# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY REPORT OF AUDIT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

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### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

PART I

REPORT ON AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

AND SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Park Ridge Park Ridge, New Jersey

#### Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

#### **Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets - regulatory basis of the various funds and account group of the Borough of Park Ridge, as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related statements of operations and changes in fund balance - regulatory basis for the years then ended, and the related statement of revenues - regulatory basis and statement of expenditures - regulatory basis of the various funds for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements.

#### Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matters discussed in the Basis for Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting section of our report, the financial statements – regulatory basis referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position – regulatory basis of the various funds and account group of the Borough of Park Ridge as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the results of operations and changes in fund balance – regulatory basis of such funds for the years then ended and the respective revenues – regulatory basis and expenditures – regulatory basis of the various funds for the year ended December 31, 2022 in accordance with the financial accounting and reporting provisions and practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey as described in Note 1.

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

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles section of our report, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of each fund of the Borough of Park Ridge as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, or changes in financial position, or, where applicable, cash flows for the years then ended.

#### **Basis for Opinions**

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and the audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Borough of Park Ridge and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

#### Basis for Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

As discussed in Note 17 of the financial statements, the financial statements – regulatory basis of the Length of Service Awards Program (LOSAP) Trust Fund have not been audited, and we were not required by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, to audit nor were we engaged to audit the LOSAP Trust Fund financial statements as part of our audit of the Borough's financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021. The LOSAP Trust Fund financial activities are included in the Borough's Trust Funds, and represent 49.0 percent and 54.4 percent of the assets and liabilities of the Borough's Trust Funds as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

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

As described in Note 1 of the financial statements, the financial statements are prepared by the Borough of Park Ridge on the basis of the financial accounting and reporting provisions and practices that demonstrate compliance with the regulatory basis of accounting and budget laws prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, to meet the financial reporting requirements of the State of New Jersey for municipal government entities. The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material and pervasive.

#### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with the financial accounting and reporting provisions and practices that demonstrate compliance with the regulatory basis of accounting and budget laws prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey as described in Note 1. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

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

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

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, we:

- Exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Park Ridge's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

 Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Borough of Park Ridge's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

#### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements of the Borough of Park Ridge as a whole. The supplementary schedules listed in the table of contents, schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance) and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements of the Borough of Park Ridge. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary schedules listed in the table of contents, schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

### Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the report of audit. The other information comprises the supplementary data and letter of comments and recommendation section but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated September 12, 2023 on our consideration of the Borough of Park Ridge'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 Borough of Park Ridge'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 Borough of Park Ridge's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

LERCH, VINCI & BLISS, LLP Certified Public Accountants Registered Municipal Accountants

Jeffrey C. Bliss

Registered Municipal Accountant

RMA Number CR00429

Fair Lawn, New Jersey September 12, 2023

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS CURRENT FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
ASSETS			
Cash	A-4	\$ 5,662,497	\$ 4,586,154
Cash - Petty Cash	A-6	750	750
Cash - Change Funds	A-5	275	275
Due to State of New Jersey - Senior			
Citizens' and Veterans' Deductions	A-7	1,611	2,111
Grant Receivables	A-8	382	45,218
		5,665,515	4,634,508
Receivables and Other Assets With Full Reserves			
Delinquent Property Taxes Receivable	A-9	254,531	201,539
Property Acquired for Taxes - Assessed Valuation	A-10	100,650	100,650
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-11	8,458	18,934
Other Accounts Receivable	A-12	4,491	21,588
Due from Municipal Library	A-30	22,365	
Due from Animal Control Fund	B-5	9,649	5,076
Due from Other Trust Fund	B-15		3,032
Due from General Capital Fud	C-10		8,737
Due from Water Utility Operating Fund	D-21	11,250	62,966
Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund	E-29	9,383	48,091
Due from Public Assistance Fund	H-2	25	
Deformed Charges		420,802	470,613
Deferred Charges	. 13		24.012
Emergency Authorizations	A-13	22.000	24,012
Overexpenditure of Appropriations	A-13	33,990	1,268
Overexpenditure of Appropriation Reserves	A-13 A-14	208,000	5,692 260,000
Special Emergency Authorizations	A-14	200,000	200,000
		241,990	290,972
Total Assets		\$ 6,328,307	\$ 5,396,093

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS CURRENT FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	2022	<u>2021</u>
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE			
Liabilities			
Appropriation Reserves	A-3,A-15	\$ 890,301	\$ 621,863
Encumbrances Payable	A-16	262,350	223,235
Accounts Payable	A-17	1,215	
Tax Overpayments	A-18		2,465
PILOT Overpayments	A-23	157,500	148,686
Prepaid Taxes	A-19	302,901	461,499
County Taxes Payable	A-20	32,535	2,883
County PILOT Payable	A-24	29,892	9,245
Tax Appeal Judgements Payable	A-26	681,010	513,435
Fees Payable	A-25	2,396	122
Due to Municipal Library	A-30		4,744
Due to Open Space Preservation Trust Fund	B-7	111,124	110,693
Due to Other Trust Fund	B-15	72,773	
Due to General Capital Fund	C-10	455,939	
Due to Water Utility Capital Fund	A-28	150,000	150,000
Due to Electric Utility Capital Fund	A-29	5,000	5,000
Due to Public Assistance Trust Fund	H-2		5,798
Reserve for:			
Tax Appeals	A-27	90,310	
Appropriated Grant Reserves	A-31	34,569	33,769
Unappropriated Grant and Aid Reserves	A-32	69,360	490,522
		3,349,175	2,783,959
Reserve for Receivables and Other Assets	Α	420,802	470,613
Fund Balance	A-1	2,558,330	2,141,521
Total Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance		\$ 6,328,307	\$ 5,396,093

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE

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

#### **CURRENT FUND**

### FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference		<u>2022</u>		<u>2021</u>
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED					
Fund Balance Utilized	A-2	\$	1,300,000	\$	1,500,000
Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated	A-2		4,247,223		2,459,337
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	A-2		201,443		237,890
Receipts from Current Taxes	A-2		48,634,772		47,319,658
Non-Budget Revenue	A-2		398,244		495,993
Other Credits to Income					
Unexpended Balances of Appropriation Reserves	A-15		314,247		373,060
Accounts Payable Cancelled	A-1				14,562
Statutory Excess from Animal Control Trust Fund	B-5		4,518		5,072
Due to Municipal Library Cancelled	A-30		4,744		
Other Accounts Receivable Liquidated	Α		17,097		
Interfunds Liquidated	A		2,193	_	-
Total Revenue			55,124,481		52,405,572
EXPENDITURES					
Budget Appropriations					
Operations					
Salaries & Wages	A-3		5,785,729		5,534,438
Other Expenses	A-3		6,799,055		6,049,960
Capital Improvements	A-3		453,000		308,548
Debt Service	A-3		2,020,309		1,936,929
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures	A-3		1,522,231		1,550,789
County Taxes	A-20		4,625,881		4,637,363
Local District School Tax	A-21		32,097,370		31,493,033
Municipal Open Space Tax	A-22		111,124		110,693
Overexpenditures of Appropriation Reserves	A-1		,		5,692
Refund of Prior Years Revenue	A-1				3,686
Other Accounts Receivable Established	A-1				20,901
Interfunds and Municipal Library Receivable Created	A		26,963		127,902
Total Expenditures			53,441,662	_	51,779,934
Excess in Revenue			1,682,819		625,638
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance:					
Expenditures Included Above Which are by Statute					
Deferred Charges to Budget of Succeeding Year	A-13		33,990		30,972
Expenditures Included Above Which were Funded by					
Bond Ordinance	A-1	********	-	_	266,336
Statutory Excess to Fund Balance			1,716,809		922,946
FUND BALANCE, JANUARY I	Α		2,141,521		2,718,575
		***************************************	3,858,330		_
Decreased by:			3,030,330		3,641,521
Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	A-1,A-2		1,300,000	_	1,500,000
FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31	Α	<u>\$</u>	2,558,330	<u>\$</u>	2,141,521

FOR THE ABOUT IN	DE DECEMBER 51,				_
	Reference	Reference Budget		Realized	Excess or (Deficit)
FUND BALANCE ANTICIPATED	A-1	\$ 1,300,000	\$	1,300,000	-
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
Licenses					
Alcoholic Beverages	A-11	19,000		19,315	\$ 315
Fees and Permits					
Fire Code Department	A-11	53,000		64,780	11,780
Board of Health/Registrar	A-11	23,000		26,714	3,714
Fines and Costs - Municipal Court	A-11	40,000		59,028	19,028
Interest and Costs on Taxes	A-11	70,000		69,345	(655)
Interest on Investments	A-11	10,000		119,179	109,179
Insurance Fund Dividends	A-11	25,000		25,000	•
Hotel Tax	A-11	75,000		219,425	144,425
Recycling Program	A-11	12,000		16,025	4,025
Cable Television Franchise Fee	A-11	137,000		141,059	4,059
Water Utility Rental Fees	A-11	105,000		105,000	=
Electric Utility Rental Fees	A-11	30,000		30,000	-
Pistol Range Fee	A-11	28,500		32,500	4,000
Tri-Boro Safety Corps.	A-11	50,000		56,342	6,342
Tri-Boro Safety Corps Prior Year Balance	A-11	25,000		40,197	15,197
Energy Receipts Tax (P.L. 1997, Chapters 162 & 167)	A-11	382,598		382,598	-
Watershed Moratorium Offset Aid	A-I1	1,598		1,598	-
Uniform Construction Code Fees	A-11	250,000		248,326	(1,674)
Recycling Tonnage Grant	A-32	15,296		15,296	-
Clean Communities Grant	A-32	18,788		18,788	<del>-</del>
Municipal Alliance	A-32	444		444	
JIF Safety Award Grant	A-32	1,000		1,000	
Water Utility - Payments in Lieu of Taxes	A-11	100,000		100,000	
Electric Utility - Payments in Lieu of Taxes	A-11	155,000		155,000	
Electric Utility Payment in Lieu of Franchise and					
Gross Receipts Taxes	A-11	500,000		500,000	
Life Hazard Use Fees	A-11	14,000		12,777	(1,223)
Library Reimbursements	A-11	61,000		61,000	
Excess Sewer User Fees	A-11	40,000		74,830	34,830
Sprint Cell Tower Rent	A-11	96,000		104,653	8,653
American Rescue Plan	A-33	909,988		909,988	
Park Ridge Transit - PILOT	A-11	525,000		398,569	(126,431)
Police Outside Duty Fees	A-11	50,000		138,447	88,447
Due from Water Utility Operating Fund	A-11	60,000		60,000	
Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund	A-11	40,000		40,000	-
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	A-1	3,923,212		4,247,223	324,011
RECEIPTS FROM DELINQUENT TAXES	A-1,A-9	185,000		201,443	16,443
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXES FOR					
SUPPORT OF MUNICIPAL BUDGET					
Local Tax For Municipal Purposes	A-9	11,253,369		11,915,508	662,139
Minimum Library Tax	A-9	634,889	_	634,889	
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxes	A-2	11,888,258		12,550,397	662,139
	A-3	\$ 17,296,470		18,299,063	\$ 1,002,593
Non-Budget Revenue	A-1,A-2			398,244	
			\$	18,697,307	

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS CURRENT FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Reference	Realized
ANALYSIS OF REALIZED REVENUES		
Allocation of Current Tax Collections		
Revenue from Collections		\$ 48,734,772
Less: Transferred to Reserve for Tax Appeals	A-27	100,000
Revenue Realized	A-1	48,634,772
Less Allocated to School, County and Municipal Open Space Taxes	A-20,A-21,A-22	36,834,375
		11,800,397
C. A. Wastel Towns	A-3	750,000
Add Appropriation Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	Λ-5	750,000
Amount for Support of Municipal Budget Appropriation	A-2	\$ 12,550,397
Analysis of Non-Budget Revenue		
Tax Sale Premium (Foreclosed)		\$ 49,100
Police Fees and Permits		2,027
Senior Citizen and Veterans Administration Fees		1,095
Housing Registration Fees		21,600
FEMA - Tropical Storm Isaias Reimbursements		167,655
FEMA - Tropical Storm Ida Reimbursements		16,784
PILOT - Lehman Gardens		10,291
Insurance Dividend		61,966
Miscellaneous		67,726
		\$ 398,244

		Appror		opriated		Ехре	ended	Unexpended	
			Вι	idget After		Paid or		Balance	Over-
	Ī	Budget	M	odification		Charged	Reserved	Cancelled	expended
OPERATIONS - WITHIN "CAPS"									
GENERAL GOVERNMENT									
General Administration									
Salaries and Wages	\$	92,000	\$	92,000	\$	85,191	\$ 6,809		
Other Expenses		80,800		80,800		72,548	8,252		
Other Expenses - Grant Professional		35,000		35,000		35,000	-		
Mayor and Council									
Salaries and Wages		43,200		43,200		43,200	-		
Other Expenses		10,500		10,500		8,774	1,726		
Municipal Clerk									
Salaries and Wages		180,000		180,800		180,772	28		
Other Expenses		39,300		39,300		29,130	10,170		
Financial Administration									
Salaries and Wages		179,585		149,585		148,898	687		
Other Expenses		58,000		58,000		48,104	9,896		
Audit Services									
Other Expenses		47,500		47,500		33,695	13,805		
Revenue Administration									
Salaries and Wages		77,100		105,200		105,153	47		
Other Expenses		7,700		7,700		7,678	22		
Tax Assessment Administration									
Salaries and Wages		16,400		16,400		15,000	1,400		
Other Expenses		28,275		7,275		3,160	4,115		
Legal Services and Costs									
Other Expenses		350,000		156,500		155,915	585		
Engineering Services and Costs									
Other Expenses		50,000		50,000		26,840	23,160		
LAND USE ADMINISTRATION									
Planning Board									
Salaries and Wages		89,308		89,308		82,586	6,722		
Other Expenses		13,625		13,625		8,198	5,427		
Zoning Board of Adjustment									
Salaries and Wages		53,692		61,292		61,257	35		
Other Expenses		11,600		11,600		9,297	2,303		
Zoning Officer									
Salaries and Wages		15,200		15,200		13,740	1,460		
Other Expenses		1,100		1,100		56	1,044		
Housing Task Force									
Salaries and Wages		12,100		12,200		11,748	452		
Other Expenses		250		250		110	140		
INSURANCE									
General Liability		210,000		210,000		172,196	37,804		
Employee Group Health	1	,305,000		1,350,000		1,139,803	210,197		
Employee Group Health Waiver		40,000		40,000		33,604	6,396		
Tri-Boro Ambulance		8,500		8,500		-	8,500		

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS CURRENT FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Appro	priated	_	ended	Unexpended Balance Cancelled	0
	Budget	Budget After Modification	Paid or Charged	Reserved		Over- expended
	Dudget	Widdiffication	Chargeu	reserved	Cancened	expended
OPERATIONS - WITHIN "CAPS" (Continued)						
PUBLIC SAFETY FUNCTIONS						
Police						
Salaries and Wages	\$ 2,623,000	\$ 2,710,100	\$ 2,706,164	\$ 3,936		
Salaries and Wages - ARPA	600,000	600,000	600,000	_		
Other Expenses	122,550	122,550	105,089	17,461		
Pistol Range						
Other Expenses	25,000	25,000	24,929	71		
Police Reserves/EMC						
Salaries and Wages	19,600	19,600	15,750	3,850		
Salaries and Wages				-		
Tri-Borough Safety Corps						
Other Expenses	89,500	89,500	102,797	_		\$ 13,297
Police Dispatch/911						
Other Expenses	210,000	210,000	207,940	2,060		
Emergency Management Services						
Salaries and Wages	6,000	7,500	7,500	-		
Other Expenses	8,200	10,700	10,133	567		
First Aid Organization						
Other Expenses - Contribution	20,000	20,000	20,000	-		
Fire Department						
Salaries and Wages	65,000	65,000	65,000			
Other Expenses	93,470	93,470	71,716	21,754		
Fire Hydrant Services	22,000	22,000	18,133	3,867		
Fire Prevention						
Salaries and Wages	49,100	49,100	47,125	1,975		
Other Expenses	7,800	7,800	6,148	1,652		
PUBLIC WORKS FUNCTION						
Streets and Road Maintenance						
Salaries and Wages	734,012	733,012	626,043	106,969		
Salaries and Wages - ARPA	209,988	209,988	209,988	-		
Other Expenses	230,600	230,600	194,826	35,774		
Sewer System	,	•	,	.,		
Salaries and Wages	61,600	42,400	3,033	39,367		
Other Expenses	11,800	11,800	11,799	1		
Shade Tree	•		ŕ			
Other Expenses	15,700	15,700	11,772	3,928		
Solid Waste Collection				•		
Other Expenses - Sanitation	651,570	651,570	651,569	1		
Other Expenses - Sanitation - ARPA	100,000	100,000	100,000	-		
Other Expenses - Recycling	141,750	141,750	135,796	5,954		
Building and Grounds			-	-		
Salaries and Wages	102,300	102,800	102,748	52		
Other Expenses	81,200	72,200	92,893			20,693
Other Expenses - Contractual	78,000	78,000	78,000	-		•
Vehicle Maintenance			-			
Salaries and Wages	112,500	112,500	110,697	1,803		
Other Expenses	92,800	92,800	78,235	14,565		

		Appro	-	ted adget After	Expended Paid or		Unexpended Balance	Over~	
		Budget		odification		Charged	Reserved	Cancelled	expended
OPERATIONS - WITHIN "CAPS" (Cont'd)							***************************************		0.100
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES									
Board of Health									
Salaries and Wages	\$	12,000	\$	21,700	\$	21,585	\$ 115		
Other Expenses		54,475		54,475		54,475	-		
Administration of Public Assistance									
Salaries and Wages		12,000		12,000		10,876	1,124		
Other Expenses		1,500		1,500		-	1,500		
Aid to Mental Health									
Other Expenses		9,000		9,000		9,000	-		
PARKS AND RECREATION FUNCTIONS									
Recreation Services and Programs									
Salaries and Wages		41,100		41,100		39,352	1,748		
Other Expenses		22,000		22,000		16,668	5,332		
Senior Citizens									
Salaries and Wages		23,300		23,300		12,936	10,364		
Other Expenses		7,500		7,500		7,500	-		
OTHER COMMON OPERATING FUNCTIONS									
Celebration of Public Events		5,000		10,000		8,460	1,540		
Park Ridge Television									
Salaries and Wages		15,000		15,000		12,240	2,760		
Other Expenses		12,000		12,000		11,992	8		
Municipal Services Act									
Other Expenses		30,000		39,000		28,725	10,275		
UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE									
APPROPRIATIONS OFFSET BY DEDICATED									
REVENUES (N.J.A.C. 5:23-4-17)									
Construction Code Official									
Salaries and Wages		255,000		255,000		249,245	5,755		
Other Expenses		17,750		17,750		17,576	174		
UTILITY EXPENSES AND BULK PURCHASES									
Electricity		90,000		90,000		77,052	12,948		
Telephone		30,000		30,000		19,019	10,981		
Water		17,500		17,500		13,817	3,683		
Gas and Oil		20,000		20,300		20,236	64		
Gasoline		75,000		120,000		113,281	6,719		
OPERATIONS - WITHIN "CAPS" (Cont'd)									
LANDFILL/SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL COSTS Dumping Fees		90.000		60.000		50 050	20.755		
Dumping Fees	_	80,000		80,000		50,250	29,750		
Total Operations Within "CAPS"		0,500,300	1	10,468,800		9,754,079	748,711		33,990
Detail:									
Salaries and Wages		5,700,085		5,785,285		5,587,827	197,458	-	-
Other Expenses		4,800,215		4,683,515		4,166,252	551,253	_	33,990

	Appro	priated Budget After	Expe Paid or	nded	Unexpended Balance	Over-
	Budget	Modification	Charged	Reserved	Cancelled	expended
DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTORY						
EXPENDITURES - MUNICIPAL						
WITHIN "CAPS"  Deferred Charges						
Overexpenditure of Budget Appropriations	\$ 1,268	\$ 1,268	\$ 1,268			
Overexpenditure of Appropriation Reserves	5,692	5,692	5,692			
Statutory Expenditures						
Contribution to	245 000	252 500	252 465	ф 1 <i>5</i>		
Social Security System Defined Contribution Retirement Plan	245,000 5,000	252,500 5,000	252,465 1,751	\$ 35 3,249		
Police & Firemen Retirement System	851,009	851,009	851,009	- Jan.()		
Public Employees Retirement System	306,750	330,750	330,733	17	-	-
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Total Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures - Municipal Within "CAPS"	1,414,719	1,446,219	1,442,918	3,301		
Expenditures - Municipal Willini CAI 3	1,414,719	1,440,219	1,442,910	3,301		
Total General Appropriations for Municipal						
Purposes Within "CAPS"	11,915,019	11,915,019	11,196,997	752,012		\$ 33,990
OPERATIONS - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"						
LANDFILL/SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL COSTS						
Recycling Tax	12,000	12,000	_	12,000		
SEMED A OF DEOCRESSING AND DISDOSAL						
SEWERAGE PROCESSING AND DISPOSAL Bergen County Utilities Authority-Sewer Fees	718,038	718,038	718,038	_		
	710,050	, 10,050	710,050			
EDUCATION FUNCTIONS	(24.000	C24 000	(24,000			
Maintenance of Free Public Library	634,889	634,889	634,889	-		
OPERATIONS - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS" (Cont'd)						
INTERLOCAL MUNICIPAL SERVICE AGREEMENTS						
Municipal Court						
Other Expenses - Contractual	122,419	122,419	85,811	36,608		
PUBLIC SAFETY FUNCTION						
LOSAP						
Fire Department	54,120	54,120	-	54,120		
Tri-Borough Ambulance	20,000	20,000	-	20,000	•	
OTHER COMMON OPERATING EXPENSES						
Reserve for Tax Appeals	485,000	485,000	485,000		<del></del>	-
Total Other Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	2,046,466	2,046,466	1,923,738	122,728		-
PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROGRAMS						
OFFSET BY REVENUES						
Municipal Drug Alliance Program						
Salaries & Wages	444	444	-	444		
Clean Communities Grant	18,788	18,788	18,527	261		
Recycling Tonnage Grant	15,296	15,296	1 000	14,856		
JIF Safety Award	1,000	1,000	1,000			
Total Public and Private Programs						
Offset by Revenues	35,528	35,528	19,967	15,561		<u></u>

		Appro	priated Budget After	Expe Paid or	ended	Unexpended Balance		Over-
		<u>Budget</u>	Modification	Charged	Reserved	Cancelled	ex	pended
Total Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	ž	\$ 2,081,994	\$ 2,081,994	\$ 1,943,705	\$ 138,289			-
Detail:								
Salaries and Wages Other Expenses		444 2,081,550	2,081,550	1,943,705	444 137,845			*
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"								
Capital Improvement Fund		453,000	453,000	453,000		**		<u> </u>
Total Capital Improvements Excluded from "CAPS"	-	453,000	453,000	453,000	_	•		-
MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"								
Payment of Bond Principal		1,595,000	1,595,000	1,595,000	<b></b>			
Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes and Capital Notes		106,000	106,000	106,000	-			
Interest on Bonds		179,800	179,800	179,740	-	\$ 60		
Interest on Notes		26,700	26,700	26,626	-	74		
Green Trust Loan Program:  Loan Repayments for Principal and Interest		112,945	112,945	112,943	_	2		_
	•	2,020,445	2,020,445	2,020,309		136		
Total Municipal Debt Service Excluded from "CAPS"	-	2,020,443	2,020,443	2,020,309		130		
DEFERRED CHARGES MUNICIPAL- EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS" DEFERRED CHARGES								
Emergency Authorizations Special Emergency Authorization - 5 Years (NJSA 40A:4-	-55)	24,012 52,000	24,012 52,000	24,012 52,000	<u>.</u>	-		<u> </u>
Total Deferred Charges Municipal Excluded from "CAPS"	-	76,012	76,012	76,012	<del>-</del>	·		-
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes Excluded from "CAPS"	-	4,631,451	4,631,451	4,493,026	138,289	136		
Subtotal General Appropriations		16,546,470	16,546,470	15,690,023	890,301	136	\$	33,990
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes		750,000	750,000	750,000				
Total General Appropriations	;	\$ 17,296,470	\$ 17,296,470	\$ 16,440,023	\$ 890,301	<b>\$</b> 136	\$	33,990
Refer	rence	A-2		A-I	A,A-1			Α
Cash Disbursed A	<b>\-4</b>			\$ 14,406,701				
	-16			262,350				
· ·	-27			485,000				
• •	-10			453,000				
Deferred Charges								
	-13			5,692				
	-13			1,268				
	-13			24,012				
	-14			52,000				
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes A	<b>\-2</b>			750,000				
				\$ 16,440,023				

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS TRUST FUNDS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

ASSETS	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u> (Restated)
ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND			
Cash	B-3	\$ 19,226	\$ 16,987
OTHER TRUST FUND			
Cash	B-3	1,437,379	1,445,890
Police Outside Duty Receivable	B-12	93,045	53,767
Due from Current Fund	B-15	72,773	55,107
Due from Water Utility Operating Fund	B-17	10,000	
Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund	B-18	 10,000	 _
		 1,623,197	 1,499,657
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE TRUST FUND Cash	B-3	 106,821	 104,737
OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND			
Cash	B-3	204,616	162,412
Due from Current Fund	B-7	111,124	110,693
Contributions Receivable	B-16	 7,333	 7,333
		 323,073	 280,438
AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND			
Cash	B-3	 432,845	 423,627
LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM TRUST FUND (UNAUDITED)			
Investments	В	2,333,131	2,684,178
Contributions Receivable	В	 71,444	 85,084
		 2,404,575	 2,769,262
Total Assets		\$ 4,909,737	\$ 5,094,708

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS TRUST FUNDS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	Reference	2022	<u>2021</u> (Restated)
ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND			(1100.00.00)
Due to State of New Jersey	B-4	\$ 115	\$ 138
Due to Current Fund	B-5	9,649	5,076
Reserve for Animal Control Expenditures	B-6	9,462	11,773
		10.006	16.000
OTHER TRUST FUND		19,226	16,987
Due to Current Fund	B-15		3,032
Developers Escrow Deposits	B-13	677,372	689,631
Payroll Deductions Payable	B-13	31,381	80,192
Miscellaneous Reserves & Deposits	B-14 B-19	821,399	673,035
Reserve for Police Outside Duty Receivable	B-19	93,045	53,767
	D 12	73,013	23,707
		1,623,197	1,499,657
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE TRUST FUND			
Due to State of New Jersey	B-8	1,744	
Reserve for Unemployment Insurance Benefits	B-9	105,077	104,737
		106,821	104,737
OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND			
Due to General Capital Fund	C-6	107,167	14,667
Reserve for Open Space Expenditures	B-10	215,906	265,771
		222 072	200 420
AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND		323,073	280,438
Reserve for Affordable Housing	B-11	432,845	423,627
		102,010	123,027
LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM			
TRUST FUND (UNAUDITED)			
Reserve for LOSAP Benefits	В	2,404,575	2,769,262
Total Liabilities and Reserves		\$ 4,909,737	\$ 5,094,708

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF REVENUES-REGULATORY BASIS OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Anticipated (Memo)								
				Βι	idget After			Excess or	
	Reference	2	Budget	M	odification	Ī	Realized	<u>D</u>	eficit
Amount to be Raised by Taxation	B-10	\$	110,344	\$	110,344	\$	111,124	\$	780
Reserve Funds Anticipated	B-10		<u>-</u>		52,016		52,016		-
	B-2	\$	110,344	\$	162,360		163,140	\$	780
Non-Budget Revenue	B-1						1,371		
						\$	164,511		
Analysis of Non-Budget Revenue									
Interest on Deposits	B-10					\$	1,371		

**EXHIBIT B-2** 

### STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS-REGULATORY BASIS OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Appropriat  Budget	Bud	ed (Memo)  Budget After  Modification		Exper Paid or <u>Charged</u>		eserved
Maintenance of Lands for Recreation and Conservation Other Expenses Down Payments on Improvements Reserve for Future Use	\$	110,344	\$	69,860 92,500	\$	69,860 92,500	\$	-
Reference	<u>\$</u>	110,344 B-1	\$	162,360 B-1	\$	162,360 B-10	<u>\$</u>	_

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS GENERAL CAPITAL FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference		<u>2022</u>	2021
ASSETS				
Cash	C-2,C-3	\$	1,649,130	\$ 16,261
Grants Receivable	C-4		910,088	899,244
Contributions Receivable	C-5		14,000	28,000
Due from Current Fund	C-10		455,939	
Due from Open Space Preservation Trust Fund	C-6		107,167	14,667
Due from Water Utility Capital Fund	D-11			18,750
Due from Electric Utility Capital Fund	E-20			18,750
Deferred Charges to Future Taxation				
Funded	C-7		6,018,994	7,709,305
Unfunded	C-8		7,568,928	 5,652,248
Total Assets		<u>\$</u>	16,724,246	\$ 14,357,225
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE				
Serial Bonds	C-13	\$	5,209,000	\$ 6,804,000
Green Trust Loans	C-14		809,994	905,305
Bond Anticipation Notes	C-12		4,899,846	2,670,000
Encumbrances Payable	C-9		1,624,016	1,313,395
Improvement Authorizations				
Funded	C-11		545,886	325,081
Unfunded	C-11		1,824,555	1,104,944
Due to Current Fund	C-10			8,737
Due to Water Utility Capital Fund	D-11		226,250	
Due to Electric Utility Capital Fund	E-20		56,250	
Capital Improvement Fund	C-15		345,000	
Reserve for Preliminary Expenses	C-16		7,371	14,480
Reserve for Community Center	C-17		508,675	508,675
Reserve for Sewer Improvements	C-18		208,260	208,260
Reserve for Payment of Debt	C-19		100	100
Reserve for Grants Receivable	C-4		390,859	472,515
Fund Balance	C-1		68,184	 21,733
Total Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance		\$	16,724,246	\$ 14,357,225

There were Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued on December 31, 2022 and 2021 of \$2,885,256 and \$3,068,890, respectively. (See Exhibit C-20)

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

### FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Balance, January 1	C	\$ 21,733	\$ 53,951
Increased by: Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes Issued	C-2	 46,451	 17,782
Degreesed by		68,184	71,733
Decreased by: Anticipated as Current Fund Revenue	С	 ·	 50,000
Balance, December 31	C	\$ 68,184	\$ 21,733

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS WATER UTILITY FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	2022	2021
ASSETS			
OPERATING FUND			
Cash	D-5	\$ 3,670,528	\$ 2,994,638
Due from Water Utility Capital Fund	D-12		124,044
Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund	D-10	30,897	
Due from Utility Trust Fund	F-3	9,236	1,459
		3,710,661	3,120,141
Receivables With Full Reserves			
Water Usage Charges Receivable	D-7	372,840	346,261
Other Charges Receivable	D-8	94,823	85,708
Woodcliff Lake Surcharge Receivable	D-9	56,802	53,963
		524,465	485,932
Deferred Charges			
Overexpenditure of Appropriation	D-13	56,764	-
Total Operating Fund		4,291,890	3,606,073
CAPITAL FUND			
Cash	D-5, D-6	2,238,116	777,769
Due from Current Fund	A-29	150,000	150,000
Due from General Capital Fund	D-11	226,250	,
Due from Water Utility Operating Fund	D-12	108,839	
Fixed Capital	D-14	16,331,023	16,231,471
Fixed Capital Authorized and Uncompleted	D-15	4,069,259	1,576,347
Total Capital Fund		23,123,487	18,735,587
		\$ 27,415,377	\$ 22,341,660

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS WATER UTILITY FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021 (Continued)

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
OPERATING FUND			
Liabilities			
Appropriation Reserves	D-4,D-16	\$ 732,853	\$ 202,825
Encumbrances Payable	D-17	180,526	463,049
Overpayments	D-19	32,514	29,246
Accrued Interest on Bonds and Notes	D-20	75,922	15,887
Due to Other Trust Fund	B-17	10,000	,
Due to Current Fund	D-21	11,250	62,966
Due to Water Utility Capital Fund	D-12	108,839	
Due to Electric Utility Operating Fund	D-10		5,501
Miscellaneous Reserves	D-30	1,638,099	1,594,205
		2,790,003	2,373,679
Reserve for Receivables	D	524,465	485,932
Fund Balance	D-1	977,422	746,462
Total Operating Fund		4,291,890	3,606,073
CAPITAL FUND			
Serial Bonds Payable	D-24	1,267,000	1,452,000
Bond Anticipation Notes	D-25	4,240,154	1,386,700
Encumbrances Payable	D-18	466,597	134,750
Improvement Authorization			
Funded	D-23	185,962	184,756
Unfunded	D-23	1,870,800	891,536
Due to General Capital Fund	D-11		18,750
Due to Water Utility Operating Fund	D-12		124,044
Due to Electric Utility Capital Fund	D-22	12,973	
Capital Improvement Fund	D-26	226,919	297,919
Reserve for Capital Improvements	D-27	190,000	
Reserve for Amortization	D-28	14,296,980	14,004,416
Deferred Reserve for Amortization	D-29	290,502	197,002
Fund Balance	D-2	75,600	43,714
Total Capital Fund		23,123,487	18,735,587
		\$ 27,415,377	\$ 22,341,660

There were Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued on December 31, 2022 and 2021 of \$305,646 and \$767,000, respectively. (See Exhibit D-31)

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN OPERATING FUND BALANCE REGULATORY BASIS

### WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference		<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
REVENUES AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED				
Fund Balance Utilized	D-3	\$	350,000	\$ 400,000
Water Usage Charges	D-3	•	3,726,098	3,294,914
Miscellaneous Charges and Fees	D-3		312,014	295,598
Reserve for Woodcliff Lake Improvements - Reimbursements			<b>,</b>	_,,,,,,
Holly Court Water Tank - Debt Service	D-3		51,430	46,983
Installation of New Well & Pumping Station - Debt Service	D-3		1,300	1,300
Water Main at Glen Road	D-3		6,400	6,400
Non-Budget Revenue	D-3		118,767	23,540
Other Credits				20,010
Appropriation Reserves Lapsed	D-16		163,165	209,092
Total Income			4,729,174	4,277,827
EXPENDITURES				
Operating	D-4		3,349,900	3,296,860
Capital Improvements	D-4		290,000	320,000
Debt Service	D-4		304,578	236,957
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures	D-4		260,500	255,810
Total Expenditures		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	4,204,978	4,109,627
Excess in Revenue			524,196	168,200
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance:				
Expenditures Included Above Which are by Statute				
Deferred Charges to Budget of Succeeding Year	D-13		56,764	
Statutory Excess to Fund Balance			580,960	168,200
Fund Balance, January 1,	D		746,462	978,262
			1,327,422	1,146,462
Decreased by:				
Utilized as Anticipated Revenue	D-1,D-3		350,000	400,000
Balance, December 31,	D	\$	977,422	\$ 746,462

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE- REGULATORY BASIS WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Balance, January 1	D	\$ 43,714	\$ 64,479
Increased by:			
Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes Issued	D-5	 31,886	 9,235
		75 (00	72 714
		75,600	73,714
Decreased by:			
Appropriated to Finance Improvement Authorizations	D-2	 ***	 30,000
Balance, December 31,	D	\$ 75,600	\$ 43,714

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Reference	Anticipated	Realized	Excess or (Deficit)
Fund Balance Anticipated Water Usage Charges Miscellaneous Charges and Fees Reserve for Woodcliff Lake Improvements - R.	eimhursements	D-1 D-1,D-7 D-1,D-3	\$ 350,000 3,465,585 275,000	\$ 350,000 3,726,098 312,014	\$ 260,513 37,014
Holly Court Water Tank - Debt Service Installation of New Well & Pumping Station Water Main at Glen Road		D-1, D-30 D-1, D-30 D-1, D-30	51,430 1,300 6,400	51,430 1,300 6,400	
		D-4	\$ 4,149,715	4,447,242	\$ 297,527
Non-Budget Revenue		D-1, D-3		118,767	
				\$4,566,009	
Analysis of Realized Revenue					
Miscellaneous Charges and Fees:					
Fire Sprinklers		D-8		\$ 79,210	
Hydrants Mobile Antenna Rents		D-8 D-5		43,128 189,676	
Moone America Kems		D-3		100,070	
		D-3		\$ 312,014	
Non-Budget Revenue:					
Interest on Delinquent Accounts				\$ 11,743	
Interest on Investments				80,450	
Miscellaneous				26,574	
		D-3		\$ 118,767	
Cash Receipts		D-5		\$ 89,469	
Due from Water Utility Cap		D-12		21,494	
Due from Utility Trust Fund		F-3		7,804	
				\$ 118,767	

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Аррго	priated Budget After	Paid or	Expended		
		Budget	Modification	Charged	Reserved	Overexpended	Cancelled
OPERATING							
Salaries and Wages Other Expenses		\$ 1,333,000 2,016,900	\$ 1,333,000 2,016,900	\$ 1,289,474 1,514,005	\$ 43,526 502,895		
Outer Expenses		2,010,700	2,010,700		302,693		
Total Operating		3,349,900	3,349,900	2,803,479	546,421	44	-
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS							
Capital Improvement Fund		50,000	50,000	50,000	_		
Capital Outlay		240,000	240,000	67,364	172,636		
Total Capital Improvements		290,000	290,000	117,364	172,636	_	<u>-</u>
DEPART OFFICE						<u></u>	
DEBT SERVICE		107.000	105.000	10, 000			
Payment of Bond Principal Payment of Note Principal		185,000	185,000	185,000			dt 100
Interest on Bonds		7,700 37,000	7,700 38,200	7,600 36,799			\$ 100
Interest on Notes		19,615	18,415	75,179	_	\$ 56,764	1,401
						20,703	
Total Debt Service		249,315	249,315	304,578		56,764	1,501
DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTORY EX	PENDITUI	RES					
Statutory Expenditures							
Contribution to							
Public Employees Retirement System		157,500	157,500	157,500	-		
Defined Contribution Retirement Program		1,000	1,000	403	597		
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)		102,000	102,000	88,801	13,199		_
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory							
Expenditures		260,500	260,500	246,704	13,796	-	_
•							
		\$ 4,149,715	\$ 4,149,715	\$ 3,472,125	\$ 732,853	\$ 56,764	\$ 1,501
Ī	Reference	D-3	D-4	D-1	D, D-1	D-13	
Cash Disbursed	D-5			\$ 3,129,621			
Encumbrances Payable	D-17			180,526			
				50,000			
Due to Water Utility Capital Fund	D-12			50,000			
Due to Water Utility Capital Fund Accrued Interest on Bonds and Notes	D-12 D-20			111,978			

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS ELECTRIC UTILITY FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	2022	<u>2021</u>
ASSETS			
OPERATING FUND			
Cash	E-5	\$ 4,356,507	\$ 2,316,229
Cash - Change Fund	E-7	75	75
Due from Water Utility Operating Fund	D-15		5,501
Due from Electric Utility Capital Fund	E-14		38
Due from Utility Trust Fund	F-4	6,956	912
		4,363,538	2,322,755
Receivables With Full Reserves			
Light and Power Charges Receivable	E-10	576,069	606,237
Other Charges Receivable	E-11	18,719	19,000
		504 700	(05.007
		594,788	625,237
Deferred Charges			
Overexpenditure of Appropriation	E-9	27,735	-
Total Operating Fund		4,986,061	2,947,992
CAPITAL FUND			
Cash	E-5, E-6	1,784,262	164,801
Due from Current Fund	A-30	5,000	5,000
Due from General Capital Fund	E-20	56,250	
Due from Water Utility Capital Fund	D-12	12,973	
Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund	E-14	43,985	
Fixed Capital	E-12	14,013,495	14,013,495
Fixed Capital Authorized and Uncompleted	E-13	3,461,646	291,646
Total Capital Fund		19,377,611	14,474,942
		\$ 24,363,672	\$ 17,422,934

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS ELECTRIC UTILITY FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021 (Continued)

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
OPERATING FUND			
Liabilities			
Appropriation Reserves	E-4,E-15	\$ 2,142,805	\$ 904,354
Encumbrances Payable	E-16	330,716	433,108
Overpayments	E-19	24,775	22,388
Accrued Interest on Bonds and Notes	E-18	29,138	1,591
Accounts Payable	E-27	,	7,445
Other Liabilities	E-28	121,263	121,263
Due to Current Fund	E-29	9,383	48,091
Due to Other Trust Fund	B-18	10,000	· • · · · ·
Due to Water Utility Operating Fund	D-15	30,897	
Due to Electric Utility Capital Fund	E-14	43,985	-
		2,742,962	1,538,240
Reserve for Receivables	Е	594,788	625,237
Fund Balance	E-1	1,648,311	784,515
Total Operating Fund		4,986,061	2,947,992
CAPITAL FUND			
Serial Bonds	E-22	395,000	455,000
Bond Anticipation Notes	E-23	2,226,000	·
Encumbrances Payable	E-17	1,527,929	59,226
Improvement Authorizations			
Funded	E-21	84,988	98,642
Unfunded	E-21	1,252,289	76,285
Due to General Capital Fund	E-20		18,750
Due to Electric Utility Operating Fund	E-14		38
Capital Improvement Fund	E-24	27,750	88,750
Reserve for Capital Improvements	E-25	12,500	12,500
Reserve for Amortization	E-26	13,468,780	13,408,780
Deferred Reserve for Amortization	E-30	366,361	215,361
Fund Balance	E-2	16,014	41,610
Total Capital Fund		19,377,611	14,474,942
		\$ 24,363,672	\$ 17,422,934

There were Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued on December 31, 2022 and 2021 of \$1,019,000 and \$226,000, respectively. (See Exhibit E-31)

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE

### COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN OPERATING FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS - ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
REVENUES AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED			
Fund Balance Utilized	E-3	\$ 604,000	\$ 704,000
Light and Power Charges	E-3	9,711,353	8,878,477
Miscellaneous Charges and Fees	E-3	17,888	17,226
Electric Capital Fund Balance	E-3	40,000	17,220
Non-Budget Revenue	E-3	163,600	42,721
Other Credits to Income		,	,
Appropriation Reserves Lapsed	E-15	889,498	452,736
Accounts Payable Cancelled	E-27	7,445	,/
Total Income		11,433,784	10,095,160
EXPENDITURES			
Operating	E-4	9,454,000	9,084,560
Capital Improvements	E-4	190,000	90,000
Debt Service	E-4	99,523	73,288
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures	E-4	250,200	234,102
Total Expenditures		9,993,723	9,481,950
Excess in Revenue		1,440,061	613,210
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance:			
Expenditures Included Above Which are by Statute			
Deferred Charges to Budget of Succeeding Year	E-9	27,735	-
Statutory Excess to Fund Balance		1,467,796	613,210
Fund Balance, January 1,	E	784,515	875,305
		2,252,311	1,488,515
Decreased by: Utilized as Anticipated Revenue	E-1, E-3	604,000	704,000
Balance, December 31,	E	\$ 1,648,311	\$ 784,515

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE- REGULATORY BASIS ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Balance, January 1	Е	\$ 41,610	\$ 41,610
Increased by:			
Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes Issued	E-5, D-12	 14,404	 -
		56,014	41,610
Decreased by:			
Anticipated as Electric Utility Operating Fund Revenue	E-14	 40,000	 _
Balance, December 31,	Е	\$ 16,014	\$ 41,610

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Reference	Anticipated	Realized	Excess or (Deficit)
Fund Balance Anticipated	E-1 E-1,E-10	\$ 604,000 9,305,175	\$ 604,000 9,711,353	\$ 406,178
Light and Power Charges Miscellaneous Charges and Fees	E-1,E-10 E-1,E-3	17,000	17,888	888
Electric Capital Fund Balance	E-14	40,000	40,000	-
	E-4	\$ 9,966,175	10,373,241	\$ 407,066
Non-Budget Revenue	E-1, E-3		163,600	
			\$10,536,841	
Analysis of Realized Revenue				
Miscellaneous Charges and Fees				
Dusk to Dawn	E-3,E-11		\$ 17,888	
Non-Budget Revenue:				
Interest on Investments			\$ 73,614	
Interest on Delinquent Accounts Miscellaneous			32,847 57,139	
Miscendieous			5,,155	
	E-3		\$ 163,600	
Cash Receipts	E-5		\$ 140,301	
Due from Electric Utility Capital Fund	E-14		17,937	
Due from Utility Trust Fund	F-4		5,362	
			\$ 163,600	

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		<u>Appro</u>	priated Budget After	Expe Paid or	nded				
		Budget	Modification	Charged	Reserved	Ove	rexpended	Can	celled
OPERATING				<b>*** *** *** ** ** ** ** </b>	A 222 (27				
Salaries and Wages		\$1,484,000 1,155,000	\$1,484,000 1,155,000	\$1,250,365 812,534	\$ 233,635 342,466				
Other Expenses Purchase of Electric Current		6,160,000	6,160,000	4,731,772	1,428,228				
Franchise & Gross Receipts Taxes-Current	Fund	500,000	500,000	500,000	*,·,				
Payment in Lieu of Taxes - Current Fund		155,000	155,000	155,000			_		-
Total Operating		9,454,000	9,454,000	7,449,671	2,004,329		-		-
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS									
Capital Improvement Fund		90,000	90,000	90,000					
Capital Outlay		100,000	100,000		100,000				
Total Capital Improvements		190,000	190,000	90,000	100,000		-		
MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE -									
Payment of Bond Principal		60,000	60,000	60,000					
Interest on Bonds		11,975	11,975	11,788	-			\$	187
Interest on Notes				27,735	<u> </u>	\$	27,735		<u></u>
Total Municipal Debt Service		71,975	71,975	99,523			27,735		187
DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTOR	Y EXPENI	DITURES							
Statutory Expenditures									
Contribution to		120 200	120.200	120.200					
Public Employees Retirement System		139,200 110,000	139,200 110,000	139,200 71,890	38,110				
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)  Defined Contribution Retirement Progra	m	1,000	1,000	634	366		-		_
Domica Controlled Remember 1 og.a	•••							-	
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory					00.15				
Expenditures		250,200	250,200	211,724	38,476		-		-
		\$9,966,175	<u>\$9,966,175</u>	\$7,850,918	\$2,142,805	\$	27,735	<u>\$</u>	187
	Reference	E-3	E-4	E-1	E, E-1		E-9		
Cash Disbursed	E-5			\$7,390,679					
Encumbrances Payable	E-16			330,716					
Accrued Interest on Bonds and Notes	E-18			39,523					
Due to Electric Utility Capital Fund	E-14			90,000					
				<u>\$7,850,918</u>					

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS UTILITY TRUST FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

ASSETS	Reference	<u>2022</u>		<u>2021</u>
Cash	F-1	\$ 1,019,559	\$	968,173
LIABILITIES AND RESERVES		\$ 1,019,559	<u>\$</u>	968,173
Deposits Payable		•		
Water Customers	F-2	\$ 594,733	\$	571,139
Electric Customers	F-2	408,634		394,663
Due to Water Utility Operating Fund	F-3	9,236		1,459
Due to Electric Utility Operating Fund	F-4	6,956		912
Total Liabilities and Reserves		\$ 1,019,559	\$	968,173

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS SWIM POOL UTILITY FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference 2022		<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
ASSETS				
OPERATING FUND				
Cash	G-5	\$	391,373	\$ 324,218
Due from Swim Pool Utility Capital Fund	G-7		111	 
			391,484	324,226
Deferred Charges				
Special Emergency Authorizations	G-8		164,000	 205,000
Total Operating Fund			555,484	 529,226
CAPITAL FUND				
Cash	G-5, G-6		35,726	35,623
Fixed Capital	G-9		1,221,078	 1,221,078
Total Capital Fund		<del></del>	1,256,804	 1,256,701
		\$	1,812,288	\$ 1,785,927

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS SWIM POOL UTILITY FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021 (Continued)

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	Reference	2022	<u>2021</u>
OPERATING FUND Liabilities			
Appropriation Reserves Encumbrances Payable	G-4,G-10 G-12	\$ 47,398 	\$ 43,539 4,765
		48,167	48,304
Fund Balance	G-1	507,317	480,922
Total Operating Fund		555,484	529,226
CAPITAL FUND			
Due to Swim Pool Utility Operating Fund	G-7	111	8
Capital Improvement Fund	G-11	16,000	16,000
Reserve for Amortization	G-13	1,221,078	1,221,078
Fund Balance	G-2	19,615	19,615
Total Capital Fund		1,256,804	1,256,701
		\$ 1,812,288	\$ 1,785,927

There were no Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued on December 31, 2022 and 2021.

### **BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE**

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

### SWIM POOL UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	2022	2021
REVENUES AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED			
Fund Balance Utilized	G-3	\$ 65,000	\$ 82,000
Membership Fees	G-3	315,973	309,236
Miscellaneous Fees	G-3	67,770	56,288
Non-Budget Revenue	G-3	70	,
Other Credits			
Appropriation Reserves Lapsed	G-10	 39,882	 95
Total Income		 488,695	 447,619
EXPENDITURES			
Operating	G-4	325,000	290,000
Capital Improvements	G-4	19,000	,
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures	G-4	 53,300	 11,900
Total Expenditures		 397,300	 301,900
Excess in Revenue		91,395	145,719
Fund Balance, January 1,	G	 480,922	 417,203
		572,317	562,922
Decreased by:			
Utilized as Anticipated Revenue	G-1, G-3	 65,000	 82,000
Balance, December 31,	G	\$ 507,317	\$ 480,922

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE- REGULATORY BASIS SWIM POOL UTILITY CAPITAL FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	2022	<u>2021</u>		
Balance, January 1	G	\$ 19,615	\$	19,615	
Balance, December 31,	G	\$ 19,615	\$	19,615	

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS SWIM POOL UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Reference	Anticipated	Realized	Excess or (Deficit)
Fund Balance Utilized Membership Fees Miscellaneous	G-1 G-1,G-5 G-1,G-3	\$ 65,000 287,000 45,300	\$ 65,000 315,973 67,770	\$ 28,973 22,470
	G-4	\$ 397,300	\$ 448,743	\$ 51,443
Non-Budget Revenue	G-1, G-3		70	
Analysis of Realized Revenue			\$ 448,813	
Allarysis of Realized Revenue				
Miscellaneous			\$ 31,909	
Guest Fees Swim Lessons			6,791	
Late Fees			5,215	
Snack Bar Concession Fee			4,100	
Interest on Deposits			4,709	
Other Receipts and Fees			15,046	
	G-3		\$ 67,770	
Cash Receipts	G-5		\$ 67,306	
Due From Swim Pool Utility Capital Fund	G-7		464	
			\$ 67,770	,
Non-Budget Revenue: Miscellaneous Receipts	G-5		<u>\$ 70</u>	

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS SWIM POOL UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

			Appropriated				<u>Expended</u> Paid or			
			Budget		dget After diffication		Charged		Reserved	
OPERATING			•							
Salaries and Wages		\$	160,000	\$	160,000	\$	146,558	\$	13,442	
Other Expenses		***************************************	165,000		165,000		151,132		13,868	
Total Operating			325,000	···-	325,000		297,690		27,310	
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS										
Capital Outlay			19,000		19,000		-	<del></del>	19,000	
Total Capital Improvements			19,000		19,000			*********	19,000	
DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTORY EXPENDITURES Deferred Charges										
Special Emergency Authorization Statutory Expenditures Contribution to			41,000		41,000		41,000			
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)		<u></u>	12,300		12,300		11,212		1,088	
Total Deferred Charges and										
Statutory Expenditures			53,300		53,300		52,212		1,088	
		\$	397,300	\$	397,300	<u>\$</u>	349,902	<u>\$</u>	47,398	
	Reference		G-3		G-4		G-1		G,G-1	
Cash Disbursed	G-5					\$	308,133			
Encumbrances Payable	G-12						769			
Deferred Charges - Special Emergency	G-8						41,000			
						\$	349,902			

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS PUBLIC ASSISTANCE FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	Reference	2022		<u>2021</u>
ASSETS				
Cash Due from Current Fund	H-1 H-2	\$ 18,240	\$	13,620 5,798
Due nom Current Luna	11.2	 10010		
		\$ 18,240	<u>\$</u>	19,418
LIABILITIES AND RESERVES				
Due to Current Fund	H-2	\$ 25		
Reserve for Public Assistance	H-3	 18,215	\$	19,418
		\$ 18,240	\$	19,418

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS GENERAL FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT GROUP AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

	2022	<u>2021</u>
Land and Land Improvements	\$ 15,900,155	
Buildings and Building Improvements  Machinery and Equipment	5,593,227 6,725,770	5,593,227 6,614,282
	\$ 28,219,152	\$ 27,572,712
Investment in Fixed Assets	\$ 28,219,152	\$ 27,572,712



### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### A. Reporting Entity

The Borough of Park Ridge (the "Borough") was incorporated in 1894 and operates under an elected Mayor and Council form of government. The Mayor is elected to a four-year term and the six council members are elected at-large to serve staggered three-year terms. The Mayor is the Chief Executive Officer of the Borough and as such presides over all public meetings, provides leadership in the development of community projects, and makes appointments to various boards. The Borough Council exercises all legislative powers including final adoption of the municipal budget and bond ordinances and confirmation of the Mayor's appointments, and all executive authority which is not specifically provided to the Mayor, by State law. A Borough Administrator is appointed by the Borough Council and is responsible for the implementation of the policies of the Mayor and Council, for the administration of all Borough affairs and for the day to day operations of the Borough. The Borough Administrator is the Chief Administrative Officer for the Borough. The Borough's major operations include public safety, road repair and maintenance, sanitation, fire protection, recreation and parks, health services, water and electric supply services and general administrative services.

GASB requires the financial reporting entity to include both the primary government and component units. Component units are legally separate organizations for which the Borough is financially accountable. The Borough is financially accountable for an organization if the Borough appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the Borough is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the Borough is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; the Borough is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or the Borough is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units may also include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the Borough in that the Borough approves the budget, the issuance of debt or the levying of taxes. The Borough is not includable in any other reporting entity as a component unit.

The financial statements contained herein include only those boards, bodies, officers or commissions as required by NJS 40A:5-5. Accordingly, the financial statements of the Borough do not include the municipal library or volunteer fire department, which are considered component units under GAAP. Complete financial statements of the above component units can be obtained by contacting the Treasurer of the respective entity.

### B. <u>Description of Regulatory Basis of Accounting</u>

The financial statements of the Borough of Park Ridge have been prepared on a basis of accounting in conformity with accounting principles and practices prescribed or permitted by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey (the "Division") which is a regulatory basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Such principles and practices are designed primarily for determining compliance with legal provisions and budgetary restrictions and as a means of reporting on the stewardship of public officials with respect to public funds. Under this method of accounting, the Borough accounts for its financial transactions through separate funds, which differ from the fund structure required by GAAP.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. GASB has adopted accounting statements to be used by governmental units when reporting financial position and results of operations in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. (GAAP). The municipalities in the State of New Jersey do not prepare financial statements in accordance with GAAP and thus do not comply with all of the GASB pronouncements.

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### C. Basis of Presentation – Financial Statements

The Borough uses funds, as required by the Division, to report on its financial position and the results of its operations. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial administration by segregating transactions related to certain Borough functions or activities. The Borough also uses an account group, which is designed to provide accountability for certain assets that are not recorded in those Funds.

The Borough has the following funds and account group:

<u>Current Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures for governmental operations of a general nature and the assets and liabilities related to such activities, including Federal and State grants not accounted for in another fund.

<u>Trust Funds</u> – These funds are used to account for assets held by the government in a trustee capacity. Funds held by the Borough as an agent for individuals, private organizations, or other governments are recorded in the Trust Funds.

<u>Animal Control Trust Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for fees collected from dog and cat licenses and expenditures which are regulated by NJS 4:19-15.11.

<u>Other Trust Fund</u> – This fund is established to account for the assets and resources, which are held by the Borough as a trustee or agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments and/or other funds. These funds include dedicated fees/proceeds collected, developer deposits, payroll related deposits and funds deposited with the Borough as collateral.

<u>Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for employee and employer contributions for the purpose of providing unemployment benefits to former eligible employees.

<u>Open Space Preservation Trust Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for the resources which have accumulated from a dedicated tax and other resources to be used for the preservation and improvements of municipal open space, recreation and farmland property.

<u>Affordable Housing Trust Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for receipts and disbursements relating to redevelopment fees and expenditures which are regulated by NJAC 5.97-8.

<u>Length of Service Awards Program Trust Fund (LOSAP)</u> – This fund is established to account for the tax-deferred income benefits to active volunteer members of emergency service organizations of the Borough.

<u>General Capital Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for the receipt and disbursement of funds used and related financial transactions related to the acquisition or improvement of general capital facilities and other capital assets, other than those acquired in the Current Fund.

<u>Water Utility Fund</u> — This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures for the operation of the Borough's water utility and the assets and liabilities relative to such activities. Acquisition or improvement of capital facilities and other capital assets for the water utility is accounted for in the capital section of the fund.

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### C. Basis of Presentation - Financial Statements (Continued)

<u>Electric Utility Fund</u> — This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures for the operation of the Borough's electric utility system and the assets and liabilities relative to such activities. Acquisition or improvement of capital facilities and other capital assets for the sewer utility is accounted for in the capital section of the fund.

<u>Utility Trust Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for refundable deposits collected from customers receiving water and electric services from the Borough.

<u>Swim Pool Utility Fund</u> — This fund is used to account for the revenues and expenditures for operation of the Borough's swimming and recreational facilities and the assets and liabilities relative to such activities. Acquisition or improvement of capital facilities and other capital assets for the swim pool utility is accounted for in the capital section of the fund.

<u>Public Assistance Fund</u> – This fund is used to account for the receipt and disbursement of funds that provide assistance to certain residents of the Borough pursuant to Title 44 of New Jersey Statutes.

<u>General Fixed Assets Account Group</u> – This account group is used to account for all general fixed assets of the Borough, other than those accounted for in the water, electric and swim pool utility funds. The Borough's infrastructure is not reported in the account group.

<u>Comparative Data</u> – Comparative data for the prior year has been presented in the accompanying financial statements in order to provide an understanding of changes in the Borough's financial position and operations. However, comparative data have not been presented in all statements because their inclusion would make certain statements unduly complex and difficult to understand.

<u>Reclassifications</u> – Certain reclassifications may have been made to the December 31, 2021 balances to conform to the December 31, 2022 presentation.

### Financial Statements - Regulatory Basis

The GASB Codification also requires the financial statements of a governmental unit to be presented in the basic financial statements in accordance with GAAP. The Borough presents the regulatory basis financial statements listed in the table of contents which are required by the Division and which differ from the basic financial statements required by GAAP. In addition, the Division requires the regulatory basis financial statements listed in the table of contents to be referenced to the supplementary schedules. This practice differs from reporting requirements under GAAP.

### D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the accounting principles and practices prescribed by the Division in accordance with the regulatory basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of transactions or events for recognition in the financial statements.

The Borough of Park Ridge follows a modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method of accounting, revenues, except State/Federal Aid, are recognized when received and expenditures are recorded when incurred. The accounting principles and practices prescribed or permitted for municipalities by the Division ("regulatory basis of accounting") differ in certain respects from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) applicable to local government units. The more significant differences are as follows:

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

<u>Cash and Investments</u> – Cash includes amounts in demand deposits as well as short-term investments with a maturity date within three months of the date acquired by the government. Investments are reported at cost and are limited by N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1 et seq. with the exception of LOSAP Trust Fund investments which are reported at fair value and are limited by N.J.A.C. 5:30-14.19. GAAP requires that all investments be reported at fair value.

<u>Inventories</u> — The costs of inventories of supplies for all funds are recorded as expenditures at the time individual items are purchased. The costs of inventories are not included on the various balance sheets. GAAP requires inventories to be recorded as assets in proprietary-type funds.

**Property Tax Revenues/Receivables** – Real property taxes are assessed locally, based upon the assessed value of the property. The tax bill includes a levy for Municipal, County, and School purposes. The bills are mailed annually in June for that calendar year's levy. Taxes are payable in four quarterly installments on February 1, May 1, August 1, and November 1. The amounts of the first and second installments are determined as one-quarter of the total tax levied against the property for the preceding year. The installment due the third and fourth quarters is determined by taking the current year levy less the amount previously charged for the first and second installments, with the remainder being divided equally. If unpaid on these dates, the amount due becomes delinquent and subject to interest at 8% per annum, or 18% on any delinquency amount in excess of \$1,500. The school levy is turned over to the Board of Education as expenditures are incurred, and the balance, if any, must be transferred as of December 31, of each fiscal year. County taxes are paid quarterly on February 15, May 15, August 15 and November 15, to the County by the Borough. When unpaid taxes or any municipal lien, or part thereof, on real property, remains in arrears on April first in the year following the calendar year levy when the same became in arrears, the collector in the municipality shall, subject to the provisions of the New Jersey Statutes, enforce the lien by placing the property on a standard tax sale. The Borough also has the option when unpaid taxes or any municipal lien, or part thereof, on real property remains in arrears on the 11th day of the eleventh month in the fiscal year when the taxes or lien became in arrears, the collector in the municipality shall, subject to the provisions of the New Jersey Statutes, enforce the lien by placing property on an accelerated tax sale, provided that the sale is conducted and completed no earlier than in the last month of the fiscal year. Borough may institute annual in rem tax foreclosure proceedings to enforce the tax collection or acquisition of title to the property. In accordance with the accounting principles prescribed by the State of New Jersey, current and delinquent taxes are realized as revenue when collected. Since delinquent taxes and liens are fully reserved, no provision has been made to estimate that portion of the tax receivable and tax title liens that are uncollectible. GAAP requires property tax revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they are both levied and available), reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

<u>Miscellaneous Revenues/Receivables</u> – Miscellaneous revenues are recognized on a cash basis. Receivables for the miscellaneous items that are susceptible to accrual are recorded with offsetting reserves on the balance sheet of the Borough's Current Fund. GAAP requires such revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they are both measurable and available).

<u>Utility Revenues/Receivables</u> — Water utility charges are levied both bi-monthly and quarterly based upon a flat service charge and a consumption or usage charge. Electric utility charges are levied both monthly and bi-monthly based upon a flat service charge and a consumption or usage charge. Swim pool utility charges are based on a flat fee by membership or service type (i.e., family, single, guest, etc.). Revenues from these sources are recognized on a cash basis. Receivables that are susceptible to accrual are recorded with offsetting reserves on the balances sheet of the Borough's utility operating funds. GAAP requires such revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual, reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

Grant and Similar Award Revenues/Receivables – Federal and State grants, entitlements or shared revenues received for purposes normally financed through the Current Fund are recognized when anticipated in the Borough's budget. GAAP requires such revenues to be recognized as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the grantor or provider have been met.

<u>Property Acquired for Taxes</u> – Property acquired for taxes is recorded in the Current Fund at the assessed valuation when such property was acquired, and is fully reserved. GAAP requires such property to be recorded as a capital asset in the government-wide financial statements at fair value on the date of acquisition.

<u>Interfunds</u> – Interfund receivables in the Current Fund are recorded with offsetting reserves, which are created by charges to operations. Income is recognized in the year the receivables are liquidated. Interfund receivables in the other funds are not offset by reserves. GAAP does not require the establishment of an offsetting reserve for interfunds and, therefore, does not recognize income in the year liquidated.

<u>Deferred Charges</u> – Certain expenditures, operating deficits and other items are required to be deferred to budgets of succeeding years. GAAP requires expenditures, operating deficits and certain other items generally to be recognized when incurred, if measurable.

Funded and unfunded debt authorizations for general capital projects are also recorded as deferred charges and represent permanent long-term debt issues outstanding (funded) and temporary debt issues outstanding or unissued debt authorizations (unfunded), respectively. GAAP does not permit the recording of deferred charges for funded and unfunded debt authorizations.

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

Expenditures – Expenditures are recorded on the "budgetary" basis of accounting. Generally, expenditures are recorded when an amount is encumbered for goods or services through the issuance of a purchase order in conjunction with an encumbrance accounting system. Outstanding encumbrances at December 31, are reported as a cash liability in the financial statements. Unexpended or uncommitted appropriations, at December 31, are reported as expenditures through the establishment of appropriation reserves unless cancelled by the governing body. GAAP requires expenditures to be recognized in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unmatured interest on general long-term debt, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgements, which are recognized when due.

<u>Encumbrances</u> – Contractual orders outstanding at December 31, are reported as expenditures and liabilities through the establishment of an encumbrance payable. Encumbrances do not constitute expenditures or liabilities under GAAP.

<u>Compensated Absences</u> – Expenditures relating to obligations for unused vested accumulated vacation and sick leave are not recorded until paid; however, municipalities may establish and budget reserve funds subject to NJSA 40A:4-39 for the future payment of compensated absences. GAAP requires that the amount that would normally be liquidated with expendable available financial resources be recorded as an expenditure in the operating funds and the remaining obligations are recorded as a long-term obligation in the government-wide financial statements.

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

<u>Tax Appeals and Other Contingent Losses</u> – Losses arising from tax appeals and other contingent losses are recognized at the time a decision is rendered by an administrative or judicial body; however, municipalities may establish reserves transferred from tax collections or by budget appropriation for future payments of tax appeal losses. GAAP requires such amounts to be recorded when it is probable that a loss has been incurred and the amount of such loss can be reasonably estimated.

Reserve for Uncollected Taxes — Reserve for Uncollected Taxes is a non-spending budget appropriation account required to provide assurance that cash collected for property taxes levied in the current year will provide sufficient cash flow to meet expected budgetary obligations. The minimum amount required to be budgeted in Reserve for Uncollected Taxes is determined utilizing the actual percentage of property taxes collected in the immediate preceding budget year, unless allowable alternative methods are utilized with the approval of the Division. A Reserve for Uncollected Taxes is not established or required under GAAP.

<u>Pensions</u> – The Borough appropriates in its annual budget the amount required to be paid for pension contributions as determined by the State administered pension systems. Under the regulatory basis of accounting the Borough is only required to disclose in the Notes to the Financial Statements it's share of the actuarially determined net pension liabilities, deferred outflow of resources, deferred inflow of resources and pension expense (benefit) related to the State administered pension system. GAAP requires these actuarially determined amounts to be reported in the government-wide financial statements.

Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) — The Borough funds its employer paid post-retirement medical benefits on a pay-as-you-go basis. Under the regulatory basis of accounting the Borough is only required to disclose in the Notes to the Financial Statements it's actuarially determined net OPEB liability, deferred outflow of resources, deferred inflow of resources and OPEB expense (benefit). GAAP requires these actuarially determined amounts to be reported in the government-wide financial statements.

<u>General Fixed Assets</u> – In accordance with NJAC 5:30-5.6, Accounting for Governmental Fixed Assets, the Borough of Park Ridge has developed a fixed assets accounting and reporting system. Fixed assets are defined by the Borough as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$500 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years.

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

General Fixed Assets purchased after December 31, 2008 are stated at cost. Donated fixed assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation.

General Fixed Assets purchased prior to December 31, 2008 are stated as follows:

Land and Buildings
Machinery and Equipment

Assessed Value Replacement Cost

No depreciation has been provided for in the financial statements.

Expenditures for construction in progress are recorded in the General Capital Fund until such time as the construction is completed and put into operation for general fixed assets.

Accounting for utility fund "fixed capital" remains unchanged under NJAC 5:30-5.6.

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

### D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

### **General Fixed Assets (Continued)**

Property and equipment purchased by the water, electric and swim pool utility funds are recorded in the capital account at cost and are adjusted for disposition and abandonment. The amounts shown do not purport to represent reproduction costs or current value. Contributions in aid of construction are not capitalized. The balance in the Reserve for Amortization and Deferred Reserve for Amortization accounts in the Utility Capital Funds represents charges to operations for the costs of acquisitions of property, equipment and improvements. The utilities do not record depreciation on fixed assets.

GAAP requires that capital assets be recorded in proprietary-type funds as well as the government-wide financial statement at historical or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. In addition, GAAP requires depreciation on capital assets to be recorded in proprietary-type funds as well as in the government-wide financial statements.

<u>Use of Estimates</u> - The preparation of financial statements requires management of the Borough 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 accrued revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

### NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A. <u>Budgets and Budgetary Accounting</u> – An annual budget is required to be adopted and integrated into the accounting system to provide budgetary control over revenues and expenditures. Budget amounts presented in the accompanying financial statements represent amounts adopted by the Borough and approved by the State Division of Local Government Services as per N.J.S.A. 40A:4 et seq.

The Borough is not required to adopt budgets for the following funds:

Trust Funds (Except Open Space Preservation Trust Fund)
General Capital Fund
Water Utility Capital Fund
Electric Utility Capital Fund
Swim Pool Utility Capital Fund
Public Assistance Fund

The Borough must prepare its budget in compliance with applicable laws limiting or capping the amounts by which both the budget appropriations and the municipal tax levy can increase in the annual budget.

1977 Appropriation "CAP": The 1977 Appropriation Cap is calculated using the formulas and provisions of N.J.S.A 40A:4-45.1 through 4-45.43a. The law was originally adopted in 1976 and was most recently amended in 2003. Under this law, the Borough is permitted to increase its overall current fund appropriations (with certain exceptions) by 2.5% or the "cost of living adjustment" (COLA), whichever is less. The COLA is calculated based on the Implicit Price Deflator for Local Governments computed by the U.S. Department of Commerce. The Borough can, when the COLA is less than or equal to 2.5%, increase its allowable inside-the-cap appropriations to 3.5%, upon adoption of a COLA Rate Ordinance by the governing body and beyond 3.5% upon voter passage of a referendum.

2010 Levy "CAP": The 2010 Levy Cap is calculated using the formulas and provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.44 through 45.47. It established limits on the increase in the total amount to be raised by taxation for municipal purposes (municipal tax levy). The core of the levy cap formula is a 2% increase to the previous year's amount to be raised by taxation for municipal purposes, exclusive of certain appropriations and allowable adjustments and extraordinary costs related to a declared emergency. Voter approval may be requested to increase the municipal tax levy by more than the allowable adjusted tax levy.

### NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

### A. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting (Continued)

The governing body is required to introduce and approve the annual budget no later than February 10, of the fiscal year. The budget is required to be adopted no later than March 20, and prior to adoption must be certified by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. The Director of the Division of Local Government Services, with the approval of the Local Finance Board may extend the introduction and approval and adoption dates of the municipal budget. The budget is prepared by fund, function, activity and line item (salary or other expense) and includes information on the previous year. The legal level of control for appropriations is exercised at the individual line item level for all operating budgets adopted. The governing body of the municipality may authorize emergency appropriations and the inclusion of certain special items of revenue to the budget after its adoption and determination of the tax rate. During the last two months of the fiscal year, the governing body may, by a 2/3 vote; amend the budget through line item transfers. Management has no authority to amend the budget without the approval of the governing body. Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the line item level. During 2022 the Borough Council did not increase the original budget and in 2021 the Borough Council increased the original Current Fund budget by \$336,072. The 2021 increase was attributable to emergency appropriations of \$290,436 for down payments on improvements and the 2021 road, curb, drainage and sidewalk improvement program and \$45,636 of additional aid allotted to the Borough. In addition, the governing body approved several budget transfers during 2022 and 2021.

### B. Excess Expenditures Over Appropriations

The following is a summary of expenditures in excess of available appropriations. The overexpended appropriations resulted in unfavorable variances.

<u>2022</u>	 odified Budget	<u>Actual</u>	Unfavorable <u>Variance</u>		
Current Fund					
2022 Budget Appropriations: Tri-Boro Safety Corps - Other Expenses Buildings and Grounds - Other Expenses	\$ 89,500 72,200	\$ 102,797 92,893	\$	(13,297) (20,693)	
Water Utility Operating Fund					
2022 Budget Appropriations: Interest on Notes	\$ 18,415	\$ 75,179	\$	(56,764)	
<b>Electric Utility Operating Fund</b>					
2022 Budget Appropriations: Interest on Notes	\$ -	\$ 27,735	\$	(27,735)	

### NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

### B. Excess Expenditures Over Appropriations (Continued)

<u>2021</u>	 odified Budget	:	<u>Actual</u>		favorable ariance
Current Fund					
2021 Budget Appropriations: Interest on Notes	\$ 24,110	\$	25,378	\$	(1,268)
2020 Appropriation Reserves: Salaries and Wages:					
General Administration	6,307		6,726		(419)
Municipal Clerk	195		1,662		(1,467)
Planning Board	1,799		3,039		(1,240)
Zoning Board of Adjustment	956		1,783		(827)
Road Repairs & Maintenance	6		1,745		(1,739)

### NOTE 3 CASH DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

The Borough considers petty cash, change funds, cash in banks, certificates of deposit and deposits with the New Jersey Cash Management Fund as cash and cash equivalents.

### A. Cash Deposits

The Borough's deposits are insured through either the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund (NCUSIF), Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) or New Jersey's Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). The Borough is required to deposit their funds in a depository which is protecting such funds pursuant to GUDPA. The New Jersey Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act requires all banks doing business in the State of New Jersey to pledge collateral equal to at least 5% of the average amount of its public deposits and 100% of the average amount of its public funds in excess of the lesser of 75% of its capital funds or \$200 million for deposits in excess of the FDIC or NCUSIF insured amounts. GUDPA does not protect intermingled trust funds, bail funds, withholdings from an employee's salary or funds which may pass to the local government upon the happening of a future condition.

Bank balances are insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate by the FDIC for each bank. NCUSIF insures credit union accounts up to \$250,000 in the aggregate for each financial institution. SIPC replaces cash claims up to a maximum of \$250,000 for each failed brokerage firm. At December 31, 2022 and 2021 (restated), the book value of the Borough's deposits were \$23,027,925 and \$14,352,239 and bank and brokerage firm balances of the Borough's deposits amounted to \$23,383,466 and \$14,527,615, respectively. The Borough's deposits which are displayed on the various fund balance sheets as "cash" are categorized as:

	Bank Balance						
Depository Account	<u>2022</u>	2021 (Restated)					
Insured Uninsured and Collaterized	\$ 21,451,078 	\$ 12,640,193 1,887,422					
	\$ 23,383,466	\$ 14,527,615					

### NOTE 3 CASH DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

### A. Cash Deposits (Continued)

<u>Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits</u> – Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The Borough does not have a formal policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021 (restated), the Borough's bank balances of \$1,932,388 and \$1,504,945, respectively, were exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

		Bank	Bala	ince
Depository Account		2022	4	2021 (Restated)
Uninsured and Collaterized				
Collateral held by pledging financial institution's trust				
department but not in the Borough's name	<u>\$</u>	1,932,388	\$	1,887,422

### B. Investments

The Borough is permitted to invest public funds in accordance with the types of securities authorized by N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1. Investments include bonds or other obligations of the United States or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America, Government Money Market Mutual Funds, any obligation that a federal agency or a federal instrumentality has issued in accordance with an act of Congress, which security has a maturity date not greater than 397 days from the date of purchase, provided that such obligations bear a fixed rate of interest not dependent on any index or other external factor; bonds or other obligations of the Borough or bonds or other obligations of the school districts which are a part of the Borough or school districts located within the Borough, Bonds or other obligations, having a maturity date of not more than 397 days from the date of purchase, issued by New Jersey school district, municipalities, counties, and entities subject to the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law, " (C.40A:5A-1 et seq.); Other bonds or obligations having a maturity date not more than 397 days from the date of purchase may be approved by the Division of Investments in the Department of the Treasury for investment by local units; Local Government investment pools, deposits with the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund established pursuant to section 1 of P.L. 1977, c.281 (C.52:18A-90.4); and agreements for the repurchase of fully collateralized securities, if transacted in accordance with NJSA 40A:5-15.1 (8a-8e). In addition, the Borough is permitted to invest LOSAP Funds with the types of eligible investments authorized in NJAC 5:30-14.19. LOSAP investments include interest bearing accounts or securities, in which savings banks of New Jersey are authorized to invest their funds, New Jersey Cash Management Fund, fixed and variable individual or group annuity contracts, mutual fund shares or fixed and variable life insurance contracts.

As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough had the following investments:

		Fair '	Valu	e	
	(LOSAP Unaudited)				
		<u>2022</u>		2021	
Investment:					
Lincoln Financial Group LOSAP Retirement Fund	\$	2,333,131	\$	2,684,178	

### NOTE 3 CASH DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

### B. <u>Investments</u> (Continued)

<u>Custodial Credit Risk – Investments</u> – For an investment, this is the risk, that in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the Borough will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are held by an outside party. The Borough does not have a policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, \$2,333,131 and \$2,684,178 of the Borough's investments was exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

	Fair	Valu	e		
	 (LOSAP Unaudited)				
Uninsured and Collateralized:	<u>2022</u>		<u>2021</u>		
Collateral held by pledging financial institution's trust department but not in the Borough's name	\$ 2,333,131	\$	2,684,178		

<u>Interest Rate Risk</u> – Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in the market interest rate will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The Borough does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

<u>Credit Risk</u> – Generally, credit risk is the risk that an issuer of an investment will not fulfill its obligation to the holder of the investment. State law limits investments as noted above (N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1 and N.J.A.C. 5:30-14.19). The Borough does not have an investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough's investment in Lincoln Financial Group, a subsidiary of Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, was rated A1 by Moody's Investor Service.

<u>Concentration of Credit Risk</u> — The concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss that may be caused by the Borough's investment in a single issuer. The Borough places no limit in the amount the Borough may invest in any one issuer. More than five (5) percent of the Borough's investments are in Lincoln Financial Group. These investments are 100% of the Borough's total investments.

<u>Fair Value of Investments.</u> The Borough of Park Ridge measures and records its investments using fair value measurement guidelines established by generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). These guidelines recognize a three-tiered fair value hierarchy as follows:

- Level 1: Quoted prices for identical investments in active markets;
- Level 2: Observable inputs other than those in Level 1; and
- Level 3: Unobservable inputs.

Investments in the LOSAP plans are valued based on price data obtained from observed transactions and market price quotations provided by Lincoln Financial Group. Since the value is not obtained from a quoted price in an active market the LOSAP plan investments held by the Borough at December 31, 2022 and 2021 are categorized as Level 2.

Interest earned in the General Capital Fund, Animal Control Fund and certain Other Trust Funds are assigned to the Current Fund in accordance with the regulatory basis of accounting. Interest earned in the Utility Capital and Trust Funds are assigned to the Utility Operating Funds in accordance with the regulatory basis of accounting.

### NOTE 4 TAXES AND UTILITY CHARGES AND FEES RECEIVABLE

Receivables at December 31, 2022 consisted of the following:

2022	Current	Water <u>Utility</u>		Electric <u>Utility</u>		<u>Total</u>
Property Taxes Utility Charges and Fees	\$ 254,531	\$ 524,465	<u>\$</u>	594,788	\$	254,531 1,119,253
	\$ 254,531	\$ 524,465	\$	594,788	<u>\$</u>	1,373,784

In 2022, the Borough collected \$201,443, \$485,932 and \$625,237 from delinquent taxes, water utility and electric utility charges and fees, respectively which represented 100%, 100% and 100% of the delinquent tax, water and electric charges receivable at December 31, 2021.

Receivables at December 31, 2021 consisted of the following:

<u>2021</u>	Current	Water <u>Utility</u>		Electric <u>Utility</u>	<u>Total</u>
Property Taxes Utility Charges and Fees	\$ 201,539	\$ 485,932	<u>\$</u> _	625,237	\$ 201,539 1,111,169
	\$ 201,539	\$ 485,932	\$	625,237	\$ 1,312,708

In 2021, the Borough collected \$237,890, \$386,564 and \$397,232, from delinquent taxes, water utility and electric utility charges and fees, respectively which represented 97%, 100% and 100% of the delinquent tax, water and electric charges receivable at December 31, 2020.

### NOTE 5 DUE TO/FROM OTHER FUNDS

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

		<u>202</u>			<u>2021</u>				
	D	Due from		Due to		Due from			Due to
	<u>Oth</u>	er Funds	<u>O</u>	ther Funds		<u>Otl</u>	her Funds	Other Funds	
Current Fund	\$	30,307	\$	794,836	(	<b>S</b>	127,902	\$	271,491
Trust Fund:									
Animal Control				9,649					5,076
Other Trust		92,773							3,032
Open Space Preservation		111,124		107,167			110,693		14,667
General Capital Fund		563,106		282,500			52,167		8,737
Water Utility Fund:									
Operating		40,133		130,089			125,503		68,467
Capital		485,089		12,973			150,000		142,794
Electric Utility Fund:									
Operating		6,956		94,265			6,451		48,091
Capital		118,208					5,000		18,788
Utility Trust Fund				16,192					2,371
Swim Pool Utility Fund:									
Operating		111					8		
Capital				111					8
Public Assistance Fund				25	<del></del>	······································	5,798		_
Total	<u>\$</u>	1,447,807	\$	1,447,807	9	5	583,522	\$	583,522

The above balances are the result of expenditures being paid by one fund on behalf of another and/or deposits made or revenues earned in one fund which are for another fund.

The Borough expects all interfund balances to be liquidated within one year.

### NOTE 6 DEFERRED CHARGES TO BE RAISED IN SUCCEEDING BUDGETS

Under the regulatory basis of accounting, certain expenditures are required to be deferred to budgets of succeeding years. At December 31, the following deferred charges are reported on the balance sheets of the following funds:

<u>2022</u>	Balance December 31,		Subsequent Year Budget Appropriation		Balance to Succeeding Budgets	
Current Fund Overexpenditure of Appropriation	\$	33,990	\$	33,990		
Special Emergency Authorizations (40A:4-55)		208,000		52,000	\$	156,000
Water Utility Fund						
Overexpenditure of Appropriation		56,764		56,764		
Electric Utility Fund						
Overexpenditure of Appropriation		27,735		27,735		
Swim Pool Utility Fund						
Special Emergency Authorizations (40A:4-55)		164,000		41,000		123,000
<u>2021</u>						
Current Fund						
Emergency Authorization	\$	24,012	\$	24,012		
Overexpenditure of Appropriation		1,268		1,268		
Overexpenditure of Appropriation Reserves		5,692		5,692		
Special Emergency Authorizations (40A:4-55)		260,000		52,000	\$	208,000
Swim Pool Utility Fund						
Special Emergency Authorizations (40A:4-55)		205,000		41,000		164,000

### NOTE 7 FUND BALANCES APPROPRIATED

Under the regulatory basis of accounting, fund balances in the Current Fund and Utility Operating Funds are comprised of cash surplus (fund balance) and non-cash surplus (fund balance). All or part of cash surplus as of December 31 may be anticipated in the subsequent year's budget. The non-cash surplus portion of fund balance may be utilized in the subsequent year's budget with the prior written consent of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services if certain guidelines are met as to its availability. Fund balances at December 31, which were appropriated and included as anticipated revenue in their own respective fund's budget for the succeeding year were as follows:

	20	)22	202	21
	Fund	Utilized	Fund	Utilized
	Balance	in Subsequent	Balance	in Subsequent
	December 31,	Year's Budget	December 31,	Year's Budget
Current Fund				
Cash Surplus	\$ 2,314,347	\$ 1,830,000	\$ 1,803,220	\$ 1,300,000
Non-Cash Surplus	243,983		338,301	
	\$ 2,558,330	\$ 1,830,000	\$ 2,141,521	\$ 1,300,000
Water Utility Operating Fund	I			
Cash Surplus	\$ 920,658	\$ 500,000	\$ 746,462	\$ 350,000
Non-Cash Surplus	56,764	***		<del></del>
	\$ 977,422	\$ 500,000	\$ 746,462	\$ 350,000
Electric Utility Operating Fun	nd			
Cash Surplus	\$ 1,620,576	\$ 500,000	\$ 784,515	\$ 604,000
Non-Cash Surplus	27,735	-		-
	\$ 1,648,311	\$ 500,000	\$ 784,515	\$ 604,000
Swim Pool Utility Operating	Fund			
Cash Surplus	\$ 343,317	\$ 100,000	\$ 275,922	\$ 65,000
Non-Cash Surplus	164,000	<u>.</u>	205,000	
	\$ 507,317	\$ 100,000	\$ 480,922	\$ 65,000

### NOTE 8 FIXED ASSETS

### A. General Fixed Assets

The following is a summary of changes in the general fixed assets account group for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021.

	Balance,			Balance,
	December 31,			December 31,
	<u>2021</u>	<u>Additions</u>	Retirements	<u>2022</u>
<u>2022</u>				
Land and Land Improvements	\$ 15,365,203	\$ 534,952		\$ 15,900,155
Buildings and Building Improvements	5,593,227			5,593,227
Machinery and Equipment	6,614,282	295,688	\$ 184,200	6,725,770
	\$ 27,572,712	\$ 830,640	\$ 184,200	\$ 28,219,152
	Balance,			Balance,
	December 31,			December 31,
	<u>2020</u>	<u>Additions</u>	Retirements	<u>2021</u>
<u>2021</u>				
Land and Land Improvements	\$ 15,365,203			\$ 15,365,203
Buildings and Building Improvements	5,593,227			5,593,227
Machinery and Equipment	6,504,751	\$ 334,925	\$ 225,394	6,614,282
	\$ 27,463,181	\$ 334,925	\$ 225,394	\$ 27,572,712

### **NOTE 8 FIXED ASSETS (Continued)**

### **B.** Utility Funds Fixed Assets

The following is a summary of changes in the utility funds fixed assets for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021.

		Balance					Balance,
Water Utility Fund	D	ecember 31,				D	ecember 31,
		<u>2021</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>dditions</u>	<u>Retirements</u>		<u>2022</u>
<u>2022</u>							
Fixed Capital							
Land and Land Rights	\$	13,438				\$	13,438
Structures and System Improvements		11,740,170	\$	94,452			11,834,622
Vehicles and Equipment	_	4,477,863		5,100			4,482,963
	\$	16,231,471	\$	99,552	\$ -	\$	16,331,023
	D	Balance ecember 31,				D	Balance, ecember 31,
		2020	Α	dditions	Retirements	_	2021
<u>2021</u>			22		110111		
Fixed Capital							
Land and Land Rights	\$	13,438				\$	13,438
Structures and System Improvements		11,774,174	\$	34,006	68,010		11,740,170
Vehicles and Equipment		4,326,705		151,158			4,477,863
	\$	16,114,317	\$	185,164	\$ 68,010	\$	16,231,471

### NOTE 8 FIXED ASSETS (Continued)

### B. Utility Funds Fixed Assets (Continued)

Electric Utility Fund 2022	Balance December 31, 2021	Additions	Retirements	Balance, December 31, 2022
Fixed Capital Structures and System Improvements Vehicles and Equipment	\$ 10,747,817 3,265,678			\$ 10,747,817 3,265,678
	\$ 14,013,495	<u> -                                   </u>	\$ -	\$ 14,013,495
<u>2021</u>	Balance December 31, 2020	Additions	Retirements	Balance, December 31, 2021
Fixed Capital				
Structures and System Improvements Vehicles and Equipment	\$ 10,550,143 2,957,952	\$ 197,674 307,726	<b>-</b>	\$ 10,747,817 3,265,678
	\$ 13,508,095	\$ 505,400	\$ -	\$ 14,013,495
Swim Pool Utility Fund 2022	Balance December 31 <u>2021</u>	, <u>Additions</u>	Retirements	Balance, December 31, 2022
Fixed Capital Land and Land Improvements Pool Facilities and Improvements Furniture & Equipment	\$ 54,113 1,062,315 104,650 \$ 1,221,078	-	- \$ -	\$ 54,113 1,062,315 104,650 \$ 1,221,078
<u>2021</u>	Balance December 31 <u>2020</u>	, <u>Additions</u>	<u>Retirements</u>	Balance, December 31, 2021
Fixed Capital	e 54113			e 54.112
Land and Land Improvements  Pool Facilities and Improvements  Furniture & Equipment	\$ 54,113 1,062,315 104,650		· .	\$ 54,113 1,062,315 104,650
	\$ 1,221,078	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,221,078

### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT

The Local Bond Law (NJSA 40A:2 et.seq.) governs the issuance of bonds and notes used to finance capital expenditures. General obligation bonds have been issued for both general capital and utility capital fund projects and acquisitions or other purposes permitted by the Local Bond Law. All bonds are retired in serial installments within the statutory period of usefulness. Bonds issued by the Borough are general obligation bonds, backed by the full faith and credit of the Borough. Bond anticipation notes, which are issued to temporarily finance capital projects and acquisitions or other purposes permitted by the Local Bond Law, must be paid off within ten years and four months or retired by the issuance of bonds.

The Borough's debt is summarized as follows:

Issued   General   Bonds, Notes and Loans   \$ 10,918,840   \$ 10,379,305		2022	2021
Bonds, Notes and Loans   \$ 10,918,840   \$ 10,379,305   Water Utility   Bonds and Notes   5,507,154   2,838,700   Electric Utility   Bonds and Notes   2,621,000   455,000     455,000	Issued		
Water Utility       5,507,154       2,838,700         Electric Utility       2,621,000       455,000         Bonds and Notes       2,621,000       455,000         Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans       216,274       86,742         Net Debt Issued       18,830,720       13,586,263         Authorized But Not Issued       General       305,646       3,068,890         Water Utility       Bonds and Notes       305,646       767,000         Electric Utility       300,646       767,000       226,000         Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized       1,019,000       226,000	General		
Bonds and Notes   5,507,154   2,838,700     Electric Utility   Bonds and Notes   2,621,000   455,000     Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans   216,274   86,742     Net Debt Issued   18,830,720   13,586,263     Authorized But Not Issued   General   Bonds and Notes   2,885,256   3,068,890     Water Utility   Bonds and Notes   305,646   767,000     Electric Utility   Bonds and Notes   1,019,000   226,000     Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized   1,019,000   226,000     Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized   1,019,000   226,000     Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized   1,019,000   226,000     Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized   1,019,000   226,000     Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized   1,019,000   1,019,000   1,019,000   1,019,000     Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized   1,019,000   1,0	Bonds, Notes and Loans	\$ 10,918,840	\$ 10,379,305
Electric Utility         2,621,000         455,000           Bonds and Notes         19,046,994         13,673,005           Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans         216,274         86,742           Net Debt Issued         18,830,720         13,586,263           Authorized But Not Issued         General         305,646         3,068,890           Water Utility         Bonds and Notes         305,646         767,000           Electric Utility         300,646         767,000         226,000           Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized         1,019,000         226,000	Water Utility		
Bonds and Notes         2,621,000         455,000           Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans         19,046,994         13,673,005           Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans         216,274         86,742           Net Debt Issued         18,830,720         13,586,263           Authorized But Not Issued General Bonds and Notes         2,885,256         3,068,890           Water Utility Bonds and Notes         305,646         767,000           Electric Utility Bonds and Notes         1,019,000         226,000           Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Bonds and Notes	5,507,154	2,838,700
Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans  216,274  86,742  Net Debt Issued  18,830,720  13,586,263  Authorized But Not Issued  General  Bonds and Notes  2,885,256  Water Utility  Bonds and Notes  50,0646  767,000  Electric Utility  Bonds and Notes  1,019,000  226,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Electric Utility		
Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans  216,274  86,742  Net Debt Issued  18,830,720  13,586,263  Authorized But Not Issued General Bonds and Notes 2,885,256 3,068,890  Water Utility Bonds and Notes 305,646 767,000  Electric Utility Bonds and Notes 1,019,000 226,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Bonds and Notes	 2,621,000	 455,000
Less Funds Temporarily Held to Pay Bonds, Notes and Loans  216,274  86,742  Net Debt Issued  18,830,720  13,586,263  Authorized But Not Issued General Bonds and Notes 2,885,256 3,068,890  Water Utility Bonds and Notes 305,646 767,000  Electric Utility Bonds and Notes 1,019,000 226,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized			
Notes and Loans       216,274       86,742         Net Debt Issued       18,830,720       13,586,263         Authorized But Not Issued       General         Bonds and Notes       2,885,256       3,068,890         Water Utility       Bonds and Notes       305,646       767,000         Electric Utility       Bonds and Notes       1,019,000       226,000         Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized		19,046,994	13,673,005
Net Debt Issued  Authorized But Not Issued General Bonds and Notes  Water Utility Bonds and Notes Electric Utility Bonds and Notes  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized  18,830,720 13,586,263 13,068,890 2,885,256 3,068,890 305,646 767,000 226,000			
Authorized But Not Issued  General  Bonds and Notes  2,885,256  Water Utility  Bonds and Notes  50,068,890  Water Utility  Bonds and Notes  1,019,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Notes and Loans	 216,274	 86,742
Authorized But Not Issued  General  Bonds and Notes  2,885,256  Water Utility  Bonds and Notes  50,068,890  Water Utility  Bonds and Notes  1,019,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Not Dobt Issued	10 020 720	12 596 262
General       2,885,256       3,068,890         Water Utility       305,646       767,000         Electric Utility       1,019,000       226,000         Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Net Debt Issued	18,830,720	13,380,203
Bonds and Notes       2,885,256       3,068,890         Water Utility       305,646       767,000         Electric Utility       1,019,000       226,000         Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Authorized But Not Issued		
Water Utility Bonds and Notes 305,646 767,000 Electric Utility Bonds and Notes 1,019,000 226,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	General		
Water Utility Bonds and Notes 305,646 767,000 Electric Utility Bonds and Notes 1,019,000 226,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Bonds and Notes	2,885,256	3,068,890
Bonds and Notes 305,646 767,000 Electric Utility Bonds and Notes 1,019,000 226,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Water Utility	, ,	, ,
Electric Utility Bonds and Notes  1,019,000  226,000  Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	•	305,646	767,000
Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized	Electric Utility	ŕ	•
	Bonds and Notes	 1,019,000	 226,000
	Net Bonds and Notes Issued and Authorized		
\$ 23,040,022 \$ 17,048,133	But Not Issued	\$ 23,040,622	\$ 17,648,153

### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

### **Statutory Net Debt**

The statement of debt condition that follows is in the format of the Borough's Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of .693% and .711% at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

	Gross Debt		<u>Deductions</u>		Net Debt
2022 General Debt	\$	13,804,096	\$	216,274	\$ 13,587,822
School Debt		4,666,000		4,666,000	-
Utility Debt	*******	9,452,800	_	9,452,800	 
Total	<u>\$</u>	27,922,896	\$	14,335,074	\$ 13,587,822
				<b>35.</b> 1	
		Gross Debt		<u>Deductions</u>	Net Debt
2021 General Debt	\$	Gross Debt 13,448,195	\$	<u>Beductions</u> 86,742	\$ Net Debt 13,361,453
	\$		\$		\$
General Debt	\$	13,448,195	\$	86,742	\$

### **Statutory Borrowing Power**

The Borough's remaining borrowing power under N.J.S. 40A:2-6, as amended, at December 31, was as follows:

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
3-1/2% of Equalized Valuation Basis (Municipal) Less: Net Debt	\$  68,654,227 13,587,822	\$ 65,778,162 13,361,453
Remaining Borrowing Power	\$ 55,066,405	\$ 52,416,709

### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

### A. Long-Term Debt

The Borough's long-term debt consisted of the following at December 31:

### **General Obligation Bonds**

The Borough levies ad valorem taxes to pay debt service on general obligation bonds. General obligation bonds outstanding at December 31 are as follows:

outstanding at December 51 are as follows.		2022	2021
\$4,827,000, 2007 Bonds, due in annual			
installments of \$327,000			
through October, 2023, interest at 3.875% to 4.00%	\$	327,000	\$ 677,000
\$3,215,000, 2012 Bonds, due in annual			
installments of \$250,000 to \$300,000			
through August 2026, interest at 2.00%		1,200,000	1,450,000
\$3,035,000, 2013 Refunding Bonds, due in annual			
installments of \$340,000			
through February 2022, interest at 4.00%			340,000
\$2,207,000, 2013 Bonds, due in annual			
installments of \$280,000 to \$277,000			
through August 2023, interest at 3.00%		277,000	557,000
\$4,880,000, 2018 Bonds, due in annual			
installments of \$375,000 to \$700,000			
through May 2027, interest at 2.50% to 3.00%		3,405,000	3,780,000
	<u>\$</u>	5,209,000	\$ 6,804,000

### **General Intergovernmental Loans Payable**

The Borough has entered into a loan agreement with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection for the financing relating to the Memorial Field Improvements and the Mill Pond Dam restoration. The Borough levies ad valorem taxes to pay debt service on general intergovernmental loans issued. General intergovernmental loans outstanding at December 31 are as follows:

<u> </u>	2022	<u> 2021</u>
\$500,000, 2008 Loan, due in semi - annual		
installments of \$15,701 to \$16,834 through		
July, 2026, interest at 2.00%	\$ 130,092	\$ 161,029
\$1,156,000, 2012 Loan, due in semi - annual		
installments of \$32,670 to \$39,079 through		
April, 2032, interest at 2.00%	 679,902	 744,276
	\$ 809,994	\$ 905,305

### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

### A. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

### General Intergovernmental Loans Payable (Continued)

### **Utility Bonds**

The Borough pledges revenue from operations to pay debt service on utility bonds issued. The water and electric utility bonds outstanding at December 31 are as follows:

### Water Utility

		<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
\$1,250,000, 2012 Bonds, due in annual installments of \$85,000 to \$95,000			
through August, 2027, interest at 2.00% to 2.20%	\$	460,000	\$ 545,000
\$582,000, 2013 Bonds, due in annual installments of \$45,000 to \$47,000			
through August, 2027, interest at 3.00% to 4.00%		227,000	272,000
\$790,000, 2018 Bonds, due in annual installments of \$55,000 to \$75,000			
through May, 2031, interest at 2.50% to 3.00%		580,000	 635,000
	\$	1,267,000	\$ 1,452,000
Electric Utility			
\$600,000, 2018 Bonds, due in annual installments of \$60,000 to \$70,000 through May, 2028,			
interest at 2.50% to 3.00%	\$	395,000	\$ 455,000
	<u>\$</u>	395,000	\$ 455,000

### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

### A. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

The Borough's principal and interest for long-term debt issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2022 is as follows:

Calendar	<u>Gen</u>	eral	_	Water Utility				Electric Utility				
Year	<u>Principal</u>		Interest		<u>Principal</u>		<u>Interest</u>		<u>Principal</u>		Interest	<u>Total</u>
2023	\$ 1,611,227	\$	149,381	\$	190,000	\$	33,690	\$	60,000	\$	10,475	\$ 2,054,773
2024	1,099,181		103,662		195,000		29,103		65,000		8,913	1,500,859
2025	1,101,174		76,420		195,000		24,190		65,000		7,125	1,468,909
2026	1,103,208		47,385		200,000		19,015		65,000		5,175	1,439,783
2027	766,109		18,255		207,000		13,345		70,000		3,150	1,077,859
2028-2032	 338,095		17,130		280,000		17,250		70,000		1,050	 723,525
	\$ 6,018,994	\$	412,233	\$	1,267,000	\$	136,593	\$	395,000	\$	35,888	\$ 8,265,708

### **Changes in Long-Term Municipal Debt**

The Borough's long-term capital debt activity for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 were as follows:

2022	Balance, December 31,  2021	Additions	Reductions	Balance, December 31, 2022	Due Within <u>One Year</u>
2022					
General Capital Fund					
Bonds Payable Intergovernmental Loans Payable	\$ 6,804,000 905,305	-	\$ 1,595,000 <u>95,311</u>	\$ 5,209,000 809,994	\$ 1,514,000 97,227
General Capital Fund Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 7,709,305	\$ -	\$ 1,690,311	\$ 6,018,994	\$ 1,611,227
Water Capital Fund					
Bonds Payable	\$ 1,452,000	\$	\$ 185,000	\$ 1,267,000	\$ 190,000
Water Capital Fund Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 1,452,000	\$	\$ 185,000	\$ 1,267,000	\$ 190,000
Electric Capital Fund					
Bonds Payable	\$ 455,000	\$	\$ 60,000	\$ 395,000	\$ 60,000
Electric Capital Fund Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 455,000	\$ -	\$ 60,000	\$ 395,000	\$ 60,000

### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

### A. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

### **Changes in Long-Term Municipal Debt** (Continued)

<u>2021</u>	Balance, December 31, 2020	Additions	Reductions	Balance, December 31, 2021	Due Within <u>One Year</u>
General Capital Fund					
Bonds Payable Intergovernmental Loans Payable	\$ 8,374,000 998,737		\$ 1,570,000 <u>93,432</u>	\$ 6,804,000 905,305	\$ 1,595,000 95,311
General Capital Fund Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 9,372,737	\$ -	\$ 1,663,432	\$ 7,709,305	\$ 1,690,311
Water Capital Fund					
Bonds Payable	\$ 1,632,000	\$ -	\$ 180,000	\$ 1,452,000	\$ 185,000
Water Capital Fund Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 1,632,000	\$ -	\$ 180,000	\$ 1,452,000	\$ 185,000
Electric Capital Fund					
Bonds Payable	\$ 515,000	\$	\$ 60,000	\$ 455,000	\$ 60,000
Electric Capital Fund Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 515,000	\$ -	\$ 60,000	\$ 455,000	\$ 60,000

### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

### B. Short-Term Debt

The Borough's short-term debt activity for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 was as follows:

### **Bond Anticipation Notes**

			Balance			Balance,
	Rate	Maturity	December 31,	Renewed/	Retired/	December 31,
Purpose	(%)	Date	<u>2021</u>	<u>Issued</u>	Redeemed	<u>2022</u>
<u>2022</u>						
General Capital Fund						
Acq of New Additional or Replace Equip.	3.25%	4/28/2023	\$ 680,000	\$ 680,748	\$ 680,000	\$ 680,748
Refurbishment of Police Pistol Range	3.25%	4/28/2023	,	8,369	ŕ	8,369
Improvements to North Fifth Street	3.25%	4/28/2023		490,000		490,000
Installation of Playground at Memorial	3.25%	4/28/2023		150,000		150,000
Various Improvements and Acquisitions	3.25%	4/28/2023		400,000		400,000
Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk						
Improvement Program	3.25%	4/28/2023	1,020,000	1,681,987	1,020,000	1,681,987
Repair of the 55 Park Ave Bridge	3.25%	4/28/2023	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000
Replacement of Turf at Memorial Field	3.25%	4/28/2023	820,000	1,338,742	820,000	1,338,742
Total General Capital Fund			\$ 2,670,000	\$ 4,899,846	\$ 2,670,000	\$ 4,899,846
Water Utility Capital Fund						
Installation of New Well and Pumping						
Station	3.25%	4/28/2023	\$ 894,800	\$ 893,508	\$ 894,800	\$ 893,508
Various Improvements	3.25%	4/28/2023		196,000		196,000
Various Improvements and Acquisitions	4.50%	4/28/2023		270,000		270,000
Acq. and Installation of Water Treatment						
Systems	4.50%	4/28/2023		2,095,000		2,095,000
Replacement of Water Main - Glen Road	3.25%	4/28/2023	491,900	575,646	491,900	575,646
Replacement of Water Main - Glen Road	4.50%	4/28/2023	<u> </u>	210,000		210,000
Total Water Utility Capital Fund			\$ 1,386,700	\$ 4,240,154	\$ 1,386,700	\$ 4,240,154
Electric Utility Capital Fund						
Various Capital Improvements	3.25%	4/28/2023		\$ 151,000		\$ 151,000
Various Capital Improvements	4.50%	4/28/2023		75,000		75,000
Various Capital Improvements and				,		-
Acq. of Equipment	4.50%	4/28/2023	<u>.</u>	2,000,000	_	2,000,000
Total Electric Utility Capital Fund			<u> </u>	\$ 2,226,000	\$ -	\$ 2,226,000

# NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

## B. Short-Term Debt (Continued)

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

#### **Bond Anticipation Notes**

				Balance						Balance,
	Rate	Maturity	De	cember 31,	)	Renewed/		Retired/	D	ecember 31,
Purpose	<u>(%)</u>	Date		2020		<u>Issued</u>	Į	Redeemed		<u>2021</u>
<u>2021</u>										
General Capital Fund										
Acq of New Additional or Replace Equip.	1.00%	4/29/2022	\$	350,000	\$	680,000	\$	350,000	\$	680,000
Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk										
Improvement Program	1.00%	4/29/2022		800,000		1,020,000		800,000		1,020,000
Repair of the 55 Park Ave Bridge	1.00%	4/29/2022				150,000				150,000
Replacement of Turf at Memorial Field	1.00%	4/29/2022		820,000		820,000		820,000		820,000
Total General Capital Fund			<u>\$</u>	1,970,000	<u>\$</u>	2,670,000	<u>\$</u>	1,970,000	\$	2,670,000
Water Utility Capital Fund										
Installation of New Well and Pumping										
Station	1.00%	4/29/2022	\$	96,100	\$	894,800	\$	96,100	\$	894,800
Replacement of Water Main - Glen Road	1.00%	4/29/2022		498,300		491,900		498,300	_	491,900
Total Water Utility Capital Fund			\$	594,400	\$	1,386,700	\$	594,400	\$	1,386,700

The purpose of these short-term borrowings was to provide resources for capital construction, acquisitions or improvement projects and other purposes permitted by the Local Bond Law NJSA 40A:2 et. seq. The amounts issued for general governmental activities are accounted for in the General Capital Fund. The amounts issued for the water and electric utility activities are accounted for in the Water and Electric Utility Capital Funds.

State law requires that notes are to be issued for a period not exceeding one year and may be renewed from time to time for additional periods, none of which shall exceed one year. All bond anticipation notes, including renewals, shall mature and be paid not later than the first day of the fifth month following the close of the tenth fiscal year following the date of the original notes. In addition any note renewed beyond the third anniversary date of the original note, requires one legally payable installment to be paid.

#### NOTE 10 CONSTRUCTION AND OTHER SIGNIFICANT COMMITMENTS

As of December 31, the Borough had the following commitments with respect to unfinished capital projects and acquisitions:

Capital Project	Construction/ Commitment	Estimated Date of Completion/Acquisition
<u>2022</u>		
Generator Upgrades in Various Buildings GAC Vessels at Wells Well 21 Improvements Fire Truck Rescue Acquisition of Vehicles Various Road Improvements Mill Road Substation Improvements	\$146,062 200,000 178,668 147,826 107,804 889,736 1,520,348	2023 2023 2023 2023 2023 2023 2023
<u>2021</u>		
Memorial Field Turf Expansion Fire Rescue Truck 2021 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program Upgrade to Tri-Boro Dispatch Communication System Electric Substation Diagnostic Testing Repair of Portable Water Storage Well Drilling and Redevelopment Services Vacuum Excavator Acquisition of Vehicles Resin Replacement at Well #15 Acquisition of Fire Hydrants Body Worn Cameras Electric Distribution Materials Water Distribution Materials	\$528,578 147,826 193,008 124,991 66,040 59,875 110,991 89,530 110,928 182,185 89,879 44,836 108,863 71,256	2022 2023 2022 2022 2022 2022 2022 2022

## NOTE 11 OTHER LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

#### A. Compensated Absences

Under the existing policies and labor agreements of the Borough, employees are allowed to accumulate (with certain restrictions) unused sick leave over the life of their working careers and to redeem such unused leave time in cash (with certain limitations) upon death, retirement or by extended absence immediately preceding retirement.

It is estimated that the current cost of such unpaid compensation and salary related payments would approximate \$159,711 and \$225,881 at December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. These amounts which is are considered material to the financial statements, are not reported either as an expenditure or liability.

As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough has reserved in the Other Trust Fund \$100,048 and \$50,048, respectively, to fund compensated absences in accordance with NJSA 40A:4-39.

# NOTE 11 OTHER LONG-TERM LIABILITIES (Continued)

# **Changes in Other Long-Term Liabilities**

Under the regulatory basis of accounting, certain other long-term liabilities which may be considered material to the financial statements are not reported either as an expenditure or a liability. However, under the regulatory basis of accounting, these other long-term liabilities and related information are required to be disclosed in the notes to the financial statements in conformity with the disclosure requirements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

The Borough's changes in other long-term liabilities for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 were as follows:

	Balance, January 1 <u>2022</u>	Additions	Reductions	Balance, December 31, 2022	Due Within <u>One Year</u>
<u>2022</u>					
Compensated Absences	\$ 225,881		\$ 66,170	\$ 159,711	\$ 25,000
Tax Appeal Judgements Payable	476,475		476,475		
Net Pension Liability - PERS (1)	6,338,796			6,338,796	
Net Pension Liability - PFRS (1)	5,337,061			5,337,061	
Net OPEB Liability	38,101,926	-	7,428,333	30,673,593	-
·		,			
Total	\$ 50,480,139	\$ -	\$ 7,970,978	\$ 42,509,161	\$ 25,000

(1) - GASB Statement Numbers 68 Pension financial information was not provided by the State's Division of Pensions and Benefits as of date of audit.

	Balance, anuary 1 2021	A	Additions	]	Reductions	Balance, ecember 31, 2021	Due Within ne Year
<u>2021</u>		_		-			
Compensated Absences	\$ 219,402	\$	31,927	\$	25,448	\$ 225,881	\$ 25,000
Tax Appeal Judgements Payable			989,910		513,435	476,475	
Net Pension Liability - PERS	8,933,788				2,594,992	6,338,796	
Net Pension Liability - PFRS	9,239,828				3,902,767	5,337,061	
Net OPEB Liability	 43,206,487		_		5,104,561	 38,101,926	 
Total	\$ 61,599,505	\$	1,021,837	<u>\$</u>	12,141,203	\$ 50,480,139	\$ 25,000

#### NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following contributory defined benefit public employee retirement systems (retirement systems) covering substantially all state and local government employees which includes those Borough employees who are eligible for pension coverage.

**Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS)** – established in July 1944, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:16A to provide coverage to substantially all full time county and municipal police or firemen and State firemen appointed after December 31, 1944. Membership is mandatory for such employees. PFRS is a cost-sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plan with a special funding situation. For additional information about PFRS, please refer to the State Division of Pension and Benefits (Division's) Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) which can be found at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:16A. PFRS provides retirement benefits as well as death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except disability benefits which vest after four years of service.

The following represents the membership tiers for PFRS:

<u>Tier</u>	<b>Definition</b>
1	Members who were enrolled prior to May 22, 2010
2	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
3	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

Service retirement benefits are available at age 55 and are generally determined to be 2% of final compensation for each year of creditable service, as defined, up to 30 years plus 1% for each year of service in excess of 30 years. Members may seek special retirement after achieving 25 years of creditable service, in which benefits would equal 65% (tier 1 and 2 members) and 60% (tier 3 members) of final compensation plus 1% for each year of creditable service over 25 years, but not to exceed 30 years. Members may elect deferred retirement benefits after achieving ten years of service, in which case, benefits would begin at age 55 equal to 2% of final compensation for each year of service.

**Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)** — established in January 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide coverage, to substantially all full-time employees of the State or any county, municipality, school district, or public agency provided the employee is not a member of another State-administered retirement system. Membership is mandatory for such employees. PERS is a cost-sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plan. For additional information about PERS, please refer to the State Division of Pension and Benefits (Division's) Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) which can be found at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions.

The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A. PERS provides retirement, death, and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service.

The following represents the membership tiers for PERS:

Tier	<b>Definition</b>
1	Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007
2	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 2, 2008
3	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010
4	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
5	Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

## NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

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

Service retirement benefits of 1/55th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reaching age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tier 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, tier 3 and 4 members with 25 or more years of service credit before age 62, and tier 5 members with 30 or more years of service credit before age 65. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the age at which member can receive full early retirement benefits in accordance with their respective tier. Tier 1 members can receive an unreduced benefit from age 55 to age 60 if they have a least 25 years of service. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least ten years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following defined contribution public employee retirement program covering certain state and local government employees which include those Borough employees who are eligible for pension coverage.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) – established under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2008 to provide coverage to elected and certain appointed officials, effective July 1, 2007 and employees enrolled in PERS on or after July 1, 2007 who earn in excess of established annual maximum compensation limits (equivalent to annual maximum wage for social security deductions). This provision was extended by Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, effective May 21, 2010, to new employees (Tier 2) of the PFRS and new employees who would otherwise be eligible to participate in PERS on or after November 2, 2008 and do not earn the minimum salary required for tier 3 enrollment or do not work the minimum required hours for tier 4 and tier 5 enrollment but earn a base salary of at least \$5,000 are eligible for participation in the DCRP. Membership is mandatory for such individuals with vesting occurring after one (1) year of membership. DCRP is a defined contribution pension plan.

#### Other Pension Funds

The state established and administers a Supplemental Annuity Collective Trust Fund (SACT) which is available to active members of the State-administered retirement systems to purchase annuities to supplement the guaranteed benefits provided by their retirement system. The state or local governmental employers do not appropriate funds to SACT.

The cost of living increase for PFRS and PERS are funded directly by each of the respective systems, but are currently suspended as a result of reform legislation.

According to state law, all obligations of each retirement system will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should any retirement system be terminated.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information of each of the above systems, funds, and trust. The financial reports may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits website at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions</a>.

## Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the retirement systems are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental organizations. In doing so, the Division adheres to reporting requirements established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

The accrual basis of accounting is used for measuring financial position and changes in net position of the pension trust funds. Under this method, contributions are recorded in the accounting period in which they are legally due from the employer or plan member, and deductions are recorded at the time the liabilities are due and payable in accordance with the terms of each plan. The accounts of the Division are organized and operated on the basis of funds. All funds are accounted for using an economic resources measurement focus.

# NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

## **Investment Valuation**

The Division of Investment, Department of the Treasury, State of New Jersey (Division of Investment) manages and invests certain assets of the retirement systems. Prudential retirement is the third-party administrator for the DCRP and provides record keeping, administrative services and investment options. Investment transactions are accounted for on a trade or investment date basis. Interest and dividend income is recorded on the accrual basis, with dividends accruing on the ex-dividend date. The net increase or decrease in the fair value of investments includes the net realized and unrealized gains or losses on investments.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Investment, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements of the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund. The financial report may be obtained by writing to the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Investment, P.O. Box 290, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0290, or at <a href="https://www.state.nj/treasury/doinvest.">www.state.nj/treasury/doinvest.</a>

## Collective Net Pension Liability

The collective net pension liability of the participating employers for local PERS at June 30, 2022 was not available and for June 30, 2021 is \$12.0 billion, and the plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability is 70.33% at June 30, 2021. The collective net pension liability of the participating employers for local PFRS at June 30, 2022 was not available and for June 30, 2021 is \$9.4 billion and the plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of total pension liability is 77.26% at June 30, 2021.

The total pension liabilities were determined based on actuarial valuations as of July 1, 2020 which were rolled forward to June 30, 2021.

## **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

In the July 1, 2020 PERS and PFRS actuarial valuations, the actuarial assumptions and methods used in these valuations were described in the Actuarial Assumptions and Methods section of the Actuary's report and are included here in this note to the financial statements. The pension systems selected economic and demographic assumptions and prescribed them for use for purposes of compliance with GASB Statement No. 68. The Actuary provided guidance with respect to these assumptions, and it is their belief that the assumptions represent reasonable expectations of anticipated plan experience.

# **Employer and Employee Pension Contributions**

The contribution policy is set by laws of the State of New Jersey and contributions are required by active members and participating employers. Plan members and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation, with the amount of contributions by the State of New Jersey contingent upon the annual Appropriations Act. As defined, the various retirement systems require employee contributions for 2022 and 2021 based on 10.0% for PFRS, 7.50% for PERS and 5.50% for DCRP of employee's annual compensation.

For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 for PFRS and PERS, which are cost sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plans, employers' contributions are based on an actuarially determined amount, which includes the normal cost and unfunded accrued liability. In the DCRP, which is a defined contribution plan, member contributions are matched by a 3% employer contribution. All contributions made by the Borough for 2022, 2021 and 2020 were equal to the required contributions.

#### NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

## **Employer and Employee Pension Contributions (Contributions)**

During the years ended December 31, 2022, 2021, and 2020, the Borough, was required to contribute for normal cost pension contributions, accrued liability pension contributions and non-contributory life insurance premiums the following amounts which equaled the required contributions for each respective year:

Year Ended  December 31	<u>PFRS</u>	<u>P</u>	ERS (1)	<u>DCRP</u>		
2022	\$ 851,009	\$	626,638	\$	1,751	
2021	798,871		599,306		2,438	
2020	707,526		505,296		1,798	

(1) Includes Library portion of pension contribution for the year.

In addition for the years ended December 31, 2022, 2021 and 2020 the Borough contributed for long-term disability insurance premiums (LTDI) \$-0-, \$-0- and \$1,729, respectively for PERS.

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

The regulatory basis of accounting requires participating employers in PERS and PFRS to disclose in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, (GASB No.68)* their proportionate share of the collective net pension liability, collective deferred outflows of resources, collective deferred inflows of resources and collective pension expense excluding that attributable to employer-paid member contributions.

Under GASB Statement No. 68 local governmental employers are required to provide certain financial information based on a measurement date no earlier than the end of the employer's prior fiscal year. The GASB No. 68 financial information from the State's Division of Pensions and Benefits to be reported for the year ended December 31, 2022 for the measurement date of June 30, 2022 was not available as of the date of audit. Accordingly, the State's Division of Local Government Services issued Local Finance Notice 2023-10 which authorized and permits New Jersey municipalities to present the most recent available audited GASB No. 68 financial information to be incorporated into the audit and remain in compliance with the regulatory basis of accounting disclosure requirements for notes to the financial statements. As such the GASB No. 68 financial information for the year ended December 31, 2022 is not presented in the notes to the financial statements.

The employer allocation percentages presented are based on the ratio of the contributions made as an individual employer toward the actuarially determined contribution amount to total contributions to the plan during the fiscal years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020. Employer allocation percentages have been rounded for presentation purposes.

# Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)

At December 31, 2021, the Borough reported a liability of \$6,338,796 for its proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2021, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020. The Borough's proportionate share of the net pension liability was based on the ratio of the Borough's contributions to the pension plan relative to the total contributions of all participating governmental entities during the measurement period. As of the measurement date of June 30, 2021, the Borough's proportionate share was .05351 percent, which was a decrease of .00127 percent from its proportionate share measured as of June 30, 2020 of .05478 percent.

## NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

## Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

For the year ended December 31, 2021, the pension system has determined the Borough's pension expense (benefit) to be \$(700,097) for PERS based on the actuarial valuations which is less than the actual contribution reported in the Borough's financial statements of \$599,306. At December 31, 2021, the Borough's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS pension which are not reported on the Borough's financial statements are from the following sources:

	2021				
	C	eferred Outflows Resources	Deferred Inflows <u>of Resources</u>		
Difference Between Expected and					
Actual Experience	\$	99,971	\$	45,378	
Changes of Assumptions		33,012		2,256,652	
Net Difference Between Projected and Actual					
Earnings on Pension Plan Investments				1,669,805	
Changes in Proportion and Differences Between					
Borough Contributions and Proportionate Share					
of Contributions		568,265		461,060	
Total	\$	701,248	\$	4,432,895	

At December 31, 2021 the amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS pension will be recognized in pension expense (benefit) as follows:

Year	
Ending	
December 31,	<u>Total</u>
2022	\$ (1,379,578)
2023	(1,080,643)
2024	(696,645)
2025	(570,095)
2026	(4,686)
Thereafter	 _
	\$ (3,731,647)

# NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

## Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

## Actuarial Assumptions

The Borough's total pension liability reported for the year ended December 31, 2021 was based on the June 30, 2021 measurement date as determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2021. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement date:

Inflation Rate:

Price 2.75% Wage 3.25%

Salary Increases:

Through 2026 2.00-6.00%

Based on Years of Service

Thereafter 3.00%-7.00%

Based on Years of Service

Investment Rate of Return 7.00%

## **Mortality Rates**

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Employee mortality table with an 82.2% adjustment for males and 101.4% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 91.4% adjustment for males and 99.7% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 127.7% adjustment for males and 117.2% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2020 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2018.

## NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

## Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

## Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7% at June 30, 2021) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and actuaries. 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 rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2021, as reported for the year ended December 31, 2021, are summarized in the following table:

	2021			
Asset Class	Target <u>Allocation</u>	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return		
Risk Mitigation Strategies	3.00%	3.35%		
Cash Equivalents	4.00%	0.50%		
U.S. Treasuries	5.00%	0.95%		
Investment Grade Credit	8.00%	1.68%		
US Equity	27.00%	8.09%		
Non-US Developed Markets Equity	13.50%	8.71%		
Emerging Markets Equity	5.50%	10.96%		
High Yield	2.00%	3.75%		
Real Assets	3.00%	7.40%		
Private Credit	8.00%	7.60%		
Real Estate	8.00%	9.15%		
Private Equity	13.00%	11.30%		

#### Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability for PERS was 7.00% as of June 30, 2021. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers and the nonemployer contributing entity will be based on 100% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the local employers. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments in determining the total pension liability.

## NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

## Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

## Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability

The following presents the Borough's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability as of December 31, 2021 calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the Borough's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower 6.00% or 1-percentage-point higher 8.00% than the current rate:

<u>2021</u>	1% Decrease (6.00%)	Current Discount Rate (7.00%)	1% Increase <u>(8.00%)</u>
Borough's Proportionate Share of the PERS Net Pension Liability	\$ 8,632,155	\$ 6,338,796	\$ 4,392,556

The sensitivity analysis was based on the proportionate share of the Borough's net pension liability at December 31, 2021. A sensitivity analysis specific to the Borough's net pension liability was not provided by the pension system.

## Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the PERS pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report from the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pension and Benefits. The financial report may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions</a>.

#### Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS)

At December 31, 2021, the Borough reported a liability of \$5,337,061 for its proportionate share of the PFRS net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2021, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020. The Borough's proportionate share of the net pension liability was based on the ratio of the Borough's contributions to the pension plan relative to the total contributions of all participating governmental entities during the measurement period. As of the measurement date of June 30, 2021, the Borough's proportionate share was .07302 percent, which was an increase of .00151 percent from its proportionate share measured as of June 30, 2020 of .07151 percent.

## NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

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

For the year ended December 31, 2021, the pension system has determined the Borough pension expense (benefit) to be \$(424,781) for PFRS based on the actuarial valuations which is less than the actual contribution reported in the Borough's financial statements of \$798,871. At December 31, 2021, the Borough's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PFRS pension which are not reported on the Borough's financial statements are from the following sources:

	2021					
	Deferred Outflows <u>of Resources</u>			Deferred Inflows <u>of Resources</u>		
Difference Between Expected and						
Actual Experience	\$	60,889	\$	639,325		
Changes of Assumptions		28,399		1,599,493		
Net Difference Between Projected and Actual						
Earnings on Pension Plan Investments				2,274,295		
Changes in Proportion and Differences Between						
Borough Contributions and Proportionate Share						
of Contributions		747,945				
Total	\$	837,233	\$	4,513,113		

At December 31, 2021 the amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PFRS pension will be recognized in pension expense (benefit) as follows:

Year	
Ending	
December 31,	Total
2022	\$ (1,063,431)
2023	(909,019)
2024	(791,815)
2025	(820,177)
2026	(78,156)
Thereafter	 (13,282)
	\$ (3,675,880)

## NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

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

#### Actuarial Assumptions

The Borough's total pension liability reported for the year ended December 31, 2021 was based on the June 30, 2021 measurement date as determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2021. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement date:

Inflation Rate: 2.75%

Salary Increases

3.25%-15.25%
Based on Years
of Service

Investment Rate of Return 7.00%

#### Mortality Rates

Employee mortality rates were based on the PubS-2010 amount-weighted mortality table with a 105.6% adjustment for males and 102.5% adjustment for females. For healthy annuitants, mortality rates were based on the PubS-2010 amount-weighted mortality table with a 96.7% adjustment for males and 96.0% adjustment for females. Disability rates were based on the PubS-2010 amount-weighted mortality table with a 152.0% adjustment for males and 109.3% adjustment for females. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2020 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2018.

## Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7% at June 30, 2021) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and actuaries. 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 rate of return (expected returns, net of pension plans investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plans' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2021, as reported for the year ended December 31, 2021, are summarized in the following table:

	2021		
Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real <u>Rate of Return</u>	
Risk Mitigation Strategies	3.00%	3.35%	
Cash Equivalents	4.00%	0.50%	
U.S. Treasuries	5.00%	0.95%	
Investment Grade Credit	8.00%	1.68%	
US Equity	27.00%	8.09%	
Non-US Developed Markets Equity	13.50%	8.71%	
Emerging Markets Equity	5.50%	10.96%	
High Yield	2.00%	3.75%	
Real Assets	3.00%	7.40%	
Private Credit	8.00%	7.60%	
Real Estate	8.00%	9.15%	
Private Equity	13.00%	11.30%	

#### NOTE 12 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

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

#### Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability for PFRS was 7.00% as of June 30, 2021. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be based on 100% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments in determining the total pension liability.

#### Sensitivity of Net Pension Liability

The following presents the Borough's proportionate share of the PFRS net pension liability as of December 31, 2021 calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the Borough's proportionate share of the PFRS net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower 6.00% or 1-percentage-point higher 8.00% than the current rate:

	1% Decrease	Current Discount Rate	1% Increase
<u>2021</u>	(6.00%)	<u>(7.00%)</u>	<u>(8.00%)</u>
Borough's Proportionate Share of the PFRS Net Pension Liability	\$ 8,104,160	\$ 5,337,061	\$ 3,033,750

The sensitivity analysis was based on the proportionate share of the Borough's net pension liability at December 31, 2021. A sensitivity analysis specific to the Borough's net pension liability was not provided by the pension system.

#### Special Funding Situation - PFRS

Under N.J.S.A. 43:16A-15, the Borough is responsible for their own PFRS contributions based on actuarially determined amounts, except where legislation was passed which legally obligated the State to make contributions if certain circumstances occurred. The legislation which legally obligates the State is as follows: Chapter 8, P.L. 2000, Chapter 318, P.L. 2001, Chapter 86, P.L. 2001, Chapter 511, P.L. 1991, Chapter 109, P.L. 1979, Chapter 247, P.L. 1993 and Chapter 201, P.L. 2001. The amounts contributed on behalf of the Borough by the State under this legislation is considered to be a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Accordingly, the Borough's proportionate share percentage of the net pension liability, deferred outflows and inflows determined under GASB Statement No. 68 is zero percent and the State's proportionate share is 100% for PFRS under this legislation.

At December 31, 2021, the State's proportionate share of the net pension liability attributable to the Borough for the PFRS special funding situation is \$1,501,047. For the years ended December 31, 2021, the pension system has determined the State's proportionate share of the pension expense attributable to the Borough for the PFRS special funding situation is \$167,173, which is more than the actual contributions the State made on behalf of the Borough of \$130,395. At December 31, 2021 (measurement date June 30, 2021) the State's share of the PFRS net pension liability attributable to the Borough was .07302 percent, which was an increase of .00151 percent from its proportionate share measured as of December 31, 2020 (measurement date June 30, 2020) of .07151 percent. The State's proportionate share attributable to the Borough was developed based on actual contributions made to PFRS allocated to employers based upon covered payroll. These on-behalf contributions have not been reported on the Borough's financial statements.

#### Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the PFRS pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report from the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pension and Benefits. The financial reports may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions</a>.

#### NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS

## Borough Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program

#### Plan Description

The Borough provides a post employment healthcare plan for its eligible retirees and their dependents. Effective June 1, 2017 the Borough changed from the State Health Benefit Program to a private plan. The plan is a single-employer defined benefit healthcare plan administered by the Bergen Municipal Employees Benefit Fund (BMED) for the Borough. In accordance with Borough employment contracts and personnel policies, the Borough can amend the benefit terms and financing requirements of the plan. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No.75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions.

#### **Benefits Provided**

The Borough provides postretirement healthcare insurance benefits for retirees and their dependents who meet certain eligibility requirements at the time of retirement at the same cost to the retiree as there would be, if any, if they remained an employee. Coverage for a retiree's surviving spouse and/or dependents are eligible for subsidized coverage upon the death of the retiree. Police who have at least twenty-five (25) years of service credit in PFRS with at least fifteen (15) years of that service in Park Ridge hired subsequent to June 1, 1992 and prior to January 1, 2013 at the time of retirement are eligible for employer provided post-retirement health coverage. Park Ridge Utility Employees Association members who qualify for service retirement as defined by PERS hired prior to January 1, 2013 and who have a minimum of fifteen (15) years of continuous service with the Borough of Park Ridge at the time of retirement are eligible for employee provided post-retirement health coverage. All other employees hired prior to January 1, 2013 who retire and reach the age of 62 years or older with at least fifteen (15) years of service with the Borough at the time of retirement are eligible for employer provided post-retirement health coverage. Employees hired on or after January 1, 2013 are not eligible to receive post-retirement health coverage after leaving service with the Borough.

# **Employees Covered by Postemployment Benefits**

At December 31, 2022 and 2021, the following employees were covered by postemployment health care benefits:

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Active Employees Inactive Employees or Beneficiaries Currently Receiving Benefits	57 <u>75</u>	68 <u>87</u>
	<u>132</u>	<u>155</u>

# OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expenses and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

The regulatory basis of accounting requires employers with a single-employer defined benefit healthcare plan to disclose in accordance with GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits other than Pension (GASB No. 75) their collective net OPEB liability, collective deferred outflows of resources, collective deferred inflows of resources and collective OPEB expense excluding that attributable to retiree-paid member contributions.

#### NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

# Borough Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

# OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expenses and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB (Continued)

At December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough's total OPEB liabilities were \$30,673,593 and \$38,101,926, respectively. Net OPEB liability was measured as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively, and the OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of these dates, respectively.

For the year ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough has determined it's OPEB expense to be \$454,466 and \$1,152,437, respectively, based on the actuarial valuations which were less for 2022 and more for 2021 than the actual contributions reported in the Borough's financial statements of \$775,536 and \$725,480, respectively. At December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough's deferred outflows of resources or deferred inflows and resources related to the OPEB plan which are not reported on the Borough's financial statements are from the following sources:

	2022		2021	
	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference Between Expected and Actual Experience Changes of Assumptions	<b>\$</b> 4,317,996	\$ 4,810,002 6,795,727	\$ 4,834,522	\$ 5,014,992
Total	<b>\$</b> 4,317,996	\$ 11,605,729	\$ 4,834,522	\$ 5,014,992

At December 31, 2022 the amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the OPEB plan will be recognized in OPEB expense (benefit) as follows:

<u>Total</u>
\$ (671,215)
(671,215)
(671,215)
(671,215)
(671,215)
 (3,931,658)
\$ (7,287,733)
\$ 

#### NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

# Borough Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

#### **Actuarial Assumptions**

The Borough's total OPEB liability reported for the year ended December 31, 2022 was based on the December 31, 2022 measurement date as determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2022. The total OPEB liability reported for the year ended December 31, 2021 was based on the December 31, 2021 measurement date as determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2021. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement date:

#### December 31, 2022

Mortality	December 31, 2022 - RP 2000 Combined Healthy Male Mortality Rates Set
•	Forward One Year and Adjusted for Generational Improvement December
	31, 2022 - PUB 2010 "General" classification headcount weighted mortality
	with generational improvement using Scale MP-2022
Turnover	NJ State Pensions Ultimate Withdrawal Rates- prior to benefits eligibility
Assumed Retirement Age	At first eligibility after the completion of both 15 years of service and age 62,
-	or 25 years of service if earlier
Full Attribution Period	Service to Assumed Retirement Age
Annual Discount Rate	2.06% Based on the Bond Buyer 20 Index December 31, 2021
	3.72% Based on the Bond Buyer 20 Index December 31, 2022
CPI Increase	2.5%
Rate of Salary Increase	2.5%
Medical Trend	Medical: 5.3% in 2022, reducing by 0.2% per annum, leveling at 4.5% per annum in 2026
	Drug: 6.5% in 2022, reducing by 0.5% per annum, leveling at 4.5% per
	annum in 2026
	Medicare Advantage: 4.5% per annum
	Dental and Vision: 3.5% per annum
Medical Cost Aging Factor	NJ SHBP Medical Morbidity Rates

- Attribution period The attribution period begins with the date of hire and ends with full benefits eligibility date.
- Per capita cost methods The valuation reflects per capita net premium costs based on actual 2022 medical, prescription drug and dental premiums and the plan option selected. The age specific cost was derived based on per person costs at the average age of the active population (47) and scaled to each age based on the medical cost aging factors. At age 65, Medicare Advantage becomes the primary payor of medical benefits and aging factors are not applied.
- Retiree Contributions NJ Chapter 78 requires that certain future retirees contribute toward the cost of their benefits. Specifically, those who had retired prior to passage of Chapter 78 and those employees that had more than 25 years of service on the date of passage are grandfathered. All others are subject to the contribution rates in effect when they retire, but not less than 1.5% of their annual retirement allowance from the Public Employees Retirement System. For purposes of this valuation and for conservatism, we have assumed that future retiree contributions percentage rates will not increase. Thus, we assumed that a future retiree will contribute his/her current employee contribution as reported by The Borough increased annually by the rate of medical trend.
- Actuarial valuation method Entry Age Normal Funding Method based on a level percentage of salary. 2022 salaries were reported as \$6.062 million.

## NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

## Borough Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions (Continued)

#### **December 31, 2021**

Mortality	RP 2000 Combined Healthy Male Mortality Rates Set Forward Three Years and Adjusted for Generational Improvements
Turnover	NJ State Pensions Ultimate Withdrawal Rates – prior to benefits eligibility
Assumed Retirement Age	At first eligibility after the completion of both 15 years of service and age 62, or 25 years of service if earlier.
Full Attribution Period	Service to Assumed Retirement Age
Annual Discount Rate	2.06% Based on the Bond Buyer 20 Index December 31, 2021
Rate of Salary Increase	2.5%
Consumer Price Index	2.5%
Trend	Medical: 5.5% in 2021, reducing by 0.2% per annum, leveling at 4.5% per annum in 2026 Drug: 7.0% in 2021, reducing by 0.5% per annum, leveling at 4.5% per annum in 2026 Medicare Advantage: 4.5% per annum Dental and Vision: 4.5% per annum
Medical Cost Aging Factor	NJ SHBP Medical Morbidity Rates

- <u>Attribution Period</u> The attribution period begins with the date of hire and ends with the full benefits eligibility date.
- Per Capita Cost Methods The valuation reflects per capita net premium costs based on actual 2020 medical, prescription drug and dental premiums and the plan option selected. The age specific cost was derived based on per person costs at the average age of the active population (48) and scaled to each age based on the medical cost aging factors. At age 65, Medicare becomes the primary payor of medical benefits and aging factors are not applied.
- Retiree Contributions NJ Chapter 78 requires that certain future retirees contribute toward the cost of their benefits. Specifically, those who had retired prior to passage of Chapter 78 and those employees that had more than 25 years of service on the date of passage are grandfathered. All others are subject to the contribution rates in effect when they retire, but not less than 1.5% of their annual retirement allowance from the Public Employees Retirement System. For purposes of this valuation and for conservatism, we have assumed that future retiree contributions percentage rates will not increase. Thus, we assumed that a future retiree will contribute his/her current employee contribution as reported by the Borough increased annually by the rate of medical trend.
- <u>Actuarial Valuation Method</u> Entry Age Normal Funding Method based on a level percentage of salary. 2021 salaries were reported as \$5.627 million.

The actuarial assumptions used in the December 31, 2022 and 2021 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

## NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

# Borough Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

## Changes in the Total OPEB Liability

The change in the Borough's OPEB liability for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 based on measurement date of December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively, are as follows:

	Total OPEB Liability 2022		Total OPEB Liability 2021	
Balance - Beginning of Year	\$	38,101,926	\$	43,206,487
Changes for the Year:				
Service Cost	\$	341,729		264,874
Interest on the Total OPEB Liability		783,952		913,903
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience		(5,244,824)		
Changes in Assumptions		(2,533,654)		(5,557,858)
Benefit Payments		(775,536)		(725,480)
Net Changes		(7,428,333)		(5,104,561)
Balance - End of Year	\$	30,673,593	\$	38,101,926

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

The following presents the Borough's net OPEB liability as of December 31, 2022 and 2021 calculated using the discount rate of 3.72% and 2.06%, respectively, as well as what the Borough's net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower 2.72% and 1.06%, respectively or 1-percentage-point higher 4.72% and 3.06%, respectively than the current rate:

<u>2022</u>	1% Decrease (2.72%)	Current Discount Rate (3.72%)	1% Increase (4.72%)
Net OPEB Liability	\$ 34,567,983	\$ 30,673,593	\$ 27,502,789
<u>2021</u>	1% Decrease (1.06%)	Current Discount Rate (2.06%)	1% Increase (3.06%)
Net OPEB Liability	\$ 43,412,731	\$ 38,101,926	\$ 33,803,334

# NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

# Borough Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

# Sensitivity of Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Trend Rate

The following presents the Borough's net OPEB liability as of December 31, 2022 and 2021 calculated using the healthcare trend rates as disclosed above as well as what the Borough's net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current rate:

	1% <u>Decrease</u>	Healthcare Cost Trend Rates	1% <u>Increase</u>
2022			
Net OPEB Liability	\$ 34,567,983	\$ 30,673,593	\$ 33,735,000
	1% <u>Decrease</u>	Healthcare Cost Trend Rates	1% <u>Increase</u>
<u>2021</u>			
Net OPEB Liability	\$ 34,153,036	\$ 38,101,926	\$ 42,917,856

# State Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the post-retirement health benefit program plans for participating municipalities. The State also sponsors and administers a post-retirement health benefit program for certain eligible former Borough employees and/or their dependents under a special funding situation.

## Plan Description and Benefits Provided

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the following post-retirement health benefit program covering substantially all eligible local government employees from local participating employers.

State Health Benefit Program Fund – Local Government Retired (the Plan) (including Prescription Drug Program Fund) – The Plan is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan with a special funding situation. It covers employees of local government employers that have adopted a resolution to participate in the Plan. For additional information about the Plan, please refer to the State of New Jersey (the State), Division of Pensions and Benefits' (the Division) Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR), which can be found at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml">https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml</a>.

# NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

## State Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

# State Health Benefit Program Fund - Local Government Retired (the Plan) (Continued)

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

In accordance with Chapter 330, P.L. 1997, which is codified in N.J.S.A. 52:14-17.32i, the State provides medical and prescription coverage to local police officers and firefighters, who retire with 25 years of service or on a disability from an employer who does not provide postretirement medical coverage. Local employers were required to file a resolution with the Division in order for their employees to qualify for State-paid retiree health benefits coverage under Chapter 330. The State also provides funding for retiree health benefits to survivors of local police officers and firefighters who die in the line of duty under Chapter 271, P.L. 1989.

Pursuant to Chapter 78, P.L, 2011, future retirees eligible for postretirement medical coverage who have less than 20 years of creditable service on June 28, 2011 will be required to pay a percentage of the cost of their health care coverage in retirement provided they retire with 25 or more years of pension service credit. The percentage of the premium for which the retiree will be responsible will be determined based on the retiree's annual retirement benefit and level coverage.

The State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits, issues publicly available financial reports that include the financial statements and required supplementary information of the above Fund. The financial reports may be assessed via, the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits website at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions">www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions</a>.

# Plan Membership and Contributing Employers

Membership and contributing employers/nonemployers of the defined benefit OPEB plan consisted of the following at June 30, 2021:

Active Plan Members Inactive Plan Members or Beneficiaries Currently Receiving Benefits	64,243 <u>32,624</u>
Total	96,867
Contributing Employers Contributing Nonemployers	585 1

## NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

# State Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

#### Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the OPEB plan are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to government organizations. In doing so, the Division adheres to reporting requirements established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

The accrual basis of accounting is used for measuring financial position and changes in net position of the other postemployment benefit plan. Under this method, contributions are recorded in the accounting period in which they are legally due from the employer or plan member, and deductions are recorded at the time the liabilities are due and payable in accordance with the terms of each plan. The accounts of the Division are organized and operated on the basis of funds. All funds are accounted for using an economic resources measurement focus.

#### **Investment Valuation**

Investments are reported at fair value. Investments that do not have an established market are reported at estimated fair values.

# **Collective Net OPEB Liability**

The collective net OPEB liability of the participating employers and the State, as the non-employer contributing entity, of the Plan at June 30, 2022 was not available and for 2021 is \$18.0 billion and the plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability is 0.28% at June 2021.

The total OPEB liabilities were determined based on actuarial valuations as of June 30, 2020 which was rolled forward to June 30, 2021.

## **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

In the July 1, 2020 OPEB actuarial valuation, the actuarial assumptions and methods used in this valuation were described in the Actuarial Assumptions and Methods section of the Actuary's report and are included here in this note to the financial statements. The Plan selected economic and demographic assumptions and prescribed them for use for purposes of compliance with GASB Statement No. 75. The Actuary provided guidance with respect to these assumptions, and it is their belief that the assumptions represent reasonable expectations of anticipated plan experience.

# **Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contribution**

The funding policy for the OPEB plan is pay-as-you-go; therefore, there is no prefunding of the liability. However, due to premium rates being set prior to each calendar year, there is a minimal amount of net position available to cover benefits in future years. Contributions to pay for the health benefit premiums of participating employees in the OPEB plan are collected from the State of New Jersey, participating local employers, and retired members. The State of New Jersey makes contributions to cover those employees eligible under Chapter 330, P.L. 1967, as disclosed previously. Local employers remit employer contributions on a monthly basis. Retired member contributions are generally received on a monthly basis.

The employers participating in the OPEB plan made contributions of \$325.1million and the State of New Jersey, as the non-employer contributing entity, contributed \$37.8 million for fiscal years 2021.

The State sets the employer contribution rate based on a pay-as-you-go basis rather than the actuarial determined contribution, an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement No. 75. The actuarial determined contribution represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) of the plan using a systematic and rational method over a closed period equal to the average of the expected remaining service lives of all employees that are provided with OPEB through the Plan. The Borough is not required to make contributions to the State Plan under the special funding situation. The State as a non-employer contributing entity makes contributions to the Plan on-behalf of the Borough under a special funding situation.

# NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

# State Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

# OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expenses and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

The regulatory basis of accounting requires participating employers in the State Health Benefit Program Fund – Local Government Retired Plan to disclose in accordance with GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and *Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits other than Pension (GASB No. 75)* their proportionate share of the collective net OPEB liability, collective deferred outflows of resources, collective deferred inflows of resources and collective OPEB expense excluding that attributable to retiree-paid member contributions.

Under GASB Statement No. 75 local governmental employers are required to provide certain financial information based on a measurement date no earlier than the end of the employer's prior fiscal year. The GASB 75 financial information from the State's Division of Pensions and Benefits to be reported for the year ended December 31, 2021 for the measurement date of June 30, 2022 was not available as of the date of audit. Accordingly, the State's Division of Local Government Services issued Local Finance Notice 2023-10 which authorizes and permits New Jersey municipalities to present the most recent available audited GASB 75 financial information to be incorporated into the audit and remain in compliance with the regulatory basis of accounting disclosure requirements for notes to the financial statements. As such the GASB 75 financial information for the year ended December 31, 2021 is not presented in the notes to the financial statements.

The nonemployer allocation percentages presented are based on the ratio of the contributions made as an individual nonemployer toward the actuarially determined contribution amount to total contributions to the plan during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021 and 2020. Nonemployer allocation percentages have been rounded for presentation purposes.

## Special Funding Situation

Under N.J.S.A. 43:3C-24 the Borough is responsible for their own OPEB contributions based on actuarially determined amounts, except where legislation was passed which legally obligated the State to make contributions if certain circumstances occurred. The legislation which legally obligates the State is as follows: Chapter 330, P.L. 1997 and Chapter 271, P.L., 1989. Under Chapter 330, P.L. 1997, the State pays the premiums or periodic charges for the qualified local police and firefighter retirees and dependents equal to 80 percent of the premium of periodic charge for the category of coverage elected by the qualified retiree under the State managed care plan or a health maintenance organization participating in the program providing the lowest premium or periodic charge. The State also provides funding for retiree health benefits to survivors of local police officers and firefighters who die in the line of duty under Chapter 271, P.L. 1989. The amounts contributed on behalf of the Borough by the State under this legislation is considered to be a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 75 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Accordingly, the Borough's proportionate share percentage of the net pension liability, deferred outflows and inflows determined under GASB Statement No. 75 is zero percent and the State's proportionate share is 100% of OPEB under this legislation.

At December 31, 2021, the State's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability attributable to the Borough for the OPEB special funding situation is \$4,752,714. For the years ended December 31, 2021 the plan has determined the State's proportionate share of the OPEB expense attributable to the Borough for the OPEB special funding situation is \$648,526. At December 31, 2020, (measurement date June 30, 2021), the State's share of the OPEB liability attributable to the Borough was .12308 percent, which was an increase of .03664 percent from its proportionate share measured as of December 31, 2020 (measurement date June 30, 2020) of .08644 percent. The State's proportionate share attributable to the Borough was developed based on eligible plan members subject to the special funding situation. This data takes into account active members from both participating and non-participating employer locations and retired members currently receiving OPEB benefits.

## NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

## State Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

Special Funding Situation (Continued)

## **Actuarial Assumptions**

The State's total OPEB liability attributable to the Brough reported for the year ended December 31, 2021 was based on the June 30, 2021 measurement date as determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2021. The actuarial assumptions vary for each plan member depending on the pension plan the member is enrolled in. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement date:

Inflation Rate 2.50%

Salary Increases\*

PERS:

Initial Fiscal Year Applied Through
Rate
2026
Rate Thereafter
2.00% to 6.00%
3.00% to 7.00%

PFRS:

Initial Fiscal Year Applied Through
Rate for All Future Years
3.25% to 15.25%

#### Mortality Rates

Pre-retirement and healthy post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Healthy "Safety" for PFRS and Healthy "General" for PERS classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021. Disability mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Disabled "Safety" for PFRS and Disabled "General" for PERS classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021.

#### Health Care Trends

The trend rate for pre-Medicare medical benefits is initially 5.65 percent and decreases to a 4.50 percent long-term trend rate after seven years. For post-65 medical benefits, the actual fully-insured Medicare Advantage trend rates for fiscal year 2022 and 2023 are reflected. Future years PPO and HMO trend rates differ for each retirement plan. PPO trend is initially 7.56% in fiscal year 2024, increasing to 14.43% in fiscal year 2025 and decreasing to 4.50% after 11 years. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 6.75% and decreases to 4.50% long-term after 7 years.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2020 valuation were based on the results of the PFRS and PERS experience studies prepared for July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2018 and July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2018, respectively.

100% of active members are considered to participate in the plan upon retirement.

<sup>\*</sup>Salary increases are based on years of service within the respective pension plan.

## NOTE 13 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

## State Administered Post-Retirement Health Benefits Program (Continued)

#### **Discount Rate**

The discount rate for June 30, 2021 measurement date was 2.16%. This represents the municipal bond return rate as chosen by the State. The source is the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. As the long-term rate of return is less than the municipal bond rate, it is not considered in the calculation of the discount rate, rather the discount rate is set at the municipal bond rate.

## OPEB Plan Fiduciary Net Position - State Health Benefits Program Fund - Local Government Retired

Detailed information about the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report from the State of New Jersey, Department of the Treasury, Division of Pension and Benefits. The financial reports may be accessed via the New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits, website at www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions

#### NOTE 14 RISK MANAGEMENT

The Borough is exposed to various risks of loss related to general liability, automobile coverage, theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; termination of employees and natural disasters. The Borough has obtained insurance coverage to guard against these events to minimize the exposure to the Borough should they occur.

The Borough of Park Ridge is a member of the Bergen County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund (BJIF) and Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund (MEL). The joint insurance funds are both an insured and self-administered group of municipalities established for the purpose of insuring against property damage, general liability, motor vehicles and equipment liability and worker's compensation. The Funds are risk-sharing public entity pools. The BJIF and MEL coverage amounts are on file with the Borough.

The Borough is also a member of the Bergen County Municipal Benefits Fund (BMED). This fund is an insured and self-administered group established for the sole purpose of providing medical insurance coverage to the employees of member municipalities. The BMED is a risk-sharing public entity pool. The BMED coverage amounts are on file with the Borough.

The relationship between the Borough and respective insurance funds is governed by a contract and by-laws that have been adopted by resolution of each unit's governing body. The Borough is contractually obligated to make all annual and supplementary contributions to the insurance funds, to report claims on a timely basis, to cooperate with the management of the funds, its claims administrator and attorneys in claims investigation and settlement, and to follow risk management procedures as outlined by the funds. Members have a contractual obligation to fund any deficit of the funds attributable to a membership year during which the municipality was a member.

The funds provide its members with risk management services, including the defense of and settlement of claims, and established reasonable and necessary loss reduction and prevention procedures to be followed by the members. Complete financial statements of the funds can be obtained by contacting the respective fund's Treasurer.

There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from the previous year nor have there been any settlements in excess of insurance coverage in any of the prior three years.

## NOTE 14 RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

The Borough has elected to fund its New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Insurance under the "Benefit Reimbursement Method". Under this plan the Borough is required to reimburse the New Jersey Unemployment Trust Fund for benefits paid to its former employees and charged to its account with the State. The Borough is billed quarterly for amounts due to the State. The following is a summary of Borough contributions, employee contributions, interest earned, reimbursements to the State for benefits paid and the ending balance of the Borough's unemployment compensation trust fund for the current and previous two years:

Year Ended December 31	Borough Contributions	Employee Contributions		Interest Amount Earned Reimbursed		Ending Balance	
2022	NONE	\$ 10,610	\$	1,466	\$	11,736	\$ 105,077
2021	NONE	9,779		258		330	104,737
2020	NONE	9,035		342		11,624	95,030

#### NOTE 15 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Borough is a party defendant in some lawsuits, none of a kind unusual for a municipality of its size and scope of operation. In the opinion of the Borough's Attorney, the potential claims against the Borough not covered by insurance policies would not materially affect the financial condition of the Borough.

Pending Tax Appeals - Various tax appeal cases were pending in the New Jersey Tax Court at December 31, 2022 and 2021. Amounts claimed have not yet been determined. The Borough is vigorously defending its assessments in each case. Under the accounting principles prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the Borough does not recognize a liability, if any, until these cases have been adjudicated. The Borough expects such amounts, if any, could be material. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough reserved \$90,310 and \$-0-, respectively in the Current Fund for tax appeals pending in the New Jersey Tax Court. Funding of any ultimate liability would be provided for in succeeding years' budget or from fund balance.

Tax Appeal Judgements Payable — On December 14, 2021 the Borough entered into a settlement agreement with Landmark AR Park Ridge, LLC for real property tax assessment appeals pending in the Tax Court of New Jersey. The parties agreed to reduce the 2019 and 2020 property tax assessments which resulted in total tax refunds or tax overpayments of \$989,910 for both years. The parties agreed that this amount would be taken as credits against future property taxes. As of December 31, 2022 the Borough has funded of this tax appeal settlement from funds on hand in the reserve for tax appeals and recorded a tax appeal judgement payable.

Federal and State Awards - The Borough participates in a number of federal and state programs that are fully or partially funded by grants received from other governmental units. Expenditures financed by grants are subject to audit by the appropriate grantor government. If expenditures are disallowed due to noncompliance with grant program regulations, the Borough may be required to reimburse the grantor government. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, significant amounts of grant expenditure have not been audited by the various grantor agencies but the Borough believes that disallowed expenditures, if any, based on subsequent audits will not have a material effect on the overall financial position of the Borough.

#### NOTE 16 FEDERAL ARBITRAGE REGULATIONS

The Borough is subject to Section 148 of the Internal Revenue Code as it pertains to the arbitrage rebate on all tax-exempt obligations, both long and short-term debt. Under the 1986 Tax Reform Act, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) required that all excess earnings from investment proceeds be rebated to the IRS. Arbitrage, for purposes of these regulations, is defined as the difference between the yield on the investment and the yield on the obligations issued. If there are excess earnings, this amount may be required to be rebated to the IRS. At December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough has not estimated its estimated arbitrage earnings due to the IRS, if any.

## NOTE 17 LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM (LOSAP)-UNAUDITED

The Borough of Park Ridge Length of Service Award Program (the Plan) was created by a Borough ordinance adopted on August 10, 1999 pursuant to 457 (e)(11)(13) of the Internal Service Code of 1986, as amended, except for provisions added by reason of the Length of Service Award Program as enacted into federal law in 1997. The voters of the Borough of Park Ridge approved the adoption of the Plan at the general election held on November 2, 1999.

The first year of eligibility for entrance into the Plan was calendar year 2000. The tax deferred income benefits for emergency services volunteers, consisting of the Volunteer Fire Department and the First Aid Organization, come from contributions made solely by the Borough on behalf of those volunteers who meet the criteria of a plan created by the governing body.

If an active member meets the year of active service requirement, a LOSAP must provide a benefit between the minimum contribution of \$100 and a maximum contribution of \$1,150 per year. While the maximum amount is established by statute, it is subject to periodic increases that are related to the consumer price index (N.J.S.A. 40A:14-185(f). The Division of Local Government Services issues the permitted maximum increase annually.

The Borough of Park Ridge has contributed \$1,705 and \$1,705 for 2022 and 2021, respectively, for each eligible volunteer fire department member into the Plan. The Borough also contributed a one-third (1/3) share of \$1,705 and \$1,705 for 2022 and 2021, for each eligible volunteer Tri-Boro Ambulance Corp member into the Plan. In addition, the Boroughs of Montvale and Woodcliff Lake also contributed one-third (1/3) share each of \$1,705 and \$1,705 for 2022 and 2021, respectively, for each Tri-Boro Ambulance Corp. member into the plan. The total Borough contributions were \$43,761 and \$56,833 for 2022 and 2021, respectively. The total contributions from the Boroughs of Montvale and Woodcliff Lake were \$22,734 and \$21,597 for 2022 and 2021, respectively.

In accordance with the amendments to Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code and the State Deferred Revenue Regulations, the Borough has placed the amounts deferred, including earnings, in a trust for the exclusive benefit of the plan participants and their beneficiaries.

Lincoln Financial Group is the administrator of the plan. The Borough's practical involvement in administering the plan is essentially limited to verifying the eligibility of each participant and remitting the funds to the plan administrator.

## **Vesting and Benefits**

A volunteer is eligible to receive a distribution of funds upon completing 5 (five) cumulative years as an active member of the volunteer organization. Certain restrictions and tax implications may result in the event of a withdrawal of funds from the Plan.

If a volunteer member does not vest and terminates their association with the emergency service organization, the funds are returned to the sponsoring agency's surplus.

#### Reporting Requirements

The New Jersey Administrative Code NJAC 5:30-14.49 requires that the Borough perform a separate review report of the plan in accordance with the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) Statements on Standards for Accounting and Auditing Review Services. Since a review does not constitute an audit, the financial statements pertaining to the Plan are presented as unaudited in this report as part of the Borough's Trust Fund.

#### NOTE 18 LEASES RECEIVABLE

#### **Current Fund**

On October 1, 2005 the Borough began leasing cell tower space to a third party. The initial lease was for 5 years and the lease renews for three (3) additional 5-year terms unless the lease notifies the Borough it's intention not to renew the lease one hundred twenty (120) days prior to expiration. The Borough will receive annual payments of \$37,876 to \$49,398. The Borough recognized \$42,610 and \$45,220 in lease revenue for 2022 and 2021, respectively, which includes interest earnings of \$652 and \$816, respectively. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021 the Borough's receivable for lease payments, exclusive of future interest earnings is \$134,274 and \$176,232, respectively, for the lease term ending September 30, 2025.

On June 1, 2006 the Borough began leasing cell tower space to a third party. The initial lease was for 10 years and the lease renews for two (2) additional 10-year terms upon the leasee notifying the Borough it's intention to renew the lease one hundred eighty (180) days prior to expiration. The Borough will receive annual payments of \$19,039 to \$44,799. The Borough recognized \$42,215 and \$49,703 in lease revenue for 2022 and 2021, respectively, which includes interest earnings of \$1,158 and \$1,453, respectively. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021 the Borough's receivable for lease payments, exclusive of future interest earnings is \$148,826 and \$189,883, respectively, for the lease term ending May 31, 2026.

#### Water Utility Operating Fund

On July 1, 2017 the Borough began leasing cell tower space to a third party. The initial lease was for 5 years and the lease was renewed on July 1, 2022 for one (1) additional 5-year term. The lease provides at the end of the second renewal (June 30, 2027) for two (2) additional 5-year terms unless the lease notifies the Borough of it's intention to terminate the lease at least 3 months prior to expiration. The Borough will receive annual payments of \$49,733 to \$97,517. The Borough recognized \$93,730 and \$78,108 in lease revenue for 2022 and 2021, respectively, which includes interest earnings of \$13,448 and \$558, respectively. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021 the Borough's receivable for lease payments, exclusive of future interest earnings is \$399,997 and \$480,279, respectively, for the lease term ending June 30, 2027.

On November 1, 2016 the Borough began leasing cell tower space to a third party. The initial lease was for 5 years and the lease renews for four (4) additional 5-year terms unless the leasee notifies the Borough it's intention not to renew the lease at least sixty (60) days prior to expiration. The Borough will receive annual payments of \$87,223 to \$113,391. The Borough recognized \$95,946 and \$93,730 in lease revenue for 2022 and 2021, respectively, which includes interest earnings of \$42 and \$599, respectively. As of December 31, 2022 and 2021 the Borough's receivable for lease payments, exclusive of future interest earnings is \$409,803 and \$505,707, respectively, for the lease term ending October 31, 2026

The future lease revenue principal and interest payments as of December 31, 2022 were as follows:

#### **Current Fund**

Calendar <u>Year</u>	<u>P</u>	rincipal	<u>1</u> :	nterest	<u>Total</u>
2023	\$	89,614	\$	1,405	\$ 91,019
2024		92,346		972	93,318
2025		82,149		527	82,676
2026		18,991		48	 19,039
Total	<u>\$</u>	283,100	\$	2,952	\$ 286,052

## NOTE 18 LEASES RECEIVABLE (Continued)

#### **Water Utility Operating Fund**

Calendar <u>Year</u>	<u> P</u>	rincipal	<u>]</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2023	\$	195,886	\$	11,234	\$ 207,120
2024		190,422		8,914	199,336
2025		193,769		6,503	200,272
2026		180,676		4,064	184,740
2027		49,047		687	 49,734
Total	\$	809,800	\$	31,402	\$ 841,202

#### NOTE 19 TAX ABATEMENTS

For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Borough provided property tax abatements through certain programs authorized under State statutes. These programs include the Long Term Tax Exemption Law (the "LTTE Law") and the New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Financing Act (NJHMFA).

The Long Term Tax Exemption Law (NJSA 40A:20 et.seq.) is focused on broad areas of redevelopment. It allows for a longer abatement term to carry out a larger development plan through declaring an area as being "in need of redevelopment". These long-term property abatements may last up to 30 years from completion of a project or 35 years from execution of the financial agreement. The process is initiated when the municipality passes a resolution calling for the municipal planning board to study the need for designating an area "in need of redevelopment". Upon adopting the planning board's recommendations and formalizing the redevelopment area designation, a municipality adopts a redevelopment plan, engages redevelopment entities to carry out the plan, and may authorize long-term tax abatements in the process. Developers submit abatement applications to the governing body for review. The financial agreement is approved through adoption of a local ordinance. The agreement exempts a project from taxation, but requires a payment in lieu of taxes (PILOTs) in an amount based generally on a percentage of project costs or revenue generated by the project, depending on the type of project. The Developer agreed to contribute \$500,000 to the Borough toward the cost of construction of a Community Center or other public purpose. For the year ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 the Borough abated property taxes totaling \$854,707 and \$835,615 under the LTTE program. The Borough received \$398,569 and \$175,654 in PILOT payments under this program for the years ended December 31, 2021 and 2022, respectively.

The New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Financing Act (NJSA 55:14K et. seq.) allows for property tax abatements for residential rental housing projects financed by the New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency. These property tax abatements last for the term of the original mortgage financing so long as the residential rental housing project remains subject to the NJHMFA Law and regulations. The process begins when the municipality passes by ordinance or resolution, as appropriate, that such residential rental housing project shall be exempt from property tax provided that an agreement is entered into with the housing sponsor for payments in lieu of taxes (PILOTs) to the municipality. The agreement can require the housing sponsor to a PILOT payment to the municipality in an amount up to 20% of the annual gross revenue from each housing project. For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 the Borough abated property taxes totaling \$127,137 and \$124,297, respectively, under the NJHMFA program. The Borough received \$10,291 and \$19,642 in PILOT payments under this program for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

#### NOTE 20 INFECTIOUS DISEASE OUTBREAK – COVID-19 PANDEMIC

The World Health Organization declared a pandemic following the global outbreak of COVID-19, a respiratory disease caused by a new strain of coronavirus. On March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national emergency to unlock federal funds and assistance to help states and local governments fight the pandemic. Governor Phil Murphy, of the State of New Jersey, also declared a public health emergency on March 9, 2020 and instituted mandatory measures via various executive orders to contain the spread of the virus, including closing schools and nonessential businesses and limiting social gatherings. These measures, which altered the behaviors of businesses and people, had negative impacts on regional, state and local economies. The Governor, pursuant to various executive orders, then implemented a multi-stage approach to restarting New Jersey's economy. The declaration of the state of emergency and of a public health emergency was terminated by the Governor, by executive order, on June 4, 2021. Also, on June 4, 2021, the Governor signed into law Assembly Bill No. 5820 which terminates most of the Governor's pandemic-related executive orders on July 4, 2021. The remaining executive orders (dealing with coronavirus testing and vaccinations, moratoriums on evictions and utility shutoffs and various other matters) terminated on January 1, 2022. On January 11, 2022, the Governor reinstated, via Executive Order No. 280, the state of emergency and declared a new public health emergency in response to a surge in cases tied to new variants of COVID-19, in particular the Omicron variant. Such public health emergency was set to expire 30 days from January 11, 2022, but was later extended, via Executive Order No. 288, for an additional 30 days on February 10, 2022. On March 4, 2022, the Governor declared, via Executive Order No. 292, an end to the reinstated public health emergency, effective March 7, 2022. In the event of substantial increases in COVID-19 hospitalizations, spot positivity or rates of tr

In order to provide additional means for local governmental units to address the financial impact of the COVID-19 outbreak, the Governor signed into law P.L. 2020 c. 74 ("Chapter 74") on August 31, 2020. Chapter 74, which took effect immediately, adds two new purposes to the list of special emergency appropriations which may be raised by municipalities or counties over a five year period (either through the issuance of special emergency notes or raised internally without borrowing): (1) direct COVID-19 response expenses; and (2) deficits in prior year's operations attributable to COVID-19 (the beginning of the five year repayment schedule is delayed by one year for these new purposes). Upon approval by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services, New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, in cases of significant fiscal distress, the five year period may be extended to up to ten years. In addition, the statute permits school districts and public authorities to issue debt with a maximum five year maturity schedule for direct COVID-19 expenses. Chapter 74 provides for State supervision of all local government unit borrowings. The statute also grants the Director the authority to modify municipal budgeting rules concerning anticipated revenues in order to lessen the impact of revenue reductions due to COVID-19.

The Borough of Park Ridge's finances and operations may be materially and adversely affected as a result of the continued spread of COVID-19 through reduced or delayed revenue streams, which include the collection of property taxes, which are the Borough of Park Ridge's primary revenue source for supporting its budget. The Borough of Park Ridge cannot predict costs associated with a potential infectious disease outbreak like COVID-19 such as operational costs to clean, sanitize and maintain its facilities, or costs to operate remotely and support Borough functions and critical government actions during an outbreak or any resulting impact such costs could have on the operations of the Borough. However, as of the date of audit, even though the Borough finances and operations had certain reduced revenue streams due to the COVID-19 outbreak, the overall finances and operations of the Borough have not been materially and adversely affected due to the COVID-19 outbreak.

The degree of any such impact on the operations and finances of the Borough cannot be predicted due to the dynamic nature of the COVID-19 outbreak, including uncertainties relating to its (i) duration, and (ii) severity, as well as with regard to what actions may be taken by governmental and other health care authorities to contain or mitigate its impact. The continued spread of the outbreak could have a material adverse effect on the Borough and its economy. The Borough is monitoring the situation and will take such proactive measures as may be required to maintain its functionality and meet its obligations.

The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, H.R. 1319 (the "Plan"), signed into law by President Biden on March 11, 2021, comprises \$1.9 trillion in relief designed to provide funding to address the COVID-19 pandemic and alleviate the economic and health effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Plan includes various forms of financial relief including up to a \$1,400 increase in direct stimulus payment to individuals and various other forms of economic relief, including extended unemployment benefits, continued eviction and foreclosure moratoriums, an increase in the child tax credit, an increase in food and housing aid, assistance grants to restaurants and bars, and other small business grants and loans. The Plan provides funding for state and local governments to offset costs to safely reopen schools during the COVID-19 pandemic and to subsidize COVID-19 testing and vaccination programs. In addition, the Plan includes \$350 billion in relief funds to public entities, such as the Borough.

## NOTE 20 INFECTIOUS DISEASE OUTBREAK – COVID-19 PANDEMIC (Continued)

Generally, according to the Plan and implementing regulations, the allowable use of the funds to be provided to the Borough include the following categories:

Replacing lost public sector revenue;

Investing in water, sewer, broadband and other infrastructure;

Providing premium pay for essential workers; Supporting public health expenditures; Addressing COVID-19 related negative economic impacts; and

Addressing the disproportionate public health and economic impacts of the crisis on the hardest-hit communities, populations, and households.

However, such funds may not be used to directly or indirectly offset a reduction in net tax revenue resulting from a change in law, regulation or administrative interpretation during the covered period reducing or delaying any tax or tax increase. Additionally, such funds may not be used for deposit in any pension fund. Such funds may be used to offset the amounts required to be raised in budgets for special emergency appropriations for COVID-19 deficits authorized by Chapter 74 discussed above. The Borough will be required to provide periodic reports detailing the accounting of the use of funds.

The Borough will receive \$909,988 from the Plan in two equal payments. The Borough has received the full amount of its relief funds under the plan as of December 31, 2022. The Borough utilized \$909,988 of the funds in the 2022 budget to replace lost public sector revenue. The deadline to obligate the funds is December 31, 2024 and to spend them is December 31, 2026.

#### **NOTE 21 RESTATEMENT**

The financial statements of the Other Trust Fund as of December 31, 2021 have been restated to reflect the inclusion of the VNB Escrow Plus bank account. The effect of this restatement is to increase the Other Trust Fund assets for cash by \$382,477 from \$1,063,413 as previously reported to \$1,445,890 at December 31, 2021 with a corresponding increase of \$382,477 to liabilities for escrow deposits payable from \$307,154 as previously reported to \$689,631 at December 31, 2021. Total Other Trust Fund assets and liabilities increased from \$1,117,180 as previously reported to \$1,499,657 at December 31, 2021 as a result of this restatement.

#### **NOTE 22 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

#### **Bond Anticipation Notes**

On April 28, 2023 the Borough issued bond anticipation notes in the amount of \$12,160,000 to temporarily finance expenditures related to various general, water and electric utility capital projects. The Borough awarded the sale of said notes to Piper Sandler & Co. at an interest rate of 4.00%. These notes dated April 28, 2023 will mature on April 26, 2024.

#### Debt Authorized

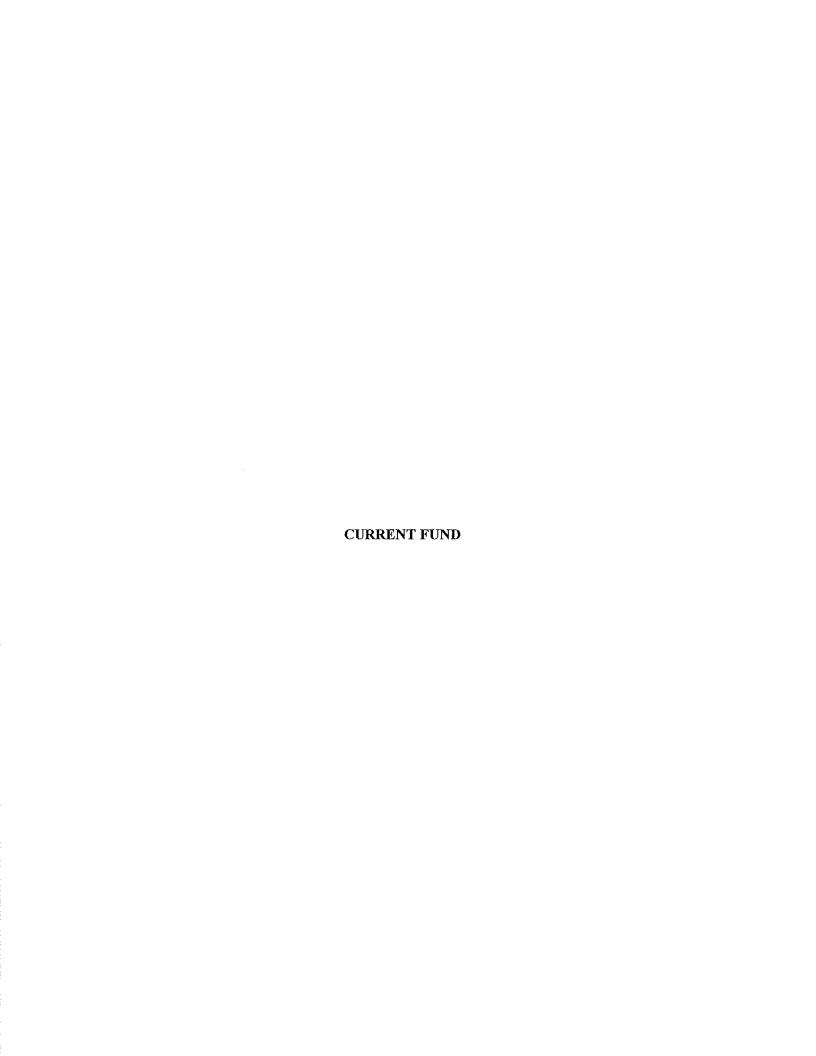
On July 11, 2023 the Borough adopted a bond ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$4,809,000 in Bonds or bond anticipation notes to fund certain general capital projects and acquisitions. As of the date of this report the Borough has not issued nor awarded the sale of said bonds or notes.

On August 8, 2023, the Borough adopted a bond ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$1,450,000 in Bonds or bond anticipation notes to fund certain water utility capital projects. As of the date of this report the Borough has not issued nor awarded the sale of said bonds or notes.

On August 8, 2023, the Borough adopted a bond ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$690,000 in Bonds or bond anticipation notes to fund certain electric utility capital projects. As of the date of this report the Borough has not issued nor awarded the sale of said bonds or notes.

On August 8, 2023, the Borough adopted a bond ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$333,000 in Bonds or bond anticipation notes to fund certain general capital projects. As of the date of this report the Borough has not issued nor awarded the sale of said bonds or notes.





# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CURRENT CASH AND INVESTMENTS - COLLECTOR/TREASURER

Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	4,586,154
Increased by:			
Non-Budget Revenue	\$ 398,244		
Petty Cash	750		
Taxes Receivable	48,111,566		
Revenue Accounts Receivable	3,127,327		
NJ Senior Citizen and Veteran's Deductions	54,750		
Grants Receivable	44,836		
Prepaid Taxes	302,901		
Other Accounts Receivable	19,081		
Tax Overpayments	23,031		
PILOT Overpayments	157,500		
Fees Payable	11,482		
County PILOT Payable	20,647		
Reserve for Grants - Unappropriated	524,354		
Receipts from Animal Control Trust Fund	176		
Receipts from Other Trust Fund	21,252		
Receipts from General Capital Fund	516,668		
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Receipts for General Capital Fund	41,664		
Receipts from Water Utility Operating Fund	51,716		
Receipts from Electric Utility Operating Fund	67,166		
Receipts for Public Assistance Fund	22,900		
Receipts from Public Assistance Fund	 106		52 510 117
			53,518,117
D			58,104,271
Decreased by Disbursements:	14 406 701		
2022 Budget Appropriations	14,406,701		
2021 Appropriation Reserves	240,841		
Petty Cash	750		
Encumbrances Payable	209,668		
PILOT Overpayments	148,686		
County Taxes Payable	4,596,229		
Local District School Tax Payable	32,097,370		
Tax Overpayments	25,496		
Fees Payable	9,208		
Other Accounts Receivable	1,984		
Due to/from Municipal Library	22,365		
Reserve for Tax Appeals	18,215		
Payments to General Capital Fund	500,000		
Payments for General Capital Fund	24,868		
Payments to Open Space Preservation Trust Fund	110,693		
Payments to Public Assistance Fund	 28,700		
	 	***************************************	52,441,774
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	5,662,497

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE

BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CHANGE FUNDS			
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	275
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	275
Analysis of Balance			
Tax Office		<u>\$</u>	275
		EXH	IIBIT A-6
STATEMENT OF PETTY CASH FUNDS			
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	750
Increased by: Disbursements to Treasurer			750
			1,500
Decreased by: Returned to Treasurer			750
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	750
		EXH	IBIT A-7
STATEMENT OF DUE FROM STATE OF NEW JERSEY SENIOR CITIZENS' AND VETERANS DEDUCTIONS			
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	2,111
Increased by: Senior Citizens' Deductions per Tax Duplicate 2022 Veterans' Deductions per Tax Duplicate 2022 Senior Citizens/Veterans Deductions Allowed by Tax Collector - 2022	\$ 3,750 50,250 500	***************************************	54,500
Decreased by: Receipts from State of New Jersey Senior Citizens/Veterans Deductions Disallowed by Tax Collector - 2022	 54,750 250		56,611
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	55,000 1,611

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF GRANT RECEIVABLES

	Balance, December 31,  2021 Received	Balance, December 31, 2022	
Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Body Worn Camera Grant	\$ 382 44,836 \$ 44,836	\$ 382	
	\$ 45,218 \$ 44,836	\$ 382	

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF TAXES RECEIVABLE AND ANALYSIS OF PROPERTY TAX LEVY

	ance, iber 31,	2022	Senior Citizens' and Veterans' Deductions	Cash Co	ollections	Senior Citizens' and Veterans' Deductions	Tax Appeal Judgement	Remitted, Abated or	Balance, December 31,
<u>Year</u>	<u>121</u>	Levy	Disallowed	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	Allowed	Credits Applied	Cancelled	2022
2021 2022	\$ 201,539	\$ 49,037,383	<u>\$</u> 250	\$ 461,499	\$ 201,443 47,910,123	\$ 54,500	\$ 308,900	\$ 96 48,080	<u>\$ 254,531</u>
	\$ 201,539	\$ 49,037,383	<u>\$</u> 250	\$ 461,499	\$ 48,111,566	\$ 54,500	\$ 308,900	\$ 48,176	\$ 254,531

#### Analysis of 2022 Property Tax Levy

TAX YIELD				
General Purpose Tax		\$	48,693,351	
Added and Omitted Taxes (54:4-63.10 et seq.)			344,032	
				\$ 49,037,383
TAX LEVY				 
Local District School Taxes		\$	32,097,370	
		•	52,551,51	
County Taxes - General	\$ 4,410,364			
County Open Space Preservation Tax	182,982			
Due County for Added and Omitted Taxes				
(54:4-63.10 et seq.)	 32,535			
			4,625,881	
			,,	
Municipal Open Space Tax	110,344			
Municipal Open Space Tax-Added Taxes	780			
	 ***************************************		111,124	
			111,124	
Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	11,253,369			
Minimum Library Tax	634,889			
Add Additional Tax Levied	314,750			
	 		12,203,008	
		***************************************		

\$ 49,037,383

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF PROPERTY ACQUIRED FOR TAXES-ASSESSED VALUATION

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	100,650
Balance, December 31, 2022	<u>\$</u>	100,650

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF REVENUE ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	D	Balance, ecember 31, 2021		Accrued in 2022		Collected in 2022	Balance, December 31,  2022	
Borough Clerk								
Licenses					_			
Alcoholic Beverages			\$	19,315	\$	19,315		
Fire Code Department				(4.790		(1700		
Fees and Permits				64,780		64,780		
Health Officer and Registrar				26,714		26,714		
Fees and Permits				20,714		20,714		
Municipal Court Fines and Costs	\$	3,921		60,296		59,028	\$	5,189
Interest and Cost on Taxes	Ф	3,721		69,345		69,345	Ψ	3,107
Interest and Cost on Taxes  Interest on Investments				119,179		119,179		
Insurance Fund Dividends				25,000		25,000		
Hotel Tax				219,425		219,425		
Recycling Program				16,025		16,025		
Cable Television Franchise Fee				141,059		141,059		
Water Utility Rental Fees				105,000		105,000		
Electric Utility Rental Fees				30,000		30,000		
Pistol Range Fee				32,500		32,500		
Tri-Boro Safety Corps				56,342		56,342		
Tri-Boro Safety Corps Prior Year Balance				40,197		40,197		
Energy Receipts Tax				382,598		382,598		
Watershed Moratorium Offset Aid				1,598		1,598		
Uniform Construction Code Fees				248,326		248,326		
Water Utility - Payments in Lieu of Taxes				100,000		100,000		
Electric Utility - Payments in Lieu of Taxes				155,000		155,000		
Electric Utility Payment in Lieu of Franchise &				<b>500.000</b>		500.000		
Gross Receipts Taxes				500,000		500,000		
Life Hazard Use Fees				12,777		12,777 61,000		
Library Reimbursements	\$	15,013		61,000 63,086		74,830		3,269
Excess Sewer User Fees	Ъ	13,013		104,653		104,653		3,209
Sprint Cell Tower Rent Park Ridge Transit - PILOT				398,569		398,569		
Police Outside Duty Fees		4	_	138,447		138,447		<u> </u>
	\$	18,934	<u>\$</u>	3,191,231	\$	3,201,707	\$	8,458
	Cash Receipts				\$	3,127,327		
	Due from Ani		Trust	Fund	•	231		
	Due from Other Trust Fund					23,774		
	Due from General Capital Fund Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund					21,788		
						28,458		
	Due from Pub	lic Assistanc	e Fui	nd	_	129		
					\$	3,201,707		

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF OTHER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	21,588
Increased by: Cash Disbursements	<del></del>	1,984
Decreased by:		23,572
Cash Receipts		19,081
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	4,491

#### EXHIBIT A-13

#### STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES

	Balance, December 31, 2021		•		Amount Raised in <u>2022</u>		Balance, December 3 2022	
Emergency Authorization Overexpenditure of Appropriations Overexpenditure of Appropriation Reserves	\$	24,012 1,268 5,692	\$	33,990	\$	24,012 1,268 5,692	\$	33,990
	\$	30,972	\$	33,990	\$	30,972	\$	33,990

#### **EXHIBIT A-14**

#### STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES - SPECIAL EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION (40A:4-53)

		Net	1/	5 of Net		Balance,				Balance,
Date		Amount	A	mount	De	cember 31,	R	aised in	De	cember 31,
Authorized	Purpose	Authorized	<u>Au</u>	thorized		<u>2021</u>	202	2 Budget		<u>2022</u>
12/8/2020 COV	(D-19 Revenue Loss	\$ 260,000	\$	52,000	\$	260,000	\$	52,000	\$	208,000
					\$	260,000	\$	52,000	\$	208,000

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF 2021 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

	Balance, Balance			
	December 31,	After		Balance
	<u>2021</u>	<u>Modification</u>	Expended	Lapsed
Salaries and Wages				
General Administration	\$ 548	\$ 548	\$ 548	
Municipal Clerk	1,893	1,893	1,893	
Financial Administration	6,781	6,781	6,781	
Revenue Administration	866	866	866	
Tax Assessment Administration	700	700	700	
Planning Board	229	229	229	
Zoning Board Adjustment	1,425	1,425	1,425	
Zoning Officer	31	31	31	
Housing Task Force	48	48	48	
Uniform Construction Code	711	711	191	\$ 520
Police	947	947	947	
Police Reserve	600	600		600
Emergency Management Services	6,000	6,000	6,000	
Fire Prevention/Uniform Fire Code	367	367		367
Road Repairs and Maintenance	7,561	7,561	7,561	
Sewer System	1,280	1,280	1,280	
Public Buildings & Grounds	569	569	,	569
Maintenance of Vehicles	601	601		601
Board of Health	10	10		10
Public Assistance	415	415		415
Recreation	161	161		161
Senior Citizen	165	165		165
Park Ridge Television	760	760		760
Total Salaries & Wages	32,668	32,668	28,500	4,168
Other Expenses				
General Administration	2,508	2,508	1,346	1,162
Municipal Clerk	297	297	297	,
Mayor and Council	4,774	4,774	175	4,599
Financial Administration	5,136	5,136	5,084	52
Audit Services	46,500	46,500	23,045	23,455
Revenue Administration	5,806	5,806	,	5,806
Tax Assessment Administration	3,065	3,065		3,065
Legal Services & Costs	46,981	46,981	17,587	29,394
Engineering Services & Costs	15,236	15,236	- 1,4-27	15,236
Park Ridge Television	168	168		168
Planning Board	3,067	3,067		3,067
Zoning Board of Adjustment	1,709	1,709		1,709
Zoning Officer	1,069	1,069		1,069
Housing Task Force	137	137		137
Uniform Construction Code	325	1,060		1,060
Insurance	525	1,000		1,000
General Liability	41,634	41,634	41,634	
Group Insurance for Employees	8,143	8,143	4,361	2 702
Group Insurance Waiver for Employees	1,933	1,933	4,301	3,782
Tri-Boro Ambulance	8,500			1,933
Police		8,500	4 204	8,500
Police Reserve	34,242	34,242	4,307	29,935
	19,123	19,123		19,123
Pistol Range	4,450	4,929		4,929

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF 2021 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

	D	Balance, ecember 31,	Balance After		<b>D</b>		Balance
Emperor Management Comit	•	<u>2021</u>	Modification		Expended	•	Lapsed
Emergency Management Services Fire	\$	58				\$	58
Fire Hydrant Services		597	6,644				6,644
Tri Boro Safety Corps		1,867	1,867	æ	~ 0.5.°		1,867
Fire Prevention/Uniform Fire Codes		20,385	20,385	\$	5,955		14,430
Municipal Court		3,698	3,985		27.150		3,985
		39,636	39,636		27,150		12,486
Road Repairs and Maintenance Solid Waste Collection - Sanitation		6,564	6,564		6,564		
Solid Waste Collection - Santation Solid Waste Collection - Recycling		4,033	4,033		4,033		200
Public Buildings & Grounds		1,282	1,282		954		328
Maintenance of Vehicles		37,162	37,162		37,162		
Board of Health		1,392	6,196				6,196
Public Assistance		5,696	5,696				5,696
Municipal Services Act		1,300	1,300				1,300
•		16,112	16,112				16,112
Celebration of Public Events Recreation		992	992				992
Electric		10,374	10,374		1,361		9,013
		13,415	13,415		3,698		9,717
Telephone/Communication Water		11,491	11,491				11,491
		2,291	2,291				2,291
Gas and Oil		2,369	2,369		0.504		2,369
Gasoline Saura States		2,524	2,524		2,524		4.00.0
Sewer System Shade Tree		535	1,035		500		1,035
		2,221	2,221		500		1,721
Landfill/Solid Waste Disposal Costs		26.440	26.440		10.000		
Dumping Fees Perceling Terr		36,440	36,440		18,200		18,240
Recycling Tax Social Security System		11,000	11,000		1,665		9,335
Defined Contribution Retirement Plan		5,864	5,864				5,864
		797	797				797
Police & Firemen Retirement System		9	9				9
Public Employees Retirement System		2	2				2
Bergen County Utilities Authority-Sewer Fees		163	163		21.665		163
Maintenance of Free Public Library		21,657	21,657		21,657		
Fire Department LOSAP		50,000	50,000		49,445		555
Tri-Borough Ambulance LOSAP		20,000	20,000		10,798		9,202
DDEF Body Armor Grant		800	800		800		
Body Allilor Grait		1,666	1,666		1,666		-
Total Other Expenses		589,195	602,047		291,968		310,079
Total	\$	621,863	\$ 634,715	<u>\$</u>	320,468	\$	314,247
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$ 621,863				
Encumbrances Cancelled							
			12,852	•	010011		
Cash Disbursements				\$	240,841		
Transferred to Accounts Payable		D			1,215		
Transferred to Other Trust Fund - Misco	enane	ous Reserves			20.000		
Accumulated Absences					30,000		
Storm Recovery					48,327		
Transferred to Appropriated Grant Rese	erves				85		
			\$ 634,715	\$	320,468		

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE

Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	223,235
Increased by: Charges to 2022 Budget Appropriations			262,350
Decreased by Payments Cancellations Restored to Appropriation Reserves Cancellations Restored to Appropriated Grant Reserves	\$ 209,668 12,852 715	_	485,585 223,235
Balance, December 31, 2022		<u>\$</u>	262,350
		EXH	IBIT A-17
STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE			
Increased by: Transferred from 2021 Appropriation Reserves		\$	1,215
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	1,215
STATEMENT OF TAX OVERPAYMENTS		ЕХН	IBIT A-18
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	2,465
Increased by: Overpayments in 2022			23,031
Decreased by: Overpayments Refunded			25,496 25,496
Balance, December 31, 2022		<u>\$</u>	

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF PREPAID TAXES

Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	461,499
Increased by: Collection of 2023 Taxes			302,901
Decreased by:			764,400
Applied to 2022 Taxes Receivable		1.000	461,499
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	302,901
STATEMENT OF COUNTY TAXES PAYABLE		EXH	IIBIT A-20
		•	0.000
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	2,883
Increased by: 2022 Levy General County County Open Space Preservation Added and Omitted Taxes (RS 54:4-63.1 et seq.)	4,410,364 182,982 32,535		4 (05 00)
			4,625,881
Decreased by:			4,628,764
Payments		<del></del>	4,596,229
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	32,535
STATEMENT OF LOCAL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX PAYABLE	:	EXH	IIBIT A-21
Increased by: 2022 Calendar Year Levy		\$ 3	2,097,370
Decreased by: Payments		\$ 3	2,097,370

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TAXES PAYABLE

Increased by: 2022 Levy Added and Omitted Taxes (RS 54:4-63.1 et seq.)			\$ 110,344 	\$	111,124
Due to Open Space Preservation Trust Fund				\$	111,124
STATEMENT OF PIL	OT OVERPAYM	ENTS		EXH	IIBIT A-23
Balance, December 31, 2021				\$	148,686
Increased by: Overpayments in 2022					157,500
Decreased by:					306,186
Refunds					148,686
Balance, December 31, 2022				\$	157,500
STATEMENT OF COU	NTY PILOT PAY	ABLE		EXH	IIBIT A-24
Balance, December 31, 2021				\$	9,245
Increased by: 2022 PILOT Proceeds Due County					20,647
Balance, December 31, 2022				\$	29,892
STATEMENT OF	FEES PAYABL	E		EXH	IIBIT A-25
Due State of New Jersey	Balance, December 31, 2021	Fees <u>Collected</u>	<u>Payments</u>	Dec	alance, ember 31, <u>2022</u>
Marriage License Fees State Construction Code Fees	\$ 100 22	\$ 575 10,907	\$ 675 8,533	\$	2,396
	\$ 122	\$ 11,482	\$ 9,208	\$	2,396

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF TAX APPEAL JUDGEMENTS PAYABLE

Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	513,435
Increased by: Transferred from Reserve for Tax Appeals			476,475
			989,910
Decreased by: Applied to 2022 Taxes Receivable			308,900
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	681,010
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR TAX APPEALS		EXF	IIBIT A-27
Increased by: Transferred from 2022 Tax Collections	\$ 100,000		
Transferred from 2022 Budget Appropriation	 485,000	\$	585,000
Decreased by:			
Tax Judgments Refunded Tax Judgements Transferred to Tax Appeal Judgements Payable	\$ 18,215 476,475		
			494,690
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	90,310

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DUE TO WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021				\$	150,000
Balance, December 31, 2022				<u>\$</u>	150,000
				EXH	IBIT A-29
STATEMENT OF DUE TO ELECTRIC UTILITY	CAPITAL FUI	ND			
Balance, December 31, 2021				\$	5,000
Balance, December 31, 2021				\$	5,000
				EXH	IBIT A-30
STATEMENT OF DUE TO/FROM MUNICIPA	AL LIBRARY				
Balance, December 31, 2021 (Due To)				\$	4,744
Decreased by: Cancelled to Operations Cash Disbursements		\$	4,744 22,365		
			22,5 05		27,109
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due From)				\$	22,365
	Analysis of Ba 2021 Overpayi 2022 Overpayi	ment	Due:	\$	20,401 1,964
				\$	22,365

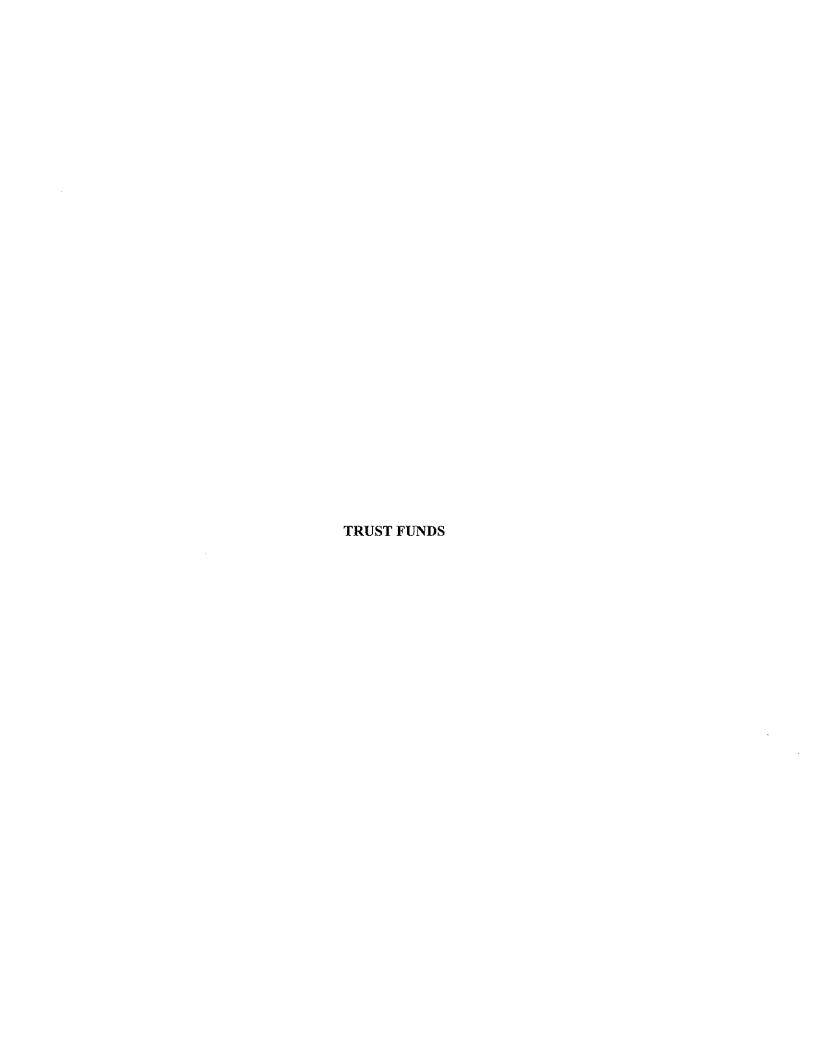
## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR APPROPRIATED GRANTS

				Tra	nsferred		
	Balance,		Encumbrances	fro	m 2021	F	Balance,
	Dece	ember 31,	Payable	Appropriation		Dec	cember 31,
	<u>2021</u>		Cancelled	<u>Reserves</u>		<u>2022</u>	
Occupant Protection Grant	\$	4,402				\$	4,402
Clean Communities Grant		277					277
Alcohol Education and RehabDWI Court		3,404					3,404
Domestic Violence Grant		2,178					2,178
Federal Forestry Grant		3,000					3,000
Body Armor Replacement Fund		4,324					4,324
Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant		382					382
Recycling Tonnage Grant		10,846					10,846
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund		3,654	\$ 715	\$	85		4,454
Bergen County Green Team Grant		26					26
JIF Safety Grant		576					576
Bergen County Mini Grant	700		-		_		700
	\$	33,769	\$ 715	\$	85	\$	34,569

#### EXHIBIT A-32

#### STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR GRANTS AND AID - UNAPPROPRIATED

	Balance, December 31,  2021 Received				R	ealized in 2022 Budget	Balance, December 31, <u>2022</u>	
Clean Communities Program	\$	18,788	\$	18,859	s	18,788	\$	18,859
Recycling Tonnage Grant	-	15,296	•	11,189	4	15,296	Ψ	11,189
Municipal Alliance Program		444		,		444		11,100
American Rescue Plan		454,994		454,994		909,988		
Body Armor Grant		,		2,854		,		2,854
State Forestry Grant				6,500				6,500
Economic Redevelopment Growth Grant				10,000				10,000
JIF Safety Grant		1,000		-		1,000		· •
Municipal Relief Fund		F	~~~	19,958		_		19,958
	<u>\$</u>	490,522	\$	524,354	\$	945,516	\$	69,360



#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS CASH

	Animal Co	ntrol	Other T	<u>Frust</u>	Unemployment <u>Insurance</u>	Open Space	Affordable Housing
Balance, December 31, 2021 (Restated)	\$	16,987		\$ 1,445,890	\$ 104,	737 \$ 162,412	\$ 423,627
Increased by Receipts: Developers Escrow Unemployment - Employee Contributions Contributions Receivable Payroll Deposits Due to State of NJ - Registration Fees Dog License Fees	\$ 578 4,274	:	\$ 111,899 16,650,304	\$	10,610		
Cat License Fees Police Outside Duty Receivable Miscellaneous Reserves and Deposits Interest on Deposits Receipts from Current Fund	416		668,600 511,651 23,774		1,466	\$ 1,371 110,693	\$ 5,602
Developers Fees	<del></del>	5,499	-	17,966,228		<u> </u>	7,943
Decreased by Disbursements: Developers Escrow Payroll Payments		22,486	124,158 16,699,115	19,412,118	116,	813 274,476	437,172
Payments to Current Fund Payments to General Capital Fund Dog License Fees Paid to State of NJ Reserve for Animal Control Expenditures	176 601 2,483		21,252				
Due to State - Unemployment Claims Miscellaneous Reserves and Deposits Reserve for Open Space Expenditures Reserve for Affordable Housing Expenditures	<del></del>	3,260	1,130,214		9,992	69,860 	<u>4,327</u> 4,327
Balance, December 31, 2022	<u>\$</u>	19,226		\$ 1,437,379	<b>\$</b> 106,		

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DUE TO STATE OF NEW JERSEY-DOG LICENSE FEES ANIMAL CONTROL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	138
Increased by: State Fees Collected				578
				716
Decreased by: Payments to State				601
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	115
			E	KHIBIT B-5
STATEMENT OF DUE TO CURRENT FUND ANIMAL CONTROL FUND				
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	5,076
Increased by: Interest on Deposits Statutory Excess in Reserve	\$	231 4,518		
Statutory Excess in Reserve		4,310		4,749
				9,825
Decreased by: Payments to Current Fund				176
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	9,649
			EX	KHIBIT B-6
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR ANIMAL CONTROL EXPI ANIMAL CONTROL FUND	ENDIT	TURES		
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	11,773
Increased by: Dog License Fees Cat License Fees	\$	4,274 41 <i>6</i>		
				4,690
				16,463
Decreased by: Disbursements for Expenditures Under R.S. 4:19-15.11: Statutory Excess Due to Current Fund		2,483 4,518		
				7,001
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	9,462

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DUE FROM CURRENT FUND OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	110,693
Increased by: 2022 Levy Added and Omitted Taxes	\$	110,344 780		
		100		111,124
Decreased by:				221,817
Receipts from Current Fund				110,693
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	111,124
			EX	HIBIT B-8
STATEMENT OF DUE TO STATE - UNEMPLOYMENT C UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE TRUST FUND	LAIMS	S		
Increased by: Unemployment Claims			\$	11,736
Decreased by: Payments to State				9,992
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	1,744
			EX	HIBIT B-9
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE TRUST FUND	CE BE	NEFITS		
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	104,737
Increased by: Employee Contributions Interest on Deposits	\$	10,610 1,466		
				12,076
Decrease by:				116,813
Unemployment Claims Due to State			***************************************	11,736
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	105,077

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR OPEN SPACE EXPENDITURES OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND

<b> </b>				
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	265,771
Increased by:  Municipal Open Space Tax Levy - Due from Current Fund  \$ 110,344  Municipal Open Space Added Taxes - Due from Current Fund  780	\$	111,124		
Interest on Deposits		1,371		112,495
Decreased by: Disbursements for Open Space Expenditures		69,860		378,266
Appropriated to Finance Improvement Authorization Due to General Capital Fund		92,500	***	162,360
Balance, December 31, 2022			<u>\$</u>	215,906
			EXI	-IIBIT B-11
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR AFFORDABLE HOUS AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND	SING			
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	423,627
Increased by: Developers Fees Interest on Deposits	\$	7,943 5,602		
				13,545
Decreased by: Disbursements for Affordable Housing Expenditures				437,172
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	432,845
			EX	HIBIT B-12
STATEMENT OF POLICE OUTSIDE DUTY RECEIVA OTHER TRUST FUND	BLE			
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	53,767
Increased by: Police Outside Duty Billings			<u></u>	707,878
Decreased by:				761,645
Cash Receipts				668,600
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	93,045

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DEVELOPERS ESCROW DEPOSITS OTHER TRUST FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021 (Restated)			\$	689,631
Increased by: Cash Receipts				111,899
				801,530
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements				124,158
Balance, December 31, 2022			<u>\$</u>	677,372
			EΣ	KHIBIT B-14
STATEMENT OF PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS PAYABI OTHER TRUST FUND	Æ			
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	80,192
Increased by: Payroll Deposits				16,650,304
				16,730,496
Decreased by: Payroll Disbursements				16,699,115
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	31,381
			EX	KHIBIT B-15
STATEMENT OF DUE TO/FROM CURRENT FUND OTHER TRUST FUND				
Balance, December 31, 2021 (Due To)			\$	3,032
Increased by: Interest Earned				23,774
Decreased by: Transfer from Current Fund - 2021 Appropriation Reserves Miscellaneous Reserves and Deposits: Accumulated Absences	¢.	20,000		26,806
Storm Recovery	\$	30,000 48,327		
Payments to Current Fund		21,252		99,579
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due From)			\$	72,773

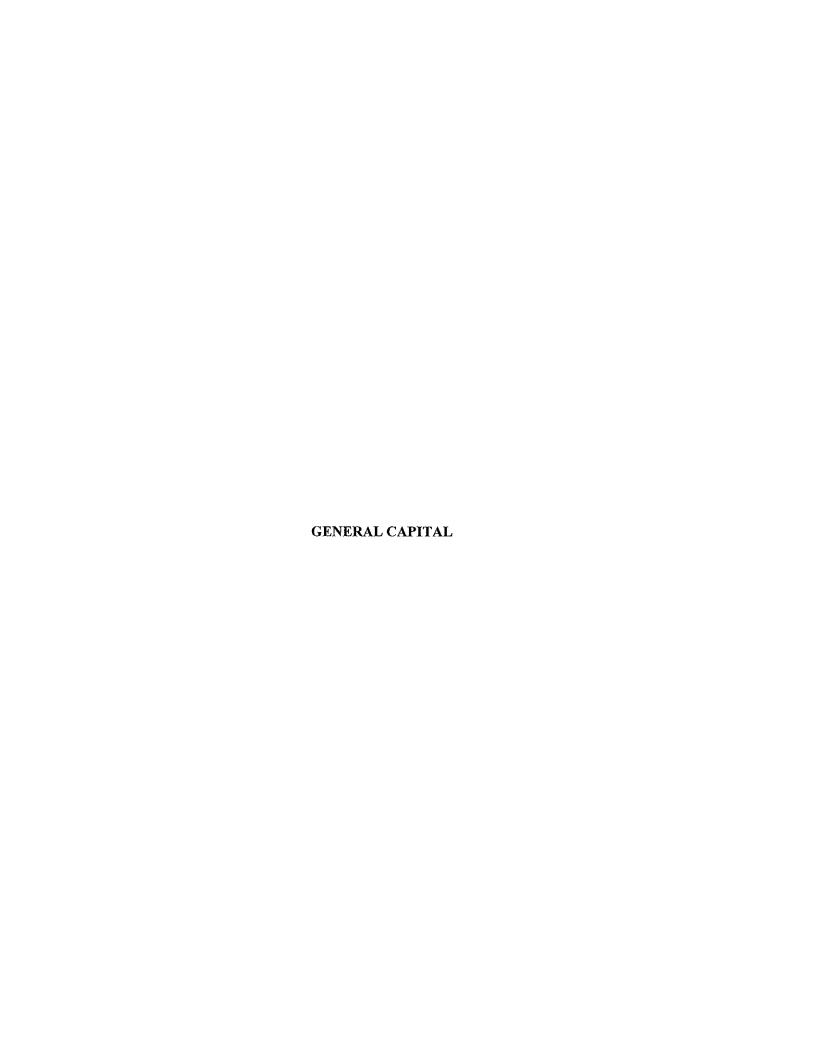
EXHIBIT B-16

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND

OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND								
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	7,333					
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	7,333					
	Analysis of Balance December 31, 2022							
	Park Ridge Athletic Association	\$	7,333					
		EXHI	BIT B-17					
STATEMENT OF DUE FROM WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND OTHER TRUST FUND								
Increased by: Transfer from 2021 Appropriation Reserves -	Accumulated Absences Reserve	\$	10,000					
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	10,000					
		EXHI	BIT B-18					
STATEMENT OF DUE FROM ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND OTHER TRUST FUND								
Increased by: Transfer from 2021 Appropriation Reserves -	Accumulated Absences Reserve	\$	10,000					
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	10,000					

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF MISCELLANEOUS RESERVES AND DEPOSITS OTHER TRUST FUND

		3alance, cember 31, 2021	]	Increases	<u>Decreases</u>		Balance, sember 31, 2022
Fire Prevention Penalty Fees DARE Donations Recreation Fees Tax Sale Premiums Fuel Depot Fees (Community Resale) UCC Penalties Outside Police Duty Fees Storm Recovery Accumulated Absences Recreation Fees - Golden Age Club Miscellaneous Fees and Deposits	\$	11,808 24,427 116,472 144,000 2,410 1,510 184,713 65,000 50,048 9,058 63,589	\$	4,625 7,459 115,549 24,400 323,339 668,600 48,327 50,000 7,737 28,542	\$ 17,584 98,092 117,900 306,370 533,923 5,480 50,865	\$	16,433 14,302 133,929 50,500 19,379 1,510 319,390 113,327 100,048 11,315 41,266
Cash Receipts Police Outside Duty Receivable-Collections Due from Current Fund Due from Water Utility Operating Fund Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund Cash Disbursements	\$	673,035	\$	1,278,578 511,651 668,600 78,327 10,000 10,000 - 1,278,578	\$ 1,130,214 \$ 1,130,214 \$ 1,130,214		821,399
Analysis of Miscellaneous Fees and Deposits - December 31, 2022  Recreation Fees - Mayor's Golf Outing DARE Donations - Junior Police Academy Borough 125th Anniversary Donations Park Ridge TV Donations Other Deposits							20,200 24,791 (3,856) 110 21 41,266



#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF GENERAL CAPITAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS

Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	16,261
Increased by Receipts:			
Grants Receivable	\$ 81,656		
Interest Earned	21,788		
Bond Anticipation Notes Issued	2,422,488		
Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes Issued	46,451		
Receipts from Current Fund	500,000		
Receipts for Electric Utility Capital Fund	75,000		
Receipts for Water Utility Capital Fund	 245,000		
		<del></del>	3,392,383
			3,408,644
Decreased by Disbursements:			
Improvement Authorizations	309,518		
Encumbrances Payable	839,577		
Bond Anticipation Notes	86,642		
Reserve for Preliminary Expenses	7,109		
Payments to Current Fund	 516,668		
			1,759,514
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	1,649,130

1,649,130

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE ANALYSIS OF GENERAL CAPITAL CASH AND INVESTMENTS

		Balance, cember 31, 2022
Fund Balance		\$ 68,184
Reserve for Preli	minary Expenses	7,371
Reserve for Com		508,675
Reserve for Sew		208,260
Reserve for Payr	nent of Debt	100
Encumbrances P	ayable	1,624,016
Capital Improve	ment Fund	345,000
Grants Receivab		(519,229)
Due to Current F		(455,939)
	ipal Open Space Trust Fund	(107,167)
	Utility Capital Fund	226,250
	c Utility Capital Fund	56,250
Contributions Re		(14,000)
Excess Note Pro	ceeds	216,174
Improvement Au	thorizations:	
Ord. No.	<u>Description</u>	
07-07A	Improvements to Mill Pond Dam & Engineering Dredging	29,663
07-7B	Engineering & Design for Dredging Mill Pond	52,861
16-11	Various Improvements and Acq. Of Equipment	41,415
16-15	Various Improvements and Acq. Of Equipment	175,670
17-10	Various Capital Improvements and Acquisitions	3,547
18-16	Repair of the 55 Park Avenue Bridge	180,292
19-08	2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program	(2,249)
19-09	Improvements to Turf Field at Memorial Field	5,475
19-10	2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program	3,752
19-24	Various Capital Improvements and Acquisitions	539
20-04	Various Equipment Purchases	2,474
20-05	2020 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Improvements	100,714
20-06	Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equipment	(8,877)
21-01	Improvement to North Fifth Street	164,093
21-03	Installation of New Playground Equipment at Memorial Field	108,337
21-06	Improvements to Sulak Field Dugouts	7,333
21-22	Various Public Improvements and Acquisitions	60,537
21-23	Acquisition of a New Rescue Fire Truck	(702,092)
21-26	Replacement of the Turf Field at Memorial Field	11,947
22-03	Acquisition of Real Property for Open Space Purposes	185,000
22-12	Various Public Improvements and Acquisition of Equipment	(952,338)
22-16	Acquisition of Real Property for Passive Recreation Purposes	 17,092

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF GRANTS RECEIVABLE

		E						Balance Pledged To:					
Ord.		Dec	ember 31,		2022	Cash		December 31,		, r			
<u>No.</u>	Agency		<u>2021</u>		<u>Awards</u>	<u>Receipts</u>			<u>2022</u>	<u>Authorization</u>		-	Reserve
16-11	DEP - Woodcliff Lake Reservoir	\$	24,000					\$	24,000			\$	24,000
	Walkway		,						,			·	,
16-15	DOT - Mill Road Improvements												
16-15	DOT - Park Avenue Improvements		220,000						220,000	\$	220,000		
19-09	County of Bergen Open Space - Memorial Field Turf		81,656			\$	81,656						
19-10	DOT - Quackenbush to Pascack Improvements		106,729						106,729		106,729		
20-05	DOT - 2020 Road Program		121,313						121,313				121,313
21-01	DOT - North Fifth Street Improvements		95,546						95,546				95,546
21-03	County of Bergen Open Space - Playground at Memorial Field		150,000						150,000				150,000
21-22	County of Bergen - Tri-Boro Dispatch Center		100,000						100,000		100,000		
22-03	County of Bergen Open Space - Acquisition of Real Property		15.8	\$	92,500		-		92,500		92,500	_	<u>.</u>
		\$	899,244	\$	92,500	\$	81,656	\$	910,088	\$	519,229	\$	390,859

**EXHIBIT C-5** 

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#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE

Balance, December 31, 2021 \$ 28,000 Decreased by: Receipts Deposited in Current Fund 14,000 Balance, December 31, 2022 14,000 Borough of Woodcliff Lake 14,000 **EXHIBIT C-6** STATEMENT OF DUE FROM OPEN SPACE PRESERVATION TRUST FUND Balance, December 31, 2021 \$ 14,667 Increased by: Open Space Funds Appropriated to Finance Improvement Authorizations 92,500 Balance, December 31, 2022 107,167 EXHIBIT C-7 STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - FUNDED Balance, December 31, 2021 7,709,305 Decreased by: 2022 Budget Appropriations General Serial Bonds \$1,595,000 Green Trust Loan 95,311 1,690,311

Balance, December 31, 2022

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - UNFUNDED

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Dec	embe	т 31	202

								Analysis of Balance December 31, 2022	
Ord. No. Improvement Description	Balance, December 31, 2021	2022 Authori- zations	Contributions from Participating <u>Municipalities</u>	Notes Paid by Budget Appropriation	Grant <u>Receipts</u>	Balance, December 31, 2022	Financed by Bond Anticipation Notes		Unexpended Improvement Authorizations
18-09 Acquisition of Equipment 18-10 Refurbishment of the Police Pistol Range 18-12 Acquisition of an SUV for Police Department 18-14 Acquisition of a Hydraulic Lift Trailer 18-16 Repair of the 55 Park Avenue Bridge 19-08 2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program 19-09 Improvements to Turf Field at Memorial Field 19-10 2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program 19-15 Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equip 20-05 2020 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Improvements 20-06 Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equipment 21-01 Improvement to North Fifth Street	\$ 329,014 8,369 34,806 14,200 157,703 803,700 824,600 90,880 123,464 571,313 214,353 378,546			\$ 20,736 42,106 43,158	\$ 81,656	\$ 308,278 8,369 34,806 14,200 157,703 761,594 699,786 90,880 123,464 571,313 214,353 378,546	\$ 308,278 8,369 34,806 14,200 150,000 757,894 699,786 90,880 123,464 571,313 200,000 378,546	\$ 2,249 8,877	\$ 7,703 1,451 5,476
21-03 Installation of New Playground Equipment at Memorial Field 21-22 Various Public Improvements and Acquisitions 21-23 Acquisition of a New Rescue Fire Truck 21-26 Replacement of the Turf Field at Memorial Field 21-27 2021 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program 22-12 Various Public Improvements and Acquisition of Equipment 22-16 Acquisition of Real Property for Passive Recreation Purposes	150,000 400,000 727,500 561,900 261,900	\$ 1,642,000 490,000	\$ 27,664			150,000 372,336 727,500 561,900 261,900 1,642,000 490,000	150,000 372,336 561,900 261,900	702,092	
	\$ 5,652,248	\$ 2,132,000	\$ 27,664	\$ 106,000	\$ 81,656	\$ 7,568,928	\$ 4,683,672	\$ 1,665,556	\$ 1,219,700
		Bond Anticipat Less: Excess N	lote Proceeds - Or Orc	rd. 19-09 I. 21-01 I. 21-22			\$ 4,899,846 77,056 111,454 27,664 \$ 4,683,672	i <u>.</u>	
			122		•	8-16 9-09 9-10 0-05 :1-01 :1-03	· Unfunded of Bond Anticipation	n Notes:	\$ 1,824,555 150,000 5,475 3,752 100,714 164,093 108,337 60,537 11,947 \$ 1,219,700

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE

Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	1,313,395
Increased by: Charges to Improvement Authorizations				1,170,362
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements Cancellations Restored to Improvement Authorizations	\$	839,577 20,164		2,483,757 859,741
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	1,624,016
STATEMENT OF DUE TO/FROM CURRENT FU	IND		EX	HIBIT C-10
Balance, December 31, 2021 (Due To)			\$	8,737
Increased by: Interest Earned General Capital Expenditures Paid by Current Fund Receipts from Current Fund	\$	21,788 24,868 500,000		546,656 555,393
Decreased by:				555,393
Budget Appropriation: Capital Improvement Fund Contribution Receivable Received in Current Fund Contributions from Participating Municipalities - Deferred Charges Unfunded Payments to Current Fund		453,000 14,000 27,664 516,668		1,011,332
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due From)			\$	455,939

\$ 1,504,748

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			•						Encumbrances			Balance,				
		Ordinan	ce	Decemb	er 31.	2021	Charges		Grant	Imp	rovement	Open Space	]	Payable	Paid or	Decemb	er 31	2022
Ord. No.	Improvement Description	Amour	Ľ	<u>Funded</u>	U	nfunded	<u>Unfunded</u>	,	<u>Awards</u>		<u>Fund</u>	Trust	<u>C</u>	Canceled	<u>Charged</u>	<u>Funded</u>	U	Infunded
07-7A-08-8	F Repairs of Mill Pond Dam	\$ 1,293	,800	\$ 29,663												\$ 29,663		
07-7B	Engineering & Design for Dredging Mill Pond	200	,000	52,861												52,861		
16-11	Various Improvements and Acq. Of Equipment	253	737	41,415												41,415		
16-15	Various Improvements and Acq. Of Equipment	461	567	175,670												175,670		
17-10	Various Capital Improvements and Acquisitions	82	,881	3,547												3,547		
18-16	Repair of the 55 Park Avenue Bridge	325	,000	11,579	\$	157,703							\$	18,713		30,292	\$	157,703
19-08	2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program	846	,000											1,451				1,451
19-09	Improvements to Turf Field at Memorial Field	868	,000			18,893									\$ 13,418			5,475
19-10	2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program	540	,000			3,752												3,752
19-24	Various Capital Improvements and Acquisitions	171	,200	539												539		
20-04	Various Equipment Purchases	35	653	2,474												2,474		
20-05	2020 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Improvements	700	,000			109,664									8,950			100,714
20-06	Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equipment	225	634			35,339									29,863			5,476
21-01	Improvement to North Fifth Street	490	,000			277,025									112,932			164,093
21-03	Installation of New Playground Equipment at Memorial Field	300	000			108,337									•			108,337
21-06	Improvements to Sulak Field Dugouts	22	000	7,333		•										7,333		,
21-22	Various Public Improvements and Acquisitions	549	.000			308,714									248,177	,		60,537
21-23	Acquisition of a New Rescue Fire Truck	765	.000			25,408									,			25,408
21-26	Replacement of the Turf Field at Memorial Field	590				60,109									48,162			11,947
22-03	Acquisition of Real Property for Open Space Purposes	185				,		\$	92,500			\$ 92,500			,	185,000		
22-12	Various Public Improvements and Acquisition of Equipment	1,725					\$ 1,642,000	-	,	\$	83,000	·,			1,035,338	,		689,662
22-16	Acquisition of Real Property for Passive Recreation Purposes	515				_	490,000			-	25,000	_		_	7,908	17,092		490,000
22.20	requisition of real froperty for raisire recording alposes	515	,000	*****			+>0,000				23,000		_		- 1,700	17,072	_	470,000
				\$ 325,081	\$ 1	,104,944	\$ 2,132,000	\$	92,500	\$	108,000	\$ 92,500	\$	20,164	\$ 1,504,748	\$ 545,886	\$	1,824,555
										Due t	Disbursed o Current F acts Payabl				\$ 309,518 24,868 1,170,362			

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

Ord. <u>No.</u>	Improvement Description	Date of Issue of Original <u>Note</u>	Date of Issue	Date of <u>Maturity</u>	Interest Rate	D	Balance, ecember 31, 2021	Increas	ed .	Decreased	<u>i</u>	Dece	alance, ember 31, 2022	
18-09	Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equipment	5/1/19	5/1/2020 4/29/2022	4/30/2021 4/28/2023	1.19 3.25	% \$	350,000	\$ 30	8,278	\$ 350,0		\$	308,278	
18-10	Refurbishment of Police Pistol Range	4/26/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25			;	8,369				8,369	
18-12	Acquisition of Police SUV	4/29/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25			3.	4,806				34,806	
18-14	Acquisition of Hydraulic Lift Trailer	4/29/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25			14	1,200				14,200	
18-16	Repair of the 55 Park Avenue Bridge	4/29/22	4/30/2021 4/29/2022	4/29/2022 4/28/2023	1.00 3.25		150,000	150	0,000,0	150,0	)00		150,000	
19-08	2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Imprvt Program	5/1/19	5/1/2020 4/29/2022	4/30/2021 4/28/2023	1.19 3.25		800,000	75′	7,894	800,0	)00		757,894	
19-09	Replacement and Expansion of Turf at Memorial Field	5/1/19	5/1/2020 4/29/2022	4/30/2021 4/28/2023	1.19 3,25		820,000	77(	5,842	820,0	)00		776,842	
19-10	2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Improvements	4/30/21	4/30/2021 4/29/2022	4/29/2022 4/28/2023	1.00 3.25		150,000	9(	,880	150,0	)00		90,880	
19-15	Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equipment	4/30/21	4/30/2021 4/29/2022	4/29/2022 4/28/2023	1.00 3.25		130,000	12:	3,464	130,0	)00		123,464	
20-05	2020 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Improvements	4/30/21	4/30/2021 4/29/2022	4/29/2022 4/28/2023	1.00 3.25		70,000	57	1,313	70,0	)00		571,313	
20-06	Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equipment	4/30/21	4/30/2021 4/29/2022	4/29/2022 4/28/2023	1.00 3.25		200,000	200	0,000	200,0	)00		200,000	
2021-01	Improvement to North Fifth Street	4/29/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25			490	0,000				490,000	
2021-03	Installation of Playground at Memorial Field	4/29/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3,25			150	0,000				150,000	
2021-22	Various Improvements and Acquisitions	4/29/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25			400	0,000				400,000	
2021-26	Replacement of Turf Field at Memorial Field	4/29/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25			56	1,900				561,900	
2021-27	2021 Road Program	4/29/22	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25			26	1,900				261,900	
						\$	2,670,000	\$ 4,899	9,846	\$ 2,670,0	000	\$	4,899,846	
				Issued for Ca				\$ 2,422				No continue		
				Paid with Ca Paid by Budg	-	ation				\$ 86,6 106,0				
				Renewals	• • •			2,47		2,477,3				
								\$ 4,899	,846	\$ 2,670,0	100			

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# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF GENERAL SERIAL BONDS

				Maturity	of	Bonds								
			Amount of			Balance,								
		Date of	Original	<u>Decembe</u>	r 3	<u>1, 2022</u>	Interest		De	cember 31,			Dε	ecember 31,
	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Date</u>		<u>Amount</u>	<u>Rate</u>			<u>2021</u>		<u>Decreased</u>		<u>2022</u>
	General Improvements	10/15/2007	\$ 4,827,000	2023	\$	327,000	4.000	%	\$	677,000	\$	350,000	\$	327,000
	General Improvements	8/15/2012	3,215,000	2023-2026		300,000	2.000			1,450,000		250,000		1,200,000
126	General Refunding	2/15/2013	3,035,000							340,000		340,000		
	General Improvements	8/15/2013	2,207,000	2023		277,000	3.000			557,000		280,000		277,000
	General Improvements	5/15/2018	4,880,000	2023		610,000	2.500							
	•		, ,	2024		700,000	2.500							
				2025-26		700,000	3.000							
				2027		695,000	3.000			3,780,000		375,000	_	3,405,000
									\$	6,804,000	\$	1,595,000	\$	5,209,000

Paid by Budget Appropriation

\$ 1,595,000

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF GREEN TRUST LOANS

127	<u>Purpose</u>	Date of <u>Issue</u>	Ori	ount of ginal sue	Maturit Outsta <u>Decemb</u> <u>Date</u>	anding er, 31	at	Interest <u>Rate</u>		Balance, December 31, 2021	<u>I</u>	<u>Decreased</u>	D	Balance, ecember 31, 2022
	Memorial Field Improvements	10/20/2008	\$	500,000	2023 2024 2025 2026	\$	31,559 32,193 32,840 33,500	2.00 2.00 2.00 2.00	%	161,029	\$	30,937	\$	130,092
	Mill Pond Dam Improvements	7/9/2012	1,	156,000	2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032		65,668 66,988 68,334 69,707 71,109 72,538 73,995 75,483 77,001 39,079	2.00 2.00 2.00 2.00 2.00 2.00 2.00 2.00		744,276		64,374		679,902
				Р	aid by Budg	get App	propriation		, 2	905,305	<u>\$</u> \$	95,311 95,311	\$	809,994

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

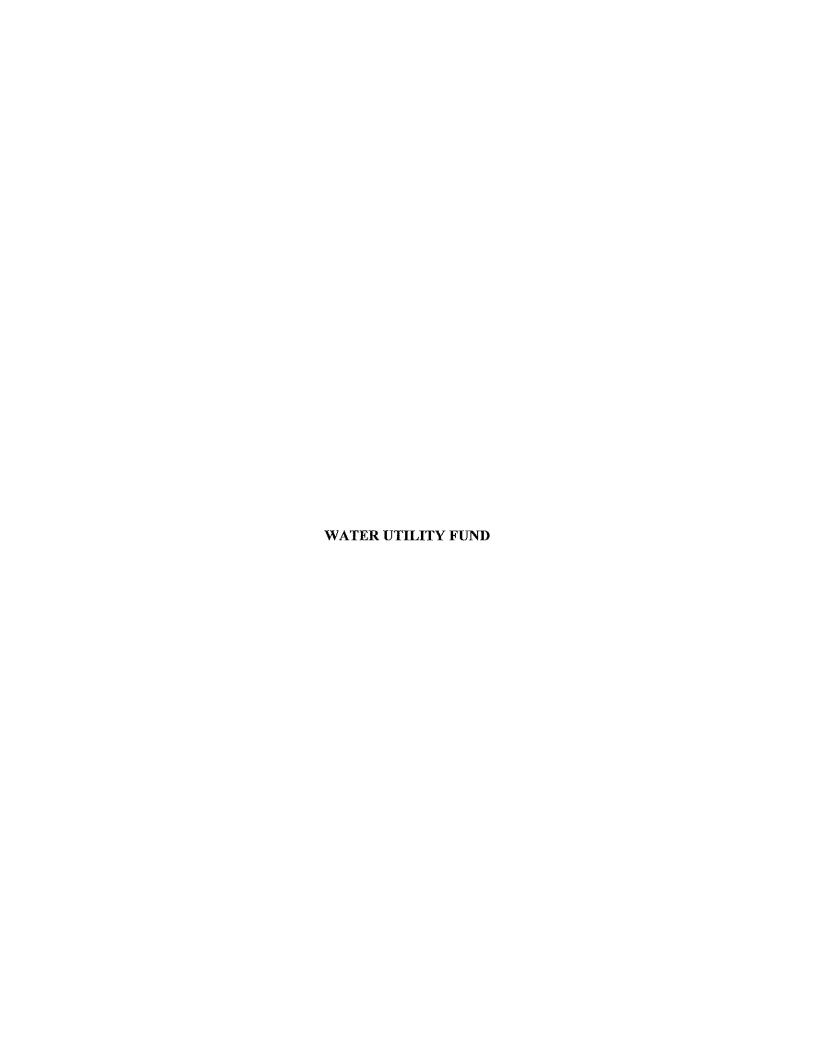
Increased by: 2022 Budget Appropriation - Due from Current Fund			\$	453,000
Decreased by: Appropriation to Finance Improvement Authorizations			***************************************	108,000
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	345,000
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR	PRELIMINARY EX	(PENSES	EXH	IBIT C-16
<u>Purpose</u>	Balance December 31, 2021	Paid or Charged	Dece	alance ember 31, 2022
Community Center Project	\$ 14,480	\$ 7,109	\$	7,371
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FO	R COMMUNITY C	ENTER	EXH	IBIT C-17
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	508,675

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR SEWER IMPROVEMENTS

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 208,260
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$ 208,260
	EXHIBIT C-19
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR PAYMENT OF DEBT	
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 100
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$ 100

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED

Ord. <u>No.</u>	Description	Balance December 31, 2021		2022 Authorizations		Grants <u>Receipts</u>		Bon	d Anticipation Notes <u>Issued</u>		Balance cember 31, 2022
18-10	Refurbishment of the Police Pistol Range	\$	8,369					\$	8,369		
18-12	Acquisition of an SUV for Police Depart.		34,806						34,806		
18-14	Acquisition of a Hydraulic Lift Trailer		14,200						14,200		
18-16	Repair of the 55 Park Avenue Bridge		7,703							\$	7,703
19-08	2019 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Imprvts		3,700								3,700
19-09	Improvements to Turf Field at Memorial Field		4,600			\$	4,600				
20-05	2020 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Improvements	5	01,313						501,313		
20-06	Acquisition of New Additional or Replacement Equipment		14,353								14,353
21-01	Improvement to North Fifth Street	3	78,546						378,546		
21-03	Installation of New Playground Equipment at Memorial Field	1.	50,000						150,000		
21-22	Various Public Improvements and Acquisitions	4	00,000						400,000		
21-23	Acquisition of a New Rescue Fire Truck	7	27,500								727,500
21-26	Replacement of the Turf Field at Memorial Field	5	61,900						561,900		
21-27	2021 Road, Curb, Drainage and Sidewalk Program	2	61,900						261,900		
22-12	Various Public Improvements and Acquisition of Equipment			\$	1,642,000						1,642,000
22-16	Acquisition of Real Property for Passive Recreation Purposes				490,000				**	***************************************	490,000
		\$ 3,0	68,890	<u>\$</u>	2,132,000	<u>\$</u>	4,600	<u>\$</u>	2,311,034	\$	2,885,256



#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CASH - COLLECTOR/TREASURER WATER UTILITY FUND

	Operating			<u>Capital</u>		
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	2,994,638		\$	777,769
Increased by Receipts:						
Water Usage Charges Receivable	\$ 3,665,258					
Other Charges Receivable	122,338					
Mobile Antenna Rent	189,676					
Non-Budget Revenue	38,317					
Interest Earned	51,152			21,494		
Bond Anticipation Notes Issued				\$ 2,616,054		
Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes Issued				31,886		
Overpayments	32,514					
Woodcliff Lake Surcharge Receivable	103,024					
Received from Water Utility Capital Fund	14,377					
Received for Water Utility Capital Fund	190,000					
Receipts for Electric Utility Capital Fund				12,973		
Received From Utility Trust Fund	 724					
			4,407,380			2,682,407
			7,402,018			3,460,176
Decreased by Disbursements:			, ,			, ,
2022 Budget Appropriations	3,129,621					
2021 Appropriation Reserves	29,660					
Encumbrances Payable	463,049			27,506		
Improvement Authorizations	,			1,180,177		
Interest on Bonds and Notes	51,943					
Payments to Current Fund	51,716					
Payments made to Electric Utility Operating Fund	5,501					
Payments made to Water Utility Operating Fund	_			14,377		
			3,731,490			1,222,060
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	3,670,528		\$	2,238,116

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE ANALYSIS OF CASH WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

	Balance,
	December 31,
	<u>2022</u>
P. IDiana	ф 75.600
Fund Balance	\$ 75,600
Capital Improvement Fund	226,919
Encumbrances Payable	466,597
Reserve for Capital Improvements	190,000
Due from Water Utility Operating Fund	(108,839)
Due from General Capital Fund	(226,250)
Due from Current Fund	(150,000)
Due to Electric Utility Capital Fund	12,973
Improvement	
Authorizations: Description	
Ord.	
<u>No.</u>	
2012-09 Various Public Improvements/Acquisitions	81,664
2014-15 Various Public Improvements/Acquisitions	169,133
2014-21 Installation of New Well and Pumping Station	314,709
2017-17 Replacement of Water Main at Glen Road	210,935
2019-06 Acquisition of Water Distribution Equipment and Machinery	12
2019-17 Various Improvements	16,379
2019-22 Acquisition of Technology Upgrades	18,903
2020-07 Acquisition of Water Distribution Equipment and Machinery	82,883
2021-25 Decommission of Well #5 and Well #6	2,500
2022-07 Acq and Installation of Water Treatment Systems	976,428
2022-13 Engineering Services for Water Treatment at Wells	(122,430)
	\$ 2,238,116

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF WATER USAGE CHARGES RECEIVABLE WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	346,261					
Increased by: Water Usage Charges Levied				3,752,677					
Decreased by:				4,098,938					
Water Usage Charges Collected:									
Cash Receipts	\$	3,665,258							
Receipts in Electric Utility Operating Fund		30,897							
Receipts in Utility Trust Fund		697							
Overpayments Applied		29,246							
				3,726,098					
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	372,840					
				EXHIBIT D-8					
				EXHIBIT D-6					
STATEMENT OF OTHER CHARGES RECEIVABLE WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND									
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	85,708					
Increased by: Other Water Charges Levied									
Fire Sprinklers	\$	87,909							
Hydrants	4	43,544							
- <b>,</b>				131,453					
				217,161					
Decreased by:				217,101					
Other Water Charges Collected:									
Fire Sprinklers		79,210							
Hydrants		43,128		122,338					
				122,336					
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	94,823					

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF WOODCLIFF LAKE SURCHARGE RECEIVABLE WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	53,963
Increased by: Surcharges Levied	***************************************	105,863
		159,826
Decreased by: Surcharges Collected		103,024
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	56,802
STATEMENT OF DUE TO/FROM ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND	ЕΣ	KHIBIT D-10
Balance, December 31, 2021 (Due To)	\$	5,501
Increased by: Water Operating Utility Fund Receipts Deposited in Electric Utility Operating Fund		30,897
Degraced by		36,398
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements		5,501
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due From)	\$	30,897
STATEMENT OF DUE TO/FROM GENERAL CAPITAL FUND WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND	ЕΣ	KHIBIT D-11
Balance, December 31, 2021 (Due To)	\$	18,750
Decreased by: Bond Anticipation Notes Deposited in General Capital Fund		245,000
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due From)	\$	226,250

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DUE TO/FROM WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021 (Due To)				\$	124,044					
Increased by: Interest Earned					21,494					
Decreased by:					145,538					
2022 Budget Appropriation - Capital Improvement Fund Reserve for Capital Improvements Deposited in Water Utility Operating Fund Payments to Water Utility Operating Fund	\$	50,000 190,000 14,377								
					254,377					
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due From)				\$	108,839					
STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND										
<u>Description</u>	Balance, December 31, 2021		Amount Resulting in 2022		Balance, cember 31, 2022					
Overexpenditure of Appropriations	\$ -	\$	56,764	\$	56,764					
	<u>\$</u>	\$	56,764	\$	56,764					

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF FIXED CAPITAL WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

			Additi	ons by	
	Balance, December 31, 2021		Budget Capital Outlay	Ordinance	Balance, December 31, 2022
Source of Supply Plant:			<u>Odnay</u>	Ordinanio	
Structures and Improvements	\$ 339,859				\$ 339,859
Wells and Springs	5,147,898	\$	52,714	\$ 27,500	5,228,112
Water Diversion Rights	551		,	,	551
Pumping Plant:					
Land and Land Rights	12,887				12,887
Structures and Improvements	568,810				568,810
Electric Pumping Equipment	1,053,614				1,053,614
Water Treatment Plant - Water					
Treatment Equipment	1,259,043				1,259,043
Computer Hardware/Software-Equipment	111,245				111,245
Transmission and Distribution Plant:					
Structures and Improvements	675,363		7,500		682,863
Distribution Reservoirs and Standpipes	908,591				908,591
Transmission and Distribution Mains	2,065,501			(412)	2,065,089
Services	236,634				236,634
Meters	1,055,062				1,055,062
Hydrants	446,934		7,150		454,084
Well Communication System-Equipment	35,472				35,472
General Plant:					
Structures and Improvements	193,300				193,300
Improvements to Utility Garage	102,218				102,218
Office Furniture and Equipment	209,803				209,803
Transportation Equipment	356,788				356,788
Other General Equipment	311,672				311,672
Tools-Equipment	170,555				170,555
Other Utility Assets:					
Other Tangible Property-Equipment	242,936				242,936
Meter Reading System	6,763				6,763
Pickup Trucks	236,602		5,100		241,702
Dump Trucks	170,332				170,332
Vacuum Excavator	89,530				89,530
Trailer Mounted Generator	79,580				79,580
New Hybrid Vehicles	37,456				37,456
Backhoe Loader	86,031				86,031
Valve Box Vacuum	20,441		<del>a</del>	···	20,441
	\$ 16,231,471	\$	72,464	\$ 27,088	\$ 16,331,023
2022 Rudge	et Appropriation	\$	67,364		
<del>-</del>	priation Reserves	Ψ	5,100		
2021 Apple	Primarii itodoi vod		2,100		
		<u>\$</u>	72,464		

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF FIXED CAPITAL AUTHORIZED AND UNCOMPLETED WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

			_		2022 A	ations						
		I	Balance,	D	eferred				Costs	Balance,		
		Dec	cember 31,	Re	serve for	Defe	rred Charges		(o) From	De	cember 31,	
Ord. No.	Improvement Description		<u>2021</u>		ortization	to Fu	ture Revenue	<u>Fix</u>	ed Capitai	<u>2022</u>		
		ø	91.774							\$	81,664	
2012-9	Various Public Improvements & Acq.	Э	81,664							Ф	•	
2014-15	Various Public Improvements & Acq.		169,133								169,133	
2014-21	Installation of New Well and Pumping											
	Station		900,000								900,000	
2017-17	Replacement of Water Main on Glen Road		212,169					\$	412		212,581	
2019-06	Acquisition of Water Distribution Equipment		12		•						12	
2019-17	Various Improvements		16,379								16,379	
2019-22	Acquisition of Technology Upgrades		20,000								20,000	
2020-07	Acq of Water Distribution Equipment										-	
	and Machinery		146,990								146,990	
2021-25	Decommission of Well #5 and Well #6		30,000						(27,500)		2,500	
2022-07	Acq and Installation of Water Treatment Systems				105,000	\$	2,095,000				2,200,000	
2022-13	Engineering Services for Water Treatment at Wells				16,000		304,000				320,000	
	-											
		<u>\$</u>	1,576,347	<u>\$</u>	121,000	\$	2,399,000	\$	(27,088)	<u>\$</u> _	4,069,259	

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF 2021 APPROPRIATION RESERVES WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

		Balance, cember 31, 2021		Balance After odification		Paid or Charged		Balance Lapsed
OPERATING	\$	61,572	\$	61,572	\$	10,470	\$	51,102
Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	<b></b>	100,876	Ф	100,876	φ	20,360	<del>"</del>	80,516
Total Operating		162,448		162,448		30,830		131,618
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS								
Capital Outlay		18,433		18,433		5,100		13,333
Total Capital Improvements		18,433		18,433		5,100		13,333
DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTORY EXPENDITURES Statutory Expenditures								
Contribution to		10 501		10.501				10 501
Public Employees Retirement System  Defined Contribution Retirement Program		12,581 567		12,581 567				12,581 567
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)		8,796		8,796		3,730		5,066
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory								
Expenditures		21,944		21,944	**********	3,730		18,214
	<u>\$</u>	202,825	<u>\$</u>	202,825	\$	39,660	<u>\$</u>	163,165
Cash Disbursements Transfer to Other Trust Fund - Accumulated Absence	es Res	serve			\$	29,660 10,000		
					\$	39,660		

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	463,049
Increased by: Charges to 2022 Budget Appropriations			180,526
Degraced hou			643,575
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements			463,049
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	180,526
STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND		EXH	IIBIT D-18
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	134,750
Increased by: Charges to Improvement Authorizations			378,668
Decreased by:			513,418
Cancellations Restored to Improvement Authorizations Cash Disbursements	\$ 19,315 27,506		46,821
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	466,597

BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF OVERPAYMENTS WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND	EXHI	BIT D-19
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	29,246
Increased by: Overpayments Received		32,514
Decreased by:		61,760
Overpayments Applied to Water Usage Charges Receivable		29,246
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	32,514
	EXHI	BIT D-20
STATEMENT OF ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND		
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	15,887
Increased by: Budget Appropriation for Interest on Bonds and Notes		111,978
Degreesed by		127,865
Decreased by: Interest Paid	N	51,943
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	75,922
STATEMENT OF DUE TO CURRENT FUND	EXH	IBIT D-21
WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND		
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	62,966
Decreased by: Payments to Current Fund		51,716
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	11,250
	EXH	IBIT D-22
STATEMENT OF DUE TO ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND		
Increased by: Premium on Bond Anticipation Note Issued Deposited in Water Utility Capital Fund	<u>\$</u>	12,973
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	12,973

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

2022

						Authorizations											
					_		Deferred										
			Bal	lance,		(	Charges to	(	Capital		Contracts			Bala	ance,		
Ord.		Ordinance	Decembe	er 31, 2	021		Future	Imp	rovement		Payable	Paid or		Decembe	r 31,	2022	
No.	Improvement Description	<b>Amount</b>	<u>Funded</u>	<u>Unf</u>	unded		Revenue		<u>Fund</u>	9	Cancelled	Charged		<u>Funded</u>	<u>U</u>	Infunded	
													_				
2012-09	Various Public Improvements and Acq.	1,085,000	\$ 81,664										\$	81,664	_		
2014-15	Various Public Improvements and Acq.	470,000		\$ 1	169,133										\$	169,133	
2014-21/	Installation of New Well and Pumping																
2022-14	Station	900,000		4	193,855							179,146				314,709	
2017-17	Replacement of Water Main at Glen Road	800,000		2	212,169					\$	412					212,581	
2019-06	Acq of Water Distribution Equipment																
	and Machinery	200,000	12											12			
2019-17	Various Improvements	196,000			16,379											16,379	
2019-22	Acquisition of Technology Update	20,000									18,903			18,903			
2020-07	Acq of Water Distribution Equipment																
	and Machinery	146,990	100,580									17,697		82,883			
2021-25	Decommission of Well #5 and Well #6	30,000	2,500											2,500			
2022-07	Acq and Installation of Water Treatment		•														
2022 01	Systems at Various Facilities	2,200,000				\$	2,095,000	\$	105,000			1,223,572				976,428	
2022-13	Engineering Services for Water Treatment																
	Systems at Wells 12, 14 and 18	320,000	_				304,000		16,000		_	138,430				181,570	
	•		****														
			\$ 184,756	\$	891,536	\$	2,399,000	\$	121,000	\$	19,315	\$1,558,845	\$	185,962	\$	1,870,800	
			<del></del>	······				···········		***************************************					20044		
				Cash 1	Disbursen	nen	ts				\$1,180,177						
				Encur	nbrances	Pay	ahle					378,668					
				Lilear	HOIMHOOD	ر م											
												\$1,558,845					

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF SERIAL BONDS WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Maturity of Bonds Outstanding at

					Outstanding at								
			Amount of		December 31, 2022		Balance,	Balance,					
<u>Purpose</u>	Date of	Original		Intere		Interest	December 31,				December 31		
ŕ	<u>Issue</u>		<u>Issue</u>	Date	Amount	Rate		<u>2021</u>	D	<u>ecreased</u>	<u>2022</u>		
Water Utility Bonds	8/16/2012	\$	1,250,000	2023-25	90,000	2.00%							
				2026	95,000	2.10%							
				2027	95,000	2.20%	\$	545,000	\$	85,000	\$	460,000	
Water Utility Bonds	8/15/2013		582,000	2023	45,000	3.00%							
				2024	45,000	3.25%							
				2025	45,000	3.50%							
				2026	45,000	4.00%							
				2027	47,000	4.00%		272,000		45,000		227,000	
Water Utility Bonds	5/15/2018		790,000	2023	55,000	2.50%							
•			·	2024	60,000	2.50%							
				2025-26	60,000	3.00%							
				2027-28	65,000	3.00%							
				2029-30	70,000	3.00%							
				2031	75,000	3.00%		635,000		55,000		580,000	
							<u>\$</u>	1,452,000	\$	185,000	\$	1,267,000	
				Paid by Budget A	ppropriation				\$	185 000			

Paid by Budget Appropriation

\$ 185,000

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Ord. No. Improvement Description	Date of Issue of Original <u>Note</u>	Date of <u>Issue</u>	Date of <u>Maturity</u>	Interest <u>Rate</u>	Balance, December 31, <u>2021</u>	Increased	<u>Decreased</u>	Balance, December 31,  2022
14-21 Installation of New Well and Pumping Facility - Woodcliff Lake	10/8/2015 4/30/2021	4/30/2021 4/29/2022 4/30/2021 4/29/2022	4/29/2022 4/28/2023 4/29/2022 4/28/2023	1.00 3.25 1.00 3.25	% \$ 94,800 800,000	\$ 93,508 800,000	\$ 94,800 800,000	\$ 93,508 800,000
17-17 Replacement of Water Main Glen Road - Woodcliff	Lake 5/1/2018 9/28/2022	4/30/2021 4/29/2022 9/28/2022	4/29/2022 4/28/2023 4/28/2023	1.00 3.25 4.50	491,900	575,646 210,000	491,900	575,646 210,000
19-17 Various Improvements	4/29/2022	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25		196,000		196,000
14-15 Various Public Improvements and Acquisitions	9/28/2022	9/28/2022	4/28/2023	4.50		270,000		270,000
22-07 Acq and Installation of Water Treatment Systems	9/28/2022	9/28/2022	4/28/2023	4.50		2,095,000		2,095,000
			Issued for Ca Issued Due F Paid by Buda Renewals	rom Gene	\$ 1,386,700 eral Capital Fund priation	\$ 4,240,154 \$ 2,616,054 245,000 	\$ 1,386,700 \$ 7,600 	\$ 4,240,154

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	297,919
Increased by: 2022 Budget Appropriation - Due from Water Utility Operating Fund				50,000
				347,919
Decreased by: Appropriation to Finance General Capital Improvement Authorizations				121,000
D. L. D. L. 21 2022			\$	226,919
Balance, December 31, 2022			Ф	220,919
			EX	HIBIT D-27
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND	S			
Increased by: Water Connection Fees Due from Water Utility Operating Fund			\$	190,000
			\$	190,000
Balance, December 31, 2022			Φ	190,000
			EX	CHIBIT D-28
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND				
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	14,004,416
Increased by:				
Serial Bonds Paid by Operating Budget	\$	185,000		
Bond Anticipation Notes Paid by Budget		7,600		
Capital Outlay Operating Budgets:				
2022 Budget Appropriations		67,364		
2021 Budget Appropriations		5,100		
Transfer from Deferred Reserve for Amortization		27,500		292,564
Balance, December 31, 2022			<u>\$</u>	14,296,980

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DEFERRED RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Ord. No.	Improvement Description		Balance, cember 31, 2021		d Capital thorized	To Reserve for Amortization Fixed Capital		Balance, cember 31, 2022
2019-06	Acq. Of Water Distribution Equipment and Machinery	\$	12				\$	12
2019-22	Acquisition of Technology Upgrades		20,000					20,000
2020-07	Acq. Of Water Distribution Equipment and Machinery		146,990					146,990
2021-25	Decommission of Well #5 and Well #6		30,000			27,500		2,500
2022-07	Acq and Installation of Water Treatment Systems			\$	105,000			105,000
2022-13	Engineering Services for Water Treatment at Wells		-		16,000			16,000
		\$	197,002	<u>\$</u>	121,000	\$ 27,500	<u>\$</u>	290,502
	Water Utility Capital Im	prove	ment Fund	\$	121,000		EX	HIBIT D-30

# STATEMENT OF MISCELLANEOUS RESERVES WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

	Balance, December 31, 2021	Increased		Realized in 2022 Budget	De	Balance, cember 31, 2022
Payment of Water Tank Construction of Water Line Woodcliff Lake Improvements Handy Harmon Settlement	\$ 9,201 1,500 627,436 956,068	\$ 103,024	\$ - —	59,130	\$	9,201 1,500 671,330 956,068
	\$ 1,594,205	\$ 103,024	\$	59,130	\$	1,638,099

EXHIBIT D-31

# STATEMENT OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Ord. <u>No.</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	Balance, cember 31, 2021		2022 uthorizations	Notes <u>Issued</u>	D	Balance, ecember 31, 2022
2014-15 2017-17 2019-17	Various Public Improvements & Acq. Replacement of Water Main Glen Road - WCL Various Improvements	\$ 270,000 301,700 196,000			\$ 270,000 300,054 196,000	\$	1,646
2022-07 2022-13	Acq and Installation of Water Treatment Systems Engineering Services for Water Treatment at Wells	 <u>-</u>	\$	2,095,000 304,000	 2,095,000		304,000
		\$ 767,700	<u>\$</u>	2,399,000	\$ 2,861,054	\$	305,646

**ELECTRIC UTILITY FUND** 

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CASH - COLLECTOR/TREASURER ELECTRIC UTILITY FUND

	Ope	rating	<b>.</b>	<u>C</u> a	pital	
Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	2,316,229		\$	164,801
Increased by Receipts:						
Light and Power Charges Receivable	\$ 9,669,755					
Other Charges Receivable	17,888					
Interest on Deposits	50,315			\$ 17,937		
Non-Budget Revenue	89,986					
Petty Cash	300					
Overpayments	24,775					
Bond Anticipation Notes Issued				2,151,000		
Premium on Bond Anticipation Notes Issued				1,431		
Receipts for Current Fund	28,458					
Receipts from Water Utility Operating Fund	5,501					
Receipts for Water Utility Operating Fund	30,897					
Receipts for Electric Utility Operating Fund				18,183		
Receipts from Electric Utility Capital Fund	30,143					
Receipts from Utility Trust Fund	 345			 		
			9,948,363			2,188,551
			12,264,592			2,353,352
Decreased by Disbursements:						
2022 Appropriations	7,390,679					
2021 Appropriation Reserves	9,406					
Petty Cash	300					
Encumbrances Payable	428,558			55,055		
Improvement Authorizations				483,892		
Interest on Bonds	11,976					
Payments to Current Fund	67,166					
Payments to Electric Utility Operating Fund	 -			 30,143		
			7,908,085			569,090
Balance, December 31, 2022		\$	4,356,507		\$	1,784,262

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE ANALYSIS OF CASH ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

		Dece	llance, mber 31, 2022
Fund Balan	ice	\$	16,014
Capital Imp	provement Fund		27,750
Encumbran	ces Payable	!	1,527,929
Reserve for	Capital Improvements		12,500
Due from C	General Capital Fund		(56,250)
Due from V	Vater Utility Capital Fund		(12,973)
Due from E	Electric Utility Operating Fund		(43,985)
Due from C	Current Fund		(5,000)
Ord.	Description		
2019-16	Various Capital Improvements		8,885
2019-23	Technology Update		12,878
2019-26	Acquisition of Bucket Truck and Electric		
	Distribution System Infrastructure Materials		31,938
2019-27	Acquisition of Electric Metering Equipment and		
	Related Expenses		8,045
2020-08	Acquisition of Electric Distribution Infrastructure		
	Equipment and Machinery		32,127
2022-11	Various Capital Improvements and the Acq. of Vehicles and Equipment		224,404
		\$	1,784,262

	BOROUGH OF PARK STATEMENT OF CHANC ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERA	GE FUNDS		EXHIBIT E-7
Balance, December 31, 2021				\$ 75
Balance, December 31, 2022				\$ 75
	STATEMENT OF PETT ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERA			EXHIBIT E-8
Increased by: Receipts from Treasurer				\$ 300
Decreased by: Returned to Treasurer				\$ 300
	STATEMENT OF DEFERRE			EXHIBIT E-9
<u>Description</u>		Balance, December 31,  2021	Amount Resulting in 2022	Balance, December 31, 2022
Overexpendit	ure of Appropriations	\$ -	\$ 27,735	\$ 27,735
		<u>\$</u>	\$ 27,735	\$ 27,735

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF LIGHT AND POWER CHARGES RECEIVABLE ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	606,237
Increased by: Light and Power Charges Levied				9,681,185
			;	10,287,422
Decreased by: Light and Power Charges Collected Due from Electric Utility Capital Fund Due from Utility Trust Fund Overpayments Applied  Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	9,669,755 18,183 1,027 22,388	<del></del>	9,711,353
Balance, December 31, 2022			<u> </u>	576,069
STATEMENT OF OTHER CHARGES RECEIVAB ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND	LE		EXI	HIBIT E-11
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	19,000
Increased by: Other Electric Charges Levied - Dusk to Dawn				17,607
Decreased by:				36,607
Other Electric Charges Collected - Dusk to Dawn				17,888
Balance, December 31, 2022			<u>\$</u>	18,719

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF FIXED CAPITAL ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

	Balance, December 31 2021	Balance, , December 31, 2022
Structures and Improvements Electric Wire Storage Shed	\$ 1,537,61 320,32	
Regulating Station	28,28	
Hydro Generator-Equipment	7,73	-
Mill Road Substation Improvements	1,010,88	•
Brae Boulevard Substation	1,691,72	
Poles, Towers and Fixtures	597,12	
Cable & Wires	1,196,28	
Underground Conduit	128,99	
Underground Conductors & Devices	204,22	
Line Transformers	811,50	
Installation of Customers' Services	8,81	= ' = ' = ' = ' = ' = ' = ' = ' = ' = '
Office Furniture, EtcEquipment	231,54	
Vehicles/Equipment	1,135,27	
Meters & Current Transformers	465,76	63 465,763
Street Lighting & Signal System	394,21	0 394,210
Tools, Shop & Garage Equipment	292,48	35 292,485
Computer Hardware/Software-Equipment	254,64	
Meter Reading System-Equipment	12,66	50 12,660
Smoke Detectors-Equipment	149,89	7 149,897
Municipal Improvement	75,00	00 75,000
Holiday Decorations-Equipment	67,41	67,416
Store Equipment	12,88	30 12,880
Laboratory Equipment	6,39	6,397
Miscellaneous Equipment	89,93	89,935
Bear's Nest Village- Regulating Station	713,40	713,408
Construction of Additional Voltage Regulator	149,39	149,395
Construction of Mini-Substation	349,86	349,865
Recreational Lighting-Equipment	13,11	13,113
Scada System	117,02	28 117,028
Improvement to Utility Garage	225,96	52 225,962
Improvement to Electric System	226,52	· •
Conversion Mill Road Substation & Museum	250,00	250,000
Replace Brae Road Transformer	244,88	
Pick-up Trucks	64,11	64,113
Aerial Bucket Trucks	790,94	12 790,942
Mini Excavator and Trailer	65,10	
Generators - Equipment	71,54	12 71,542
	\$ 14,013,49	95 \$ 14,013,495

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF FIXED CAPITAL AUTHORIZED AND UNCOMPLETED ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

				2 Autho	022 rizati	ons		
Ord. <u>No.</u>	Improvement Description		Balance, cember 31, 2021	Deferred Reserve for Amortization		Deferred Charges to Future Revenue	De	Balance, ecember 31, 2022
2019-07	Purchase of Electric Distribution Infrastructure							
2019-16	Materials and Capital Improvements  Various Capital Improvements	ø.	716.00				dh	76.000
2019-16	Technology Update	\$	76,285				\$	76,285
2019-23	^		12,878					12,878
2019-20	Distribution System Infrastructure Materials		31,938					21.029
2019-27	Acquisition of Electric Metering Equipment and		31,730					31,938
2017-27	Related Expenses		8,045					8,045
2020-08	Acquisition of Electric Distribution Infrastructure		0,045					0,043
2020 00	Equipment and Machinery		162,500					162,500
2022-11	Various Capital Improvements and the Acq.		10-,000					102,500
	of Vehicles and Equipment		-	\$ 151,000	\$	3,019,000		3,170,000
		\$	291,646	\$ 151,000	\$	3,019,000	\$	3,461,646
							E	XHIBIT E-14
	STATEMENT OF DUE TO ELE ELECTRIC UTIL				Œ			
	EDECTACOTI	uiii Ca	HIAL PUL	'D				
Balance, De	ecember 31, 2021 (Due To)						\$	38
Increased by	v.							
Interest Ea					\$	17,937		
Electric U	tility Operating Fund Receipts Deposited in Electric Utility (	Capital Fu	ınd			18,183		
	d Revenue in Operating Budget - Capital Fund Balance	-				40,000		
								76,120
D 11								76,158
Decreased b	ру: get Appropriation - Capital Improvement Fund					90,000		
	to Electric Utility Operating Fund					30,143		
<b>,</b>	<b>7</b>							120,143
Balance, De	ecember 31, 2021 (Due From)						\$	43,985

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF 2021 APPROPRIATION RESERVES ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND

			Balance, cember 31, 2021		Balance After odification		Paid or Charged	Balance <u>Lapsed</u>
OPERATING								
Salaries and Wages		\$	240,075	\$	240,075	\$	10,000	\$ 230,075
Other Expenses			208,242		208,242		9,406	198,836
Purchase of Electric Current			403,698		403,698			403,698
Total Operating			852,015		852,015	·····	19,406	832,609
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS								
Capital Outlay			26,322		30,872			30,872
Total Capital Improvements		_	26,322		30,872	<del></del>	-	30,872
DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTORY								
Statutory Expenditures								
Contribution to								
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)			25,319		25,319			25,319
Defined Contribution Retirement Program			698		698		-	698
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory								
Expenditures			26,017		26,017			26,017
		\$	904,354	\$	908,904	\$	19,406	\$ 889,498
		<u> </u>	904,334	<u> </u>	900,904	Ф	19,400	3 009,490
	Balances, December 3	1, 20	021	\$	904,354			
	Encumbrances Cancell	ed			4,550			
	Cash Disbursements				•	\$	9,406	
	Transfer to Other Trus	t Fu	nd:			•	,	
	Accumulated Absence	es F	Reserve				10,000	
				\$	908,904	\$	19,406	

### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCE PAYABLE ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 433,108
Increased by:	
Charges to 2022 Budget Appropriations	330,716
	763,824
Decreased by:	
Cash Disbursements	\$ 428,558
Restored to 2021 Appropriation Reserves	4,550
	433,108
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$ 330,716
Balance, December 31, 2022	φ 330,710
	EXHIBIT E-17
STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE	
ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND	
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 59,226
Increased by:	
Charges to Improvement Authorizations	
	_1,524,208
	1,524,208
Daniera I h	1,524,208
Decreased by:  Cancellations Restored to Improvement Authorizations	1,583,434
Cancellations Restored to Improvement Authorizations	1,583,434
·	1,583,434
Cancellations Restored to Improvement Authorizations	1,583,434 \$ 450 

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	1,591				
Increased by: Budget Appropriation for Interest on Bonds		39,523				
		41,114				
Decreased by: Interest Paid		11,976				
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	29,138				
	EXHI	BIT E-19				
STATEMENT OF OVERPAYMENTS ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND						
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	22,388				
Increased by: Overpayments Received		24,775				
Decreased by:		47,163				
Overpayments Applied to Light and Power Charges Receivable		22,388				
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	24,775				
	EXHI	BIT E-20				
STATEMENT OF DUE TO/FROM GENERAL CAPITAL ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND						
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due To)	\$	18,750				
Decrease by: Bond Anticipation Note Deposited in General Capital Fund		75,000				
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due From)	<u>\$</u>	56,250				

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

2022

Deferred  Balance Charges to Capital Encumbrances	Balance,
	-
Balance, Charges to Capital Encumbrances Ord. Ordinance <u>December 31, 2021</u> Future Improvement Payable Paid or	December 31, 2022
No. Improvement Description Amount Funded Unfunded Revenue Fund Cancelled Charged	Funded Unfunded
2019-16 Various Capital Improvements 226,000 \$ 76,285 \$ 67,400	\$ 8,885
2019-23 Technology Update 19,000 \$ 12,428 \$ 450	\$ 12,878
2019-26 Acquisition of Bucket Truck and Electric	
Distribution System Infrastructure Materials 262,000 31,938	31,938
2019-27 Acquisition of Electric Metering Equipment and	0.046
Related Expenses 68,868 8,045	8,045
2020-08 Acquisition of Electric Distribution Infrastructure  Equipment and Machinery 162,500 46,231 14,104	32,127
Equipment and Machinery 162,500 46,231 14,104 2022-11 Various Capital Improvements and the Acq.	32,127
of Vehicles and Equipment 3,170,000 \$ 3,019,000 \$ 151,000 - 1,926,590	5 - 1,243,404
51 Tomolog and Equipment	
\$ 98,642 \$ 76,285 \$ 3,019,000 \$ 151,000 \$ 450 \$ 2,008,100	\$ 84,988 \$ 1,252,289
D 703/12 D 703/100 D 703/1	
Cash Disbursements \$ 483,892	,
Encumbrances Payable 1,524,200	
Envantance rayant 1321,200	<u>.</u>
\$ 2,008,100	

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF SERIAL BONDS ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

	Date of	Amount of Original		Original		Outsta Decembe	of Bonds anding at er 31, 2022	Interest		Balance, cember 31,			Balance, cember 31,
Purpose	<u>Issue</u>		<u>Issue</u>	<u>Date</u>	Amount	Rate		<u>2021</u>	D	ecreased	<u>2022</u>		
Electric Utility Bonds	5/16/2018	\$	600,000	2023	\$ 60,000	2.50%							
·				2024	65,000	2.50%							
				2025	65,000	3.00%							
				2026	65,000	3.00%							
				2027	70,000	3.00%							
				2028	70,000	3.00%	\$	455,000	<u>\$</u>	60,000	\$ 395,000		
							\$	455,000	\$	60,000	\$ 395,000		
Paid by Budget Appropriation								\$	60,000				

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Ord. <u>No.</u>	Improvement Description	Date of Issue of Original <u>Note</u>	Date of Issue	Date of <u>Maturity</u>	Interest <u>Rate</u>	Balance, December 31, 2021	<u>I1</u>	ncreased		Balance, cember 31, 2022
2019-16	Various Capital Improvements	4/29/2022	4/29/2022	4/28/2023	3.25		\$	151,000	\$	151,000
2019-16	Various Capital Improvements	9/28/2022	9/28/2022	4/28/2023	4.50			75,000		75,000
2022-11	Various Capital Improvements and Acq of Equipment	9/28/2022	9/28/2022	4/28/2023	4.50			2,000,000		2,000,000
						\$ -		2,226,000	<u>\$</u>	2,226,000
				Cash Receipts Due from General Capital Fund				2,151,000 75,000		
							\$	2,226,000		

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	88,750
Increased by: 2022 Budget Appropriation - Due from Electric Utility Operating Fund		90,000
Decreased by: Appropriation to Finance General Capital Improvement Authorization		178,750 151,000
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	27,750
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND	EXH	НВІТ E-25
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	12,500
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	12,500
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND	EXF	IIBIT E-26
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 1	3,408,780
Increased by: Serial Bonds Paid by Operating Budget \$ 60,000		60,000
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$ 1	3,468,780

EXHIBIT E-27

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	7,445
Decreased by:		<b>-</b>
Cancelled to Operations	***************************************	7,445
STATEMENT OF OTHER LIABILITIES (UNALLOCATED RECEIPTS) ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND	EXH	IBIT E-28
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	121,263
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	121,263
STATEMENT OF DUE TO CURRENT FUND ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND	ЕХН	IBIT E-29
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	48,091
Increased by: Current Fund Receipts Deposited in Electric Utility Operating Fund		28,458
Decreased by:		76,549
Cash Disbursements	<u></u>	67,166
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	9,383

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DEFERRED RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

			Balance,		ed Capital		Balance,
		De	cember 31,		orized and	Dec	ember 31,
Ord. No.	Improvement Description		<u>2021</u>	<u>Unc</u>	completed		<u>2022</u>
2019-23	Technology Update	\$	12,878			\$	12,878
2019-26	Acq. of Bucket Truck and Electric Materials		31,938				31,938
2019-27	Acq. of Metering Equipment		8,045				8,045
2020-08	Acq. of Electric Distribution Equipment		162,500				162,500
2022-11	Various Capital Improvements and Acq of Equipment			\$	151,000		151,000
		\$	215,361	\$	151,000	\$	366,361
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#### EXHIBIT E-31

# STATEMENT OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED ELECTRIC UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Ord. <u>No.</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	Balance, December 31, <u>2021</u>		December 3				Bond nticipation otes Issued	Balance, December 31, 2022	
2019-16 2022-11	Various Capital Improvements Various Capital Improvements and Acq of Equipment	\$	226,000	\$	3,019,000	\$ 226,000 2,000,000	\$	1,019,000		
		\$	226,000	\$	3,019,000	\$ 2,226,000	\$	1,019,000		



## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CASH - UTILITY TRUST FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021		\$	968,173
Increased by Receipts:			
Interest Earned	\$ 13,166		
Water Utility Operating Fund Receipts	697		
Electric Utility Operating Fund Receipts	1,027		
Water and Electric Utility Deposit Payable	106,150		
			121,040
			1,089,213
Decreased by Disbursements:			
Deposits Payable	68,585		
Payments to Water Utility Operating Fund	724		
Payments to Electric Utility Operating Fund	345		
			69,654
Balance, December 31, 2022		<u>\$</u>	1,019,559

**EXHIBIT F-2** 

# STATEMENT OF DEPOSIT PAYABLE UTILITY TRUST FUND

	Balance, December 31,  2021 Increases			<u>De</u>	creases	Balance, ecember 31, 2022
Water Utility Customers Electric Utility Customers	\$ 571,139 394,663	\$	57,200 48,950	\$	33,606 34,979	\$ 594,733 408,634
	\$ 965,802	\$	106,150	\$	68,585	\$ 1,003,367
Cash Receipts Cash Disbursements		\$	106,150	\$	68,585	
		\$	106,150	\$	68,585	

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DUE TO WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND UTILITY TRUST FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	1,459		
Increased by: Interest on Deposits Water Utility Operating Fund Receipts Collected	\$	7,804 697				
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				8,501		
				9,960		
Decreased by: Payments to Water Utility Operating Fund			•	724		
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	9,236		
			EXHII	BIT F-4		
STATEMENT OF DUE TO ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND UTILITY TRUST FUND						
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	912		
Increased by: Interest on Deposits Electric Utility Operating Fund Receipts Collected	\$	5,362 1,027				
				6,389		
				7,301		
Decreased by: Payments to Electric Utility Operating Fund				345		
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	6,956		



#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF CASH - COLLECTOR/TREASURER SWIM POOL UTILITY FUND

	Operating						apital	
Balance, December 31, 2021			\$	324,218			\$	35,623
Increased by Receipts:  Membership Fees  Miscellaneous Revenue  Interest Earned	\$	315,973 63,061 4,245			\$	464		
Non-Budget Revenue Receipts from Swim Pool Utility Capital Fund		70			Ψ	-		
,				383,710				464
Decreased by Disbursements:				707,928				36,087
2022 Budget Appropriations 2021 Appropriation Reserves Encumbrances Payments to Swim Pool Utility Operating Fund		308,133 3,657 4,765				361		
				316,555				361
Balance, December 31, 2022			\$	391,373			<u>\$</u>	35,726
							EX	HIBIT G-6
ANALY SWIM POOL UT		OF CASH Y CAPITA	LF	UND				
							Dece	alance, ember 31, 2022
Fund Balance Due to Swim Pool Utility Operating Fund Capital Improvement Fund							\$ 	19,615 111 16,000 35,726
							-	

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF DUE TO SWIM POOL UTILITY OPERATING FUND SWIM POOL UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021	\$ 8
Increased by:	
Interest Earned	464
	472
Decreased by:	
Payments to Swim Pool Utility Operating Fund	 361
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$ 111

**EXHIBIT G-8** 

# STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES - SPECIAL EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION (40A:4-53) SWIM POOL UTILITY OPERATING FUND

Date Authorized	<u>Purpose</u>	Net Amount <u>Authorized</u>	1/5 of Net Amount Authorized	Balance, December 31, 2021	Raised in 2022 Budget	Balance, December 31, 2022	
12/8/2020	COVID-19 Revenue Loss	\$ 205,000	\$ 41,000	\$ 205,000	\$ 41,000	\$ 164,000	
				\$ 205,000	\$ 41,000	\$ 164,000	

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF FIXED CAPITAL SWIM POOL UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

	Balance, December 31,  2021	D	Balance, ecember 31, 2022
Municipal Pool	\$ 857,312	\$	857,312
Swim Pool Slide	48,900		48,900
Sanitary Sewer Reconstruction	5,075		5,075
Painting & Sandblasting	49,900		49,900
Handicapped Improvements	87,238		87,238
Snack Bar Improvements	1,110		1,110
Bridge	8,260		8,260
Electrical Work	4,520		4,520
Furniture	31,768		31,768
Recreation Equipment	5,023		5,023
Other Equipment	36,577		36,577
Landscaping Improvements	5,223		5,223
Land Improvements	18,379		18,379
Lawn Sprinklers	8,785		8,785
Parking Lot Improvements	21,726		21,726
Canopy/Awning - Equipment	29,386		29,386
Security Lock - Equipment	750		750
Small Tools	 1,146		1,146
	\$ 1,221,078	\$	1,221,078

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF 2021 APPROPRIATION RESERVES SWIM POOL UTILITY OPERATING FUND

	Balance, December 31, 2021		Balance After <u>Modification</u>		Paid or <u>Charged</u>			Balance <u>Lapsed</u>	
OPERATING Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	\$	24,093 17,556	\$	24,093 17,556	\$_	3,657	\$	24,093 13,899	
Total Operating		41,649		41,649		3,657		37,992	
STATUTORY EXPENDITURES Contribution to Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)		1,890		1,890				1,890	
Total Statutory Expenditures		1,890		1,890		-		1,890	
	\$	43,539	\$	43,539	\$	3,657	\$	39,882	
							EXI	HIBIT G-11	
STATEMENT OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND SWIM POOL UTILITY CAPITAL FUND									
Balance, December 31, 2021							\$	16,000	
Balance, December 31, 2022							\$	16,000	
							EXI	HIBIT G-12	
STATEMENT OF SWIM POOL U									
Balance, December 31, 2021							\$	4,765	
Increased by: Charges to 2022 Budget Appropriations							***************************************	769	
								5,534	
Decreased by: Cash Disbursement								4,765	
Balance, December 31, 2022							\$	769	

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION SWIM POOL UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2021 <u>\$ 1,221,078</u>

Balance, December 31, 2022 \$ 1,221,078



# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASH - TREASURER

		<u>Total</u>	Account #1		<u>Ac</u>	count #2				
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	13,620	\$	2,007	\$	11,613				
Increased by: Receipts from Current Fund Interest on Investments		28,700 156 42,476		27 2,034		28,700 129 40,442				
Decreased by: Public Assistance Expenditures Eligible for State Aid Payments to Current Fund		24,130 106		<u>-</u>		24,130 106				
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	18,240	<u>\$</u>	2,034	\$	16,206				
EXHIBIT H-2  STATEMENT OF DUE FROM/TO CURRENT FUND  PUBLIC ASSISTANCE FUND										
Balance, December 31, 2021 (Due From)					\$	5,798				
Increased by: State Aid Deposited in Current Fund Payments to Current Fund			\$	22,900 106		23,006				
Decreased by:					\$	28,804				
Payments from Current Fund Interest on Investments				28,700 129		28,829				
Balance, December 31, 2022 (Due To)					<u>\$</u>	25				

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE EXPENDITURES

	<u>Total</u>		Account #1		Ac	count #2					
Balance, December 31, 2021	\$	19,418	\$	2,007	\$	17,411					
Increased by:											
Revenues		22,927		27		22,900					
Decreased by:		42,345		2,034		40,311					
Expenditures		24,130		-		24,130					
Balance, December 31, 2022	\$	18,215	\$	2,034	\$	16,181					
					EXF	HIBIT H-4					
STATEMENT OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE REVENUES											
		<u>Total</u>	Acc	ount #1	Account #2						
State Aid Payments:	\$	22,900	•		\$	22,900					
Interest on Investments		27	\$	27							
Total Revenues		22,927		27		22,900					
Interest on Investments - Due to Current Fund Due from Current Fund	\$	129 28,700			\$	129 28,700					
State Aid - Due from Current Fund		(22,900)				(22,900)					
Total Receipts	\$	28,856	\$	27	<u>\$</u>	28,829					
					EXI	HIBIT H-5					
STATEMENT OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	CE E	XPENDIT	URES								
		<u>Total</u>	Acc	count #1	<u>Ac</u>	count #2					
Current Year Assistance Reported  Maintenance	\$	7,550			\$	7,550					
Temporary Rental Assistance		16,580		_		16,580					
Total Expenditures	\$	24,130	\$	-	\$	24,130					
Due to Current Fund		106	<del>.,.,</del> .	***	<del></del>	106					
Total Disbursements	\$	24,236	\$		\$	24,236					

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY PART II

GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

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

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Park Ridge Park Ridge, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the financial statements – regulatory basis of the Borough of Park Ridge as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated September 12, 2023. Our report on the financial statements – regulatory basis was modified to indicate that the financial statements were not prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America but rather prepared in accordance with the regulatory basis of accounting prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, to meet the financial reporting requirements of the State of New Jersey for municipal government entities as described in Note 1. In addition, our report on the financial statements – regulatory basis was modified on the regulatory basis of accounting because of the presentation of the unaudited LOSAP Trust Fund financial statements.

# Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Borough of Park Ridge's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Park Ridge's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Park Ridge's internal control.

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. We identified a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2022-001 that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

#### Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Borough of Park Ridge's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statement. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 2022-001.

We also noted certain matters that are not required to be reported under <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> that we reported to management of the Borough of Park Ridge in Part III of this report of audit entitled; "Letter of Comments and Recommendations".

#### Borough of Park Ridge's Responses to Findings

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the Borough of Park Ridge's response to the finding identified in our audit and described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The Borough of Park Ridge's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

## Purpose of this Report

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

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM; REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE; AND REPORT ON THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS REQUIRED BY U.S. UNIFORM GUIDANCE

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Park Ridge Park Ridge, New Jersey

## Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Borough of Park Ridge's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the <u>U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Compliance Supplement</u> that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Borough of Park Ridge's major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2022. The Borough of Park Ridge's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the Borough of Park Ridge complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2022.

#### Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey and audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and U.S. Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Borough of Park Ridge and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Borough of Park Ridge's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

# Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulation, rules, and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the Borough of Park Ridge's federal programs.

## Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the Borough of Park Ridge's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, Government Auditing Standards, audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey and U.S. Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omission, misrepresentation, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the Borough of Park Ridge's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey and U.S. Uniform Guidance we:

- Exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the Borough of Park Ridge's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the Borough of Park Ridge's internal control over compliance relevant to the
  audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on
  internal control over compliance in accordance with the U.S. Uniform Guidance but not for the purpose of
  expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Borough of Park Ridge's internal control over
  compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

## Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of U.S. Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

## Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by U.S. Uniform Guidance

We have audited the financial statements - regulatory basis of the Borough of Park Ridge as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 12, 2023, which contained an unmodified opinion on those financial statements prepared in accordance with the regulatory basis of accounting and also contained a modified opinion on those financial statements because they were not prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards as required by U.S. Uniform Guidance is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the 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 financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

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Fair Lawn, New Jersey September 12, 2023

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

Federal Program	State Account <u>Number</u>	CFDA <u>Number</u>	Grant <u>Year</u>	Award Amount	2022 Grant Receipts	Balance January 1, 2022	Revenue Realized	Expended	Balance December 31, 2022	Cumulative Expended
U.S. Department of Transportation (Passed through State Department of Law and Public Safety) Impaired Driving Countermeasure Impaired Driving Countermeasure Occupant Protection	066-1160-100-157 066-1160-100-157 066-1160-100-155	20.616 20.616 20.616	2020 2021 2016	\$ 6,182 800 4,402		\$ 3,654 800 4,402			\$ 3,654 800 4,402	\$ 2,528
U.S. Department of Environmental Protection (Passed through State Department of Environmental Protection) Recreational Trails Program Woodcliff Lake Reservoir Walkway (Ord 16-11)	100424875205	20.219	2016	24,000		19,815			19,815	4,185
U.S. Department of Agriculture (Passed through State Forestry Services) Cooperative Forestry Assistance	042-4870-100-038	10.664	2015	3,000		3,000			3,000	
U.S. Department of Homeland Security (Passed through State Department of Law and Public Safety) Public Assistance Grant - Tropical Storm Isaias Public Assistance Grant - Coronavirus Pandemic	066-1200-100-C73 066-1200-100-C50	97.036 97.036	2022 2022	167,655 16,784			\$ 167,655 16,784	\$ 167,655 16,784		167,655 16,784
U.S. Department of Treasury (Passed through State Department of Community Affairs) American Rescue Plan Act	022-8030-100-687	21.027	2022	909,988	\$ 454,994	\$ 31,671	909,988	909,988	\$ 31,671	909,988

See Accompanying Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

State Grant Program	Account Number	Grant <u>Year</u>	Grant <u>Award</u>	2022 Grant <u>Receipts</u>	Balance, January 1, 2022	Revenue Realized	Expended	Balance, December 31, 2022	Cumulative Expended
Drug and Alcohol Municipal Alliance (Passed through Bergen County)	N/A	2022	\$ 444			\$ 444		\$ 444	
Clean Communities Grant Program	042-4900-765-004	2022 2021 2019	18,859 18,788 19,586	\$ 18,859	<b>\$</b> 277	18,788	\$ 18,527	261 277	\$ 18,527 19,309
Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant		2019	382		382			382	
Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation	098-9735-760-001	2019 2018 2017 2016 2015 2014	161 586 165 423 1,653 1,123		161 586 165 423 1,653 416			161 586 165 423 1,653 416	707
Department of Community Affairs  Domestic Violence Grant	N/A	Prior	2,178		2,178			2,178	
Body Armor Replacement Fund	066-1020-718-001	2022 2021 2018	2,854 1,666 4,324	2,854	1,666 4,324		1,666	4,324	1,666
State Forestry Grant	042-4870-100-074	2022	6,500	6,500					
Economic Redevelopment Growth Grant	082-201-71D-022	2022	10,000	10,000					

See Accompanying Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance

#### BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		C1	C	2022	Balance,	D		Balance,	O1-4i
State Grant Program	Account Number	Grant <u>Year</u>	Grant Award	Grant Receipts	January 1, 2022	Revenue Realized	Expended	December 31, 2022	Cumulative Expended
State Grain Frogram	Account Number	<u>r car</u>	Awaiu	<u>recorpts</u>	2022	realized	DAPONACA	2022	DAPERIOO
Recycling Tonnage Grant	042-4900-752-001	2019	\$ 13,554		\$ 10,846			\$ 10,846	\$ 2,708
		2021	15,296			\$ 15,296	\$ 440	14,856	440
		2022	11,189	\$ 11,189					
Body Worn Camera Grant	N/A	2021	44,836	44,836				w	44,836
Department of Transportation									
Park Avenue Improvements (Ord. 16-15)	078-6320-480-XXX	2016	220,000		220,000			220,000	
Quackenbush to Pascack Imprvts (Ord. 19-10)	078-6320-480-AM2	2019	138,800		106,729			106,729	32,071
2020 Road Program (Ord. 20-05)	078-6320-480-XXX	2020	215,000		121,313			121,313	93,687
2021 North Fifth St Improvements (Ord. 21-01)	078-6320-480-XXX	2021	207,000		95,546			95,546	111,454
Department of Human Services									
General Assistance	054-7550-100-250	2022	22,900	22,900	17,411	22,900	24,130	16,181	24,130
					\$ 584,076	\$ 57,428	\$ 44,763	\$ 596,741	

Note: The State Financial Assistance programs were not subject to an audit in accordance with N.J. OMB Circular 15-08.

See Accompanying Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

#### NOTE 1 REPORTING ENTITY

The Borough of Park Ridge (the "Borough") received and participated in numerous Federal Award and State Financial Assistance programs in the form of cost reimbursement grants and revenue sharing entitlements. The Borough is the reporting entity for these programs. The Borough is defined in Note 1 (A) to the Borough's Financial Statements.

#### NOTE 2 BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance (the "Schedules") present the activity of all federal and state programs of the Borough. All federal awards received directly from federal agencies or passed through other government agencies are included on the schedule of expenditures of federal awards. All state awards received directly from state agencies or passed through other government agencies are included in the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance. The information in these Schedules are presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principals, and audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and New Jersey OMB Circular Letter 15-08 Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid.

#### NOTE 3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the Borough conform to the accounting principles and practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey (the "Division") which is a regulatory basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Such principles and practices are designed primarily for determining compliance with legal provisions and budgetary restrictions and as a means of reporting on the stewardship of public officials with respect to public funds. Under this method of accounting, the Borough accounts for federal awards and state financial assistances through separate funds and accounts which differ from those required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Borough's summary of significant accounting policies are described in Note 1 to the Borough's Financial Statements.

#### NOTE 4 RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules agree with amounts reported in the Borough's financial statements. Financial assistance revenues are reported in the Borough's financial statements on a basis of accounting described above as follows:

	<u>Federal</u>	State	<u>Total</u>	
Current Fund Public Assistance Fund	\$ 1,094,42		,528 \$ 1,128,9 ,900 22,9	
	\$ 1,094,42	<u>7</u> \$ 57,	,428 \$ 1,151,8	55

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

# NOTE 5 RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules may not necessarily agree with the amounts reported in the related federal and state financial reports due to timing differences between the Borough's fiscal year and grant program year.

### NOTE 6 STATE LOANS OUTSTANDING

Certain state loans at the beginning of the year and loans made during the year are included in The Schedules, while others are not required to be included in The Schedules. The Borough's state loans outstanding at December 31, 2022, which are not required to be reported on the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance, are as follows:

Loan Program	State Account Number	<u>Total</u>
Green Trust Loan Program - Memorial Field Improvements Mill Pond Dam Improvements	042-4800-533-02	\$ 130,092 679,902
		\$ 809,994

#### NOTE 7 INDIRECT COST RATE

The Borough has not elected to use the 10 percent de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the U.S. Uniform Guidance.

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

Part I – Summary of Auditor's Results

# **Financial Statements**

Type of auditors' report issued on financial statements	Modified for Unaudited LOSAP Fund					
Internal control over financial reporting:						
1) Material weakness(es) identified	yes X no					
2) Significant deficiency(ies) that are not considered to be material weakness(es)?	X yesnone reported					
Noncompliance material to the financial statements noted?	yesXno					

# **State Awards Section**

Not Applicable

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

Part I – Summary of Auditor's Results

# Federal Awards Section

Dollar thro	eshold used to determine Type A programs:	\$ 750,000	·· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<del></del>	
Auditee qu	ualified as low-risk auditee?	www.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.amana.aman	_yes _	X	_no
Type of au	iditors' report on compliance for major program	Unmodified	i		and the second of the second o
Internal C	ontrol over compliance:				
1)	Significant Deficiencies identified?		_yes _	X	_no
2)	Were significant deficiencies identified that not considered to be material weaknesses?	were	_yes _	X	_no
-	findings disclosed that are required to be repolance with Uniform Guidance?	rted	_yes _	Х	_no
Identificat	ion of major programs:				
	AL Number	Name	of Feder	al Progra	<u>m</u>
	21.027	American R	escue Pla	an Fiscal	Recovery Funds

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONT'D) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

# Part 2 - Schedule of Financial Statement Findings

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, and instances of noncompliance related to the financial statements that are required to be reported in accordance with Chapter 5.18-5.20 of *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### **Finding 2022-001**

Our audit revealed purchase orders were not issued and encumbered in the Borough's accounting records for certain contracts awarded and when expenditures were incurred during the year.

#### Criteria or Specific Requirements

Division of Local Government Services Technical Accounting Directive No. 1 Encumbrance Accounting System

NJAC 5:30-5.2 Encumbrance System

#### Condition

The Borough did not always comply with the requirements of maintaining an encumbrance accounting system. Contracts approved by the Borough Council were not recorded as encumbrances in a timely manner. Additionally, certain expenditures were not encumbered by purchase order when incurred during the year.

# Cause

Purchase orders were not issued when expenditures were incurred but rather after invoices were received from the respective vendor.

#### **Effect**

Expenditures and encumbrances payable maybe understated in the respective funds.

#### Recommendation

Procedures over purchasing be reviewed and revised to ensure purchase orders are issued and encumbered when contract awards are approved and expenditures are incurred during the year.

#### Response

Management will review purchasing procedures to comply with all regulatory requirements.

## BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

# Part 3 - Schedule of Federal and State Award Findings and Questioned Costs

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, and instances of noncompliance including questioned costs, related to the audit of major federal and state programs, as required by U.S. Uniform Guidance and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, as amended.

# **CURRENT YEAR FEDERAL AWARDS**

There are none.

#### **CURRENT YEAR STATE AWARDS**

Not Applicable.

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

This section identifies the status of prior year findings related to the financial statements and federal and state awards that are required to be reported in accordance with Chapter 6.12 of *Government Auditing Standards*, U.S. Uniform Guidance and NJ OMB Circular 15-08.

#### STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

# **Finding 2021-001**

Our audit revealed purchase orders were not issued and encumbered in the Borough's accounting records for certain contracts awarded during the year. In addition, we noted certain contract awards were not accompanied by a certification of availability of funds.

#### **Current Status**

See Finding 2022-001.

# BOROUGH OF PARK RIDGE BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

# PART III

SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

LETTER OF COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - CURRENT FUND $% \left( \mathcal{L}\right) =\left( \mathcal{L}\right) +\left( \mathcal$

		<u>Year 2022</u>				<u>Year 2021</u>			
		<u>Amount</u>	Percent			<u>Amount</u>	Percent		
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED									
Fund Balance Utilized Miscellaneous - From Other Than Local	\$	1,300,000	2.36	%	\$	1,500,000	2.86	%	
Property Tax Levies Collection of Delinquent Taxes		4,645,467	8.43			2,955,330	5.64		
and Tax Title Liens		201,443	0.36			237,890	0.45		
Collection of Current Tax Levy		48,634,772	88.23			47,319,658	90.30		
Other Credits to Income		342,799	0.62			392,694	0.75		
Total Income	_	55,124,481	100.00	%		52,405,572	100.00	%	
EXPENDITURES									
Budget Expenditures									
Municipal Purposes		16,580,324	31.02	%		15,380,664	29.70	%	
County Taxes		4,625,881	8.66			4,637,363	8.96		
Local District School Tax		32,097,370	60.06			31,493,033	60.82		
Municipal Open Space Taxes Other Debits		111,124 26,963	0.21 0.05			110,693 158,181	0.21 0.31		
Other Debus	_	20,903	0.03		_	130,101	U.JI		
Total Expenditures		53,441,662	100.00	%		51,779,934	100.00	%	
Excess in Revenue		1,682,819				625,638			
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance:									
Expenditures to be Raised by Future Taxes	_	33,990			_	297,308			
Statutory Excess to Fund Balance		1,716,809				922,946			
Fund Balance, January 1		2,141,521			_	2,718,575			
		3,858,330				3,641,521			
Less Utilization as Anticipated Revenue		1,300,000				1,500,000			
Fund Balance, December 31	\$	2,558,330			\$	2,141,521			

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

		Year 2022			<u>Year 2021</u>		
		<u>Amount</u>	Percent		<u>Amount</u>	Percent	
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED							
Fund Balance Utilized	\$	350,000	7.40	%	\$ 400,000	9.35	%
Water Usage Charges		3,726,098	78.79		3,294,914	77.02	
Miscellaneous Charges and Fees		312,014	6.60		295,598	6.91	
Reserve for Woodcliff Lake Improvements		59,130	1.25		54,683	1.28	
Non-Budget Revenue		118,767	2.51		23,540	0.55	
Other Credits to Income		163,165	3.45		209,092	4.89	
Total Income		4,729,174	100.00	%	4,277,827	100.00	%
EXPENDITURES							
Operating		3,349,900	79.66	%	3,296,860	80.22	%
Capital Improvements		290,000	6.90		320,000	7.79	
Debt Service		304,578	7.24		236,957	5.77	
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures		260,500	6.20		255,810	6.22	
Total Expenditures	<del></del>	4,204,978	100.00	%	4,109,627	100.00	%
Excess in Revenue		524,196			168,200		
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance:							
Expenditures Included Above Which are by Statute Deferred Charges to Budget of Succeeding Year		56,764			The state of the s		
Statutory Excess to Fund Balance		580,960			168,200		
Fund Balance, January 1		746,462			978,262		
		1,327,422			1,146,462		
Less Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	<u></u>	350,000			400,000		
Fund Balance, December 31	<u>\$</u>	977,422			\$ 746,462		

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - ELECTRIC UTILITY OPERATING FUND

	<u>Year 2022</u>			<u>Year 2021</u>			
		<u>Amount</u>	Percent		<u>Amount</u>	Percent	
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED							
Fund Balance Utilized	\$	604,000	5.28	%	\$ 704,000	6.97	%
Light and Power Charges		9,711,353	84.94		8,878,477	87.95	
Miscellaneous Charges and Fees		17,888	0.16		17,226	0.17	
Electric Capital Fund Balance		40,000	0.35				
Non-Budget Revenue		163,600	1.43		42,721	0.42	
Other Credits to Income		896,943	7.84		452,736	4.49	
Total Income		11,433,784	100.00	%	10,095,160	100.00	%
EXPENDITURES							
Operating		9,454,000	94.60	%	9,084,560	95.81	%
Capital Improvements		190,000	1.90		90,000	0.95	
Debt Service		99,523	1.00		73,288	0.77	
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures		250,200	2.50		234,102	2.47	
Total Expenditures	_	9,993,723	100.00	%	9,481,950	100.00	%
Excess in Revenue		1,440,061			613,210		
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance:							
Expenditures Included Above Which are by Statute							
Deferred Charges to Budget of Succeeding Year		27,735					
Statutory Excess to Fund Balance		1,467,796			613,210		
Fund Balance, January 1		784,515			875,305		
		2,252,311			1,488,515		
Less Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	***	604,000			704,000		
Fund Balance, December 31	<u>\$</u>	1,648,311			\$ 784,515		

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - SWIM POOL UTILITY OPERATING FUND

	<u>Year 2022</u>				<u>Year 2021</u>			
		<u>Amount</u>	Percent			<u>Amount</u>	Percent	
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED								
Fund Balance Utilized	\$	65,000	13.30	%	\$	82,000	16.78	%
Membership Fees		315,973	64.66			309,236	63.28	
Miscellaneous Fees		67,770	13.87			56,288	11.53	
Non-Budget Revenue		70	0.01					
Other Credits to Income		39,882	8.16			95	0.02	
Total Income	_	488,695	100.00	%		447,619	91.60	%
EXPENDITURES								
Operating		325,000	81.80	%		290,000	72.99	%
Capital Improvements		19,000	4.78				_	
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures		53,300	13.42			11,900	3.00	
Total Expenditures	_	397,300	100.00	%		301,900	75.99	<b>%</b>
Excess in Revenue		91,395				145,719		
Fund Balance, January 1		480,922				417,203		
		572,317				562,922		
Less Utilization as Anticipated Revenue		65,000				82,000		
Fund Balance, December 31	<u>\$</u>	507,317			<u>\$</u>	480,922		

Comparative Schedule of Tax Rate Information	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Tax Rate	<u>\$3.089</u>	<u>\$3.020</u>	<u>\$2.926</u>
Apportionment of Tax Rate			
Municipal	.713	.687	.670
Library	.040	.039	.039
Municipal Open Space	.007	.007	.007
County	.280	.282	.277
County - Open Space	.012	.012	.011
Local District School	2.037	1.993	1.922
Assessed Valuation			
2022	<u>\$1,576,346,720</u>		
2021		<u>\$1,580,349,198</u>	
2020			\$1,601,066,677

# Comparison of Tax Levies and Collection

A study of this tabulation could indicate a possible trend in future tax levies. A decrease in the percentage of current collection could be an indication of a probable increase in future tax levies.

<u>Year</u>	, -	Γax Levy	Cash Collections	Percentage of <u>Collection</u>
2022	\$	49,037,383	\$ 48,734,772	99.38%
2021		47,756,079	47,369,658	99.19%
2020		46,881,615	46,581,533	99.35%

# **Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens**

This tabulation includes a comparison, expressed in percentage, of the total of delinquent taxes and tax title liens, in relation to the tax levies of the last three years.

December 31 <u>Year</u>	Amount of Tax Title <u>Liens</u>	Amount of Delinquent <u>Taxes</u>		Delinquent Total				Percentage of <u>Tax Levy</u>
2022	_ =	\$	254,531	\$	254,531	0.52%		
2021	<b></b>		201,539		201,539	0.42%		
2020	-		244,740		244,740	0.52%		

#### Property Acquired by Tax Title Lien Liquidation

The value of property acquired by liquidation of tax title liens on December 31, on the basis of the last assessed valuation of such properties, was as follows:

Year	Amount
2022	\$100,650
2021	100,650
2020	100,650

### **Comparison of Water Utility Levies**

<u>Year</u>	Levy	Cash Collections(*)	Percentage of Collection
2022	\$3,752,677	\$3,726,098	99.29%
2021	3,380,752	3,294,914	97.46%
2020	3,521,580	3,491,458	99.14%

# **Comparison of Electric Utility Levies**

Year	Levy	Cash Collections(*)	Percentage of Collection
2022	\$9,681,185	\$9,711,353	100.31%
2021	9,106,101	8,878,477	97.50%
2020	8,581,216	8,763,261	102.00%

<sup>\*</sup>Includes collection of prior year receivables.

# **Comparative Schedule of Fund Balances**

arative Schedule of Fund Balances	<u>Year</u>	Balance, <u>December 31</u>	Utilized In Budget of Succeeding Year
Current Fund	2022	\$2,558,330	\$1,830,000
	2021	2,141,521	1,300,000
	2020	2,718,575	1,500,000
•	2019	1,931,707	1,125,000
	2018	2,064,141	1,000,000
W. Andre P. J.	2022	\$077 <i>422</i>	\$500,000
Water Utility Fund	2022	\$977,422 746,462	350,000
	2021	978,262	400,000
	2019	547,752	260,000
	2018	630,156	351,328
	2022	Ø1 640 211	\$500,000
Electric Utility Operating Fund	2022 2021	\$1,648,311 784,515	604,000
	2021	875,305	704,000
	2019	697,782	512,000
	2018	686,624	434,480
Swim Pool Utility Operating Fund	2022	\$507,317	\$100,000
	2021	480,922	65,000
	2020	417,203	82,000
	2019	376,029	45,000
	2018	280,093	30,312

#### OFFICIALS IN OFFICE AND SURETY BONDS

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

Keith Misciagna Mayor

Kelly Epstein Council President
Matthew Capilli Councilman
John M. Cozzi Councilman
William R. Fenwick Councilman
John Ferguson Councilman
Robert Metzdorf Councilman

Julie Falkenstern Borough Administrator

Magdalena Giandomenico Borough Clerk

Consuelo Carpenter

Jessica Mazzarella

Paul Longo

John Schettino

Neglia Engineering Assoc.

Maser

Chief Financial Officer

Tax Collector/Treasurer

Director of Operations

Borough Attorney

Borough Engineer

Borough Planner

Rogut McCarthy, LLC Borough Bond Counsel

Joseph MaddenPolice ChiefThomas LeporeFire ChiefTonya TardibuonoZoning Officer

Keith Dalton Construction Code Official

Robert Campora Tax Assessor

Peter Wayne Superintendent of Public Works

Christopher O'Leary Supervisor of Water James Leichtnam Supervisor of Electric

Chris O'Leary Supervisor of Water and Sewer Mauro A. Finamore Electric Sub-Code Official Plumbing Sub-Code Official

Keith Dalton Fire Subcode Official Katherine Bowen Director of Welfare

There is a statutory bond limit in the Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund that covers the Treasurer, Tax Collector, Magistrates, Court Administrators and Court Clerk up to \$1,000,000 with a member deductible of \$1,000. All other employees are covered for up to \$50,000 under the Municipal Joint Insurance Fund and up to \$950,000 under the Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund.

#### GENERAL COMMENTS

#### **Prior Year Findings Unresolved**

#### Finance |

• Finding – Our audit revealed the balance reported in the Other Trust Fund for developer escrow deposits is not in agreement with the individual developer account balances per the subsidiary records as of December 31, 2022. Additionally, old inactive developer escrow deposits be reviewed and cleared of record.

**Recommendation** —Developer escrow deposit balances reported in the Other Trust Fund be reconciled to and in agreement with subsidiary record balances. In addition, old inactive balances of developer escrow deposits be reviewed and cleared of record.

• Finding – Our audit of the Affordable Housing Trust Fund revealed the annual financial report was not updated and available for audit for the year ended December 31, 2022.

**Recommendation** – The annual financial report for the Affordable Housing Trust Fund be updated and made available for audit.

#### Purchasing

• Finding – Our audit revealed purchase orders were not issued and encumbered in the Borough's accounting records for certain contracts awarded and when expenditures were incurred during the year.

**Recommendation** – Procedures over purchasing be reviewed and revised to ensure purchase orders are issued and encumbered when contract awards are approved and expenditures are incurred during the year.

#### **Current Year Findings**

#### Finance

- Finding Our audit revealed that certain budgetary line items in the 2022 Current, Water Utility Operating and Electric Utility Operating Funds budget were overexpended at December 31, 2022. These overexpenditures were caused by audit adjustments therefore no recommendation is deemed warranted.
- Finding Our audit of bank reconciliations in the various funds revealed numerous reconciling items including old and invalid deposits in transit, outstanding checks and wire transfers.

**Recommendation** – Reconciling items on all Borough bank accounts be reviewed for validity and invalid items be cleared of record.

• Finding – Our audit indicated that ordinances establishing new Water and Electric Utility usage rates were adopted on April 26, 2022 to be effective May 1, 2022. However, new rates were not billed to customers until August 2022.

**Recommendation** – Revised Water and Electric Utility usage rates be billed on their effective date in accordance with adopted Borough ordinances.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS (Continued)**

#### **Current Year Findings (Continued)**

#### Purchasing

- Finding Our audit of expenditures revealed the following:
  - Numerous purchase orders were not available for audit.
  - Numerous purchase orders were dated after goods or services were rendered ("confirming orders").
  - Numerous purchase orders did not contain signatures for purchase order approval, receipt of goods and payment approval.

**Recommendation** – Purchasing procedures be reviewed and revised to ensure purchase orders are available for audit and are issued and approved in accordance with existing Borough procedures and related procurement regulations.

• Finding – We noted certain contract award documentation was not file and available for audit on purchases made through a State contract for the acquisition of a vehicle or a Cooperative Purchasing Program contract for turf replacement at Memorial Field.

**Recommendation** – State contract and Cooperative Purchasing Program contract award information be maintained on file and available for audit.

#### Contracts and Agreements Required to be Advertised for NJS 40A:11-4

NJS 40A:11-4 states "Every contract or agreement, for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the cost or the contract price whereof is to be paid with or out of public funds not included within the terms of Section 3 of this act, shall be made or awarded only after public advertising for bids and bidding therefore, except as is provided otherwise in this act or specifically by any other law. No work, materials or supplies shall be undertaken, acquired or furnished for a sum exceeding in the aggregate the bid threshold, except by contract or agreement."

The bid threshold in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 was \$17,500. The Borough has adopted a resolution increasing the threshold to \$44,000 and has appointed the Borough Administrator as qualified purchasing agent in accordance with regulations established by the Division of Local Government Services.

The Governing Body of the Municipality has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed the bid threshold within the fiscal year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of the statute, the Borough Attorney's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

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

Solid Waste and Recycling Collection/Disposal Treatment of Wells #14 & #18 2021 Roadway Improvements Improvements to North 5<sup>th</sup> Street – Colony Avenue – West Grand Avenue

The minutes indicate that resolutions were adopted and advertised, authorizing the awarding of contracts or agreements for "Professional Services" per N.J.S. 40A:11-5.

Our examination of expenditures did reveal certain payments, contracts or agreements in excess of the bid threshold "for the performance of any work, or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies," where bids had not been previously sought by public advertisement or where a resolution had not been previously adopted under the provisions of NJS 40A:11-6.

#### **GENERAL COMMENTS (Continued)**

#### **Collection of Interest of Delinquent Taxes**

The statute provides the method for authorizing interest and the maximum rate to be charged for the-non-payment of taxes or assessments on or before the date when they would become delinquent.

The Governing Body on January 4, 2022 adopted the following resolution authorizing interest to be charged on delinquent taxes, water and electric utility accounts:

"BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Park Ridge that the Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to charge interest on delinquent taxes, water and electric utility accounts as follows:

First 10 Days of Tax Payments No Penalty
Thereafter, from the Due Date of
Tax Payments for the 1st \$1,500 8%
Thereafter, the Balance in Excess
of \$1,500 18%

It appears from an examination of the Collector's record that interest was collected in accordance with the foregoing resolution.

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

The last tax sale was held on November 15, 2022.

There have been no tax title liens receivable on December 31, of the last five years.

It is essential to good management that all means provided by statute be utilized to liquidate tax title liens in order to get such properties back on a tax paying basis.

#### Suggestions to Management

- Payment of unused sick and vacation days be reviewed by the Borough Attorney for compliance with State statutes.
- A review be made to determine if the Electric Utility Dusk to Dawn charges are in agreement with the adopted ordinance.
- Improvement authorizations in the General Capital, Water Utility Capital and Electric Utility Capital Funds be reviewed and old and inactive account balances be cleared of records.
- A review should be made to determine reason why beginning balances on the Utility Operating account status reports were not in agreement with prior year audit balances.
- Continued efforts be made to review prior year grant and other receivables in the General Capital Fund.

#### APPRECIATION

We desire to express our appreciation to the Administrator, Chief Financial Officer, Tax Collector and the other Borough staff who assisted us during the course of our audit.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

#### **Finance**

It is recommended that:

- \* 1. Developer escrow deposit balances reported in the Other Trust Fund be reconciled to and in agreement with subsidiary record balances. In addition, old inactive balances of developer escrow deposits be reviewed and cleared of record.
- \* 2. The annual financial report for the Affordable Housing Trust Fund be updated and made available for audit.
  - 3. Reconciling items on all Borough bank accounts be reviewed for validity and invalid items be cleared of record.
  - 4. Revised Water and Electric Utility usage rates be billed on their effective date in accordance with adopted Borough ordinances.

#### Purchasing

- \* 1. Procedures over purchasing be reviewed and revised to ensure purchase orders are issued and encumbered when contract awards are approved and expenditures are incurred during the year.
  - 2. Purchasing procedures be reviewed and revised to ensure purchase orders are available for audit and are issued and approved in accordance with existing Borough procedures and related procurement regulations.
  - 3. State contract and Cooperative Purchasing Program contract award information be maintained on file and available for audit.

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A review was performed on all prior year recommendations and corrective action was taken on all, except the recommendations denoted with an asterisk (\*).

The problems and weaknesses noted in our review were not of such magnitude that they would affect our ability to express an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole.

Should any questions arise as to our comments and recommendations, or should you desire assistance in implementing our recommendations, please do not hesitate to call us.

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