#### Report of Audit

on the

Financial Statements

of the

### Borough of Stockton

in the

County of Hunterdon New Jersey

for the

Year Ended December 31, 2015

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#### <u>PART I</u>

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YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014



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#### **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Stockton County of Hunterdon Stockton, New Jersey 08559

#### Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets - regulatory basis of the various individual funds of the Borough of Stockton, as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the related statement 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 individual funds for the year ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Borough's regulatory financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

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

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

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these regulatory financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey (the "Division"), and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

#### SUPLEE, CLOONEY & COMPANY

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

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

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

As described in Note 1 of the regulatory financial statements, except for the omission of Statement of General Fixed Assets, the regulatory financial statements are prepared by the Borough of Stockton on the basis of the financial reporting provisions 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 requirements of New Jersey.

The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

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

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the "Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S Generally Accepted Accounting Principles" paragraph, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the various individual funds and account group of the Borough of Stockton as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, or the results of its operations and changes in fund balance for the years then ended of the revenues or expenditures for the year ended December 31, 2015.

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

A Statement of General Fixed Assets was omitted from the Borough's regulatory financial statements because the amounts to be reported in the statements are not presently known.

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#### **Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting**

In our opinion, except for the effects of such adjustments, as described in the ninth paragraph, if any, that might have been determined to be necessary had we been able to audit the Statement of General Fixed Assets, the regulatory financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the regulatory basis balances sheets of the various individual funds as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, the regulatory basis statement of operations and changes in fund balance for the years then ended and the regulatory basis statement of revenues and expenditures and changes in fund balance for the year ended December 31, 2015 in accordance with the basis of financial reporting prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey as described in Note 1.

#### **Other Matters**

#### Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Borough of Stockton's regulatory financial statements. The supplementary information and data and schedule of federal awards and state financial assistance listed in the table of contents as required by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the regulatory financial statements.

The supplemental information and schedules listed above and also listed in the table of contents are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the regulatory financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the regulatory financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the regulatory financial statements or to the regulatory financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplemental information and data listed in the table of contents, schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the regulatory financial statements as a whole.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated August 29, 2016 on our consideration of the Borough of Stockton'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 to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Borough of Stockton's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

**REGISTERED MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTANT NO. 439** 

August 29, 2016

#### CURRENT FUND

#### CURRENT FUND

#### BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS

ASSETS	<u>REF.</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	D	BALANCE ECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
Cash-Treasurer	A-4	\$ 673,638.97	\$	433,596.71
Petty Cash		225.00		225.00
Due State of New Jersey-Chapter 20, PL 1971	A-8			2,779.76
		\$ 673,863.97	\$	436,601.47
Receivables and other Assets with Full Reserves: Delinquent Property Taxes Receivable Revenue Accounts Receivable Interfunds Receivable Prepaid Regional High School Taxes	A-7 A-9 A-10 A-14 A	\$ 35,028.36 750.81 5,175.93 \$ 40,955.10	\$ \$	19,324.45 246.29 4,238.79 1,003.17 24,812.70
Grant Fund: Due Current Fund	A-21	\$ <u>714,819.07</u> \$21,683.05	\$ \$	461,414.17
	A-21			17,683.05
		\$21,683.05	\$	17,683.05
		\$736,502.12	\$	479,097.22

#### CURRENT FUND

#### BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS

	BALANCE           DECEMBER <u>REF.</u> <u>31, 2015</u>			BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE				
Liabilities:				
Appropriation Reserves	A-3:A-12	\$	56,673.57	\$ 60,532.22
Encumbrances Payable	A-20		7,409.49	14,003.61
Prepaid Taxes	A-16		2,366.49	11,089.78
Tax Overpayments	A-17		21,024.07	17,042.27
Due State of New Jersey-Chapter 20, PL 1971	A-8		250.00	
Interfunds Payable	A-10		29,862.31	19,754.95
Reserve for Grants - Unappropriated	A-15		12,300.00	6,150.00
County Taxes-Payable	A-13		412.28	
Local District School Tax Payable	A-15		186,395.83	
		\$	316,694.04	\$ 128,572.83
Reserve for Receivables and other Assets	А		40,955.10	24,812.70
Fund Balance	A-1		357,169.93	308,028.64
		\$	714,819.07	\$ 461,414.17
Grant Fund:				
Reserve for Grants Appropriated	A-19	\$	17,683.05	\$ 13,104.09
Reserve for Grants Unappropriated	A-11		4,000.00	4,578.96
		\$	21,683.05	\$ 17,683.05
		\$	736,502.12	\$ 479,097.22

#### CURRENT FUND

#### STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>		YEAR 2015		YEAR 2014
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME					
Fund Balance Utilized Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated Receipts from Delinquent Taxes Receipts from Current Taxes Non-Budget Revenue Other Credits to Income:	A-1:A-2 A-2 A-2 A-2 A-2 A-2	\$	163,000.00 154,390.42 19,324.45 1,884,348.50 50,371.33	\$	163,000.00 140,558.92 26,909.25 1,899,113.44 11,298.84
Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves Tax Overpayments Canceled Reserve for Prepaid Regional High School Tax Interfunds Returned	A-12 A-17		54,119.65 5.12 1,003.17		28,006.24 11.52 6,671.86
Total Income		\$	2,326,562.64	\$	2,275,570.07
EXPENDITURES					
Budget Appropriations: Operations within "CAPS":					
Operating	A-3	\$	415,464.00	\$	375,975.75
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures Operations Excluded from "CAPS":	A-3	Ŧ	21,932.00	Ŧ	28,467.92
Operating	A-3		10,828.96		35,766.27
Capital Improvements	A-3		53,000.00		38,000.00
Municipal Debt Service	A-3		60,215.24		57,080.41
Senior and Veteran Deduction Canceled	A-8		2,779.76		
County Taxes	A-13		342,309.97		335,638.57
County Share of Added Taxes	A-13		412.28		
Regional High School Tax	A-14		1,206,017.00		1,233,198.00
Refund of Prior Year Revenue	A-4		525.00		375.00
Reserve for Prepaid Regional High School Tax			007.44		1,003.17
Interfunds Advanced		\$	937.14	\$	2,105,505.09
Total Expenditures		Ф <u> </u>	2,114,421.35	<u>ъ</u>	2,105,505.09
Excess in Revenue		\$	212,141.29	\$	170,064.98
Fund Balance					
Balance, January 1	A		308,028.64		300,963.66
		\$	520,169.93	\$	471,028.64
Decreased by:					
Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	A-1:A-2		163,000.00		163,000.00
Fund Balance, December 31	А	\$	357,169.93	\$	308,028.64

The accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

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#### CURRENT FUND

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

			ANTI	CIPA	TED		
		_			SPECIAL		EXCESS
					N.J.S.		OR
	<u>REF.</u>		<u>BUDGET</u>		<u>40A:4-87</u>	REALIZED	(DEFICIT)
Fund Balance Anticipated	A-1	\$	163,000.00	\$		\$ 163,000.00	\$ 
Miscellaneous Revenues:							
Licenses:							
Alcoholic Beverages	A-9	\$	3,824.00	\$		\$ 3,824.00	\$
Fines:							
Municipal Court	A-9		1,300.00			3,418.98	2,118.98
Interest and Costs on Taxes	A-9		4,200.00			4,734.69	534.69
Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Act	A-9		597.00			597.00	
Energy Receipts Tax	A-9		44,974.00			44,974.00	
Cell Tower Rental	A-9		25,500.00			34,300.28	8,800.28
Capital Surplus	A-9		25,000.00			25,000.00	
Hotel and Motel Tax	A-9		21,461.55			22,727.28	1,265.73
Reserve to Pay Debt	A-9		10,235.23			10,235.23	
Recycling Tonnage Grant	A-18		578.96			578.96	
Clean Communities Program	A-18		4,000.00			4,000.00	
	A-1	\$	141,670.74	\$		\$ 154,390.42	\$ 12,719.68
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	A-7		10,000.00			 19,324.45	 9,324.45
Amount to be Raised by Taxation for Support							
of Municipal Budget:							
Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	A-2:A-7		374,166.14			460,609.25	86,443.11
Budget Totals		\$	688,836.88	\$		\$ 797,324.12	\$ 108,487.24
Non-Budget Revenue	A-1:A-2					 50,371.33	 50,371.33
		\$	688,836.88	\$_		\$ 847,695.45	\$ 158,858.57
	<u>REF.</u>		A-3		A-3		

#### CURRENT FUND

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

REF.

Allocation of Current Tax Collections: Collections Realized on a Cash Basis	A-1:A-7	\$ 1,884,348.50
Allocated to: School and County Taxes		 1,548,739.25
Balance for Support of Municipal Budget Appropriations		335,609.25
Add: Appropriation-"Reserve for Uncollected Taxes"	A-3	 125,000.00
Amount for Support of Municipal Budget Appropriations	A-2	\$ 460,609.25

#### Analysis of Non-Budget Revenues

Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated:		
Treasurer:		
Borough Clerk		\$ 3,340.00
Interest on Investments		200.60
Cable Franchise Fee		2,315.09
Excess Animal Control Fees		937.14
Miscellaneous		43,453.50
Administrative Fee - Senior Citizen and Veterans		125.00
	A-4	\$ 50,371.33
	A-2	\$ 50,371.33

#### CURRENT FUND

#### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	APPROPRIATIONS						
		BUDGET AFTER	PAID OR				
	BUDGET	MODIFICATION	<u>CHARGED</u>	RESERVED	<u>CANCELED</u>		
OPERATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"							
GENERAL GOVERNMENT							
Governing Body:							
Salaries and Wages \$	9,520.00		9,408.52 \$	111.48	6		
Other Expenses	1,200.00	800.00	725.49	74.51			
Municipal Clerk (Admin and Executive):							
Salaries and Wages	42,750.00	42,750.00	42,707.06	42.94			
Other Expenses	3,500.00	3,600.00	3,568.54	31.46			
Elections:							
Other Expenses	800.00	800.00	315.09	484.91			
Financial Administration:							
Salaries and Wages	17,000.00	17,000.00	17,000.00				
Other Expenses	1,500.00	1,500.00	752.97	747.03			
Computer Support	8,000.00	8,500.00	8,202.57	297.43			
Administration:							
Salaries and Wages	5,900.00	5,900.00	5,854.80	45.20			
Audit Services	18,250.00	18,250.00	17,875.00	375.00			
Tax Assessment Administration:		,	,				
Salaries and Wages	5,660.00	5,660.00	5,658.48	1.52			
Other Expenses	550.00	550.00	206.64	343.36			
Revenue Administration:							
Salaries and Wages	8,160.00	8,160.00	8,158.08	1.92			
Other Expenses	1,375.00	1,375.00	919.40	455.60			
Legal Services:	.,010100	.,	0.0.10	100100			
Other Expenses	7,000.00	7,000.00	3,037.88	3,962.12			
Engineering Services:	.,	1,000100	0,001.00	0,002.12			
Other Expenses	17,500.00	17,500.00	17,255.52	244.48			
Municipal Land Use Law (NJSA 40:550-1)	11,000.00	11,000.00	11,200.02	211.10			
Planning Board:							
Salaries and Wages	3,140.00	3,140.00	3,136.51	3.49			
Other Expenses	1,500.00	1,500.00	61.66	1,438.34			
Legal Fees	1,500.00	1,500.00	978.25	521.75			
Planner Fees	750.00	750.00	224.90	525.10			
Engineering Fees	500.00	500.00	224.50	500.00			
Zoning Board:	500.00	500.00		500.00			
Salaries and Wages	5,000.00	5,000.00	4,999.95	0.05			
Insurance (NJSA 40A:4-45.3(00)):	3,000.00	3,000.00	4,000.00	0.00			
Liability Insurance	19.660.00	19,660.00	12,643.37	7.016.63			
Worker Compensation Insurance	23,000.00	23,000.00	22,641.00	359.00			
Flood Insurance	3,823.00	3,823.00	3,823.00	359.00			
Employee Bonds	1,100.00	1,100.00	984.00	116.00			
Employee Bonds	1,100.00	1,100.00	964.00	110.00			
PUBLIC SAFETY							
Police:							
Salaries and Wages	4,970.00	4,970.00	4,969.87	0.13			
Other Expenses	150.00	150.00	60.00	90.00			
Aid to Volunteer Fire Company	17,000.00	17,000.00	17,000.00				
Municipal Prosecutor:	-	·	·				
Salaries and Wages	1,866.00	1,866.00	1,865.44	0.56			
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#### BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

#### CURRENT FUND

#### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

		APPROPRIATIONS						
				BUDGET AFTER	PAID OR			
		<u>BUDGET</u>		MODIFICATION	<u>CHARGED</u>	RESERVED	CANCELLED	
PUBLIC WORKS								
Street and Road Maintenance:								
Other Expenses	\$	16,500.00	\$	14,350.00 \$	10,207.00 \$	4,143.00	\$	
Snow Removal:	•	-,	•	, +	-, +	,	•	
Other Expenses		25,000.00		25,000.00	14,800.00	10,200.00		
Solid Waste Collection:								
Other Expenses		70,000.00		70,000.00	61,977.38	8,022.62		
Building and Grounds:								
Other Expenses		11,000.00		12,500.00	12,371.00	129.00		
Recycling:								
Other Expenses		13,500.00		13,500.00	9,691.82	3,808.18		
Environmental Commission:								
Other Expenses		350.00						
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Board of Health:								
Other Expenses		1,200.00		1,200.00	800.00	400.00		
Animal Control Services:		1,200.00		1,200.00	800.00	400.00		
Salaries and Wages		835.00		835.00	833.20	1.80		
Other Expenses		500.00		000.00	000.20	1.00		
		000.00						
PARKS AND RECREATION								
Recreation:								
Other Expenses		8,000.00		9,500.00	9,479.45	20.55		
MUNICIPAL COURT								
Municipal Court:		7 005 00		7 005 00	7 000 00	4.04		
Salaries and Wages		7,395.00		7,395.00	7,390.36	4.64		
Other Expenses		3,800.00		4,100.00	4,100.00			
Public Defender (P.L. 1997, c.256):		200.00						
Other Expenses		200.00						
STATE UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE								
(N.J.S.A.52:270-120 ET.SEQ.)								
Township of Delaware Building Inspector:								
Salaries and Wages		1,960.00		1,960.00	1,959.16	0.84		
Other Expenses		300.00		,	,			
UNCLASSIFIED								
Electricity		100.00		100.00	99.71	0.29		
Street Lighting		13,000.00		13,000.00	11,907.04	1,092.96		
Telephone		7,000.00		7,000.00	2,004.72	4,995.28		
Natural Gas	-	2,200.00	-	2,200.00	1,220.07	979.93		
TOTAL OPERATIONS WITHIN "CAPS"	\$	415,464.00	\$	415,464.00 \$	363,874.90 \$	51,589.10	\$	

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#### BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

#### CURRENT FUND

#### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

		APPROPRIATIONS						
	-	BUDGET		BUDGET AFTER	PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>		RESERVED	CANCELLED
DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTORY EXPENDITURES- MUNICIPAL WITHIN "CAPS"								
Statutory Expenditures: Contribution to: Public Employee's Retirement System Social Security System Unemployment Insurance	\$	12,482.00 \$ 8,950.00 500.00	\$	12,482.00 \$ 8,950.00 500.00	12,482.00 8,716.43	\$	233.57 500.00	\$ 
TOTAL DEFERRED CHARGES AND STATUTORY EXPENDITURES-MUNICIPAL WITHIN "CAPS"	\$	21,932.00	\$_	21,932.00 \$	21,198.43	\$	733.57	5
TOTAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES WITHIN "CAPS"	\$	437,396.00	\$_	437,396.00 \$	385,073.33	\$	52,322.67	ß
OPERATIONS EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"								
Length of Service Award Program Council on Affordable Housing	\$	4,750.00 S 1,500.00	\$	4,750.00 \$ 1,500.00	4,750.00 149.10	\$	1,350.90	G
TOTAL OTHER OPERATIONS - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"	\$	6,250.00	\$	6,250.00 \$	4,899.10	\$	1,350.90	§
STATE AND FEDERAL PROGRAMS OFF-SET BY REVENUES Clean Communities Program Recycling Tonnage Grant	\$	4,000.00 \$ 578.96	\$	4,000.00 \$ 578.96	4,000.00 578.96	\$		\$ 
TOTAL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROGRAMS	\$	4,578.96	\$	4,578.96 \$	4,578.96	\$		§
TOTAL OPERATIONS - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"	\$	10,828.96	\$	10,828.96 \$	9,478.06	\$	1,350.90	6
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS-EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS" Capital Improvement Fund Capital Improvement Fund - Lambertville Sewerage Authority	\$	50,000.00 \$ 3,000.00	\$	50,000.00 \$ 3,000.00	50,000.00	\$	3,000.00	6
TOTAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"	\$	53,000.00	\$_	53,000.00 \$	50,000.00	\$	3,000.00	6
MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE-EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS" Interest on Notes Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes and Capital Notes Loan Repayments for Principal and Interest-Green Trust Loan Repayments for Principal and Interest-NJ Environmental	\$	2,030.10 \$ 8,205.13 12,436.64 39,940.05	\$	2,030.10 \$ 8,205.13 12,436.64 39,940.05	2,024.41 8,205.13 12,436.64 37,549.06	\$		5.69 <u>2,390.99</u>
TOTAL MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE-EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS	<u>"</u> \$	62,611.92	\$_	62,611.92 \$	60,215.24	\$		2,396.68

#### CURRENT FUND

#### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

		_	APPROPRIATIONS						
			BUDGET		UDGET AFTER		PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>	RESERVED	CANCELLED
TOTAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR MUNICIPA PURPOSES EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"	۹L	\$	126,440.88	\$	126,440.88	\$	119,693.30 \$	4,350.90	\$ 2,396.68
SUB-TOTAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS RESERVE FOR UNCOLLECTED TAXES		\$	563,836.88 125,000.00	\$	563,836.88 125,000.00	\$	504,766.63 \$ 125,000.00	56,673.57	\$ 2,396.68
TOTAL GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS		\$	688,836.88	\$	688,836.88	\$ _	629,766.63 \$	56,673.57	\$
	<u>REF.</u>		A-2				A-1	A:A-1	
Encumbrances Payable Reserve for Uncollected Taxes Reserve for Grants Appropriated Cash Disbursements	A-20 A-2 A-19 A-4					\$	7,409.49 125,000.00 4,578.96 492,778.18		
						\$	629,766.63		

TRUST FUND

#### TRUST FUND

#### BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS

	REF.	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
ASSETS				
Animal Control Trust Fund: Cash	B-1	\$ 3,006.64	\$_	2,571.30
Other Funds: Cash	B-1	 23,985.65	_	26,747.11
		\$ 26,992.29	\$_	29,318.41
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES				
Animal Control Trust Fund:				
Due Current Fund	B-5	\$ 937.14 44.60	\$	11.00
Due State of New Jersey Reserve for Animal Control Fund Expenditures	B-3 B-2	 44.60 2,024.90	_	44.60 2,526.70
		 3,006.64	-	2,571.30
Other Funds: Due Current Fund	B-5	\$ 4,235.19	\$	4,235.19
Reserve For: Various Reserves and Deposits	B-4	 19,750.46	_	22,511.92
		 23,985.65	-	26,747.11
		\$ 26,992.29	\$	29,318.41

#### **GENERAL CAPITAL FUND**

#### GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

#### BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS

	<u>REF.</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
ASSETS					
Cash Deferred Charges to Future Taxation - Funded Deferred Charges to Future Taxation - Unfunded Interfunds Receivable Grants Receivable	C-2 C-11 C-5 C-10 C-6	\$	246,628.96 394,675.66 548,111.80 8,179.26 13,536.67	\$	252,941.23 435,245.13 556,317.80 2,071.90 13,536.67
		\$	1,211,132.35	\$	1,260,112.73
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE					
Bond Anticipation Notes Contracts Payable Interfunds Payable Green Acres Loan Payable N.J. Environmental Trust Loans Payable Improvement Authorizations: Funded Unfunded Capital Improvement Fund Reserve for: Miscellaneous Reserves Fund Balance	C-8 C-14 C-10 C-12 C-13 C-7 C-7 C-7 C-9 C-4 C-1	\$	183,313.00 10,000.00 107,116.80 287,558.86 21,683.06 312,862.16 190,007.95 41,323.51 57,267.01	\$	191,519.00 10,000.00 11,226.10 117,258.72 317,986.41 314,012.16 166,007.95 49,835.38 82,267.01
		\$_	1,211,132.35	\$_	1,260,112.73

#### GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

#### STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS

#### REF.

Balance, December 31, 2014	С	\$ 82,267.01
Decreased by: Payment to Current Fund as Anticipated Revenue	C-2	 25,000.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	С	\$ 57,267.01

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#### WATER UTILITY FUND

#### WATER UTILITY FUND

#### BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS

<u>ASSETS</u>	REF.	BALANCEBALANCEDECEMBERDECEMBER31, 201531, 2014
Operating Fund: Cash - Treasurer	D-4	243,124.34         232,808.77           243,124.34         232,808.77
Receivables and Inventories with Full Reserves: Consumer Accounts Receivable	D-6 D	\$         3,109.35         \$         2,819.53           \$         3,109.35         \$         2,819.53
Total Operating Fund		\$\$\$\$235,628.30
Capital Fund: Fixed Capital Fixed Capital Authorized and Uncompleted Interfunds Receivable <u>Total Capital Fund</u>	D-14 D-15 D-16	\$ 402,376.93         \$ 402,376.93           290,000.00         280,000.00           50,590.68         73,189.76           \$ 742,967.61         \$ 755,566.69
		\$ <u>989,201.30</u> <u>991,194.99</u>
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE		
Operating Fund: Liabilities:		
Appropriation Reserves Encumbrances Payable Accrued Interest on Bonds and Loans Interfunds Payable	D-3:D-8 D-5 D-7 D-9	\$ 34,053.71 \$ 8,504.57 3,305.30 3,141.78 655.34 1,500.00 50,594.28 61,967.26
Reserve for Receivables and Inventory Fund Balance	D D-1	88,608.63         75,113.61           3,109.35         2,819.53           154,515.71         157,695.16
Total Operating Fund		\$246,233.69 \$235,628.30
Capital Fund: Improvement Authorizations: Funded Unfunded Capital Improvement Fund Bond Anticipation Notes Reserve for: Contracts Payable Amortization Deferred Amortization Capital Outlay	D-10 D-10 D-12 D-17 D-20 D-13 D-11 D-18	\$ 20,542.90 \$ 19,872.30 11,108.31 22,249.38 18,983.07 21,983.07 220,284.00 222,500.00 4,956.40 14,085.01 402,376.93 402,376.93 49,716.00 37,500.00 15,000.00 15,000.00
Total Capital Fund		\$ 742,967.61 \$ 755,566.69
		\$ <u>989,201.30</u> \$ <u>991,194.99</u>

#### WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

#### STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>		YEAR ENDED DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		YEAR ENDED DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED					
Fund Balance Utilized Rents Other Credits to Income:	D-1 D-2	\$	13,000.00 85,328.05	\$	84,705.31
Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated Accrued Interest Canceled Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves	D-2 D-7 D-8	_	435.85 492.66 7,838.99	_	592.93 4,282.04 9,527.43
TOTAL INCOME		\$	107,095.55	\$_	99,107.71
EXPENDITURES					
Operating Statutory Expenditures and Deferred Charges Debt Service Capital Improvements	D-3 D-3 D-3 D-3	\$	84,660.00 1,400.00 4,215.00 7,000.00	\$	68,034.00 1,256.00 6,200.00 4,500.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$	97,275.00	\$_	79,990.00
Excess in Revenue		\$	9,820.55	\$	19,117.71
<u>Fund Balance</u> Balance, January 1	D	_	157,695.16	_	138,577.45
	D	\$	167,515.71	\$	157,695.16
Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	D-1	_	13,000.00	_	
Balance, December 31	D	\$_	154,515.71	\$	157,695.16

#### WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>	<u>1A</u>	NTICIPATED		REALIZED		EXCESS OR (DEFICIT)
Fund Balance Anticipated Water Use Charges Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated	D-1:D-6 D-1:D-2	\$	13,000.00 84,275.00	\$	13,000.00 85,328.05 435.85	\$	1,053.05 435.85
	D-3	\$	97,275.00	\$_	98,763.90	\$_	1,488.90

#### ANALYSIS OF REALIZED REVENUE

Water Use Charges: Consumer Accounts Receivable: Collected	D-6	\$85,328.05
		\$ <u>85,328.05</u>
Miscellaneous-Collector Interest on Delinquent Accounts		\$ 39.84 396.01
	D-2:D-4	\$435.85_

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# WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

		APPROPRIATIONS	ATIONS	EXPENDED	Q
		BUDGET	BUDGET AFTER MODIFICATION	PAID OR CHARGED	RESERVED
Operating: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses	\$	17,460.00 \$ 67,200.00	17,460.00 \$ 67,200.00	17,421.20 \$ 33,252.30	38.80 33,947.70
Total Operating	\$	84,660.00 \$	84,660.00 \$	50,673.50 \$	33,986.50
Capital Improvements: Capital Improvement Fund	φ	7,000.00 \$	7,000.00 \$	7,000.00 \$	
Total Capital Improvements	\$	7,000.00 \$	7,000.00 \$	7,000.00 \$	
Debt Services: Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes Interest on Notes	φ	2,215.00 \$ 2,000.00	2,215.00 \$ 2,000.00	2,215.00 \$ 2,000.00	
Total Debt Services	φ	4,215.00 \$	4,215.00 \$	4,215.00 \$	
Statutory Expenditures: Contributions to: Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)	φ	1,400.00 \$	1,400.00	1,332.79 \$	67.21
Total Statutory Expenditures	↔	1,400.00 \$	1,400.00 \$	1,332.79 \$	67.21
	φ	97,275.00 \$	97,275.00 \$	63,221.29 \$	34,053.71
	REF.	D-2			D:D-1
Cash Disbursements Encumbrances Payable Accrued Interest	D-4 D-5 D-7		θ	58,615.99 2,605.30 2,000.00	

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#### SEWER UTILITY FUND

#### SEWER UTILITY FUND

#### BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS

ASSETS	<u>REF.</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
Operating Fund:	E-5	\$	450 045 00	¢	440.070.04
Cash - Treasurer	E-9	<u>ъ</u>	456,345.36	\$_	410,676.91
		\$	456,345.36	\$	410,676.91
Receivables and Inventories with Full Reserves:					
Consumer Accounts Receivable	E:E-7	\$	15,104.72	\$	10,873.50
		\$	15,104.72	\$_	10,873.50
Deferred Charges:					
Overexpenditure of Appropriations	E-4	\$		\$	5,259.50
		\$		\$	5,259.50
Total Operating Fund		\$	471,450.08	\$	426,809.91
Capital Fund:					
Fixed Capital	E-16	\$	2,879,656.48	\$	2,879,656.48
Fixed Capital Authorized and Uncompleted	E-13		40,000.00		20,000.00
Interfunds Receivable	E-14	_	116,712.18		115,209.33
Total Capital Fund		\$	3,036,368.66	\$	3,014,865.81
		\$	3,507,818.74	\$	3,441,675.72

#### SEWER UTILITY FUND

#### **BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS**

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	REF.		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
Operating Fund:					
Liabilities:					
Budget Appropriations	E-4:E-10	\$	68,194.45	\$	152.41
Encumbrances Payable	E-9		17,210.37		20,773.75
Interfunds Payable	E-8		116,712.18		115,209.33
Accrued Interest	E-6		4,296.31		4,936.94
		\$	206,413.31	\$	141,072.43
Reserve for Receivables	E		15,104.72		10,873.50
Fund Balance	E-1	_	276,886.35	_	274,863.98
Total Operating Fund		\$	498,404.38	\$	426,809.91
Capital Fund:					
Improvement Authorizations:					
Unfunded	E-15	\$	20,000.00	\$	20,000.00
Serial Bonds Payable:	E-19		124,407.87		151,850.35
N.J. Environmental Infrastructure Loan Payable	E-11		190,065.83		244,684.32
Reserve for:					
Amortization	E-17		2,563,062.30		2,481,001.33
Deferred Amortization	E-18		20,000.00		
Capital Improvements	E-18		3,000.00		3,000.00
Capital Improvement Fund	E-12		110,110.00		113,088.00
Fund Balance	E-2	_	1,241.81		1,241.81
Total Capital Fund		\$	3,036,368.66	\$	3,014,865.81
		\$	3,534,773.04	\$	3,441,675.72

#### SEWER UTILITY FUND

#### STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>	YEAR 2014		YEAR 2013
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED				
Fund Balance Utilized Sewer Service Charges Miscellaneous Other Credits to Income:	E-3 E-3 E-3	\$ 26,954.30 277,675.95 1,566.50	\$	284,477.20 2,065.06
Accrued Interest Canceled Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves	E-6 E-10	 6,665.68 152.41		3,956.26 21,957.63
TOTAL INCOME		\$ 313,014.84	\$	312,456.15
EXPENDITURES				
Operating Statutory Expenditures and Deferred Charges Capital Improvement Debt Service Refund of Prior Year Revenues	E-4 E-4 E-4 E-4 E-5	\$ 167,500.00 6,609.50 35,022.00 101,860.97	\$	133,537.50 1,456.04 17,022.00 105,461.78 26,792.55
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$ 310,992.47	\$_	284,269.87
Excess in Revenue		\$ 2,022.37	\$	28,186.28
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance: Deferred Charges to the Budget of the Succeeding Year	E:E-4			5,259.50
Statutory Excess to Fund Balance		\$ 2,022.37	\$	33,445.78
<u>Fund Balance</u> Balance, January 1	E-1	 274,863.98		241,418.20
Decreased by:		\$ 276,886.35	\$	274,863.98
Utiization as Anticipated Revenue	E-1	 26,954.30	_	
Balance, December 31	Е	\$ 249,932.05	\$_	274,863.98

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### BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

### SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

### STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014	E	\$ 1,241.81
Balance, December 31, 2015	E	\$ 1,241.81

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### SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

### STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	<u>REF.</u>		ANTICIPATED	REALIZED	EXCESS OR (DEFICIT)
Fund Balance Utilized Sewer Charges Miscellaneous	E-1 E-1:E-3 E-1:E-3	\$	26,954.30 284,477.20	\$ 26,954.30 277,675.95 1,566.50	\$ (6,801.25) 1,566.50
	E-4	\$_	311,431.50	\$ 306,196.75	\$ (5,234.75)

Sewer Charges: Collections	E-7	\$	277,675.95
	E-3	\$	277,675.95
Miscellaneous: Interest on Delinquent Accounts Miscellaneous Interest on Investments		\$	1,486.74 35.00 44.76
	E-3:E-5	\$	1,566.50

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	FOR	OR THE	FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31	MBER 31, 2015			
			APPROPRIATIONS	TIONS	EXPENDED	D	
			BUDGET	BUDGET AFTER MODIFICATION	PAID OR CHARGED	RESERVED	CANCELLED
Operating: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses		÷	17,500.00 \$ 150,000.00	17,500.00 \$ 150,000.00	17,421.20 \$ 99,901.58	78.80 \$ 50,098.42	
Total Operating		÷	167,500.00 \$	167,500.00 \$	117,322.78 \$	50,177.22 \$	
Capital Improvements: Capital Improvement Fund Capital Outlay		÷	17,022.00 \$ 18,000.00	17,022.00 \$ 18,000.00	17,022.00 \$	\$ 18,000.00	
Total Capital Improvements		÷	35,022.00 \$	35,022.00 \$	17,022.00 \$	18,000.00 \$	
Debt Service: Payment of Bond Principal Interest on Bonds		φ	27,500.00 \$ 8,800.00	27,500.00 \$ 8,800.00	27,442.48 \$ 8,800.00	θ	57.52
New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Loan: Payment of Bond Principal Interest on Bonds			55,000.00 11,000.00	55,000.00 11,000.00	54,618.49 11,000.00		381.51
Total Debt Service		÷	102,300.00 \$	102,300.00 \$	101,860.97 \$	\$	439.03
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures: Overexpenditure of Appropriations		θ	5,259.50 \$	5,259.50 \$	5,259.50 \$	φ	
Contributions 1o: Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)			1,350.00	1,350.00	1,332.77	17.23	
Total Statutory Expenditures		÷	6,609.50 \$	6,609.50 \$	6,592.27 \$	17.23 \$	
		φ	311,431.50 \$	311,431.50 \$	242,798.02 \$	68,194.45 \$	439.03
	REF.		E-3		E-1	E:E-1	
Cash Disbursements Accounts Payable Deferred Charges Accrued Interest	φ φ φ			θ	200,528.15 17,210.37 5,259.50 19,800.00		
				е В	242,798.02		

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### BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

## SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

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### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

### NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### A. Reporting Entity

The Borough of Stockton is an instrumentality of the State of New Jersey, established to function as a municipality. The Borough Council consists of elected officials and is responsible for the fiscal control of the Borough.

Except as noted below, the financial statements of the Borough of Stockton include every board, body, officer or commission supported and maintained wholly or in part by funds appropriated by the Borough of Stockton, as required by N.J.S.A. 40A:5-5. Accordingly, the financial statements of the Borough of Stockton do not include the operations of the regional school districts, inasmuch as their activities are administered by separate boards.

### B. Description of Funds

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. GASB codification establishes the presentation of basic financial statements into three fund types, the governmental, proprietary and fiduciary funds, as well as government-wide financial reporting that must be used by general purpose governmental units when reporting financial position and results of operations in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP).

The accounting policies of the Borough of Stockton conform to the accounting principles applicable to municipalities which have been prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. 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 financial transactions and accounts of the Borough of Stockton are organized on the basis of funds and an account group which is different from the fund structure required by GAAP. A fund or account group is an accounting entity with a separate set of self-balancing accounts established to record the financial position and results of operation of a specific government activity. As required by the Division of Local Government Services, the Borough accounts for its financial transactions through the following individual funds and account group:

### B. Description of Funds (Continued)

<u>Current Fund</u> - resources and expenditures for governmental operations of a general nature, including federal and state grant funds

<u>Trust Fund</u> - receipts, custodianship and disbursement of funds in accordance with the purpose for which each reserve was created

<u>General Capital Fund</u> - receipt and disbursement of funds for the acquisition of general capital facilities, other than those acquired in the Current Fund

<u>Water Utility Operating and Capital Funds</u> - account for the operations and acquisition of capital facilities of the municipally owned Water Utility

<u>Sewer Utility Operating and Capital Funds</u> - account for the operations and acquisition of capital facilities of the municipally owned Sewer Utility

<u>General Fixed Assets Account Group</u> - utilized to account for property, land, buildings and equipment that have been acquired by other governmental funds

C. Basis of Accounting

The accounting principles and practices prescribed for municipalities by the State of New Jersey differ in certain respects from generally accepted accounting principles applicable to local government units. The more significant accounting policies and differences in the State of New Jersey are as follows:

A modified accrual basis of accounting is followed with minor exceptions.

<u>Revenues</u> - are recorded when received in cash except for certain amounts which are due from other governmental units. All grants are realized as revenues when anticipated in the Borough's budget. Receivables for property taxes are recorded with offsetting reserves on the balance sheet of the Borough's Current Fund; accordingly, such amounts are not recorded as revenue until collected. Other amounts that are due the Borough, which are susceptible to accrual, are also recorded as receivables with offsetting reserves and recorded as revenues when received. GAAP requires revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual, reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

### C. Basis of Accounting (Continued)

<u>Expenditures</u> - 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 the Encumbrance Accounting System. Outstanding encumbrances at December 31st are reported as a cash liability in the financial statements and constitute part of the Borough's statutory Appropriation Reserve balance.

Appropriation reserves covering unexpended appropriation balances are automatically created at December 31st of each year and recorded as liabilities, except for amounts which may be canceled by the governing body. Appropriation reserves are available, until lapsed at the close of the succeeding year, to meet specific claims, commitments or contracts incurred during the preceding fiscal year. Lapsed appropriation reserves are recorded as income. Appropriations for principal payments on outstanding general capital and utility bonds and notes are provided on the cash basis, interest on general capital indebtedness is on the cash basis, whereas interest on utility indebtedness is on the accrual basis.

<u>Encumbrances</u> - Contractual orders at December 31 are reported as expenditures through the establishment of encumbrances payable. Under GAAP, encumbrances outstanding at year end are reported as reservations of fund balance because they do not constitute expenditures or liabilities.

<u>Foreclosed Property</u> - Foreclosed property 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 in the General Fixed Assets Account Group at its market value.

<u>Sale of Municipal Assets</u> - The proceeds from the sale of municipal assets can be held in a reserve until anticipated as revenue in a future budget. GAAP requires such proceeds to be recorded as revenue in the year of sale.

<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.

### C. Basis of Accounting (Continued)

<u>General Fixed Assets</u> - N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.6, Accounting for Governmental Fixed Assets, as promulgated by the Division of Local Government Services, which differs in certain respects from generally accepted accounting principles, requires the inclusion of a statement of general fixed assets of the Borough as part of its basic financial statements. General fixed assets are defined as nonexpendable personal and real property having a physical existence, a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$300.00 or more per unit. Public domain ("infrastructure") general fixed assets consisting of certain improvements other than buildings, such as roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, streets and sidewalks and drainage systems are not capitalized.

General Fixed Assets that have been acquired and are utilized in a governmental fund operation are accounted for in the General Fixed Asset Account Group rather than in a governmental fund. No depreciation has been provided on General Fixed Assets or reported in the financial statements.

The Borough has developed a fixed assets accounting and reporting system based on an inspection and valuation prepared by an independent appraisal firm. Adjustments for assets acquired/sold subsequent to this date have been recorded. Fixed assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. Buildings and land are stated at the assessed value contained in the Borough's most recent property revaluation. The Borough has not updated its Fixed Asset Ledger since 2006.

Expenditures for construction in progress are recorded in the Capital Funds until such time as the construction is completed and put into operation.

Fixed assets acquired through grants in aid or contributed capital has not been accounted for separately.

<u>Inventories of Supplies</u> - The cost of inventories of supplies for all funds are recorded as expenditures at the time individual items are purchased. The cost of inventories is not included on the various balance sheets. GAAP requires the cost of inventories to be reported as a current asset and equally offset by a fund balance reserve.

C. Basis of Accounting (Continued)

<u>Fixed Capital - Water Utility and Sewer Utility</u> - Accounting for utility fund "fixed capital" remains unchanged under the requirements of N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.6.

Property and equipment purchased by the Water Utility Fund and the Sewer Utility Fund 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. The fixed capital reported is as taken from the municipal records and does not necessarily reflect the true condition of such fixed capital. 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 fund represents charges to operations for the cost of acquisition of property, equipment and improvements. The utility does not record depreciation on fixed assets.

Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - In June 2012, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) approved Statement No. 68 Accounting and financial reporting for pensions administered by government employers. This Statement improves state and local accounting and financial reporting by state and local governments for pensions. It also improves information provided by state and local government employers about financial support for pensions that is provided by other entities. This Statement results from a comprehensive review of the effectiveness of existing standards of accounting and financial reporting for pensions with regard to providing decision useful information, supporting assessments of accountability and interperiod equity, and creating additional transparency. This Statement replaces the requirement of Statement No. 27, Accounting for Pension by State and Local Governmental Employers, as well as the requirements of Statement No. 50, Pension Disclosures, as they relate to pensions that are provided through pension plans administered as trusts or equivalent arrangements that meet certain criteria. The requirements of Statements 27 and 50 remain applicable for pensions that are not covered by the scope of this Statement. This statement is effective for periods beginning after June 15, 2014.

### C. Basis of Accounting (Continued)

### Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions (Continued)

In November of 2013, GASB approved Statement 71, Pension Transition for Contributions made Subsequent to the Measurement Date-an amendment to GASB No. 68. The objective of this Statement is to address an issue regarding application of the transition provisions of Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions. The issue relates to amounts associated with contributions, if any, made by a state or local government employer or non-employer contributing entity to a defined benefit pension plan after the measurement date of the government's beginning net pension liability.

Statement 68 requires a state or local government employer (or nonemployer contributing entity in a special funding situation) to recognize a net pension liability measured as of a date (the measurement date) no earlier than the end of its prior fiscal year. If a state or local government employer or non-employer contributing entity makes a contribution to a defined benefit pension plan between the measurement date of the reported net pension liability and the end of the government's reporting period, Statement 68 requires that the government recognize its contribution as a deferred outflow of resources.

In addition, Statement 68 requires recognition of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources for changes in the net pension liability of a state or local government employer or non-employer contributing entity that arise from other types of events.

At transition to Statement 68, if it is not practical for an employer or nonemployer contributing entity to determine the amounts of all deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, paragraph 137 of Statement 68 required that beginning balances for deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources not be reported. Consequently, if it is not practical to determine the amounts of all deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, contributions made after the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability could not have been reported as deferred outflows of resources at transition. This could have resulted in a significant understatement of an employer or non-employer contributing entity's beginning net position and expense in the initial period of implementation.

### C. Basis of Accounting (Continued)

### Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions (Continued)

This Statement amends paragraph 137 of Statement 68 to require that, at transition, a government recognize a beginning deferred outflow of resources for its pension contributions, if any, made subsequent to the measurement date of the beginning net pension liability. Statement 68, as amended, continues to require that beginning balances for other deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions be reported at transition only if it is practical to determine all such amounts.

Under GAAP, municipalities are required to recognize the pension liability in Statements of Revenues, Expenses, Changes in Net Assets (balance sheets) and Notes to the Financial Statements in accordance with GASB 68. The liability required to be displayed by GASB 68 is displayed as a separate line item in the Unrestricted Net Assets area of the balance sheet.

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

### D. Basic Financial Statements

The GASB codification also defines the financial statements of a governmental unit to be presented in the general purpose financial statements to be held in accordance with GAAP. The Borough presents the financial statements listed in the table of contents of the "Requirements of Audit and Accounting Revision of 1987" as prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey and which differ from the financial statements required by GAAP.

### NOTE 2: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

The Borough considers petty cash, change funds, cash in banks and certificates of deposit as cash and cash equivalents.

A. Deposits

New Jersey statutes permit the deposit of public funds in institutions which are located in New Jersey and which meet the requirements of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA) or the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund. GUDPA requires a bank that accepts public funds to be a public depository. A public depository is defined as a state bank, a national bank, or a savings bank, which is located in the State of New Jersey, the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. The statutes also require public depositories to maintain collateral for deposits of public funds that exceed certain insurance limits. All collateral must be deposited with the Federal Reserve Bank or a banking institution that is a member of the Federal Reserve System and has capital funds of not less than \$25,000,000.00.

The Borough of Stockton has the following cash and cash equivalents at December 31, 2015:

	Bank	Reconcili	ng Items:	Reconciled
Fund Type	Balance	Additions	Deletions	Balance
Current Fund	\$ 677,556.35	\$ 85.62	\$ 4,096.31	\$ 673,545.66
Animal Control Fund	3,007.84			3,007.84
Other Trust Fund	29,643.70	35.04	5,693.09	23,985.65
General Capital Fund	249,190.75	8,664.31	11,226.10	246,628.96
Water Utility Operating Fund	238,047.39	11,226.10	6,149.15	243,124.34
Sewer Utility Operating Fund	455,288.21	1,582.15	525.00	456,345.36
TOTAL DECEMBER 31, 2015	\$1,652,734.24	\$ 21,593.22	\$27,689.65	\$1,646,637.81

<u>Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits</u> - Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the deposits may not be returned. The Borough does not have a specific deposit policy for custodial credit risk other than those policies that adhere to the requirements of statute. As of December 31, 2015, based upon the coverage provided by FDIC and NJGUDPA, no amount of the bank balance was exposed to custodial credit risk. Of the cash on balance in the bank, \$250,000.00 was covered by Federal Depository Insurance and \$1,402,734.24 was covered under the provisions of NJGUDPA.

### NOTE 2: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS (CONTINUED)

B. Investments

The purchase of investments by the Borough is strictly limited by the express authority of the New Jersey Local Fiscal Affairs Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1. Permitted investments include any of the following type of securities:

- 1. Bonds or other obligations of the United States of America or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America;
- 2. Government money market mutual funds which are purchased from an investment company or investment trust which is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the "Investment Company Act of 1940," 15 U.S.C. 80a-1 et seq., and operated in accordance with 17 C.F.R. § 270.2a-7 and which portfolio is limited to U.S. Government securities that meet the definition of an eligible security pursuant to 17 C.F.R. § 270.2a-7 and repurchase agreements that are collateralized by such U.S. Government securities in which direct investment may be made pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (3) of N.J.S.A. 5-15.1. These funds are also required to be rated by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization.
- 3. 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 obligation bears a fixed rate of interest not dependent on any index or other external factor;
- 4. Bonds or other obligations of the Local Unit or bonds or other obligations of school districts of which the Local Unit is a part or within which the school district is located.
- Bonds or other obligations, having a maturity date not more than 397 days from date of purchase, approved by the Division of Investment of the Department of Treasury for investment by Local Units;
- 6. Local government investment pools that are fully invested in U.S. Government securities that meet the definition of eligible security pursuant to 17 C.F.R. § 270a-7 and repurchase agreements that are collateralized by such U.S. Government securities in which direct investment may be made pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (3) of N.J.S.A. 5-15.1. This type of investment is also required to be rated in the highest category by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization.

### NOTE 2: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS (CONTINUED)

- B. Investments (Continued)
  - 7. 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); or
  - 8. Agreements for the repurchase of fully collateralized securities if:
    - a. the underlying securities are permitted investments pursuant to paragraphs (1) and (3) of this subsection;
    - b. the custody of collateral is transferred to a third party;
    - c. the maturity of the agreement is not more than 30 days;
    - d. the underlying securities are purchased through a public depository as defined in section 1 of P.L. 1970, c.236 (c. 17:19-41); and
    - e. a master repurchase agreement providing for the custody and security of collateral is executed.

The Borough of Stockton had no investments outstanding as of December 31, 2015.

Based upon the limitations set forth by New Jersey Statutes 40A:5-15.1 and existing investment practices, the Borough is generally not exposed to credit risks, custodial credit risks, concentration of credit risks and interest rate risk for its investments nor is it exposed to foreign currency risk for its deposits and investments.

### NOTE 3: LONG-TERM DEBT

The Local Bond Law, Chapter 40A:2, governs the issuance of bonds to finance general municipal capital expenditures. All bonds are retired in annual installments within the statutory period of usefulness. All bonds issued by the Borough are general obligation bonds, based by the full faith and credit of the Borough. Bond Anticipation Notes, which are issued to temporarily finance capital projects, shall mature and be paid off within ten years if financed by the issuance of bonds.

### SUMMARY OF MUNICIPAL DEBT

		<u>YEAR 2015</u>		<u>YEAR 2014</u>		<u>YEAR 2013</u>
Issued:						
General Capital						
Bonds, Notes and Loans	\$	577,988.66	\$	626,764.13	\$	793,980.80
Water Utility:						
Bonds and Notes		220,284.00		222,500.00		175,000.00
Sewer Utility:						
Bonds and Notes		314,473.70		396,534.67		478,196.45
Not Dobt Issued	¢	1 112 7/6 26	¢	1 245 709 90	¢	1 447 177 25
Net Debt Issued	φ	1,112,740.30	-Φ	1,245,798.80	- <sup>Φ</sup> .	1,447,177.20
Authorized But Not Issued:						
General Capital - Bonds and Notes	\$	364,798.80	\$	364,798.80	\$	406,048.80
Water Capital - Bonds and Notes		20,000.00		20,000.00		20,000.00
Sewer Utility - Bonds and Notes		22,120.48		22,120.48		22,120.48
Total Authorized But Not Issued	\$	406,919.28	\$	406,919.28	_\$_	448,169.28
NET BONDS AND NOTES						
ISSUED AND AUTHORIZED	¢	4 540 005 04	¢	4 050 740 00	ተ	4 005 040 50
<u>BUT NOT ISSUED</u>	Ф	1,519,665.64	Ф	1,652,718.08	Ф	1,895,346.53

### SUMMARY OF STATUTORY DEBT CONDITION (ANNUAL DEBT STATEMENT)

The summarized statement of debt condition which follows is prepared in accordance with the required method of setting up the Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of .988%.

	GROSS DEBT	DEDUCTIONS	NET DEBT
Regional School District Debt Sewer Utility Debt Water Utility Debt General Debt	\$ 1,034,307.78 \$ 336,594.18 240,284.00 942,787.46	1,034,307.78 \$ 336,594.18 240,284.00 29,664.45	913,123.01
	\$ 2,553,973.42 \$	1,640,850.41 \$	913,123.01

NET DEBT \$913,123.01 DIVIDED BY EQUALIZED VALUATION BASIS PER N.J.S.A. 40A:2-2, \$92,466,606.67 EQUALS .988%.

### BORROWING POWER UNDER N.J.S.A. 40A:2-6 AS AMENDED

Equalized Valuation Basis - December 31, 2015	<u>\$92,466,606.67</u>
3-1/2% of Equalized Valuation Basis	\$3,236,331.23
Net Debt	<u>913,123.01</u>
Remaining Borrowing Power at December 31, 2015	<u>\$2,323,208.22</u>

Equalized Valuation basis is the average of the equalized valuation of Real Estate, including improvements, and the assessed valuation of Class II Railroad Property of the Borough for the last three (3) preceding years.

### SCHOOL DEBT DEDUCTION

School debt is deductible up to the extent of 3% of the Average Equalized Assessed Valuation of real property for the Regional School District.

### CALCULATION OF "SELF-LIQUIDATING PURPOSE" WATER UTILITY PER N.J.S.A. 40A:2-45

Cash Receipts from Fees, Rents of Othe Charges for Year and Anticipated Surplu	9	698,763.90	
Deduction: Operating and Maintenance Cost	\$86,060.00		
Debt Service Per Water Utility Account	4,215.00		90,275.00
Excess in Revenue		\$	8,488.90

### CALCULATION OF "SELF-LIQUIDATING PURPOSE" SEWER UTILITY PER N.J.S.A. 40A:2-45

Cash Receipts from Fees, Rents of Other Charges for Year and Anticipated Surplus		\$306,196.75
Deduction: Operating and Maintenance Cost	\$168,850.00	
Debt Service Per Sewer Utility Account	95,835.92	264,685.92
Excess in Revenue		\$ 41,510.83

### General Capital

Green Acres Trust Loan:

\$200,000.00 of 2005 Trust Loan due in annual installments of \$6,156.74 to \$12,131.23 through January 2025 at an interest rate 2.00%.	\$ 107,116.80
New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans:	
\$300,000.00 of 2006 Trust Loan due in annual installments of \$15,000.00 to \$25,000.00 through August 2026 at variable interest rates of 4.00% to 5.00%.	\$ 205,000.00
\$282,975.00 of 2006 Trust Loan due in annual installments of \$8,788.26 to \$15,427.55 through August 2021.	\$ 82,558.86

### Sewer Utility Capital

New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Loans:

\$495,000.00 of 2000 Trust Loan due in annual installments of \$30,000.00 to \$40,000.00 through August 2020 at interest rates of 5.00% to 5.25%.	\$	175,000.00
\$488,624.00 of 2000 Trust Fund due in annual installments of \$15,065.83 to \$24,618.49 due August 2016.	_	15,065.83
	\$	190,065.83
Sewer Improvement Bonds:		
\$591,000.00 of 1979 Serial Bonds due in annual installments of \$28,841.61 to \$33,569.82 through December 2019 at a variable interest rate.	\$	124,407.87

### Bonds and Notes Authorized But Not Issued

At December 31, 2015, the Borough has authorized but not issued bonds and notes as follows:

General Capital Fund	\$364,798.80
Water Utility Capital Fund	\$20,000.00
Sewer Utility Capital Fund	\$22,120.48

Calendar <u>Year</u>	Trust L <u>Principal</u>	.oan Interest	Total
2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2023 2024	\$ 10,345.77 \$ 10,553.72 10,765.86 10,982.24 11,202.99 11,428.17 11,657.88 11,892.20 12,131.23	2,090.87 1,882.91 1,670.78 1,454.39 1,233.65 1,008.47 778.76 544.44 305.41	\$ 12,436.64 12,436.63 12,436.64 12,436.63 12,436.64 12,436.64 12,436.64 12,436.64 12,436.64
2025	6,156.74	61.57	6,218.31
Total	\$ 107,116.80 \$	11,031.25	\$ 118,148.05

### SCHEDULE OF ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE FOR PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST FOR GREEN TRUST LOANS ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015

### SCHEDULE OF ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE FOR PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST FOR NEW JERSEY ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE LOANS ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015

Calendar		Trus	t Loan		_	Fund Loan		
Year		<u>Principal</u>	Inter	est	-	<u>Principal</u>		<u>Total</u>
2016	\$	15 000 00	¢ د	762 50	¢	14 055 50	¢	20 740 02
2016	Ф	15,000.00		8,762.50	Φ	14,955.52	Φ	38,718.02
2017		15,000.00	8	3,012.50		14,483.49		37,495.99
2018		15,000.00	7	,412.50		14,105.87		36,518.37
2019		15,000.00	6	5,812.50		13,728.23		35,540.73
2020		20,000.00	6	6,212.50		16,497.49		42,709.99
2021		20,000.00	5	5,412.50		8,788.26		34,200.76
2022		20,000.00	4	,587.50				24,587.50
2023		20,000.00	3	3,762.50				23,762.50
2024		20,000.00	2	2,912.50				22,912.50
2025		20,000.00	1	,912.50				21,912.50
2026		25,000.00	1	,062.50	_			26,062.50
Total	\$	205,000.00	\$56	6,862.50	\$_	82,558.86	\$	344,421.36

### SCHEDULE OF ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE FOR PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST FOR NEW JERSEY ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE LOANS ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015

### SEWER UTILITY

Calendar	Trus	st Loan		Fund Loan	_	
Year	Principal	Interest		<u>Principal</u>	-	<u>Total</u>
2016	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 9,150	).00 \$	15,065.83	\$	54,215.83
2017	35,000.00	7,612	2.50			42,612.50
2018	35,000.00	5,775	5.00			40,775.00
2019	35,000.00	3,937	7.50			38,937.50
2020	40,000.00	2,100	0.00			42,100.00
Total	\$ 175,000.00	\$ 28,57	5.00 \$	15,065.83	\$_	218,640.83

### SCHEDULE OF ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE FOR PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST FOR BONDED DEBT ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015

SEWER UTILITY							
Calendar <u>Year</u>		<u>Principal</u>	Interest		Total		
2016	\$	28,814.61	\$	6,220.39	\$	35,035.00	
2017		30,255.34		4,779.66		35,035.00	
2018		31,768.10		3,266.90		35,035.00	
2019	_	33,569.82		1,678.49		35,248.31	
Total	\$ _	124,407.87	\$	15,945.44	\$	140,353.31	

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### NOTE 4: SHORT-TERM DEBT

In accordance with NJSA 40A:2-8.1, a local unit may, in anticipation of the issuance of bonds, borrow money and issue notes if the bond ordinance or subsequent resolution so provides. Any such note shall be designated as a "bond anticipation note" and shall be subject to the following provisions:

- every note shall contain a recital that it is 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;
- (2) all such 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 next following the date of the original notes; and
- (3) no such notes shall be renewed beyond the third anniversary date of the original notes unless an amount of such notes, at least equal to the first legally payable installment of the bonds in anticipation of which those notes are issued, is paid and retired on or before each subsequent anniversary date beyond which such notes are renewed from funds other than the proceeds of obligations.

Outstanding Bond Anticipation Notes are summarized as follows:

General Capital	Interest <u>Rate</u>	Original <u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2010-02 2011-01	1.50% 1.50%	9/23/2010 9/21/2012	\$ 34,763.00 148,550.00
			\$ 183,313.00
Water Capital			
2012-04 2014-04	1.50% 1.50%	9/21/2012 9/19/2014	\$ 172,784.00 47,500.00
			\$ 220,284.00

In accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:4 sections 64 through 73, in any fiscal year, in anticipation of the collection of taxes for such year, whether levied in such year, or in anticipation of other revenue for such year, the Borough may, by resolution, borrow money and issue its negotiable notes, each of which shall be designated by the fiscal year to which it pertains. The proceeds may be used to pay outstanding previous notes of same purpose, or for purposes provided for in the budget or for which taxes are levied or to be levied for in such year. The amount outstanding shall not exceed an amount certified as the gross borrowing power, and no such notes shall be authorized in excess of an amount certified as the net borrowing power. Tax anticipation notes may be renewed from time to time, but any note shall mature within 120 days after the beginning of the succeeding fiscal year, and bear an interest rate that does not exceed 6%. The Borough did not have any Tax Anticipation Notes in 2015.

### NOTE 5: FUND BALANCES APPROPRIATED

Fund balances at December 31, 2015 which were appropriated and included as anticipated revenue in their own respective funds for the year ending December 31, 2016 were as follows:

Current Fund	\$163,000.00
Water Operating Fund	\$ 13,195.00
Sewer Operating Fund	\$ 22,800.00

### NOTE 6: PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Taxes are levied based on the final adoption of the current year municipal budget, and are payable in four installments on February 1, May 1, August 1 and November 1. The Borough bills and collects its own property taxes and also taxes for the County and local school district. The collections and remittance of county and school taxes are accounted for in the Current Fund. Borough property tax revenues are recognized when collected in cash and any receivables are recorded with offsetting reserves on the balance sheet of the Borough's Current Fund.

<u>Taxes Collected in Advance</u> - Taxes collected in advance and recorded as cash liabilities in the financial statements are as follows:

	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
Prepaid Taxes	\$2,366.49	\$11,089.78

### NOTE 7: PENSION PLANS

Substantially all eligible employees participate in the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) or the Defined Contribution Retirement System (DCRP), which have been established by state statute and are administered by the New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits. The Division issues a publicly available financial report that includes the financial statements and required supplementary information for the Public Employees Retirement System. These reports may be obtained by writing to the Division of Pensions and Benefits, P.O. Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey, 08625 or are available online at www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions/annrprts.shtml.

### NOTE 7: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

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

<u>Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP)</u> - The Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) was established July 1, 2007, under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L 2007, and was expanded under the provisions of Chapter 89, P.L. 2009. The DCRP provides eligible employees and their beneficiaries with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, along with life insurance coverage and disability coverage.

### Vesting and Benefit Provisions

The vesting and benefit provisions for PERS are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A and 43:36. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service. Members may seek early retirement after achieving 25 years of service credit or they may elect deferred retirement after achieving ten years of service credit, In which case, benefits would begin the first day of the month after the member attains normal retirement age.

Newly elected or appointed officials that have an existing DCRP account, or are a member of another State-administered retirement system are immediately invested in the DCRP. For newly elected or appointed officials that do not qualify for immediate vesting in the DCRP. employee and employer contributions are held during the initial year of membership. Upon commencing the second year of DCRP membership, the member is fully invested. However, if a member is not eligible to continue in the DCRP for a second year of membership, the member may apply for a refund of the employee contributions from the DCRP, while the employer contributions will revert back to the employer. Employees are required to contribute 5.5% of their base salary and employers contribute 3.0%.

### Funding Policy

The contribution policy is set by New Jersey State Statutes and contributions are required by active members and contributing employers. Plan members and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. Effect July 2014 PERS provides for employee contributions of 6.92% of employees' annual compensation. Employers are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The actuarially determined contribution includes funding for cost-of-living adjustments, noncontributory death benefits, and post-retirement medical premiums.

### NOTE 7: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

All contributions were equal to the required contributions for each of the three years, respectively.

Certain Borough employees are also covered by the Federal Insurance Contribution Act. The Borough's share of pension costs, which is based upon the annual billings received from the State, amounted to \$12,482.00 for 2015, \$11,531.00 for 2014, and \$11,834.00 for 2013.

### Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions – GASB #68

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has issued Statement No. 68 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Public Employees Pensions" and is effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2014. This statement requires the State of New Jersey to calculate and allocate, for note disclosure purposes only, the unfunded net pension liability of Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) and the Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS) of the participating municipality as of December 31, 2015. The statement does not alter the amounts of funds that must be budgeted for pension payments under existing state law.

Under accounting principles and practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, any unfunded net pension liability of the municipality, allocated by the State of New Jersey, is not required to be reported in the financial statements as presented and any pension contributions required to be paid are raised in that year's budget and no liability is accrued at December 31, 2015.

### Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)

At June 30, 2015, the State reported a net pension liability of \$320,741.00 for the Borough of Stockton's proportionate share of the total net pension liability. The total pension liability for the June 30, 2015 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2014, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2015. The Borough's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Borough's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2015, the Borough's proportion was 0.0014288177 percent, which was a decrease of 0.0003446243 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2014.

### Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - GASB 68 (Continued)

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

For the year ended June 30, 2015, the State recognized an actuarially determined pension expense of \$16,657.00 for the Borough of Stockton's proportionate share of the total pension expense. The pension expense recognized in the Borough's financial statement based on the April 1, 2015 billing was \$14,620.00.

At June 30, 2015, the State reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS from the following sources:

	Deferred Inflow of	Deferred Outflow of
Differences between expected and actual experience	<u>Resources</u>	<u>Resources</u> \$7,652.00
Changes of assumptions		34,445.00
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	\$5,157.00	
Changes in proportion and differences between Borough contributions and proportionate share of contributions	54,742.00	32,030.00
	\$59,899.00	\$74,127.00

Other local amounts reported by the State as the Borough's proportionate share of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in the State's actuarially calculated pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30	Amount
2016	\$2,474.00
2017	\$2,474.00
2018	\$2,474.00
2019	\$7,420.00
2020	(\$614.00)

### Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - GASB 68 (Continued)

Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) (Continued)

### Additional Information

Collective balances at June 30, 2015 and 2014 are as follows:

	<u>6/30/2015</u>	<u>6/30/2014</u>
Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$5,086,138,484	\$1,032,618,058
Collective deferred inflows of resources	478,031,236	1,726,631,532
Collective net pension liability - local	22,447,996,119	18,722,735,003
Borough's proportion	0.0014288177%	0.0017734420%

### **Actuarial Assumptions**

The total pension liability for the June 30, 2015 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2014, which rolled forward to June 30, 2015. The total pension liability for the June 30, 2014 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013. These actuarial valuations used the following assumptions:

	<u>June 30, 2014</u>	<u>June 30, 2015</u>
Inflation Salary Increases (based on age)	3.01 Percent	3.04 Percent
2012-2021 Thereafter	2.15-4.40 Percent 3.15-5.40 Percent	2.15-4.40 Percent 3.15-5.40 Percent
Investment Rate of Return	7.90 Percent	7.90 percent

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Male and Female Mortality Tables (setback 1 year for males and females) for service retirement and beneficiaries of former members with adjustments for mortality improvements from the base year of 2012 based on Projection Scale AA. The RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Tables (setback 3 years for males and setback 1 year for females) are used to value disabled retirees.

### Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - GASB 68 (Continued)

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

### Actuarial Assumptions (Continued)

The actuarial assumptions used were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2011. It is likely that future experience will not exactly conform to these assumptions. To the extent that actual experience deviates from these assumptions, the emerging liabilities may be higher or lower than anticipated. The more the experience deviates, the larger the impact on future financial statements.

### Long-Term Rate of Return

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2014 and June 30, 2015 are summarized in the following table:

	June 30, 2015		June 30, 2014	
	Long-Term			Long-Term
	Target	Expected Real	Target	Expected Real
Asset Class	Allocation	Rate of Return	Allocation	Rate of Return
Cash	5.00%	1.04%	6.00%	0.80%
Core Bond			1.00%	2.49%
Intermediate Term Bonds			11.20%	2.26%
Mortgages	2.10%	1.62%	2.50%	2.17%
High Yield Bonds	2.00%	4.03%	5.50%	4.82%
Inflation Indexed Bonds	1.50%	3.25%	2.50%	3.51%
Broad U.S. Equities	27.25%	8.52%	25.90%	8.22%
Developed Foreign Markets	12.00%	6.88%	12.70%	8.12%
Emerging Market Equities	6.40%	10.00%	6.50%	9.91%
Private Equity	9.25%	12.41%	8.25%	13.02%
Hedge Funds/Absolute Returns	12.00%	4.72%	12.25%	4.92%
Real Estate (Property)	2.00%	6.83%	3.20%	5.80%
Commodities	1.00%	5.32%	2.50%	5.35%
U.S. Treasuries	1.75%	1.64%		
Investment Grade Credit	10.00%	1.79%		
Global Debt ex US	3.50%	(0.40)%		
REIT	4.25%	5.12%		
	100.00%		100.00%	

### Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions - GASB 68 (Continued)

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

### Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 4.90% and 5.39% as of June 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.9%, and a municipal bond rate of 4.30% and 4.29% as of June 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively, based on 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. 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 made based on the average of the last five years of contributions made in relation to the last five years of recommended contributions. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members through 2033. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to projected benefit payments through 2033, and the municipal bond rate was applied to projected benefit payments after that date in determining the total pension liability.

### Sensitivity of the collective net pension liability to changes in the discount rate.

The following presents the collective net pension liability of the participating employers as of June 30, 2015 respectively, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above as well as what the collective net pension liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1- percentage point higher than the current rate:

		June 30, 2015	
	1%	At Current	1%
	Decrease	Discount Rate	Increase
	<u>3.90%</u>	<u>4.90%</u>	<u>5.90%</u>
Borough's proportionate share of the pension liability	\$398,642.00	\$320,741.00	\$255,429.00

### Pension plan fiduciary net position

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Financial Report for the State of New Jersey Public Employees Retirement System (PERS).

### NOTE 8: COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The Borough does not have a policy which allows employees to accrue unused vacation and sick pay.

### NOTE 9: LITIGATION

The Borough Attorney's letter did not indicate any litigation, claims or contingent liabilities that are either not covered by the Borough's insurance carrier or would have a material financial impact on the Borough.

### NOTE 10: TAX APPEALS

There are tax appeals filed with the County and State Tax Court of New Jersey requesting a reduction of assessments for the year 2015. Any reduction in assessed valuation will result in a refund of prior years' taxes in the year of settlement, which may be funded from tax revenues through the establishment of a reserve or by the issuance of refunding bonds per N.J.S.A. 40A:2-51.

### NOTE 11: CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Borough participates in several federal and state financial assistance grant programs. Entitlement to the funds is generally conditional upon compliance with terms and conditions of the grant agreements and applicable regulations, including the expenditure of funds for eligible purposes. Findings and questioned costs, if any, relative to federal and state financial assistance programs will be discussed in detail in Part II of the 2015 audit report. In addition, these programs are also subject to compliance and financial audits by the grantors or their representatives. As of December 31, 2015, the Borough does not believe that any material liabilities will result from such audits.

### NOTE 12: RISK MANAGEMENT

The Borough is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions, injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Borough maintains commercial insurance coverage covering each of those risks of loss. Management believes such coverage is sufficient to preclude any significant uninsured losses to the Borough. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

### NOTE 13: INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

The following interfund balances remained on the balance sheets at December 31, 2015:

<u>FUND</u>	INTERFUND <u>RECEIVABLE</u>	INTERFUND <u>PAYABLE</u>
Current	\$5,175.93	\$29,862.31
Grant	21,683.05	
Animal Control		937.14
Trust Other		4,235.19
General Capital	8,179.26	
Water Utility Operating		50,594.28
Water Utility Capital	50,590.68	
Sewer Utility Operating		116,712.18
Sewer Utility Capital	116,712.18	
TOTAL	\$202,341.10	\$202,341.10

All balances resulted from the time lag between the dates that short-term loans were disbursed and payments between funds were made.

### NOTE 14: LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM

The Borough approved a Voluntary Length of Service Awards Program (LOSAP) on November 4, 2003. Under the program, a fixed amount of funds may be contributed on behalf of those volunteer fire and medical personnel which meet the eligibility criteria adopted by the governing body of the Borough. The Borough's sponsoring agency is Lincoln National, with the maximum contribution per volunteer set at \$400.00 for 2015.

### NOTE 15: GASB 45: OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

The Borough is required to implement the note disclosure provision of GASB Statement 45, "Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Post Employment Benefits Other Than Pension." This statement which was adopted during 2004 by the Government Accounting Standard Board (GASB) requires the Borough to disclose in the notes of the financial statements the future cost of the other post employment benefits (OPEB) on a present value basis instead of the present pay as you go method. OPEB obligations are non-pension benefits that the Borough has contractually agreed to provide employees once they have retired. The Borough does not provide post retirement benefits other than pension to its employees which is provided through the New Jersey pension system.

### NOTE 16: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Borough has evaluated subsequent events occurring after the financial statement date through August 29, 2016. which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. Based upon this evaluation, the Borough has determined that there are no subsequent events needed to be disclosed.

### BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES - ALL FUNDS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

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### **CURRENT FUND**

# SCHEDULE OF CASH-TREASURER

FEDERAL AND STATE GRANT FUND	Ф		4,000.00 \$ 4,000.00		-0- \$
FUND	433,596.71	\$	2,117,725.37 2,551,322.08	\$	1,877,683.11 673,638.97
CURRENT FUND	θ	1,897,671.27 6,250.00 145,076.77 50,371.33	12,206.00 6,150.00 \$	492,778.18 20,416.18 3,035.78 342,309.97 1,018,618.00 525.00	φ   
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<u>REF.</u>	A	A-5 A-9 A-2	A-10:A-22 A-11:A-15	A-3 A-12 A-10:A-21 A-13 A-1	۲
	Balance, December 31, 2014	Increased by Receipts: Collector State of New Jersey-Chapter 20, P.L. 1971 Revenue Accounts Receivable Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated	Interrunds Received Reserve for Grants - Unappropriated	Decreased by Disbursements: 2015 Appropriations 2014 Appropriation Reserves Interfunds Disbursed County Taxes Regional High School Tax Refund of Prior Year Revenues	Balance, December 31, 2015

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### CURRENT FUND

### SCHEDULE OF CASH-COLLECTOR

### <u>REF.</u>

Received:			
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	A-9	\$ 4,734.69	
Taxes Receivable	A-7	1,886,200.03	
2016 Taxes Prepaid	A-16	2,366.49	
Tax Overpayments	A-17	4,120.06	
Senior Citizen Deductions Disallowed	A-8	250.00	
		 \$	1,897,671.27
Decreased by Disbursements:			
Payments to Treasurer	A-4	\$	1,897,671.27

### CURRENT FUND

### SCHEDULE OF DUE CURRENT FUND - GRANT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014	A	\$ 17,683.05
Increased by:		
Cash Receipts	A-4	
Cash Disbursements	A-4:A-10	 4,000.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	A	\$ 21,683.05

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## **CURRENT FUND**

# SCHEDULE OF TAXES RECEIVABLE AND ANALYSIS OF PROPERTY TAX LEVY

BALANCE DECEMBER 31 2015	2107		35,028.36	35,028.36	A		
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			6,105.35	6,105.35			
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OVERPAYMENTS			133.14	133.14	A-2		
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2015 I EVV			1,925,482.21	1,925,482.21			
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BALANCE DECEMBER 31 2014		19,324.45		19,324.45	A		
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## ANALYSIS OF 2015 PROPERTY TAX LEVY

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		A-14	A-14 A-14	A-13	A-2	
TAX YIELD General Purpose Tax Added Taxes (54:4-63.1 et. seq.)		<u>TAX LEVY</u> Regional High School Tax (Abstract) County Taxes:	County Tax (Abstract) A-14 Due County for Added Taxes (54:4-63.1 et. seq.) A-14	County Tax (Abstract)	Local Tax for Municipal Purposes (Abstract) Add: Additional Tax Levied	

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## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF DUE STATE OF NEW JERSEY PER CHAPTER 20, P.L. 1971

	<u>REF.</u>			
Balance, December 31, 2014	А		\$	2,779.76
Increased by: Deductions Per Tax Duplicate: Senior Citizens Veterans		\$ 250.00 6,000.00	-	6,250.00 9,029.76
Decreased by: Received From State of New Jersey Disallowed by Collector - 2015 Taxes Senior and Veterans Deduction Canceled	A-4 A-5 A-1	\$ 6,250.00 250.00 2,779.76	-	,,, <u>,</u> ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Balance, December 31, 2015 (Due to)	A		\$	9,279.76 (250.00)
SUMMARY OF 2015 EXEMPTIONS Senior Citizens and Veterans Deductions Per Tax Billings	A-7		\$	6,250.00

		BALANCE DECEMBER	<u>31, 2015</u>												A
		) BY	TREASURER		3,824.00 \$	3,418.98		597.00	44,974.00	22,727.28	34,300.28	25,000.00	10,235.23	145,076.77 \$	A-4
	ΞŢ	COLLECTED BY	COLLECTOR		\$		4,734.69							4,734.69 \$	A-5
FUND	CCOUNTS RECEIVAB	ACCRUED	<u>IN 2015</u>		3,824.00 \$	3,172.69	4,734.69	597.00	44,974.00	22,727.28	34,300.28	25,000.00	10,235.23	149,565.17 \$	
CURRENI FUND	SCHEDULE OF REVENUE ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	BALANCE DECEMBER	<u>31, 2014</u>		\$	246.29								246.29 \$	Α
	SCI		<u>REF.</u>		A-2 \$	A-2	A-2	A-2	A-2	A-2	A-2	A-2	A-2	<del>у</del>	REF.
				Clerk:	Alcoholic Beverage Licenses Municipal Court	Fines and Costs	Interest and Costs on Taxes	Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Act	Energy Receipts Tax	Hotel and Motel Tax	Cell Tower Rental	Capital Fund Surplus	Reserve to Pay Debt Service		

## CURRENT FUND

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## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

WATER UTILITY OPERATING <u>FUND</u>	3.60			3.60
0	\$			Ф
GENERAL CAPITAL <u>FUND</u>	2,071.90	8,206.00	2,098.64	8,179.26
	\$			\$
TRUST OTHER FUND	4,235.19			4,235.19
	\$			φ
ANIMAL CONTROL <u>FUND</u>			937.14	937.14
	\$			φ
GRANT FUND	17,683.05	4,000.00		21,683.05
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TOTAL	4,238.79 19,754.95	12,206.00	3,035.78	5,175.93 29,862.31
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	Balance, December 31, 2014: Due from Due to	Cash Receipts	Cash Disbursements	Balance, December 31, 2015: Due from Due to

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## **GRANT FUND**

# SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR GRANTS-UNAPPROPRIATED

BALANCE     BALANCE       DECEMBER     CASH       31, 2014     RECEIPTS       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00       \$     578.96       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00       \$     578.96       \$     578.96       \$     578.96       \$     4,000.00       \$     4,000.00	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	4,000.00	4,000.00	A
BALANCE         BALANCE           DECEMBER         CASH           31, 2014         RECEIPTS           \$         4,000.00           \$         4,000.00           \$         4,000.00           \$         4,000.00           \$         4,000.00           \$         4,000.00		φ	ا م	
BALANCE         BALANCE           DECEMBER         CAS           31, 2014         RECEII           \$         4,000.00         \$           \$         578.96         \$           A         A         A-4	APPLIED TO <u>RECEIVABLE</u>	4,000.00 578.96	4,578.96	A-18
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Clean Communities Recycling Tonnage Grant

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### CURRENT FUND

### SCHEDULE OF 2014 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

	-	BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2014	BALANCE AFTER TRANSFERS	PAID OR CHARGED	BALANCE LAPSED
SALARIES AND WAGES					
Governing Body	\$	383.24 \$	0.24 \$	\$	0.24
Municipal Clerk	Ŧ	0.64	0.64	Ť	0.64
Financial Administration		0.86	0.86		0.86
Administration		0.59	0.59		0.59
Assessment of Taxes		0.61	0.61		0.61
Revenue Administration		43.64	43.64		43.64
Planning Board		36.00	36.00		36.00
Police		0.35	0.35		0.35
Municipal Prosecutor		0.88	0.88		0.88
Municipal Court		290.22	290.22		290.22
Animal Control Services		0.12	0.12		0.12
Building Inspector		19.64	19.64		19.64
OTHER EXPENSES		0.50	0.50		0.50
Governing Body		0.53	0.53	440.47	0.53
Municipal Clerk Elections		416.40	113.17 0.40	113.17	0.40
Financial Administration:		410.40	0.40		0.40
Other Expenses		147.00	147.00		147.00
Computer Support		62.30	524.10	523.60	0.50
Assessment of Taxes		247.96	450.96	020.00	450.96
Revenue Administration		385.36	19.36		19.36
Legal Services and Costs			435.00	434.00	1.00
Engineering Services			308.00	308.00	
Planning Board:					
Other Expenses		166.99	166.99	42.60	124.39
Legal Fees		0.50	325.50	325.50	
Engineering Fees		0.50	637.50	637.00	0.50
Insurance:					
Liability Insurance		985.86	985.86		985.86
Employee Bonds		479.00	479.00		479.00
Police		150.00	150.00		150.00
Environmental Commission		350.00	350.00		350.00
Recreation		972.00	537.00		537.00
Public Defender		200.00	200.00	100.00	200.00
Municipal Court		411.00	600.00	189.00	411.00
Streets and Road Maintenance Snow Removal		0.25	0.25	040.00	0.25
Show Removal Solid Waste Collection		11 067 50	940.00	940.00	6 404 26
		11,867.58 2,463.20	18,364.78 1,667.20	11,963.42 1,030.98	6,401.36 636.22
Recycling Building and Grounds		1,636.46	6,386.46	1,656.00	4,730.46
Street Lighting		712.76	1,886.46	1,886.17	0.29
Electricity		815.80	831.15	15.35	815.80
Telephone		4,018.59	4,199.78	181.19	4,018.59
Natural Gas		497.76	667.96	170.20	497.76
Public Employee's Retirement System		0.15	0.15		0.15
Social Security System		95.12	95.12		95.12
Unemployment Insurance		250.00	250.00		250.00
Length of Service Award Program		17,200.00	17,200.00		17,200.00
Capital Improvement Fund Lambertville Sewerage Auth	ority	15,222.36	15,222.36		15,222.36
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	\$ _	60,532.22 \$	74,535.83 \$	20,416.18 \$	54,119.65
	REF.	А		A-4	A-1
Balance, December 31, 2014	A-12	\$	60,532.22		
	A-20	Ψ	14,003.61		
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		\$	74,535.83		

## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF COUNTY TAXES PAYABLE

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance, December 31, 2014	А		\$
2015 Tax Levy:			
County Taxes	A-1:A-7	\$ 285,858.78	
County Open Space	A-1:A-7	27,833.31	
County Library	A-1:A-7	28,617.88	
County Share of Added Taxes	A-1:A-7	412.28	
			342,722.25
			\$ 342,722.25
Decreased by:			
Cash Disbursements	A-4		 342,309.97
Balance, December 31, 2015	A		\$ 412.28

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## BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOLTAX PAYABLE

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014 (Prepaid)	A	\$ (1,003.17)
Increased by: Levy	A-1:A-7	\$ 1,206,017.00 1,205,013.83
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements	A-4	 1,018,618.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	A	\$ 186,395.83

<u>"A-15"</u>

## SCHEDULE OF GRANTS UNAPPROPRIATED

Balance, December 31, 2014	A	\$ 6,150.00
Increased by: Cash Receipts	A-4	 6,150.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	A	\$ 12,300.00

## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF PREPAID TAXES

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014 (2015 Taxes)	A	\$ 11,089.78
Increased by: Collection of 2016 Taxes	A-5	\$ 2,366.49 13,456.27
Decreased by: Application to 2015 Taxes Receivable	A-7	 11,089.78
Balance, December 31, 2015 (2016 Taxes)	A	\$ 2,366.49

<u>"A-17"</u>

## SCHEDULE OF TAX OVERPAYMENTS

Balance, December 31, 2014	А		\$	17,042.27
Increased by: Cash Receipts	A-5		\$	4,120.06 21,162.33
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements Applied Canceled	A-4 A-7 A-1	\$ 133.14 5.12	_	138.26
Balance, December 31, 2015	А		\$_	21,024.07

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## BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

## <u>GRANT FUND</u>

## SCHEDULE OF GRANTS RECEIVABLE

		ACCRUED 2015 <u>BUDGET</u>	UNAPPROPRIATED <u>APPLIED</u>		
Clean Communities Program Recycling Tonnage Grant	\$ _	4,000.00 578.96	\$ 4,000.00 578.96		
	\$_	4,578.96	\$4,578.96		
	<u>REF.</u>	A-2	A-11		

<u>"A-19"</u>

## BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

## GRANT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR GRANTS APPROPRIATED

	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		2015 BUDGET <u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Clean Communities Program Alcohol Education and Rehabilitation Fund Recycling Tonnage Grant	\$ 11,910.54 118.16 1,075.39	\$	4,000.00 578.96	\$	15,910.54 118.16 1,654.35
	\$ 13,104.09	\$_	4,578.96	\$_	17,683.05
<u>REF.</u>	А		A-3		А

## CURRENT FUND

## SCHEDULE OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014	А	\$ 14,003.61
Increased by: Charges to Appropriations	A-3	\$ 7,409.49 21,413.10
Decreased by: Transferred to Appropriation Reserves	A-12	 14,003.61
Balance, December 31, 2015	А	\$ 7,409.49

## TRUST FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CASH-TREASURER

	<u>REF.</u>		ANIMAL CONTROL			TRUST OTHER			HER
Balance, December 31, 2014	В			\$	2,571.30			\$	26,747.11
Increased by Receipts:									
Dog License Fees	B-2	\$	979.34			\$			
Due from State of New Jersey	B-3		81.00						
Various Reserves and Deposits	B-4						167,291.86		
					1,060.34				167,291.86
				\$	3,631.64			\$	194,038.97
Decreased by Disbursements:									
Expenditures under R.S.4:19-15.11	B-2	\$	544.00			\$			
Due from State of New Jersey	B-3	•	81.00			•			
Various Reserves and Deposits	B-4						170,053.32		
					625.00				170,053.32
Balance, December 31, 2015	В			\$	3,006.64			\$	23,985.65

## TRUST FUND

## SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES

	REF.	
Balance, December 31, 2014	В	\$ 2,526.70
Increased by: Animal Control Fees Collected	B-1	\$ 979.34 3,506.04
Decreased by: Expenditures under R.S.4:19-15.11: Cash Disbursements	B-1	544.00
Statutory Excess Due Current Fund	B-1	 937.14
Balance, December 31, 2015	В	\$ 2,024.90

LICENSE FEES COLLECTED							
YEAR	<u>EAR</u> <u>AMOUNT</u>						
2014 2013	\$	1,042.30 1,432.60					
	\$	2,474.90					

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## SCHEDULE OF DUE STATE OF NEW JERSEY - <u>ANIMAL CONTROL FUND</u>

Balance, December 31, 2014	В	\$ 44.60
Increased by: Cash Receipts	B-1	\$ <u>81.00</u> \$ <u>125.60</u>
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements	B-1	81.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	В	\$44.60

## TRUST FUND

### SCHEDULE OF VARIOUS RESERVES AND DEPOSITS

		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		CASH <u>RECEIPTS</u>		EXPENDED		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
State Unemployment Insurance Stockton Park Auxiliary Payroll Agency Planning Board Escrow	\$	14,522.91 906.64 2,394.86 4,687.51	\$	22.70 160,165.82 7,103.34	\$ _	25.50 160,165.82 9,862.00	\$ _	14,520.11 906.64 2,394.86 1,928.85
	\$	22,511.92	\$_	167,291.86	\$_	170,053.32	\$_	19,750.46
	<u>REF.</u>	В		B-1		B-1		В

## TRUST FUND

## SCHEDULE OF DUE CURRENT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>	TOTAL	TRUST <u>OTHER</u>	ANIMAL <u>CONTROL</u>
Balance, December 31, 2014: Due from Due to	B B	\$ 4,235.19	\$ 4,235.19	\$ 
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements	B-1	 937.14	 	 937.14
Balance, December 31, 2015: Due to	В	\$ 5,172.33	\$ 4,235.19	\$ 937.14

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CASH - TREASURER

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance, December 31, 2014	С		\$ 252,941.23
Increased by Receipts: Budget Appropriations: Capital Improvement Fund Interfunds Miscellaneous Deposits Bond Anticipation Notes	C-9 C-10 C-4 C-8	\$ 50,000.00 2,098.64 1,723.36 183,313.00	\$ 237,135.00 490,076.23
Decreased by Disbursements: Bond Anticipation Notes Fund Balance Contracts Payable Miscellaneous Deposits Interfunds	C-8 C-1 C-14 C-4 C-10	\$ 183,313.00 25,000.00 5,466.94 10,235.23 19,432.10	 243,447.27
Balance, December 31, 2015	С		\$ 246,628.96

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## ANALYSIS OF CASH

		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Capital Improvement Fund	\$	190,007.95
Contracts Payable		10,000.00
Grants Receivable		(13,536.67)
Improvement Authorizations Funded as Set Forth On "C-7"		21,683.06
Improvement Authorizations Expended as set forth on "C-5"		(196,187.99)
Interfunds Receivable		(8,179.26)
Miscellaneous Reserves		41,323.51
Capital Fund Balance		57,267.01
Unexpended Proceeds of Bond Anticipation Notes Issued as set forth on "C-5"		144,251.35
	\$	246,628.96
	<u>REF.</u>	C-2

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# SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR MISCELLANEOUS DEPOSITS

BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	2,215.00 4,697.24 24,764.77 6,635.50 2,811.00 200.00	41,323.51	O
CASH DISBURSEMENTS	10,235.23	10,235.23 \$	C-2
CASH RECEIPTS DIS	1,723.36	1,723.36 \$	C-2
	2,215.00 \$ 2,973.88 35,000.00 6,635.50 2,811.00 200.00	49,835.38 \$	
BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	۳ ۳	\$	С Ш
			REF.
	Purchase of Recreation Equipment Debt Service State Aid - Bridge Street Purchase of Public Safety Equipment Master Plan Revisions Prallsville Road Improvements		

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# SCHEDULE OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - UNFUNDED

ANALYSIS OF BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 2015	BALANCE BOND UNEXPENDED DECEMBER ANTICIPATION IMPROVEMENT	T DESCRIPTION 31, 2015 NOTES EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZATIONS	Street \$ 104,798.06 \$ \$ 104,798.06 \$	verton Road 34,763.74 34,763.00 0.74	rallsville Road 148,550.00 148,550.00	provements - Wilson Drive 260,000.00 91,389.93 168,610.07	\$ 548,111.80 \$ 183,313.00 \$ 196,187.99 \$ 168,610.81	REF. C C-8 C-3	
		IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Reconstruction of Mill Street	Improvements to Woolverton Road	Improvements to Old Prallsville Road	Road and Drainage Improvements - Wilson Drive		REF.	
	ORDINANCE	<u>NUMBER</u>	2005-06	2010-02	2011-01	2012-08			

Improvement Authorizations-Unfunded Less: Unexpended Proceeds of Bond Anticipation Notes - 2010-02 and 2011-01

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## SCHEDULE OF GRANTS RECEIVABLE

## <u>REF.</u>

 Balance, December 31, 2014
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 \$ 13,536.67

 Balance, December 31, 2015
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 \$ 13,536.67

**GENERAL CAPITAL FUND** 

SCHEDULE OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

VCE 131, 2015	UNFUNDED		1,548.47	142,703.62	168,610.07				312,862.16	C:C-5
BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2015	FUNDED		θ				15,683.06	6,000.00	5,466.94 \$ 21,683.06 \$ 312,862.16	C:C-3
PAID OR	CHARGED		\$	800.00	350.00		4,316.94			C-14
2015	<u>AUTHORIZATIONS</u>		\$				20,000.00	6,000.00	\$ <u>314,012.16</u> \$ <u>26,000.00</u> \$	C-19
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NCE 8 31, 2014	UNFUNDED		1,548.47 \$	143,503.62	168,960.07				314,012.16	U
BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2014	FUNDED		θ						\$	U
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DINANCE	AMOUNT		140,000.00	280,000.00	425,000.00	10,000.00	20,000.00	6,000.00		
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	DATE		02/08/10	04/11/11	12/10/12	07/08/1	08/10/1	08/10/15		
	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	General Improvements:	Woolverton Road	Old Prallsville Road	Road and Drainage Improvements - Wilson Drive	Codification of Land Use Ordinances	Purchase and Installation of Drainex Equipment	Authorize Section 20 Costs		
ORDINANCE	NUMBER	J	-		2012-08 R			2015-06 A		

## **GENERAL CAPITAL FUND**

# SCHEDULE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	34,763.00	148,550.00	183,313.00	C:C-5	
DECREASED	35,789.00 \$	155,730.00	191,519.00 \$	C-2	183,313.00 8,206.00
NCREASED	\$ 34,763.00	148,550.00	183,313.00 \$	C-2	\$
BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	35,789.00 \$	155,730.00	191,519.00 \$	с	
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INTEREST <u>RATE</u>	1.06% 1.50%	1.06% 1.50%		ιτη	
DATE OF MATURITY	9/18/2015 9/16/2016	9/18/2015 9/16/2016			Disbursement Paid by Budget
DATE OF ISSUE	9/19/2014 9/18/2015	9/19/2014 9/18/2015			
DATE OF ISSUE OF ORIGINAL <u>NOTE</u>	09/23/2010	09/21/2012			
IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Improvements to Woolverton Street	Improvements to Old Prallsville Road			
ORDINANCE	2010-02	2011-01			

\$ 191,519.00

## SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014	С	\$ 166,007.95
Increased by: 2015 Budget Appropriation	C-2	\$ 50,000.00 216,007.95
Decreased by: Appropriation to Finance Improvement Authorizations	C-7	 26,000.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	С	\$ 190,007.95

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

	<u>REF.</u>	TOTAL	CURRENT <u>FUND</u>	WATER CAPITAL <u>FUND</u>
Balance, December 31, 2014: Due from Due to	C C	\$ 2,071.90 \$ 11,226.10	2,071.90 \$	11,226.10
Receipts	C-2	2,098.64	2,098.64	
Disbursements	C-2	19,432.10	8,206.00	11,226.10
Balance, December 31, 2015: Due from	С	\$ <u> </u>	8,179.26 \$	

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION FUNDED

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance, December 31, 2014	С		\$ 435,245.13
Decreased by: N.J.E.I.T. Loans Paid by Budget Green Trust Loans Paid by Budget	C-13 C-12	\$ 30,427.55 10,141.92	 40,569.47
Balance, December 31, 2015	С		\$ 394,675.66

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# SCHEDULE OF GREEN TRUST LOANS PAYABLE

BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		107,116.80
DECREASED		117,258.72 \$ 10,141.92 \$ 107,116.80
BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		117,258.72 \$
INTEREST <u>RATE</u>		2.00% \$
NG 2015 AMOUNT	10,345.77 10,553.72 10,765.86 10,982.24 11,202.99 11,428.17 11,657.88 11,892.20	6,156.74
OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015 <u>DATE</u> AMC	2016 2017 2018 2019 2022 2022 2023 2023	2025
AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL <u>ISSUE</u>	200,000.00	
DATE OF ORIGINAL <u>ISSUE</u>	01/07/2005	
IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Open Space Acquisition	

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# SCHEDULE OF NEW JERSEY ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE TRUST LOANS PAYABLE

BALANCE DECEMBER	31, 2015								205,000.00							82,558.86
	DECREASED	\$							15,000.00							15,427.55
BALANCE DECEMBER	31, 2014	\$							220,000.00							97,986.41
		Ф														
INTEREST	RATE	5.000%	4.000%	4.000%	4.125%	4.250%	5.000%	4.250%	4.250%							
OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015	AMOUNT	15,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	25,000.00	14,955.52	14,483.49	14,105.87	13,728.23	16,497.49	8,788.26	
		Ь														
	DATE	08/01/16	08/01/17-19	08/01/20	08/01/21-22	08/01/23	08/01/24	08/01/25	08/01/26	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	
AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL	ISSUE	300,000.00								282,975.00						
		Ь														
DATE OF ORIGINAL	ISSUE	11/09/2006								11/09/2006						
	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Mill Street								Mill Street						

\$ 317,986.41 \$ 30,427.55 \$ 287,558.86

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## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CONTRACTS PAYABLE

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance, December 31, 2014	С		\$ 10,000.00
Increased by: Charges to Improvement Authorizations	C-7		\$ 5,466.94 15,466.94
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements	C-2	\$ 5,466.94	 5,466.94
Balance, December 31, 2015	С		\$ 10,000.00

## GENERAL CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED

ORDINANCE <u>NUMBER</u>	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
2005-06	Reconstruction of Mill Street	\$ 104,798.06
2010-02	Improvements to Woolverton Street	0.74
2012-08	Road and Drainage Improvements - Wilson Drive	 260,000.00
		\$ 364,798.80

	CAPITAL	↔	7,000.00 40,967.68 220,284.00	268,251.68 \$ 268,251.68		29,599.08 220,284.00	18,368.60 268,251.68	¢
SCHEDULE OF CASH - TREASURER DR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015	OPERATING	\$ 232,808.77	\$ 85,328.05 240,726.10	435.85 326,490.00 \$ 559,298.77	58,615.99 3,107.36	2,352.00	252,099.08 316,174.43	\$ 243,124.34
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		Balance, December 31, 2014	Increased by Receipts: Capital Improvement Fund Collections Interfunds Bond Anticipation Notes	Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated	Decreased by Disbursements: 2015 Appropriations 2014 Appropriation Reserves	Accrued Interest Contracts Payable Bond Anticipation Notes	Interfunds	Balance, December 31, 2015

## WATER UTILITY FUND

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## WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## SCHEDULE OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE

## <u>REF.</u>

Balance, December 31, 2014	D	\$ 3,141.78
Increased by: Transferred from 2015 Appropriation Transferred from Appropriation Reserves	D-3 D-8	\$ 2,605.30 700.00 6,447.08
Decreased by: Transferred to Appropriation Reserves	D-8	 3,141.78
Balance, December 31, 2015	D	\$ 3,305.30

## WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014	D	\$ 2,819.53
Increased by: Water Rents Levied - Net		\$ 85,617.87 88,437.40
Decreased by: Collection	D-2:D-4	 85,328.05
Balance, December 31, 2015	D	\$ 3,109.35

<u>"D-7"</u>

## SCHEDULE OF ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS, NOTES AND LOANS

Balance, December 31, 2014	D		\$ 1,500.00
Increased by: Charges to Budget Appropriations	D-3		\$ 2,000.00 3,500.00
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements Canceled	D-4 D-1	\$ 2,352.00 492.66	 2,844.66
Balance, December 31, 2015	D		\$ 655.34

## WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## SCHEDULE OF 2014 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

			BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		BALANCE AFTER <u>TRANSFERS</u>		PAID OR <u>CHARGED</u>		BALANCE <u>LAPSED</u>
Operating: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses Contributions to:		\$	510.73 7,953.96	\$	510.73 11,095.74	\$	3,807.36	\$	510.73 7,288.38
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)		_	39.88	-	39.88	_		_	39.88
		\$_	8,504.57	\$	11,646.35	=	3,807.36	\$_	7,838.99
	<u>REF.</u>		D				D-4		D-1
Balance, December 31, 2014 Encumbrances Payable	D-8 D-5			\$	8,504.57 3,141.78	\$			
				\$	11,646.35				

## WATER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

	<u>REF.</u>		<u>TOTAL</u>	CURRENT <u>FUND</u>		WATER CAPITAL <u>FUND</u>
Balance, December 31, 2014: Due to	D	\$_	61,967.26	\$3.60	\$_	61,963.66
Increased by: Cash Receipts	D-4	_	240,726.10			240,726.10
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements	D-4	_	252,099.08			252,099.08
Balance, December 31, 2015: Due to	D	\$_	50,594.28	\$3.60	\$	50,590.68

## WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

# SCHEDULE OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

Е 1, 2015	UNFUNDED			0.48		11,026.10	81.73			11,108.31
BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2015	FUNDED		0.30 \$		15,000.00			5,542.60		20,542.90 \$
PAID OR	CHARGED		4,872.00 \$	2,649.43		200.00	8,291.64	4,457.40		20,470.47 \$
2015	<u>AUTHORIZATION</u>		θ					10,000.00		10,000.00 \$
E 1, 2014	UNFUNDED AUT		\$	2,649.91		11,226.10	8,373.37			19,872.30 \$ 22,249.38 \$
BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 2014	FUNDED I		4,872.30 \$		15,000.00					19,872.30 \$
CE	AMOUNT		10,000.00 \$	20,000.00	15,000.00	175,000.00	50,000.00	10,000.00	I	Ş
ORDINANCE	<u>DATE</u>		10/29/2007 \$	11/10/2008	11/14/2011	03/12/2012	08/11/2014	09/14/2015		
			-	·	·	0	0	0		
	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION		Equipment	if Capital Equipmen	f Capital Equipmen		,	Equipment		
	IMPROVEME	General Improvements:	Purchase and Installation of Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Pump Station Repairs	Improvements to Water Utility	Purchase and Installation of Equipment		
UI		General	Purchase	Acquisitic	Acquisitic	Pump St	Improven	Purchase		
ORDINANCE	NUMBER		2007-11	2008-11	2011-05	2012-04	2014-04	2015-07		

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## WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

# SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR DEFERRED AMORTIZATION

	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		10,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	2,500.00	2,216.00	10,000.00	49,716.00	D
D BY	NOTES PAID BY <u>BUDGET</u>		€				2,216.00		s 2,216.00 \$	D-17
INCREASED BY	FIXED CAPITAL <u>AUTHORIZED</u>							10,000.00	10,000.00 \$	D-12
	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		10,000.00 \$	10,000.00	15,000.00	2,500.00			37,500.00 \$	D
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	DATE OF <u>ORDINANCE</u>		12/01/2006	10/29/2007	11/14/2011	08/11/2014	03/12/2012	09/14/2015		REF.
	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	General Improvements:	Purchase and Installation of Equipment	Purchase and Installation of Equipment	Purchase and Installation of Equipment	Improvements to Water Utility	Pump Station Repairs	Purchase and Installation of Equipment		
	ORDINANCE <u>NUMBER</u>		2006-21	2007-11	2011-05	2014-04	2012-04	2015-07		

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### WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

### SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

	REF.	
Balance, December 31, 2014	D	\$ 21,983.07
Increased by: 2015 Budget Appropriation	D-4	\$ 7,000.00 28,983.07
Decreased by: Appropriation to Finance Improvement Authorizations	D-10	 10,000.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	D	\$ 18,983.07

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## SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION

Balance, December 31, 2014	D	\$ 402,376.93
Balance, December 31, 2015	D	\$ 402,376.93

### WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF FIXED CAPITAL

ACCOUNT		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Unallocated Balance of 1938 and Prior Fire Hydrants Pumping Equipment Spring and Wells Storage Tanks Distribution Mains and Accessories Purification System General Equipment General Construction Expenditures Meters Generator Thermal Coil Meter Pits Touch Reader Painting of Various Buildings Roof Replacements Purchase and Installation of Water Meters (Ord. 11/12/73) Repairs and Construction of a Cover for the Reservoir of the Water System (Ord 11/12/73) Improvement to the Water Supply System (12/11/74) Construction of a Water Main Extension (Ord. 04/28/86) Water Line on Route 523 and Broad Street	\$	$\begin{array}{r} \underline{31,2014} \\ 7,523.00 \\ 15,167.00 \\ 32,948.00 \\ 3,998.00 \\ 12,574.00 \\ 27,136.00 \\ 1,766.00 \\ 8,915.00 \\ 3,674.00 \\ 1,145.00 \\ 10,843.00 \\ 1,781.00 \\ 400.00 \\ 1,455.00 \\ 1,050.00 \\ 13,877.00 \\ 10,100.00 \\ 2,283.00 \\ 49,650.00 \\ 35,048.00 \\ \end{array}$	31, 2015 \$ 7,523.00 15,167.00 32,948.00 3,998.00 12,574.00 27,136.00 1,766.00 8,915.00 3,674.00 1,145.00 10,843.00 1,781.00 400.00 1,455.00 1,050.00 13,877.00 10,100.00 2,283.00 49,650.00 35,048.00
Water Line on Route 525 and Broad Street Water Tower Pipe Extension Water Tank Painting Replacement of Water Line on Ferry Street Water Line Construction Water Main Construction on Mill Street Water Tank Renovations Well House Renovations Capital Outlay Construction of New Water Services on Broad and Bridge Street Painting of the Water Tank Authorizing New Services on Railroad Avenue and Main Street Preparation of EPA Application		$\begin{array}{c} 1,185.00\\ 2,227.00\\ 56,000.00\\ 4,630.00\\ 1,390.00\\ 1,152.00\\ 2,423.00\\ 11,575.00\\ 10,163.00\\ 57,035.00\\ 6,500.00\\ 6,763.93\end{array}$	\$          33,046.00           1,185.00           2,227.00           56,000.00           4,630.00           1,390.00           1,152.00           2,423.00           11,575.00           10,163.00           57,035.00           6,500.00           6,763.93           \$            402,376.93
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## WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

# SCHEDULE OF FIXED CAPITAL AUTHORIZED AND UNCOMPLETED

BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		10,000.00	10,000.00	20,000.00	15,000.00	175,000.00	50,000.00	10,000.00	290,000.00	D
AUTHORIZED		\$						10,000.00	10,000.00 \$	D-10
BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>		10,000.00 \$	10,000.00	20,000.00	15,000.00	175,000.00	50,000.00		280,000.00 \$	۵
ICE AMOUNT		10,000.00 \$	10,000.00	20,000.00	15,000.00	175,000.00	50,000.00	10,000.00	е С	REF.
ORDINANCE DATE <u>A</u>		12/01/2006 \$	10/29/2007	11/10/2008	11/14/2011	03/12/2012	08/11/2014	09/14/2015		
IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	General Improvements:	Purchase and Installation of Equipment	Purchase and Installation of Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Pump Station Repairs	Improvements to Water Utility	Purchase and Installation of Equipment		
ORDINANCE <u>NUMBER</u>		2006-21	2007-11	2008-11	2011-05	2012-04	2014-04	2015-07		

### WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

### SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

	<u>REF.</u>	TOTAL	GENERAL CAPITAL <u>FUND</u>	WATER OPERATING <u>FUND</u>
Balance, December 31, 2014: Due from	D	\$\$	11,226.10 \$	61,963.66
Increased by: Cash Receipts	D-4	40,967.68	11,226.10	29,741.58
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements	D-4	18,368.60		18,368.60
Balance, December 31, 2015: Due from	D	\$50,590.68_\$	0.00 \$	50,590.68

## WATER CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	172,784.00	47,500.00	220,284.00	D		
DECREASED	175,000.00 \$	47,500.00	222,500.00 \$	D-4	2,216.00 220,284.00	222,500.00
INCREASED	\$ 172,784.00	47,500.00	220,284.00 \$	D-4	<del>φ</del>	ا ج
BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	175,000.00 \$	47,500.00	222,500.00 \$	D		
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INTEREST <u>RATE</u>	1.06% 1.05%	1.06% 1.05%			nents	
DATE OF MATURITY	09/18/2015 09/16/2016	09/18/2015 09/16/2016			Paid by Budget Cash Disbursements	
DATE OF <u>ISSUE</u>	09/19/2014 09/18/2015	09/19/2014 09/18/2015			20	
DATE OF ISSUE OF ORIGINAL <u>NOTE</u>	09/21/2012	09/19/2014				
IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Pump Station Repairs	Improvements to Water Utility				
ORDINANCE	2012-04	2014-04				

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## WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR MISCELLANEOUS DEPOSITS - CAPITAL OUTLAY

<u>ITEM</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Capital Outlay		\$ 15,000.00	\$ 15,000.00
		\$ 15,000.00	\$ 15,000.00
	<u>REF.</u>	D	D

## WATER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED

IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment		\$ 20,000.00
		\$ 20,000.00
		<u>"D-20"</u>
SCHEDULE OF CONTRA	ACTS PAYABLE	
	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014	D	\$ 14,085.01
Increased by: Contracts Issued	D-10	 20,470.47
		\$ 34,555.48
Decreased by: Disbursements	D-4	 29,599.08
Balance, December 31, 2015	D	\$ 4,956.40

## **SEWER UTILITY FUND**

## SCHEDULE OF CASH - TREASURER FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

CAPITAL	- - \$	15,519.15	17,022.00 \$ 32,541.15 \$ 32,541.15	17,022.00	32,541.15	-0- \$
OPERATING	\$ 410,676.91	\$ 277,675.95 1,566.50 17,022.00	296,264.45 \$ 706,941.36	\$ 200,528.15 20,773.75 15,519.15 13,774.95	250,596.00	\$ 456,345.36
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	Balance, December 31, 2014	Increased by Receipts: Consumer Accounts Receivable Miscellaneous Interfunds	Capital Improvement Fund	Decreased by Disbursements: 2015 Appropriations 2014 Appropriation Reserves Interfunds Accrued Interest	Refund of Prior Years Revenue	Balance, December 31, 2015

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## SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## SCHEDULE OF ACCRUED INTEREST

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance, December 31, 2014	Е		\$ 4,936.94
Increased by: Charges to 2015 Budget	E-4		\$ 19,800.00 24,736.94
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements Canceled	E-5 E-1	\$ 13,774.95 6,665.68	 20,440.63
Balance, December 31, 2015	E		\$ 4,296.31

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## SCHEDULE OF CONSUMER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Balance, December 31, 2014	E	\$ 10,873.50
Increased by: Sewer Use Charges Levied - Net		\$ 281,907.17 292,780.67
Decreased by: Collections	E-5	277,675.95
Balance, December 31, 2015	E	\$15,104.72

## SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

	<u>REF.</u>	Ī	<u>OTAL</u>	SEWER CAPITAL <u>FUND</u>
Balance, December 31, 2014: Due to	E	\$	115,209.33 \$	115,209.33
Receipts	E-5		17,022.00	17,022.00
Disbursements	E-5		15,519.15	15,519.15
Balance, December 31, 2015: Due to	E	\$	116,712.18 \$	116,712.18

## SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

## SCHEDULE OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE

	<u>REF.</u>	
Balance, December 31, 2014	E	\$ 20,773.75
Increased by: Transfer from 2015 Appropriations	E-4	\$ 17,210.37 37,984.12
Decreased by: Transfer to Appropriation Reserves	E-10	 20,773.75
Balance, December 31, 2015	E	\$ 17,210.37

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## SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND

# SCHEDULE OF 2014 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

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BALANCE LAPSED			E-1		
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PAID OR CHARGED	20,773.75	20,773.75 \$	E-5		
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BALANCE AFTER TRANSFERS	86.48 \$ 20,773.75 65.93	20,926.16 \$		152.41 20,773.75	20,926.16
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ENCUMBRANCES	20,773.75	20,773.75 \$			
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BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	86.48 \$ 65.93	152.41 \$	ш		
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			REF.	Е-10 Е-9	
	Operating: Salaries and Wages Other Expenses Social Security			Balance, December 31, 2014 Encumbrances Payable	

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## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

# SCHEDULE OF NEW JERSEY ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE TRUST LOAN PAYABLE

BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	175,000.00	15,065.83 190,065.83
DECREASED	\$ 30,000.00	24,618.49 54,618.49 \$
BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>	\$ 205,000.00	39,684.32 \$ 244,684.32 \$
OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015 DATE AMOUNT	30,000.00 35,000.00 35,000.00 35,000.00 40,000.00	15,065.83
OUTSTA DECEMBER DATE	08/01/16 \$ 08/01/17 08/01/18 08/01/19 08/01/19	08/01/16
INTEREST <u>RATE</u>	5.13% 5.25% 5.25% 5.25%	0.00%
AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL ISSUE	495,000.00	488,624.00
DATE OF ORIGINAL <u>ISSUE</u>	10/15/2000 \$	10/15/2000
IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	N.J. Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loan	N.J. Environmental Infrastructure Fund Loan

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## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance, December 31, 2014	E	\$ 113,088.00
Increased by: Cash Receipts	E-5	\$ 17,022.00 \$ 130,110.00
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements	E-5	20,000.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	E	\$110,110.00

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## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

# SCHEDULE OF FIXED CAPITAL AUTHORIZED AND UNCOMPLETED

BALANCE DECEMBER	<u>31, 2015</u>	20,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00	40,000.00
	<u>AUTHORIZED</u>	€	10,000.00	10,000.00	20,000.00 \$
BALANCE DECEMBER	31, 2014	20,000.00 \$			20,000.00 \$
ш	AMOUNT	20,000.00 \$	10,000.00	10,000.00	φ
ORDINANCE		⇔			
	DATE	11/10/2008	02/09/2015	09/14/2015	
	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	
ORDINANCE	NUMBER	2008-12	2015-01	2015-08	

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## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF INTERFUNDS

	<u>REF.</u>	<u>TOTA</u>	<u>L</u>	SEWER OPERATING <u>FUND</u>
Balance, December 31, 2014: Due from	E	\$115,2	209.33 \$	115,209.33
Receipts	E-5	15,5	519.15	15,519.15
Disbursements	E-5	17,0	22.00	17,022.00
Balance, December 31, 2015: Due from	E	\$116,7	<u></u>	116,712.18

## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

		20,000.00			20,000.00	Ш
NCE	UNFL					
BALANCE DECEMBED 31 2015	FUNDED	\$	450.75	4,030.10	4,480.85 \$	ш
		θ	9,549.25	5,969.90	15,519.15 \$	E-5
2016		в	10,000.00	10,000.00	20,000.00 \$	E-13
	<u>-N</u>	\$			\$	
E 1 201 4	UNFUNDED	20,000.00			20,000.00	ш
BALANCE		в			\$	
BALANCE DECEMBER 31,2014 FUNDED UNFU	FUNDED					ш
	AMOUNT	20,000.00 \$	10,000.00	10,000.00	\$	REF.
	DATE	11/10/2008 \$	02/9/2015	09/14/2015		
	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment		
	NUMBER	2008-12	2015-01	2015-08		

## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF FIXED CAPITAL

ACCOUNT			BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>		BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2014</u>
Miscellaneous Equipment		\$	4,612.00	\$	4,612.00
Improvement Authorizations:					
Construction of Sanitary Sewer System:					
1974			1,200,000.00		1,200,000.00
1975			165,000.00		165,000.00
1977			362,900.00		362,900.00
1979			157,100.00		157,100.00
Safety Equipment			4,387.00		4,387.00
Engineering Studies			19,600.00		19,600.00
Pump Station Stairways and Landings			18,929.00		18,929.00
Chemical Tank			4,400.00		4,400.00
Comminutor			13,094.00		13,094.00
Repair and Improvements to the Wastewater					
Collection System		_	929,634.48		929,634.48
		\$_	2,879,656.48	\$_	2,879,656.48
	<u>REF.</u>		Е		E

## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION

	<u>REF.</u>		
Balance, December 31, 2014	Е		\$ 2,481,001.33
Increased by: Bonds Paid by Budget Loans Paid by Budget	E-19 E-11	\$ 27,442.48 54,618.49	 82,060.97
Balance, December 31, 2015	Е		\$ 2,563,062.30

### SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

### SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR DEFERRED AMORTIZATION

	<u>REF.</u>	
Increased by: Transferred from Capital Improvement Fund	E-15	\$ 20,000.00
Balance, December 31, 2015	E	\$ 20,000.00

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### SCHEDULE OF RESERVE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

Balance, December 31, 2014 and December 31, 2015

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## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF BONDS PAYABLE

BALANCE DECEMBER	<u>31, 2015</u>	124,407.87
	DECREASED	151,850.35 \$ 27,442.48 \$ 124,407.87
BALANCE DECEMBER	<u>31, 2014</u>	3 151,850.35 \$
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OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 2015	AMOUNT	28,814.61 30,255.34 31,768.10 33,569.82
TSTANI MBER 3		\$
DECEI	DATE	000.00 12/02/16 12/02/17 12/02/18 12/02/19
AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL	ISSUE	591,000.00
		\$
DATE OF ORIGINAL	ISSUE	1979
	IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	Sewer Improvements

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## SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

## SCHEDULE OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED

IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION	BALANCE DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>
Repair and Improvement of the Wastewater Collection System Acquisition and Installation of Capital Equipment	\$ 2,120.48 20,000.00
	\$ 22,120.48

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## <u>PART II</u>

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

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

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



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

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council Borough of Stockton County of Hunterdon Stockton, New Jersey 08559

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the regulatory financial statements of the various individual funds and the account group of the Borough of Stockton, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Borough's regulatory financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated August 29, 2016. Our report disclosed that, as described in Note 1 to the financial statements, the Borough of Stockton prepares its financial statements on a basis of accounting prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, that demonstrates compliance with a modified accrual basis and the budget laws of the State of New Jersey, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Also, a Statement of General Fixed Assets has been omitted from the financial statements.

## Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified. However, we noted certain immaterial matters involving internal control that we have reported to the Borough of Stockton in the General Comments and Recommendations Section of the audit report.

### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Borough'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 determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*. However, there were immaterial instances of noncompliance which are discussed in Part III, General Comments and Recommendations Section of the audit report.

### Purpose of This Report

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

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

REGISTERED MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTANT NO. 439

August 29, 2016

## SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

CUMULATIVE	EXPENDITURES	2015	RECEIVED EXPENDITURES 31, 2015			\$ 124,268.88	\$ \$ 124,268.88
	GRANT	AWARD	AMOUNT			155,937.00 \$	
		<b>GRANT PERIOD</b>	FROM TO			Continuous \$	
			STATE ACCOUNT NUMBER			2011-078-6320-001-AK3	
	FEDERAL	CFDA	NUMBER			20.205	
		FEDERAL GRANTOR/PASS THROUGH	<b>GRANTOR/PROGRAM TITLE</b>	Department of Transportation Highway Planning and Construction - Passed	Through the New Jersey Department of	nansportation Old Prallsville Road	Totals

SCHEDULE 2

## BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

## SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

CUMULATIVE EXPENDITURES DECEMBER <u>31, 2015</u>	89.46	89.46
2015 EXPENDITURES	θ	Ŷ
2015 FUNDS <u>RECEIVED</u>	\$	4,000.00 \$
GRANT AWARD AMOUNT	4,000.00 \$ 4,000.00 4,000.00 4,000.00 400.00 537.34 129.94 578.96	÷
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GRANT PERIOD OM TO	Continuous Continuous Continuous Continuous Unappropriated Continuous Continuous Continuous	
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STATE ACCOUNT NUMBER	4900-765-042-4900-004-V42Y-6020 4900-765-042-4900-004-V42Y-6020 4900-765-042-4900-004-V42Y-6020 4900-765-042-4900-004-V42Y-6020 4900-752-042-4900-001-V42Y-6020 4900-752-042-4900-001-V42Y-6020 4900-752-042-4900-001-V42Y-6020 4900-752-042-4900-001-V42Y-6020 4900-752-042-4900-001-V42Y-6020	
STATE GRANTOR/PROGRAM TITLE	Department of Environmental Protection Clean Communities Program Clean Communities Program Clean Communities Program Clean Communities Program Recycling Tonnage Grant Recycling Tonnage Grant Recycling Tonnage Grant Recycling Tonnage Grant	<u>Total</u>

Total

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

## YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

## NOTE 1. GENERAL

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of financial awards and financial assistance present the activity of all federal and state financial assistance programs of the Borough of Stockton, County of Hunterdon, New Jersey. All federal and state financial assistance received directly from federal or state agencies, as well as federal financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance.

## NOTE 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying schedules of expenditures of financial assistance are presented on the prescribed basis of accounting, modified accrual basis with certain exceptions, prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, that demonstrates compliance with the budget laws of New Jersey, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting, other then generally accepted accounting principles. The basis of accounting, with exception, is described in Note 1 to the Borough's financial statements - regulatory basis.

## NOTE 3. RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules of expenditures agree with the amounts reported in the related federal and state financial reports.

## NOTE 4. RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - REGULATORY BASIS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules agree with amounts reported in the Borough's regulatory basis financial statements. These amounts are reported in the Current Fund, Grant Fund, General Capital Fund or Trust Other Fund. Reconciliations of revenues and expenses are presented on the following page.

## NOTE 4. RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - REGULATORY BASIS (CONTINUED)

Revenues:	<u>State</u>	<u>Total</u>
Grant Fund	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 4,000.00
	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 4,000.00

## NOTE 5. OTHER

Matching contributions expended by the Borough in accordance with terms of the various grants are not reported in the accompanying schedules.

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<u>PART III</u>

## BOROUGH OF STOCKTON

STATISTICAL DATA

LIST OF OFFICIALS

COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE - CURRENT FUND

		YEAR 2015		YEAR 2014		
	_	AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%	
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED						
Fund Balance Utilized Miscellaneous-from other than Local Property	\$	163,000.00	7.01% \$	163,000.00	7.16%	
Tax Levies		258,886.52	11.13%	186,547.38	8.20%	
Collection of Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens		19,324.45	0.83%	26,909.25	1.18%	
Collection of Current Tax Levy	_	1,884,348.50	81.03%	1,899,113.44	83.46%	
TOTAL INCOME	\$	2,325,559.47	100.00% \$	2,275,570.07	100.00%	
EXPENDITURES						
Budget Expenditures:						
Municipal Purposes	\$	561,440.20	26.59% \$	535,290.35	25.42%	
County Taxes		342,309.97	16.21%	335,638.57	15.94%	
School Taxes		1,206,017.00	57.12%	1,233,198.00	58.57%	
Other	_	1,462.14	0.07%	1,378.17	0.07%	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	2,111,229.31	100.00% \$	2,105,505.09	100.00%	
Excess in Revenue	\$	214,330.16	\$	170,064.98		
Fund Balance, January 1	—	308,028.64		300,963.66		
	\$	522,358.80	\$	471,028.64		
Less: Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	_	163,000.00		163,000.00		
Fund Balance, December 31	\$	359,358.80	\$	308,028.64		

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE-WATER UTILITY FUND

		YEAR 2015		YEAR 2014	
	_	AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED					
Fund Balance Utilized Collection of Water Rents Miscellaneous-from other than Water Rents	\$	13,000.00 85,328.05 8,767.50	\$	84,705.31 14,402.40	85.47% 14.54%
TOTAL INCOME	\$	107,095.55	100.00% \$	99,107.71	100.00%
EXPENDITURES					
Budget Expenditures: Operating Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures Debt Service Capital Improvements	\$	84,660.00 1,400.00 4,215.00 7,000.00	\$	68,034.00 1,256.00 6,200.00 4,500.00	85.05% 1.57% 7.75% 5.63%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	97,275.00	100.00% \$	79,990.00	100.00%
Excess in Revenue to Fund Balance	\$	9,820.55	\$	19,117.71	
Fund Balance, January 1	_	157,695.16	_	138,577.45	
	\$	167,515.71	\$	157,695.16	
Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	—	13,000.00	-		
Fund Balance, December 31	\$ _	154,515.71	\$ _	157,695.16	

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE-SEWER UTILITY FUND

		YEAR 2015		YEAR 2014		
	_	AMOUNT	%	AMOUNT	%	
REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED						
Fund Balance Utilized Collection of Sewer Rents Miscellaneous - from other than Sewer Rents	\$	26,954.30 277,675.95 8,384.59	\$ 88.71% <u>2.68%</u>	284,477.20 27,978.95	91.05% 8.95%	
TOTAL INCOME	\$	313,014.84	100.00% \$	312,456.15	100.00%	
EXPENDITURES						
Budget Expenditures: Operating Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures Debt Service Capital Improvements Other	\$	167,500.00 6,609.50 101,860.97 35,022.00	53.86% \$ 2.13% 32.75% 11.26%	133,537.50 1,456.04 105,461.78 17,022.00 26,792.55	46.98% 0.51% 37.10% 5.99% 9.43%	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$	310,992.47	100.00% \$	284,269.87	100.00%	
Excess in Revenue	\$	2,022.37	\$	28,186.28		
Adjustments to Income before Fund Balance: Expenditures Included Above which are by Statute Deferred Charges to Budget of Succeeding Year	_		-	5,259.50		
	\$	2,022.37	\$	33,445.78		
Fund Balance, January 1	_	274,863.98	-	241,418.20		
	\$	276,886.35	\$	274,863.98		
Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	_	26,954.30	-			
Fund Balance, December 31	\$ =	249,932.05	\$ _	274,863.98		

## COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF TAX RATE INFORMATION

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Tax Rate	\$2.065	\$2.059	\$2.122
Appointment of Tax Rate: Municipal	\$0.402	\$0.382	\$0.366
County	0.307	0.300	0.302
County Open Space	0.030	0.029	0.030
County Library	0.031	0.030	0.031
District School			0.702
Regional School	1.295	1.318	0.691

Assessed Valuations:

2015	\$ 93,131,630.00			
2014		\$ 93,562,795.00		
2013			\$_	93,646,236.00

## COMPARISON OF TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTION CURRENTLY

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.

			Currently		
		-	Cash	Percentage of	
Year	<u>Tax Levy</u>		<b>Collections</b>	Collection	
2015	\$ 1,925,485.20	\$	1,884,348.50	97.86%	
2014	1,926,457.98		1,899,113.44	98.58%	
2013	1,987,173.10		1,956,887.71	98.48%	

## DELINQUENT TAXES AND TAX TITLE LIENS

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

	AMOUNT OF		
	DELINQUENT	TOTAL	PERCENTAGE
<u>YEAR</u>	<u>TAXES</u>	DELINQUENT	<u>OF TAX LEVY</u>
2015	\$ 35,028.36	\$ 35,028.36	1.82%
2014	19,324.45	19,324.45	1.00%
2013	26,910.35	26,910.35	1.35%

## PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY TAX TITLE LIEN LIQUIDATION

The Borough has no property acquired by foreclosure or deed as a result of liquidation of outstanding tax title liens.

## COMPARISON OF WATER UTILITY LEVIES

		CASH
<u>YEAR</u>	<u>LEVY</u>	COLLECTIONS
2015	\$ 85,617.87	\$ 85,328.05
2014	84,740.32	84,705.31
2013	83,073.80	83,916.30

\* Includes Collection of Prior Year Levies

## COMPARISON OF SEWER UTILITY LEVIES

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>LEVY</u>	CASH COLLECTIONS
2015 2014 2013	\$ 281,907.20 279,309.16 277,088.60	\$ 277,675.95 284,477.20 274,419.89

\* Includes Collection of Prior Year Levies

## COMPARATIVE SCHEDULE OF FUND BALANCES

	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>[</u>	BALANCE DECEMBER 31	UTILIZED IN BUDGET OF <u>SUCCEEDING YEAR</u>
Current Fund	2015 2014 2013 2012 2011	\$	357,169.93 308,028.64 300,963.66 337,291.72 272,645.47	\$ 163,000.00 163,000.00 163,000.00 163,000.00 124,084.67
Water Utility Operating Fund	2015 2014 2013 2012 2011	\$	154,515.71 157,695.16 138,577.45 113,553.07 88,252.06	\$ 13,195.00 13,000.00 -0- -0- -0-
Sewer Utility Operating Fund	2015 2014 2013 2012 2011	\$	249,932.05 274,863.98 241,418.20 157,779.88 148,654.75	\$ 22,800.00 26,954.30 -0- -0- -0-

## OFFICIALS IN OFFICE AND SURETY BONDS

The following officials were in office during the period under audit:

NAME	TITLE	AMOUNT <u>OF BOND</u>	NAME OF SURETY
Timothy Nemeth	Mayor		
Nic Messina	Council President		
Donald Vandegrift	Councilman		
Aaron Lipsen	Councilman		
Tony Grecco	Councilman		
Adam Juncosa	Councilman		
Kathryn Steffanelli	Councilwoman		
Donna Griffiths	Tax/Utilities Collector, Deputy Clerk	\$80,000.00	Selective Insurance Company
Michele Hovan	Borough Clerk/Administrator, Registrar of Vital Statistics		
Diane McDaniel	Chief Municipal Finance Officer	\$250,000.00	Selective Insurance Company
Michelle Trivigno	Assessor		
Edward Martin	Magistrate		
Cindy Hooven	Court Administrator		

All bonds were examined and were properly executed.

The Borough does not maintain blanket bond coverage for individuals not specifically covered by a separate bond.

## GENERAL COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

## GENERAL COMMENTS

## CONTRACTS AND AGREEMENTS REQUIRED TO BE ADVERTISED FOR (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4)

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 by the governing body of the contracting unit after public advertising for bids and bidding therefor, 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 amount set forth in or the amount calculated by the Governor pursuant to Section 3 of P.L. 1971 c.198 (C.40A:11-3), except by contract or agreement.

Effective January 1, 2011, the bid threshold in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 is \$17,500.00. In accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-3 and authorized by a resolution dated October 30, 2006 of the governing body, the bid threshold for all purchases made by the Borough's qualified purchasing agent is \$29,000.00.

The governing body of the Municipality has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed \$29,000.00 within the fiscal year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of the statute, the Solicitor's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

The minutes did not indicate that any bids were requested by public advertising in 2015.

Inasmuch as the system of records did not provide for an accumulation of payments for categories for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the results of such an accumulation could not reasonably be ascertained. Disbursements were reviewed, however, to determine whether any clear cut violations existed. Our audit of expenditures did not reveal any individual payments, contracts or agreements in excess of \$29,000.00 "for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, other than those where bids had been previously sought by public advertisement or where a resolution had been previously adopted under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6".

The minutes indicate that resolution authorizing contracts or agreements for "Professional Services" per N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5 was advertised during 2015 for the following professional services:

Borough Auditor Borough Engineer Borough Attorney Planning Board Attorney Bond Counsel

## COLLECTION OF INTEREST ON DELINQUENT TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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 1, 2015 adopted the following resolution authorizing interest to be charged on delinquent taxes.

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 54:4-67 permits the governing body of each municipality to fix the rate of interest to be charged for non-payment of taxes or assessments subject to any abatement or discount for the late payment of taxes as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 54:4-67 has been amended to permit the fixing of said rate of 8% per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of delinquency and 18% per annum on any amount in excess of \$1,500.00 and allows an additional penalty of 6% be collected against a delinquency in excess of \$10,000.00 on properties that fail to pay the delinquency prior to the end of the calendar year.

- 1. The Tax Collector and Water and Sewer Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to charge 8% per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of delinquency after the due date and 18% per annum on any delinquencies in excess of \$1,500.00 becoming delinquent after the due date and if a delinquency is in excess of \$10,000.00 and remains in arrears beyond December 31 an additional penalty of 6% shall be charged against the delinquency.
- 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that these interest rates be effective for the year 2015.

It appears from an examination of the records that interest was collected in accordance with the forgoing resolution.

### DELINQUENT TAXES AND TAX TITLE LIENS

No tax sale was held in 2015.

The following comparison is made of the number of tax title liens receivable on December 31st of the last three years:

YEAR	NUMBER OF LIENS
2015	None
2014	None
2013	None

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

## OTHER COMMENTS

## Interfunds

Transactions invariably occur in one fund which requires a corresponding entry to be made in another fund, thus creating interfund balances. References to the various balance sheets show the interfund balances remaining at year end. As a general rule all interfund balances should be closed out as of the end of the year.

It is the Borough's policy to review and liquidate all interfund balances on a periodic basis.

### OTHER

### Fixed Assets

The General Fixed Assets Ledger has not been updated since 2006.

### Other Fund Vouchers

The Borough has not maintained a complete encumbrance accounting system in accordance with the minimum requirements as promulgated by the Division of Local Government Services. We noted that several purchase orders are processed as confirming orders. This is where goods have been received or services have been rendered prior to the issuance of a purchase order. In effect, the controls that minimize the possibility of overexpenditures and unauthorized purchases are not in operation.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

\*That the Fixed Assets Ledger be updated for all additions and deletions.

\*That the Borough issue a purchase order prior to the purchase of any goods or services.

\*Prior Year Recommendations