconsin Statutes, total general obligation indebtedness of the City may not exceed 5 percent of the equalized value of taxable property within the City's jurisdiction. The debt limit as of December 31, 2020, was \$23,352,600. Total general obligation debt outstanding at year-end was \$14,140,097.

General obligation debt payable for the City at December 31, 2020, consists of the following:

Governmental Activities General Obligation Debt	Date of Issue	Final Maturity	Interest Rates	lne	Original debtedness	De	Balance, ecember 31, 2020
Note payable	2011	2021	0.60 - 2.30 %	\$	985,000	\$	110,000
Note payable*	2015	2025	2.59		890,000		597,000
Bond payable	2015	2035	2.00 - 3.25		4,470,000		3,759,997
Note payable	2017	2027	2.00 - 2.25		2,065,000		1,510,000
Note payable*	2018	2028	4.00		550,000		508,100
Note payable	2020	2030	1.91		6,545,000		6,545,000
Total governmental activ	vities, general obli	gation debt				\$	13,030,097

<sup>\*</sup> The debt noted is directly placed with a third party

Business-type Activities General Obligation Debt	Date of Issue	Final Maturity	Interest Rates	Inc	Original debtedness	Balance, December 31, 2020		
Water Utility:								
Note payable	2020	2030	2.75 %	\$	410,000	\$	410,000	
Marina:								
Note payable	2020	2030	2.27		700,000		700,000	
Total governmental activ	/ities, general obli	gation debt				\$	1,110,000	

Debt service requirements to maturity are as follows:

			Government	ai Ac	uviues		
	General Obl	igation	Debt	G	Direct Born	rowing	gs or
P	rincipal	Interest			Principal	Interest	
\$	167.149	\$	35.786	\$	985.000	\$	266,915
•	173,354	•	30,680	•	1,010,000	,	254,505
	178,649		25,381		1,015,000		231,647
	184,998		19,950		920,000		205,448
	191,515		14,247		940,000		182,154
	209,435		16,981		5,935,000		635,310
					1,119,997		106,094
\$	1,105,100	\$	143,025	\$	11,924,997	\$	1,882,073
	<b>P</b> !	\$ 167,149 173,354 178,649 184,998 191,515 209,435	\$ 167,149 \$ 173,354 178,649 184,998 191,515 209,435	\$ 167,149 \$ 35,786 173,354 30,680 178,649 25,381 184,998 19,950 191,515 14,247 209,435 16,981	General Obligation Debt           Principal         Interest           \$ 167,149         \$ 35,786           173,354         30,680           178,649         25,381           184,998         19,950           191,515         14,247           209,435         16,981           -         -	General Obligation Debt         Direct Born Direct Plan           Principal         Interest         Principal           \$ 167,149         \$ 35,786         \$ 985,000           173,354         30,680         1,010,000           178,649         25,381         1,015,000           184,998         19,950         920,000           191,515         14,247         940,000           209,435         16,981         5,935,000           -         1,119,997	Principal         Interest         Principal           \$ 167,149         \$ 35,786         \$ 985,000         \$ 173,354           \$ 178,649         25,381         1,010,000           \$ 184,998         19,950         920,000           \$ 191,515         14,247         940,000           \$ 209,435         16,981         5,935,000           \$ -         1,119,997

		Business-type Activities General Obligation Debt					
		Principal	Interest				
2021	\$	101,000	\$	26,033			
2022	φ	101,000	φ	24,695			
2023		104,000		22,202			
2024		106,000		19,659			
2025		109,000		17,065			
2026 - 2030		588,000		43,866			
Total		1,110,000	\$	153,520			

#### **Revenue Debt**

Revenue bonds are payable only from revenues derived from the operation of the water and wastewater utilities.

The water utility has pledged future water utility revenues, net of specified operating expenses, to repay water revenue bonds issued in 2008, 2009, 2016 and 2017. Proceeds from the bonds provided financing for the water utility. The bonds are payable solely from water utility revenues and are payable through 2056. Annual principal and interest payments on the water bonds are expected to require 23.3 percent of net revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bonds is \$6,695,630. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$468,672 and \$799,600, respectively.

The wastewater utility has pledged future wastewater utility revenues, net of specified operating expenses, to repay wastewater revenue bonds issued in 2014, 2016 and 2018. Proceeds from the bonds provided financing for the wastewater utility. The bonds are payable solely from wastewater utility revenues and are payable through 2058. Annual principal and interest payments on the wastewater bonds are expected to require 8.3 percent of net revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bonds is \$1,868,319. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$114,001 and \$589,492, respectively.

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Revenue debt payable at December 31, 2020 consists of the following:

	Date of Issue	Final Maturity	Interest Original Rates Indebtednes		De	Balance, ecember 31, 2020
Water Utility:						
Revenue bonds*	2008	2027	1.420 %	\$ 442,199	\$	176,831
Revenue bonds*	2009	2028	1.600	345,702		158,351
Revenue bonds	2016	2056	1.875	1,883,000		1,747,000
Revenue bonds	2017	2038	1.150 - 4.000	3,315,000		2,940,000
Total water utility						5,022,182
Wastewater Utility:						
Revenue bonds*	2014	2034	2.630	581,416		454,984
Revenue bonds*	2016	2036	1.960	193,550		162,519
Revenue bonds	2018	2058	2.750	960,000		886,854
Total wastewater utilit	ry					1,504,357
Total business-type a	ctivities, revenue de	bt			\$	6,526,539

<sup>\*</sup> The debt noted is directly placed with a third party

Debt service requirements to maturity are as follows:

		Business-Type Activities						
		Revenue Debt				Direct Borr	e Debt From rrowings and Placements	
	F	Principal		Interest	Р	rincipal	lı	nterest
2021	\$	202,502	\$	147,148	\$	78,980	\$	19,409
2022	•	204,269	·	143,163	•	80,512	•	17,862
2023		211,247		138,832		82,075		16,281
2024		213,137		134,138		83,671		14,669
2025		220,038		129,066		85,299		13,022
2026 - 2030		1,190,310		554,803		328,032		41,592
2031 - 2035		1,374,427		367,482		202,480		11,751
2036 - 2040		1,035,524		142,824		11,636		115
2041 - 2045		259,100		74,513		-		-
2046 - 2050		284,600		49,046		-		-
2051 - 2055		312,600		21,071		-		-
2056 - 2058		66,100		623				
Total	\$	5,573,854	\$	1,902,709	\$	952,685	\$	134,701

#### Other Debt Information

Estimated payments of accumulated employee benefits are not included in the debt service requirement schedules. The vested compensated absences, and other post-employment benefits liabilities attributable to governmental activities will be liquidated primarily by the general fund.

The City's outstanding 2015 General Obligation notes from direct borrowings and/or direct placements related to governmental activities with a balance totaling \$597,000, contain provisions that in the event of default, the outstanding balance shall become immediately due and payable.

The City's outstanding 2018 State Trust Fund Loan from direct borrowings related to governmental activities of \$508,100 contains clauses that any delinquent payments are subject to a penalty of one percent per month and shall be deducted from any state payments that are due to the City.

The City's 2008 and 2009 Safe Drinking Water Loans and 2014 and 2016 Clean Water Fund Loans from direct borrowings and/or direct placements related to business-type activities with balances totaling \$952,752, contain provisions that amounts due may be deducted from any state payments due to the City, that the Wisconsin Department of Administration may add a special charge to the amount of taxes apportioned to and levied upon the county in which the city is located, that the state has the right to bill the users of the City's utility system directly, and that the state has the right to declare the entire principal balance immediately due and payable.

A statutory mortgage lien upon the water and wastewater utilities' systems and any additions, improvements and extensions thereto is created by Section 66.0621 of the Wisconsin Statutes as provided for in the ordinances creating the 2016 and 2018 revenue bond issues. The utilities' systems and the earnings of the systems remain subject to the lien until payment in full of the principal and interest on the bonds. As provided for the resolutions creating various other bond issues, the utilities' earnings remain subject to a lien until a payment in full of the principal and interest on the bonds.

#### **Closure and Postclosure Care Cost**

State and federal laws and regulations require the City to place a final cover on its concrete and demolition disposal landfill site when it stops accepting waste and to perform certain maintenance and monitoring functions at the site for 40 years after closure. The \$819,126 reported as landfill closure and postclosure care liability at December 31, 2020, represents the cumulative amount reported to date based on the use of 100 percent of the estimated capacity of the landfill. The landfill was closed and capped in 2003. These amounts are based on what it would cost to perform all closure and postclosure care in 2020. Actual costs may be higher due to inflation, changes in technology or changes in regulations.

The City is required by state and federal laws and regulations to make annual contributions to a trust to finance closure and postclosure care or to maintain an Irrevocable Letter of Credit for the present value of estimated long-term care costs for the landfill. The City is in compliance with these requirements. If additional postclosure care requirements are determined (due to changes in technology or applicable laws or regulations, for example) these costs may need to be covered by charges to future landfill users or from future tax revenue.

#### **Net Position/Fund Balances**

Net position reported on the government wide statement of net position at December 31, 2020 includes the following:

#### **Governmental Activities**

Net investment in capital assets:	
Construction in progress	\$ 3,720,791
Land	4,563,071
Other capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation Less related long-term debt outstanding (excluding	66,173,564
unspent capital related debt proceeds)	 (10,138,756)
Total net investment in capital assets	\$ 64,318,670

# Governmental fund balances reported on the fund financial statements at December 31, 2020 include the following:

Fund Balances			Housing Rehab Revolving Loan Building Fac		Building Facilit	ties	Debt Service s Fund			Nonmajor Funds		Totals	
Nonspendable:													
Prepaid items and inventory	\$	69,414	\$	-	\$	_	\$	_	\$	-	\$	69,414	
Delinquent taxes Delinquent utilities included in due from other governments		2,038 23,784		-		-		-		-		2,038 23,784	
Noncurrent advances to other funds				-		-		-		-			
Restricted:		1,221,075		-		-		-		-		1,221,075	
Housing and economic development loans		-		266,302		-		-		649,094		915,396	
Debt service		-		-		-		222,178		-		222,178	
Library		-		-		-		· -		310,428		310,428	
Buildings and facilities		-		-	1,64	0,865		_		-		1,640,865	
Police programs		_		-	·	· -		_		34,358		34,358	
NSP Breakwall		-		-		-		_		538,653		538,653	
Beautification		_		-		_		_		7,282		7,282	
Home improvement program		_		-		_		_		21,005		21,005	
Wetland mitigation		-		-		_		_		700		700	
TIF No. 10		-		-		-		_		14,068		14,068	
Waterfront development		-		-		-		-		292,220		292,220	
Street improvement		-		-		-		_		91,843		91,843	
Capital equipment		-		-		-		-		650,533		650,533	
Committed:													
Bretting Teen Center		-		-		-		-		47,358		47,358	
Insured loss deductible		-		-		-		-		32,718		32,718	
Planning and development		-		-		-		-		37,809		37,809	
Assigned: Fund balance applied to subsequent													
year's budget		145,028		-		-		-		-		145,028	
Recycling		-		-		-		-		5		5	
Capital equipment		-		-		-		-		83,465		83,465	
Public transportation		-		-		<del>-</del>		-		22,000		22,000	
Buildings and facilities		-		-	58	7,284		-		-		587,284	
Street improvements		-		-		-		-		1,192,668		1,192,668	
Urban forestry		-		-		-		-		11,064		11,064	
Park grounds improvements		-		-		-		-		235,932		235,932	
Sidewalk improvements		-		-		-		-		32,229		32,229	
Landfill improvement		-		-		-		-		48,613		48,613	
Unassigned (deficit)		3,261,354			-		-	<u> </u>	-	(1,826,688)		1,434,666	
Total fund balances (deficit)	\$	4,722,693	\$	266,302	\$ 2,22	8,149	\$	222,178	\$	2,527,357	\$	9,966,679	

# **Business-Type Activities**

Net investment in capital assets:

Construction in progress \$ 1,086,490 Land 506,830 Other capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation 30,476,457 Less related long-term debt outstanding (excluding unspent capital related debt proceeds) (7,140,590)

Total net investment in capital assets \$ 24,929,187

#### **Component Unit - Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust**

This report contains the Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust, which is included as a component unit. In addition to the basic financial statements and the preceding notes to financial statements which apply, the following additional disclosures are considered necessary for a fair presentation.

#### **Summary of Significant Accounting Principles**

#### Organization

The Ashland Ore Dock Charitable Trust (Trust) was established on May 13, 2014, and is a not-for-profit organization governed by the law of the State of Wisconsin. The purpose of the Trust is to provide funds to the City of Ashland to preserve the legacy of the Ore Dock and to develop the Ore Dock as a vibrant municipal asset to be used by the City and its residents for generations to come.

## **Basis of Accounting**

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

#### Support and Revenue

The Trust received its support primarily from a one-time donation made by Wisconsin Central, Ltd. These monies are being invested for use in future years by the Trust. Contributions are recognized when realizable, and are reported as either without donor restrictions or with donor restrictions.

#### **Income Taxes and Uncertain Tax Positions**

For tax purposes, the Trust has been given status as an organization exempt from income tax liability under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code on May 20, 2015. While the Trust is generally exempt from income taxes, it is subject to taxes on unrelated trade or business income. For the year ended December 31, 2020, the Trust did not incur taxes for unrelated trade or business income. The Trust believes that it has appropriate support for any tax positions taken, and as such, does not have any uncertain tax positions that are material to the financial statements. The Trust's federal Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income Tax, is subject to examination for three years after it is filed.

#### **Deposits and Investments**

The Trust deposits cash directly into savings and share accounts and certificates of deposit held in FDIC member banks and NCUA member credit unions. The cash and certificate of deposit balances are insured through the FDIC or NCUA up to an amount of \$250,000. As of December 31, 2020, the uninsured portion of this balance was \$1,585,278. Subsequent to year end, the Trust obtained a \$1,250,000 excess deposit insurance bond.

#### **Liquid Resources**

The Trust's working capital and cash flows vary each year as their main focus is to reimburse the City of Ashland for approved expenses on the Ashland Ore Dock renovation project. Timing of the requests are dependent on project workflow. Because of this, a large amount is kept in liquid assets. As of December 31, 2020, the Trust had \$1,529,556 of cash and other net financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenses within one year.

#### **Related Party Transactions**

Costs for maintenance, betterment and operation of the Ore Dock are paid by the City of Ashland, after which the City requests reimbursement for such approved costs from the Trust. Amounts owed from the Trust to the City as of December 31, 2020 totaled \$9,057.

#### **Upcoming Accounting Pronouncements**

The Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) has approved ASU 2016-02, *Leases*. When this becomes effective, application of this standard may restate portions of these financial statements.

#### **Subsequent Events**

Management has evaluated subsequent events through August 24, 2021, the date on which the Trust financial statements were available to be issued. In regard to effects of the COVID-19 virus, the Trust's operations have not been significantly impacted. However, due to significant uncertainty surrounding the situation, management's judgement regarding this matter could change in the future. Any negative impact to the Trust's results of operation, cash flows and financial condition cannot be reasonably estimated at this time.

#### 4. Other Information

# **Employees' Retirement System**

#### **Plan Description**

The WRS is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. WRS benefits and other plan provisions are established by Chapter 40 of the Wisconsin Statutes. Benefit terms may only be modified by the legislature. The retirement system is administered by the Wisconsin Department of Employee Trust Funds (ETF). The system provides coverage to all eligible State of Wisconsin, local government and other public employees. All employees, initially employed by a participating WRS employer on or after July 1, 2011, and expected to work at least 1,200 hours a year and expected to be employed for at least one year from employee's date of hire are eligible to participate in the WRS.

ETF issues a standalone Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, which can be found at http://etf.wi.gov/publications/cafr.htm.

#### Vesting

For employees beginning participation on or after January 1, 1990, and no longer actively employed on or after April 24, 1998, creditable service in each of five years is required for eligibility for a retirement annuity. Participants employed prior to 1990 and on or after April 24, 1998, and prior to July 1, 2011, are immediately vested. Participants who initially became WRS eligible on or after July 1, 2011, must have five years of creditable service to be vested.

#### **Benefits Provided**

Employees who retire at or after age 65 (54 for protective occupation employees, 62 for elected officials and executive service retirement participants, if hired on or before December 31, 2016) are entitled to retirement benefits based on a formula factor, their average earnings, and creditable service.

Final average earnings is the average of the participant's three highest annual earnings periods. Creditable service includes current service and prior service for which a participant received earnings and made contributions as required. Creditable service also includes creditable military service. The retirement benefit will be calculated as a money purchase benefit based on the employee's contributions plus matching employer's contributions, with interest, if that benefit is higher than the formula benefit.

Vested participants may retire at age 55 (50 for protective occupations) and receive an actuarially reduced benefit. Participants terminating covered employment prior to eligibility for an annuity may either receive employee-required contributions plus interest as a separation benefit or leave contributions on deposit and defer application until eligible to receive a retirement benefit.

The WRS also provides death and disability benefits for employees.

# **Post-Retirement Adjustments**

The Employee Trust Funds Board may periodically adjust annuity payments from the retirement system based on annual investment performance in accordance with s. 40.27, Wis. Stat. An increase (or decrease) in annuity payments may result when investment gains (losses), together with other actuarial experience factors, create a surplus (shortfall) in the reserves, as determined by the system's consulting actuary. Annuity increases are not based on cost of living or other similar factors. For Core annuities, decreases may be applied only to previously granted increases. By law, Core annuities cannot be reduced to an amount below the original, guaranteed amount (the floor) set at retirement. The Core and Variable annuity adjustments granted during recent years are as follows:

	Core Fund Adjustment	Variable Fund Adjustment
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Year:		
2010	(1.3) %	22.0 %
2011	(1.2)	11.0
2012	(7.0)	(7.0)
2013	(9.6)	9.0
2014	4.7	25.0
2015	2.9	2.0
2016	0.5	(5.0)
2017	2.0	4.0
2018	2.4	17.0
2019	0.0	(10.0)

# **Contributions**

Required contributions are determined by an annual actuarial valuation in accordance with Chapter 40 of the Wisconsin Statutes. The employee required contribution is one-half of the actuarially determined contribution rate for General category employees and Executives and Elected Officials. Starting on January 1, 2016, the Executives and Elected Officials category merged into the General Employee category. Required contributions for protective employees are the same rate as general employees. Employers are required to contribute the remainder of the actuarially determined contribution rate. The employer may not pay the employee required contribution unless provided for by an existing collective bargaining agreement.

During the reporting period, the WRS recognized \$547,480 in contributions from the City.

Contribution rates for the plan year reported as of December 31, 2020 are:

	Employee	Employer
Employee category:		
General (executives and elected officials)	6.55 %	6.55 %
Protective with Social Security	6.55	10.55
Protective without Social Security	6.55	14.95

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

At December 31, 2020, the City reported an asset of \$1,702,495 for its proportionate share of the net pension asset. The net pension asset was measured as of December 31, 2019, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension asset was determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2018 rolled forward to December 31, 2019. No material changes in assumptions or benefit terms occurred between the actuarial valuation date and the measurement date. The City's proportion of the net pension asset was based on the City's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating employers. At December 31, 2020, the City's proportion was .05279944 percent, which was an increase of .00074693 percent from its proportion measured as of December 31, 2019.

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the City recognized pension expense of \$686,853.

At December 31, 2020, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources		li	Deferred nflows of esources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	3,231,724	\$	1,617,261
Changes in actuarial assumptions		132,669		-
Net differences between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		-		3,480,505
Changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions		389		19,925
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date		647,008		
Total	\$	4,011,790	\$	5,117,691

\$647,008 reported as deferred outflows related to pension resulting from the WRS Employer's contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended December 31, 2021. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources, Net
Years ended December 31:	
2021	\$ (524,610)
2022	(388,738)
2023	56,428
2024	(895,989)

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#### **Actuarial Assumptions**

The total pension asset in the December 31, 2019 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Actuarial valuation date

Measurement date of net position liability (asset)

Actuarial cost method

Asset valuation method

December 31, 2018

December 31, 2019

Entry age normal

Fair value

Long-term expected rate of return 7.0%
Discount rate 7.0%

Salary increases:

Inflation 3.0%

Seniority/merit 0.1% - 5.6%

Morality Wisconsin 2019 Mortality Table

Post-retirement adjustments\* 1.9%

Actuarial assumptions are based upon an experience study conducted in 2019 that covered a three-year period from January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2018. Based on this experience study, actuarial assumptions used to measure the Total Pension Liability changed from prior year, including the discount rate, long-term expected rate of return, post-retirement adjustment, wage inflation rate, mortality and separation rates. The Total Pension Liability for December 31, 2019 is based upon a roll-forward of the liability calculated from the December 31, 2018 actuarial valuation.

<sup>\*</sup> No post-retirement adjustment is guaranteed. Actual adjustments are based on recognized investment return, actuarial experience and other factors. 1.9 percent is the assumed annual adjustment based on the investment return assumption and the post-retirement discount rate.

# **Long-Term Expected Return on Plan Assets**

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

	Current Asset Allocation Percent	Long-Term Expected Nominal Rate of Return Percent	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return Percent
Core Fund Asset Class:			
Global equities	49.0 %	8.0 %	5.1 %
Fixed income	24.5	4.9	2.1
Inflation sensitive assets	15.5	4.0	1.2
Real estate	9.0	6.3	3.5
Private equity/debt	8.0	10.6	7.6
Multi-asset	4.0	6.9	4.0
Total Core Fund	110.0 %	7.5 %	4.6 %
Variable Fund Asset Class:			
U.S. equities	70.0 %	7.5 %	4.6 %
International equities	30.0	8.2	5.3
Total Variable Fund	100.0 %	7.8 %	4.9 %

New England Pension Consultants Long Term US CPI (Inflation) Forecast: 2.75 percent Asset Allocations are managed within established ranges, target percentages may differ from actual monthly allocations

#### Single Discount Rate

A single discount rate of 7.00 percent was used to measure the total pension liability. This single discount rate was based on the expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00 percent and a long-term bond rate of 2.75 percent. Because of the unique structure of WRS, the 7.00 percent expected rate of return implies that a dividend of approximately 1.9 percent will always be paid. For purposes of the single discount rate, it was assumed that the dividend would always be paid. The projection of cash flows used to determine this single discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the difference between actuarially determined contribution rates and the member rate. Based on these assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments (including expected dividends) of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

# Sensitivity of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) calculated using the discount rate of 7.00 percent, as well as what the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.00 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.00 percent) than the current rate:

	 1% Decrease to Discount Rate (6.00%)		Current Discount Rate (7.00%)		Increase to scount Rate (8.00%)
City's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 4,384,228	\$	(1,702,495)	\$	(6,253,021)

#### **Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position**

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in separately issued financial statements available at http://etf.wi.gov/publications/cafr.htm.

At December 31, 2020, the City reported a payable to the pension plan which represents contractually required contributions outstanding as of the end of the year.

# **Risk Management**

The City is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, or destruction of assets; errors and omissions; workers' compensation; and health care of its employees. All of these risks are covered through the purchase of commercial insurance, with minimal deductibles. Settled claims have not exceeded commercial coverage in any of the past three years. There were no significant reductions in coverage compared to the prior year.

The City self-insures for the dental care of its employees. The maximum benefit per person per year is \$1,200, the maximum orthodontic benefit per dependent up to age 19 per lifetime is \$1,500, and the maximum oral surgery benefit per person per year is \$3,000.

#### **Commitments and Contingencies**

Claims and judgments are recorded as liabilities if all the conditions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board pronouncements are met. The liability and expenditure for claims and judgments is only reported in governmental fund types if it has matured. Claims and judgments are recorded in the government-wide statements and enterprise funds as expenses when the related liabilities are incurred.

From time to time, the City is party to various other pending claims and legal proceedings. Although the outcome of such matters cannot be forecasted with certainty, it is the opinion of management and the City attorney that the likelihood is remote that any such claims or proceedings will have a material adverse effect on the City's financial position or results of operations.

The City has received federal and state grants for specific purposes that are subject to review and audit by the grantor agencies. Such audits could lead to requests for reimbursements to the grantor agency for expenditures disallowed under terms of the grants. Management believes such disallowances, if any, would be immaterial.

The City operated a state licensed sanitary landfill and demolition landfill on Woodbury Lane for approximately 20 years. Disposal operations ceased in 2002 and both landfills were closed and capped in 2003. As required by the Wis. DNR, the City maintains an Irrevocable Letter of Credit with a local bank for the present value of estimated Long Term Care Costs for the landfill. The long-term care obligation extends through year 2044. The City has letters of credit at a local bank of \$878,687, to be drawn upon for cleanup costs. No draws have been made on these letters of credit as of December 31, 2020.

The City has active construction projects as of December 31, 2020. Work that has been completed on these projects but not yet paid for (including contract retainages) is reflected as accounts payable and expenditures. The City has open contracts of approximately \$2,286,000 at December 31, 2020 relating to various projects.

On April 13, 2015, the City through its Tax Incremental Financing District (TID) No. 9 entered into a tax abatement agreement with a developer in the form of a tax incremental financing incentive payment to stimulate economic development. The abatement is authorized through the TID project plan. The developer pays property taxes as they become due, and after meeting the criteria established in the development agreement, is entitled to a future incentive payment that directly correlates to the taxes paid. The incentive is calculated based on 90 percent of the tax increment revenue received up to \$197,380 and an achieved value of \$1.184 million. Incentive payments for the year ended December 31, 2020 were \$25,821.

#### **Joint Ventures**

The City of Ashland and surrounding communities jointly operate the Bay Area Rural Transit system which provides bus service. Summary financial information of the system was not available. The transactions of the system are not reflected in these financial statements.

#### **Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions**

#### **General Information About the OPEB Plan**

#### Plan Description and Benefits Provided

The City's other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan provides group health insurance coverage for all active employees and retirees (or other qualified terminated employees) at blended premium rates, resulting in an implicit rate subsidy for all retirees with group health coverage.

Retirees or single eligible spouses are required to contribute for their coverage 100 percent of the total premium, with the following exceptions: police officers hired before January 1, 1987 or firefighters hired before January 1, 1986 receive free single medical and dental coverage until they are eligible for Medicare, disabled police officers, firefighters, and union City employees received free single medical and dental coverage until eligible for Medicare, and utility employees hired before January 1, 1997 with 20 years of service receive free family medical starting at age 65 for life. This results in an OPEB for the retirees who do not contribute 100 percent of the total premium for their coverage.

The City administers its single-employer defined benefit OPEB plan. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of Statement 75.

The benefit terms are established through collective bargaining agreements and the City's employee handbook. Administrative costs of the plan are financed by the City.

# **Employees Covered by Benefit Terms**

At December 31, 2020, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive plan members or beneficiaries currently	
receiving benefit payments	22
Inactive plan members entitled to but not yet	
receiving benefit payments	1
Active plan members	39
	62

#### **Total OPEB Liability**

The City's total OPEB liability of \$1,767,665 was measured as of December 31, 2020, and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2020 with results actuarially projected on a "no gain / no loss" basis to get to the December 31, 2020 measurement date.

#### **Actuarial Assumptions and Other Inputs**

The total OPEB liability in the December 31, 2020 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions and other inputs, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Inflation	3.0 percent
Payroll growth	3.0 percent plus merit/productivity increases based on WRS actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2019
Healthcare cost trend rates	7.5 percent for 2021, decreasing 0.5 percent per year to an ultimate rate of 4.5 percent for 2027 and later years

The discount rate was based on a yield for 20-year tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher.

Mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General, Public Safety, Non-Safety Disabled Retiree, and Public Safety Disabled Retiree and Continuing Survivor Headcount-weighted Mortality Tables fully generational using scale MP-2019, as appropriate

The actuarial assumptions used in the December 31, 2020 valuation were based on the results of the Wisconsin Retirement System actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2020.

# Changes in the Total OPEB Liability

	-	otal OPEB Liability
Balance at December 31, 2019	\$	1,535,909
Changes for the year: Service cost		40.255
Interest		48,355 50,186
Changes of benefit terms		-
Differences between expected and actual experience		97,380
Changes in assumptions or other inputs		126,193
Benefit payments		(90,358)
Net changes		231,756
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$	1,767,665

# **Change in Assumptions**

Assumptions related to the termination rate, retirement rate, disability rate and salary scale have been updated to follow the most recent Wisconsin Retirement System actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2020. The discount rate changed from 3.26 percent in 2019 to 2.12 percent in 2020.

The health care coverage election rate remained at 40% for all employees. Health care trend rates are currently decreasing .5 percent annually from an initial rate of 8.0 percent in 2019 to an ultimate rate of 4.5 percent for pre-65 benefits and 7.0 percent in 2019 to an ultimate rate of 3.5 percent for post-65 benefits. Dental trend rates were reset to an initial rate of 5.0 percent in 2019, decreasing by .5 percent annually to an ultimate rate of 3.0 percent.

The mortality tables were updated from RPH-2017 adjusted to 2006 total dataset fully generational using scale MP-2017 to the PUB-2010 amounts weighted mortality tables fully generational (various classifications) using scale MP-2019.

#### Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the City, as well as what the City's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (1.12 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (3.12 percent) than the current discount rate:

		1% Decrease		count Rate	1% Increase		
		(1.12%)		(2.12%)	(3.12%)		
Total OPEB liability	\$	1,912,649	\$	1,767,665	\$	1,638,308	

#### Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Cost Trend Rates

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the City, as well as what the City's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower (6.5 percent decreasing to 3.5 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.5 percent decreasing to 5.5 percent) than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

		<b>Healthcare Cost</b>			
	1% Decrease (6.5% Decreasing to 3.5%)	Trend Rates (7.5% Decreasing to 4.5%)	1% Increase (8.5% Decreasing to 5.5%)		
Total OPEB liability	\$ 1.610.409	\$ 1.767.665	\$ 1.949.938		

# OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB Note

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the City recognized OPEB expense of \$14,545. At December 31, 2020, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Ou	eferred atflows of esources	Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Differences between expected and actual experience Changes of assumptions or other inputs	\$	85,207 126,597	\$	371,230 328,267	
Total	\$	211,804	\$	699,497	

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

Years ending December 31:	
2021	\$ (83,996)
2022	(83,994)
2023	(92,084)
2024	(92,084)
2025	(92,086)
Thereafter	(43,449)

# **Related Organizations**

The City's officials are responsible for appointing the board members of the Housing Authority of Ashland, but the City's accountability for this organization does not extend beyond making the appointments.

# **Effect of New Accounting Standards on Current-Period Financial Statements**

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has approved the following:

- Statement No. 87, Leases
- Statement No. 89, Accounting for Interest Cost Incurred before the End of a Construction Period
- Statement No. 91, Conduit Debt Obligations
- Statement No. 92, Omnibus
- Statement No. 93, Replacement of Interbank Offered Rates
- Statement No. 94, Public-Private and Public-Public Partnerships and Availability Payment Arrangements
- Statement No. 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements
- Statement No. 97, Certain Component Unit Criteria, and Accounting and Financial Reporting for Internal Revenue Code Section 457 Deferred Compensation Plans - an amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 84, and a supersession of GASB Statement No. 32

When they become effective, application of these standards may restate portions of these financial statements.

#### **Subsequent Event**

#### Relief through the American Rescue Plan Act

The federal government passed the American Rescue Plan Act on March 11, 2021 to respond to the COVID-19 public health emergency and its negative economic impacts. Amounts were appropriated for fiscal year 2021 to units of local government to mitigate the fiscal effects stemming from the public health emergency. The City's award is \$820,915, which will be used to combat the negative effects of the public health emergency in the local economy. The City received 50% of the funds in June 2021, with the remaining expected a year later. The funds must be committed by December 31, 2024, with a deadline to expend funds by December 31, 2026.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance With	
	Original	Final	Actual	Final Budget	
Revenues					
Taxes:					
General property tax for local purposes	\$ 2,776,476	\$ 2,776,476	\$ 2,776,863	\$ 387	
Payments in lieu of taxes	32,000	32,000	40,356	8,356	
Sales tax-city share	120	120	141	21	
Mobile home taxes	24,000	24,000	24,060	60	
Room tax	10,000	10,000	7,908	(2,092)	
Interest on taxes	2,500	2,500	13,804	11,304	
Total taxes	2,845,096	2,845,096	2,863,132	18,036	
Intergovernmental:					
Shared taxes from state	3,771,532	3,771,532	3,749,300	(22,232)	
State aid, computer aid	28,627	28,627	33,137	¥,510	
State aid, highways	73,907	73,907	73,907	-	
State aid, local streets	598,513	598,513	598,513	_	
State aid, other public safety	34,000	34,000	57,568	23,568	
Protection services	12,500	12,500	12,386	(114)	
State aid, fire insurance tax	20,000	20,000	21,057	1,057	
Expenditure restraint	115,497	115,497	115,497	-	
Federal grants	=	-	34,562	34,562	
Other local government grants	250	250	3,776	3,526	
Total intergovernmental	4,654,826	4,654,826	4,699,703	44,877	
Licenses and permits:					
Liquor and malt beverage licenses	31,400	31,400	23,160	(8,240)	
Nonbusiness licenses	10	10	7	(3)	
Cable franchise fee	81,673	81,673	84,163	2,490	
Building permits	45,000	45,000	57,024	12,024	
Zoning permits	8,845	8,845	2,750	(6,095)	
Total licenses and permits	166,928	166,928	167,104	176	
Fines, forfeitures and penalties:					
Court penalties and costs	25,000	25,000	18,882	(6,118)	
Total fines, forfeitures and penalties	25,000	25,000	18,882	(6,118)	

	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance With
	Original	Final	Actual	Final Budget
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Public charges for services:	ф 0.000	Ф 0.000	¢ 10.504	ф 4 <b>Б</b> О4
General government fees	\$ 9,000	\$ 9,000	\$ 10,584	\$ 1,584
Police department fees	3,500	3,500	4,998	1,498
Fire department fees	1,000	1,000	-	(1,000)
Ambulance fees	1,069,000	1,069,000	901,148	(167,852)
Ambulance protection fees	13,400	13,400	6,904	(6,496)
Other public safety fees	5,800	5,800	150	(5,650)
Public works fees	54,400	54,400	67,413	13,013
Fuel tax refund	3,500	3,500	3,415	(85)
Parking revenues	14,500	14,500	7,343	(7,157)
Refuse and garbage fees	369,100	369,100	368,448	(652)
Animal control	2,500	2,500	2,368	(132)
Park fees	136,000	136,000	109,834	(26,166)
Weed and nuisance control	-	-	4,658	4,658
Leisure programs	85,000	85,000	32,261	(52,739)
Total public charges for services	1,766,700	1,766,700	1,519,524	(247,176)
Intergovernmental charges for services:				
Liaison officer	75,000	75,000	46,079	(28,921)
Fire yearly fees	170,600	170,600	136,387	(34,213)
Ambulance yearly fees	233,475	233,475	233,477	2
County GIS reimbursement	,	,	1,650	1,650
Airport fees	8,000	8,000	8,000	-,
Attorney reimbursement from water utility	5,000	5,000		(5,000)
Utility cost sharing	235,620	235,620	234,094	(1,526)
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Charges to library	42,500	42,500	42,455	(45)
Total intergovernmental charges for services	770,195	770,195	702,142	(68,053)
Investment income:				
Interest on temporary investments	40,000	40,000	22,504	(17,496)
Total investment income	40,000	40,000	22,504	(17,496)
Miscellaneous:				
Rent/lease	30,000	30,000	20,632	(9,368)
Insurance dividends	30,000	30,000	42,107	12,107
Donations	1,000	1,000	2,051	1,051
Insurance workman's compensation	2,000	2,000	10,940	8,940
Other miscellaneous revenue	320	320	6,383	6,063
Total miscellaneous	63,320	63,320	82,113	18,793
Total revenues	10,332,065	10,332,065	10,075,104	(256,961)

	Budgete	ed Amounts		Variance With	
	Original	Final	Actual	Final Budget	
Expenditures					
General government:					
Council	\$ 66,400	\$ 66,400	\$ 36,385	\$ 30,015	
Police/fire commission	5,300		Ψ 30,363 7,652	3	
Mayor	30,740	,	24,956	5,784	
Administrator	136,175	*	136,222	3	
Clerk:	100,170	100,220	100,222	· ·	
Legislative support	98,640	98,640	96,826	1,814	
Elections	107,765	,	63,136	15,105	
Personnel, labor relations	140,120		208,341	(1,221)	
Data processing	282,320		267,328	14,992	
Other city hall	124,230	*	111,094	13,136	
Financial administration, finance department	419,165		422,909	1	
Assessment of property	62,650	,	62,463	187	
Legal	70,000	,	55,506	14,494	
Municipal buildings	457,951	397,951	394,742	3,209	
Uncollectible taxes/special assessment refunds	2,500		1,307	1,193	
Property and liability insurance	128,600		104,878	6,822	
Total general government	2,132,556	2,099,282	1,993,745	105,537	
Public safety:					
Police	2,111,480	2,111,480	2,111,041	439	
Ambulance and fire	2,827,850	2,760,450	2,510,176	250,274	
Hydrant rental	19,200	19,200	19,141	59	
Building inspection	103,450	114,600	114,596	4	
Weights and measures	5,600	5,600	5,600		
Total public safety	5,067,580	5,011,330	4,760,554	250,776	
Public works:					
Administration	213,846	190,346	190,346	_	
Road maintenance	969,854	,	926,400	_	
Street lighting	161,702	,	150,278	_	
Sidewalk maintenance	20,308		3,906	_	
Storm sewers	101,893	*	79,834	_	
Parking facilities	2,915		1,143	_	
Bay Area Transit	30,000		30,000	_	
GIS and engineering	181,384		110,103	892	
Garbage and refuse collection	336,560	336,560	334,096	2,464	
Landfill	40,332		36,941	3,391	
Total public works	2,058,794	1,869,794	1,863,047	6,747	
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	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance With
	Original	Final	Actual	Final Budget
Health and human services:	Φ 00.000		Φ 00.004	Φ 0.000
Animal control	\$ 86,930	\$ 86,930	\$ 83,091	\$ 3,839
Mount Hope cemetery	61,000	61,000	61,000	=
Other health and human services	1,600	1,600	1,600	·
Total health and human services	149,530	149,530	145,691	3,839
Leisure activities:				
Museum	10,000	10,000	10,000	=
Parks	221,105	195,105	172,045	23,060
Leisure services	301,440	301,440	291,758	9,682
Municipal band	4,950	4,200	=	4,200
Community events	14,950	15,700	15,700	<del>-</del>
Total leisure activities	552,445	526,445	489,503	36,942
Conservation and development:				
Historic preservation	600	600	120	480
Superior days	50,500	50,500	50,000	500
Community development	136,090	136,090	133,327	2,763
Total conservation and development	187,190	187,190	183,447	3,743
Total expenditures	10,148,095	9,843,571	9,435,987	407,584
Excess of revenues over expenditures	183,970	488,494	639,117	150,623
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Transfers in	536,950	536,950	400,184	(136,766)
Transfers out	(720,920)	(1,025,444)	(1,025,444)	<u> </u>
Total other financing sources (uses)	(183,970)	(488,494)	(625,260)	(136,766)
Net change in fund balance	\$ -	\$ -	13,857	\$ 13,857
Fund Balance, Beginning			4,708,836	
Fund Balance, Ending			\$ 4,722,693	

Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Special Revenue Fund - Housing Rehab Revolving Loan Fund Year Ended December 31, 2020

	<b>Budgeted Amounts</b>					Variance With		
		Original		Final	 Actual	Final	Final Budget	
REVENUES								
Investment income	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 88	\$	88	
Miscellaneous		50,000		92,926	 92,837		(89)	
Total revenues		50,000		92,926	 92,925		(1)	
Expenditures Current:								
Conservation and development		120,000		23,140	23,139		1	
Total expenditures		120,000		23,140	 23,139		1	
Net change in fund balance	\$	(70,000)	\$	69,786	69,786	\$		
Fund Balance, Beginning					 196,516			
Fund Balance, Ending					\$ 266,302			

City of Ashland
Schedule of Changes in Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios
Year Ended December 31, 2020

	2020		2019		2018		2017	
Total OPEB Liability								
Service cost	\$	48,355	\$	140,668	\$	150,703	\$	139,541
Interest		50,186		94,923		85,119		85,273
Differences between expected and actual experience		97,380		(445,107)		(59,839)		-
Changes of assumptions		126,193		(349,606)		(105,699)		48,530
Benefit payments		(90,358)		(146,257)		(137,344)		(126,004)
Net change in total OPEB liability		231,756		(705,379)		(67,060)		147,340
Total OPEB Liability, Beginning		1,535,909		2,241,288		2,308,348		2,161,008
Total OPEB Liability, Ending	\$	1,767,665	\$	1,535,909	\$	2,241,288	\$	2,308,348
Covered-Employee Payroll	\$	2,297,650	\$	2,230,728	\$	5,124,538	\$	4,975,280
Total OPEB Liability As A Percentage Of Covered-Employee Payroll		76.93%		68.85%		43.74%		46.40%

Schedule of Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS) Year Ended December 31, 2020

WRS Fiscal Year End Date (Measurement Date)	City's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability/(Asset)		City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability/(Asset)		City's Covered Payroll	City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability/(Asset) as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	
12/31/19	0.05279944 %	\$	(1,702,495)	\$	5,627,783	30.25 %	102.96	%
12/31/18	0.05205305 %		1,851,884		5,477,661	33.81 %	96.45	%
12/31/17	0.05058435 %		(1,501,909)		5,435,264	27.63 %	102.93	%
12/31/16	0.04893186 %		403,315		5,287,897	7.63 %	99.12	%
12/31/15	0.04770946 %		775,269		5,222,200	14.85 %	98.20	%
12/31/14	0.04797177 %		(1,178,315)		5,094,425	23.13 %	102.74	%

Schedule of Employer Contributions Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS) Year Ended December 31, 2020

City Year End Date	Contractually Required Contributions		Contributions in Relation to the Contractually Required Contributions		Contribution Deficiency (Excess)		Covered Payroll		Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	
12/31/20	\$	647,008	\$	647,008	\$	_	\$	5,704,185	11.34	%
12/31/19		621,865		621,865		-		5,626,103	11.05	%
12/31/18		567,882		567,882		-		5,477,661	10.37	%
12/31/17		562,334		562,334		-		5,435,264	10.35	%
12/31/16		479,733		479,733		-		5,287,897	9.07	%
12/31/15		466,331		466,331		-		5,222,200	8.93	%

Notes to Required Supplementary Information December 31, 2020

#### 1. Budgetary Information

Budgetary information is derived from the annual operating budget and is presented using the same basis of accounting as described in Note 1.

The budgeted amounts presented include any amendments made. The City administrator may authorize transfers of budgeted amounts within departments. Transfers between departments may be authorized by resolution by the City Council and a public hearing must be held to increase the total appropriations of any governmental fund type.

Appropriations lapse at year-end unless specifically carried over. Budgets are adopted at the department level of expenditure for the general fund and the enterprise funds. The debt service fund budget is adopted at the function level. Budgets are adopted at the fund level for special revenue funds, capital projects funds, and the internal service fund.

#### 2. Wisconsin Retirement System

The amounts determined for each fiscal year were determined as of the calendar year-end that occurred within the fiscal year.

The City is required to present the last ten fiscal years of data; however, accounting standards allow the presentation of as many years as are available until ten fiscal years are presented.

#### **Changes in Benefit Terms**

There were no changes of benefit terms for any participating employer in the Wisconsin Retirement System.

### **Changes in Assumptions**

There were no changes of actuarial assumptions for any participating employer in the Wisconsin Retirement System.

#### 3. Other Post-Employment Benefit (OPEB) Plan

The City implemented GASB Statement No. 75 in fiscal year 2017. Information prior to fiscal year 2017 is not available.

The City is required to present the last ten fiscal years of data; however, accounting standards allow the presentation of as many years as are available until ten fiscal years are presented.

#### **Accumulation of Assets**

No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of Statement No. 75.

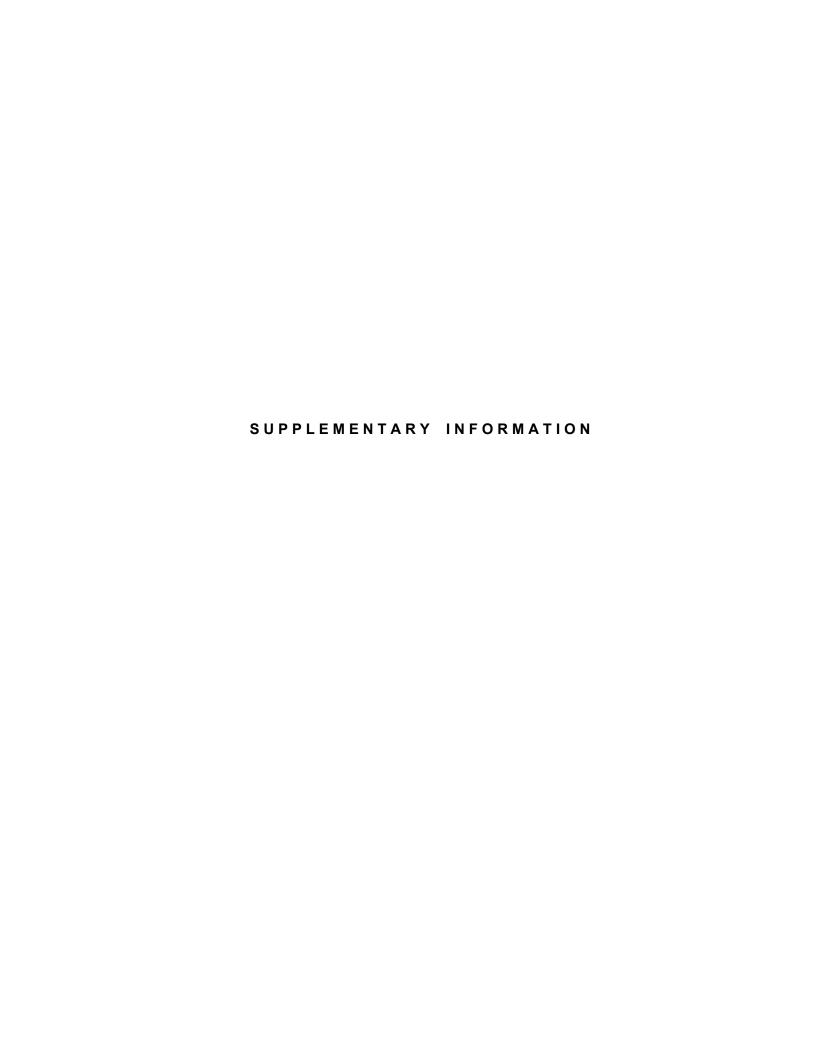
Notes to Required Supplementary Information December 31, 2020

#### **Changes in Benefit Terms and Assumptions**

There were no changes in the benefit terms. Assumptions related to the termination rate, retirement rate, disability rate and salary scale have been updated to follow the most recent Wisconsin Retirement System actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2020. The discount rate changed from 3.26 percent in 2019 to 2.12 percent in 2020.

The health care coverage election rate remained at 40 percent for all employees in 2020. Health care trend rates have changed from an initial rate of 8.0 percent in 2019 decreasing by .5 percent annually to an ultimate rate of 4.5 percent for pre-65 benefits and an initial rate of 7.0 percent in 2019 decreasing by .5 percent annually to an ultimate rate of 3.5 percent for post-65 benefits. Dental trend rates have changed from an initial rate of 5.0 percent in 2019 decreasing by .5 percent annually to an ultimate rate of 3.0 percent.

The mortality tables were updated from RPH-2017 adjusted to 2006 total dataset fully generational using scale MP-2017 to the PUB-2010 amounts weighted mortality tables fully generational (various classifications) using scale MP-2019.



City of Ashland

Combining Balance Sheet - Nonmajor Governmental Funds December 31, 2020

	Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds		Nonmajor Capital Projects Funds	 Total Nonmajor Funds
Assets				
Cash and investments Restricted assets, construction account Taxes receivable Accounts receivable Notes receivable, net Special assessments receivable Due from other governments	\$ 1,729,339 - 601,597 507 185,767 - 98,060	\$	2,095,313 767,189 3,090 35,048 - 40,964 369,367	\$ 3,824,652 767,189 604,687 35,555 185,767 40,964 467,427
Total assets	\$ 2,615,270	\$	3,310,971	\$ 5,926,241
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances				
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$ 30,596	\$	245,954	\$ 276,550
Accrued liabilities  Due to other funds	15,152 55,162		- 125,499	15,152 180,661
Advances from other funds	 680,229		1,004,412	1,684,641
Total liabilities	 781,139		1,375,865	 2,157,004
Deferred Inflows of Resources				
Unearned revenues	635,977		3,792	639,769
Unavailable revenues	 190,217		411,894	 602,111
Total deferred inflows of resources	 826,194		415,686	1,241,880
Fund Balances				
Restricted	1,575,588		1,034,596	2,610,184
Committed	117,885		-	117,885
Assigned	5		1,625,971	1,625,976
Unassigned (deficit)	 (685,541)	-	(1,141,147)	 (1,826,688)
Total fund balances	 1,007,937		1,519,420	 2,527,357
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances	\$ 2,615,270	\$	3,310,971	\$ 5,926,241

City of Ashland
Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Year Ended December 31, 2020

	lonmajor Special Revenue Funds	lonmajor Capital Projects Funds	Total lonmajor vernmental Funds
Revenues			
Taxes	\$ 654,588	\$ 110,326	\$ 764,914
Intergovernmental	566,074	54,071	620,145
Public charges for services	4,001	3,500	7,501
Special assessments	, -	8,321	8,321
Investment income	13,682	4,444	18,126
Miscellaneous	 232,723	 208,983	 441,706
Total revenues	 1,471,068	 389,645	 1,860,713
Expenditures			
Current:			
General government	15,978		15,978
Public safety	27,034	53,931	80,965
Public works	137,020	136,086	273,106
Health and human services	76,288	-	76,288
Leisure activities	495,616	163,063	658,679
Conservation and development	169,068	29,234	198,302
Capital outlay	28,473	1,441,872	1,470,345
Debt Service:			
Principal	-	114,370	114,370
Interest and fiscal charges	 	 21,703	 21,703
Total expenditures	 949,477	 1,960,259	 2,909,736
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	521,591	(1,570,614)	(1,049,023)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)			
Long-term debt issued	-	1,785,000	1,785,000
Transfers in	766,737	605,783	1,372,520
Transfers out	(416,574)	(67,935)	(484,509)
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	 	 26,472	 26,472
Total other financing sources (uses)	 350,163	 2,349,320	 2,699,483
Net change in fund balances	871,754	778,706	1,650,460
Fund Balances, Beginning	 136,183	 740,714	 876,897
Fund Balances, Ending	\$ 1,007,937	\$ 1,519,420	\$ 2,527,357

City of Ashland
Combining Balance Sheet - Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds
December 31, 2020

	Recy	cling	Dev Re	conomic relopment evolving Loan	Gr	Library rants and Special Revenue	IF No. 6 crement	ΓΙF No. 9 ncrement	F No. 10 crement	Plar	mmunity nning and elopment	B	NSP reakwall	vidence Funds
Assets														
Cash and investments Taxes receivable Accounts receivable	\$	11,455 - -	\$	649,362 - -	\$	201,599 - 144	\$ - 291,744 -	\$ - 211,142 -	\$ 14,068 98,711 -	\$	38,723 - -	\$	538,653 - -	\$ 34,449 - -
Notes receivable, net Due from other governments				185,767		<u>-</u>	 <u>-</u>	 <u>-</u>	 <u>-</u>		8,730		-	 <u>-</u>
Total assets	\$	11,455	\$	835,129	\$	201,743	\$ 291,744	\$ 211,142	\$ 112,779	\$	47,453	\$	538,653	\$ 34,449
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances (Deficit)														
Liabilities														
Accounts payable	\$	11,450	\$	267	\$	556	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	5,195	\$	-	\$ 91
Accrued liabilities		-		-		-	-	-	-		-		-	-
Due to other funds		-		-		-	-	-	-		-		-	-
Advances from other funds							 	 680,229	 					 
Total liabilities		11,450		267		556	 	 680,229	 		5,195			 91
Deferred Inflows of Resources														
Unearned revenues		-		-		-	291,744	211,142	98,711		-		-	-
Unavailable revenues		-		185,768			 	 -	 		4,449			 
Total deferred inflows of resources				185,768			 291,744	 211,142	98,711		4,449			 
Fund Balances (Deficit)														
Restricted		_		649,094		201,187	-	-	14,068		-		538,653	34,358
Committed		_		-		-	-	-			37,809		-	-
Assigned		5		-		-	-	-	-		-		-	-
Unassigned (deficit)							 	 (680,229)	 -					 
Total fund balances (deficit)		5		649,094		201,187	 	(680,229)	 14,068		37,809		538,653	 34,358
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances (deficit)	\$	11,455	\$	835,129	\$	201,743	\$ 291,744	\$ 211,142	\$ 112,779	\$	47,453	\$	538,653	\$ 34,449

City of Ashland
Combining Balance Sheet - Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds
December 31, 2020

	retting Teen Center	Beau	itification	etlands tigation	Vaughn Library	Insured Loss eductible	zardous aterials	Imp	Home rovement rogram	Total Ionmajor Special Revenue Funds
Assets										
Cash and investments Taxes receivable	\$ 47,058	\$	7,285	\$ 9,648	\$ 120,773	\$ 32,718	\$ 23,548	\$	-	\$ 1,729,339 601,597
Accounts receivable	300		-	-	63	-	_		-	507
Notes receivable, net	-		-	-	-	-	-		-	185,767
Due from other governments	 			 	 	 	 13,111		76,219	 98,060
Total assets	\$ 47,358	\$	7,285	\$ 9,648	\$ 120,836	\$ 32,718	\$ 36,659	\$	76,219	\$ 2,615,270
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances (Deficit)										
Liabilities										
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 8,948	\$ 3,803	\$ -	\$ 234	\$	52	\$ 30,596
Accrued liabilities	-		3	-	7,792	-	7,357		<u>-</u>	15,152
Due to other funds	-		-	-	-	-	-		55,162	55,162
Advances from other funds	 			 	 	 	 			 680,229
Total liabilities	 		3	 8,948	 11,595	 	 7,591		55,214	 781,139
Deferred Inflows of Resources										
Unearned revenues	-		-	-	-	-	34,380		-	635,977
Unavailable revenues	 			-	 -	 -				 190,217
Total deferred inflows of resources	 			 -	 	 	 34,380		-	 826,194
Fund Balances (Deficit)										
Restricted	-		7,282	700	109,241	-	-		21,005	1,575,588
Committed	47,358		-	-	-	32,718	-		-	117,885
Assigned	-		-	-	-	-	-		-	5
Unassigned (deficit)	 			 	 	 	 (5,312)			 (685,541)
Total fund balances (deficit)	 47,358		7,282	 700	 109,241	 32,718	 (5,312)		21,005	 1,007,937
Total liabilities, deferred inflows										
of resources and fund balances (deficit)	\$ 47,358	\$	7,285	\$ 9,648	\$ 120,836	\$ 32,718	\$ 36,659	\$	76,219	\$ 2,615,270

City of Ashland
Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds
Year Ended December 31, 2020

	Recycling	Economic Development Revolving Loan	Library Grants & Special Revenue	TIF No. 6 Increment	TIF No. 9 Increment	TIF No. 10 Increment	Community Planning & Development	NSP Breakwall	Evidence Funds
Revenues									
Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 321,836	\$ 233,444	\$ 99,308	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Intergovernmental	56,546	=	=	9,195	2,707	=	111,839	-	20,332
Public charges for services	-	<del>-</del>	2,882	-	-	-	-	-	-
Investment income	-	10,404	794	413	-	41	-	1,366	-
Miscellaneous		151,052	26,700				8,100		6,916
Total revenues	56,546	161,456	30,376	331,444	236,151	99,349	119,939	1,366	27,248
Expenditures									
Current:									
General government	=	-	=	151	=	-	-	-	=
Public safety	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,366
Public works	137,020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health and human services	=	=	-	=	=	-	-	-	=
Leisure activities	=	-	18,365	=	-	=	-	=	=
Conservation and development	-	2,268	-	-	3,065	-	151,149	-	
Capital outlay				-	-				15,098
Total expenditures	137,020	2,268	18,365	151	3,065		151,149		23,464
Excess (deficiency) of revenues									
over expenditures	(80,474)	159,188	12,011	331,293	233,086	99,349	(31,210)	1,366	3,784
Other Financing Sources (Uses)									
Transfers in	80,475	-	-	-	331,293	=	14,000	-	-
Transfers out				(331,293)	=	(85,281)			
Total other financing sources (uses)	80,475			(331,293)	331,293	(85,281)	14,000		
Net change in fund balances	1	159,188	12,011	-	564,379	14,068	(17,210)	1,366	3,784
Fund Balances (Deficit), Beginning	4	489,906	189,176		(1,244,608)		55,019	537,287	30,574
Fund Balances (Deficit), Ending	\$ 5	\$ 649,094	\$ 201,187	\$ -	\$ (680,229)	\$ 14,068	\$ 37,809	\$ 538,653	\$ 34,358

City of Ashland
Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds Year Ended December 31, 2020

	Bretting Teen Center	Beautification	Wetlands Mitigation	Vaughn Library	Insured Loss Deductible	Hazardous Materials	Home Improvement Program	Total Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds
Revenues								
Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 654,588
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	156,368	-	26,553	182,534	566,074
Public charges for services	226	-	-	893	-	-	-	4,001
Investment income	113	-	-	551	-	-	-	13,682
Miscellaneous	8,350	2,121		118	29,120	178	68	232,723
Total revenues	8,689	2,121		157,930	29,120	26,731	182,602	1,471,068
Expenditures Current:								
General government	_	_	_	_	15,827	_	_	15,978
Public safety	-	_	_	_	-	18,668	_	27,034
Public works	-	-	_	-	_	-	_	137,020
Health and human services	-	-	_	-	-	-	76,288	76,288
Leisure activities	6,190	7,063	_	463,998	-	-	-	495,616
Conservation and development	, =	-	12,448	, =	=	=	138	169,068
Capital outlay			<u> </u>			13,375		28,473
Total expenditures	6,190	7,063	12,448	463,998	15,827	32,043	76,426	949,477
Excess (deficiency) of revenues								
over expenditures	2,499	(4,942)	(12,448)	(306,068)	13,293	(5,312)	106,176	521,591
Other Financing Sources (Uses)								
Transfers in	-	-	13,649	322,320	-	-	5,000	766,737
Transfers out								(416,574)
Total other financing sources (uses)			13,649	322,320			5,000	350,163
Net change in fund balances	2,499	(4,942)	1,201	16,252	13,293	(5,312)	111,176	871,754
Fund Balances (Deficit), Beginning	44,859	12,224	(501)	92,989	19,425		(90,171)	136,183
Fund Balances (Deficit), Ending	\$ 47,358	\$ 7,282	\$ 700	\$ 109,241	\$ 32,718	\$ (5,312)	\$ 21,005	\$ 1,007,937

City of Ashland
Combining Balance Sheet - Nonmajor Capital Projects Funds
December 31, 2020

	<u>lm</u>	Street provements	TIF #9 elopment	TIF Develo		Public sportation	Waterfront Development		Capital quipment
Assets									
Cash and investments Restricted assets, construction account Taxes receivable	\$	1,201,817 116,656	\$ - -	\$	-	\$ 22,000	\$ 288,158	\$	255,176 650,533
Accounts receivable Special assessments receivable		-	- - -		-	-	4,062		21,929 -
Due from other governments		22,423	 			 	 		193,353
Total assets	\$	1,340,896	\$ 	\$		\$ 22,000	\$ 292,220	\$	1,120,991
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances (Deficit)									
Liabilities									
Accounts payable Due to other funds	\$	37,721	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	197,205
Advances from other funds			 898,718			 	 		
Total liabilities		37,721	 898,718			 	 		197,205
Deferred Inflows of Resources Unearned revenues		_	_		_	_	_		_
Unavailable revenues		18,664	 			 	 		189,788
Total deferred inflows of resources		18,664	 			 	 		189,788
Fund Balances (Deficit)									
Restricted Assigned		91,843 1,192,668	-		-	22,000	292,220		650,533 83,465
Unassigned (deficit)			 (898,718)			 	 		-
Total fund balances (deficit)		1,284,511	 (898,718)			 22,000	 292,220		733,998
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances (deficit)	\$	1,340,896	\$ <u>-</u>	\$		\$ 22,000	\$ 292,220	\$	1,120,991

City of Ashland
Combining Balance Sheet - Nonmajor Capital Projects Funds
December 31, 2020

	 Grounds	Land Sales & Acquisition		Capital Sidewalk Improvements		Urban Forestry		Landfill Improvement		Leisure and Recreation Improvements		Total Nonmajor Capital Project Funds	
Assets													
Cash and investments Restricted assets, construction account Taxes receivable Accounts receivable Special assessments receivable	\$ 32,229 - - -	\$	- - -	\$	236,256 - 3,090 - 40,964	\$	11,064 - - -	\$	48,613 - - -	\$	- - - 9,057	\$	2,095,313 767,189 3,090 35,048 40,964
Due from other governments	 				-						153,591		369,367
Total assets	\$ 32,229	\$		\$	280,310	\$	11,064	\$	48,613	\$	162,648	\$	3,310,971
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances (Deficit)													
Liabilities Accounts payable Due to other funds Advances from other funds	\$ - - -	\$	- - 105,694	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	11,028 125,499 -	\$	245,954 125,499 1,004,412
Total liabilities	 		105,694								136,527		1,375,865
Deferred Inflows of Resources Unearned revenues Unavailable revenues	 <u>-</u>		208		3,584 40,794		- -		<u>-</u>		162,648		3,792 411,894
Total deferred inflows of resources	 		208		44,378						162,648		415,686
Fund Balances (Deficit) Restricted Assigned Unassigned (deficit)	 - 32,229 -		- - (105,902)		- 235,932 -		- 11,064 -		- 48,613 -		- - (136,527)		1,034,596 1,625,971 (1,141,147)
Total fund balances (deficit)	 32,229		(105,902)		235,932		11,064		48,613		(136,527)		1,519,420
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances (deficit)	\$ 32,229	\$		\$	280,310	\$	11,064	\$	48,613	\$	162,648	\$	3,310,971

City of Ashland
Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Nonmajor Capital Projects Funds
Year Ended December 31, 2020

	Street Improvements	TIF #9 Development	TIF #10 Development	Public Transportation	Waterfront Development	Capital Equipment
Revenues Taxes Intergovernmental Public charges for services Special assessments	\$ - 22,309 -	\$ - - -	\$ - - -	\$ - - -	\$ 110,326 - -	\$ - 31,762 3,500
Investment income Miscellaneous	2,664	- - -	<u> </u>		611	289 63,987
Total revenues	24,973				110,937	99,538
Expenditures Current:						
Public safety Public works Leisure activities	136,086 -	- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	53,931 - -
Conservation and development	- 4.050.050	29,060	174	-	-	-
Capital outlay Debt Service:	1,058,950	-	-	-	-	260,359
Principal Interest and fiscal charges	7,913	114,370 9,203				4,587
Total expenditures	1,202,949	152,633	174			318,877
Excess (deficiency) of revenues						
over expenditures	(1,177,976)	(152,633)	(174)		110,937	(219,339)
Other Financing Sources (Uses) Long-term debt issued Transfers in Transfers out Proceeds from sale of capital assets	1,130,000 475,600 - 	- - -	9,808	: : :	(67,935) 	655,000 65,000 - 26,472
Total other financing sources (uses)	1,605,600		9,808	<u> </u>	(67,935)	746,472
Net change in fund balances	427,624	(152,633)	9,634	-	43,002	527,133
Fund Balances (Deficit), Beginning	856,887	(746,085)	(9,634)	22,000	249,218	206,865
Fund Balances (Deficit), Ending	\$ 1,284,511	\$ (898,718)	\$ -	\$ 22,000	\$ 292,220	\$ 733,998

City of Ashland
Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Nonmajor Capital Projects Funds
Year Ended December 31, 2020

	Park Grounds Improvements	Land Sales & Acquisition	Capital Sidewalk Improvements	Urban Forestry	Landfill Improvement	Leisure and Recreation Improvements	Total Nonmajor Capital Project Funds
Revenues							
Taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 110,326
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-	-	-	54,071
Public charges for services	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,500
Special assessments	-	-	8,321	=	=	=	8,321
Investment income	-	-	880	=	=	=	4,444
Miscellaneous	16,460	4,597				123,939	208,983
Total revenues	16,460	4,597	9,201	<u> </u>		123,939	389,645
Expenditures Current:							
Public safety	_	_	_	_	_	_	53,931
Public works	=	=	-	=	=	=	136,086
Leisure activities	11,338	-	-	-	-	151,725	163,063
Conservation and development	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,234
Capital outlay	=	=	-	=	=	122,563	1,441,872
Debt Service:							
Principal	-	-	-	-			114,370
Interest and fiscal charges							21,703
Total expenditures	11,338					274,288	1,960,259
Excess (deficiency) of revenues							
over expenditures	5,122	4,597	9,201			(150,349)	(1,570,614)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Long-term debt issued	-	-	-	-	=	-	1,785,000
Transfers in	10,000	-	-	-	5,000	40,375	605,783
Transfers out	-	-	-	-	-	-	(67,935)
Proceeds from sale of capital assets							26,472
Total other financing sources (uses)	10,000		<u>-</u> _		5,000	40,375	2,349,320
Net change in fund balances	15,122	4,597	9,201	-	5,000	(109,974)	778,706
Fund Balances (Deficit), Beginning	17,107	(110,499)	226,731	11,064	43,613	(26,553)	740,714
Fund Balances (Deficit), Ending	\$ 32,229	\$ (105,902)	\$ 235,932	\$ 11,064	\$ 48,613	\$ (136,527)	\$ 1,519,420

	Airport	Marina	Total Nonmajor Enterprise Funds
Assets			
Current assets:			
Cash and investments	\$ 92,196	\$ 64,851	\$ 157,047
Restricted assets, redemption account	-	35,408	35,408
Restricted assets, construction account	-	400,970	400,970
Other accounts receivable	3,159	749	3,908
Due from other governments	9,778	=	9,778
Inventories and prepaid items	13,391	10,105	23,496
Total current assets	118,524	512,083	630,607
Noncurrent assets:			
Restricted assets:			
Net pension asset	10,261	14,852	25,113
Capital assets:		400.000	400.050
Construction work in progress	5,096	193,262	198,358
Land	45,768	391,500	437,268
Capital assets being depreciated Accumulated depreciation	4,509,295	2,436,641	6,945,936
Accumulated depreciation	(2,524,168)	(860,094)	(3,384,262)
Total noncurrent assets	2,046,252	2,176,161	4,222,413
Total assets	2,164,776	2,688,244	4,853,020
Deferred Outflows of Resources			
Pension related amounts	22,598	33,468	56,066
Total deferred outflows of resources	22,598	33,468	56,066
Liabilities			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	3,874	707	4,581
Accrued expenses	1,659	734	2,393
Accrued interest	-	8,001	8,001
Current portion of accrued compensated absences	4,246	7,101	11,347
Current portion of long-term debt		37,000	37,000
Total current liabilities	9,779	53,543	63,322
Noncurrent liabilities:	-		
Long-term debt	<del>-</del>	373,000	373,000
Accrued compensated absences	364	15,531	15,895
Total noncurrent liabilities	364	388,531	388,895
Total liabilities	10,143	442,074	452,217
Deferred Inflows of Resources			
Unearned revenues	-	5,000	5,000
Pension related amounts	26,981	41,038	68,019
Total deferred inflows of resources	26,981	46,038	73,019
Net Position			
Net investment in capital assets	2,035,991	2,152,279	4,188,270
Restricted for pension	10,261	14,852	25,113
Unrestricted	103,998	66,469	170,467
Total net position	\$ 2,150,250	\$ 2,233,600	\$ 4,383,850

Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position Nonmajor Enterprise Funds
Year Ended December 31, 2020

			Total lonmajor interprise
	 Airport	 Marina	 Funds
Operating Revenues Charges for services	\$ 165,128	\$ 229,968	\$ 395,096
Total operating revenues	165,128	229,968	395,096
Operating Expenses			
Operation and maintenance	225,954	192,158	418,112
Depreciation	 137,777	 74,004	211,781
Total operating expenses	 363,731	266,162	629,893
Operating loss	(198,603)	(36,194)	(234,797)
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)			
Investment income	304	274	578
Interest and fiscal charges	-	(17,151)	(17,151)
Grants revenue	9,778	-	9,778
Miscellaneous revenue	25	981	1,006
Gain on sale of property	 995	 	 995
Total nonoperating revenue (expenses)	 11,102	 (15,896)	(4,794)
Income (loss) before contributions and transfers	 (187,501)	(52,090)	 (239,591)
Contributions and Transfers			
Capital contributions	18,250	_	18,250
Transfers in	 45,000	 47,560	 92,560
Total contributions and transfers	63,250	47,560	110,810
Change in net position	(124,251)	(4,530)	(128,781)
Net Position, Beginning	2,274,501	2,238,130	4,512,631
Net Position, Ending	\$ 2,150,250	\$ 2,233,600	\$ 4,383,850

	Airport		Marina		Total Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	
Cash Flows From Operating Activities Cash received from customers	\$	181,800	\$	237,007	\$	418,807
Cash paid to suppliers for goods and services Cash paid to employees for services	Φ	(161,050) (70,143)	Ψ 	(87,525) (87,075)	Φ	(248,575) (157,218)
Net cash flows from operating activities		(49,393)		62,407		13,014
Cash Flows From Noncapital Financing Activities						
Transfers from other funds		45,000		47,560		92,560
Net cash flows from noncapital financing activities		45,000		47,560		92,560
Cash Flows From Investing Activities						
Investment income		304		274		578
Net cash flows from investing activities		304		274		578
Cash Flows From Capital and Related						
Financing Activities Debt proceeds		_		410,000		410,000
Debt issuance costs		_		(9,150)		(9,150)
Contributions in aid of construction		18,250		(0,100)		18,250
Acquisition and construction of capital assets		(21,770)		(96,473)		(118,243)
Net cash flows from capital and related						
related financing activities		(3,520)		304,377		300,857
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(7,609)		414,618		407,009
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning		99,805		86,611		186,416
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Ending	\$	92,196	\$	501,229	\$	593,425
Reconciliation of Operating Loss to						
Net Cash Flows From Operating Activities	_				_	(
Operating loss Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to	\$	(198,603)	\$	(36,194)	\$	(234,797)
net cash flows from operating activities:  Nonoperating income		9,803		981		10,784
Noncash items included in income:  Depreciation		137,777		74,004		211,781
Change in assets and liabilities:		137,777		74,004		211,701
Other accounts receivable		6,869		1,058		7,927
Inventories and prepaid items		(2,693)		5,047		2,354
Accounts payable		223		(1,910)		(1,687)
Other current liabilities		(1,693)		(2,035)		(3,728)
Accrued compensated absences		(1,811)		15,147		13,336
Unearned revenues		705		5,000		5,000
Pension related deferrals and asset		735		1,309		2,044
Net cash flows from operating activities	\$	(49,393)	\$	62,407	\$	13,014

Noncash Capital, Investing and Financing Activities None.