CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Year Ended December 31, 2014

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen City of Willard Willard, Missouri

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying modified cash basis financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, and each major fund of the City of Willard, Missouri, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting as described in Note A; this includes determining that the modified cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. 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 misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

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

Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen City of Willard Willard, Missouri

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

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective modified cash basis financial position of the governmental activities, business-type activities, and each major fund of the City of Willard, Missouri, as of December 31, 2014, and the respective changes in the modified cash basis financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with the basis of accounting described in Note A.

Basis of Accounting

As described in Note A, the City of Willard, Missouri, prepares its financial statements on the modified cash basis, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this manner.

Disclaimer of Opinion on Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Willard, Missouri's basic financial statements. The budgetary comparison information and Schedule of Funding Progress, which are the responsibility of management, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not required parts of the basic financial statements. Such information has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen City of Willard Willard, Missouri

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated April 29, 2015, on our consideration of the City of Willard, Missouri's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the 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 City of Willard, Missouri's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Springfield, Missouri

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April 29, 2015

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI STATEMENT OF NET POSITION – MODIFIED CASH BASIS December 31, 2014

	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		 Total
ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents - unrestricted Investments - unrestricted Cash and cash equivalents - restricted	\$	534,131 76,296 322,002	\$	2,100,009 - 180,159	\$ 2,634,140 76,296 502,161
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	932,429	\$	2,280,168	\$ 3,212,597
NET POSITION Restricted Unrestricted	\$	322,002 610,427	\$	180,159 2,100,009	\$ 502,161 2,710,436
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$	932,429	\$	2,280,168	\$ 3,212,597

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES – MODIFIED CASH BASIS Year Ended December 31, 2014

Program Receipts and Changes in Net Position Charges Operating Capital Businessfor Grants and Grants and Governmental Type Disbursements Services Contributions Contributions Activities Activities Total Functions/Programs Governmental Activities Administrative (277,568)\$ 75,435 \$ 747 \$ 10,422 \$ (190,964)\$ (190,964)Public safety (671,631)63,486 1,216 (606,929)(606,929)(392,398)26,727 (365,671)(365,671)Streets Planning and development 74,103 15,441 15,441 (58,662)Emergency management (21,192)8,016 (13,176)(13,176)Parks and recreation (720,118)381,871 (338,247)(338,247)Debt service (400,465)(400,465)(400,465)TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES (2,542,034)594,895 9,979 37,149 (1,900,011)(1,900,011)**Business-Type Activities** Water and sewer (4,809,425)2,475,026 (2,334,399)(2,334,399)2,475,026 TOTAL BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES (4,809,425)(2,334,399)(2,334,399)\$ (7,351,459) TOTAL GOVERNMENT 3,069,921 \$ 9,979 \$ 37,149 (1,900,011)(2,334,399)(4,234,410)General Receipts: Property taxes 204,514 204,514 Sales taxes 1,188,636 1,188,636 Franchise taxes 322,798 322,798 Motor vehicle taxes 199,402 199,402 Interest 1.138 1,950 3,088 Other receipts 35,864 35,864 Transfers (30,367)30,367 Special Item: Certificate of participation proceeds 2,295,000 2,295,000 Total General Receipts, Transfers, and Special Item 1,921,985 2,327,317 4,249,302 21,974 (7,082)14,892 Changes in Net Position NET POSITION, Beginning of year 910,455 2,287,250 3,197,705 NET POSITION, End of year 932,429 2,280,168 3,212,597

See accompanying notes.

Net (Disbursements), Receipts

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCES – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS – MODIFIED CASH BASIS

December 31, 2014

				Special			
			Revenue				
		Fund					
						Total	
	(General		Park	Gov	vernmental	
		Fund		Fund		Funds	
ASSETS							
Cash and cash equivalents - unrestricted	\$	450,821	\$	83,310	\$	534,131	
Investments - unrestricted		76,296		_		76,296	
Cash and cash equivalents - restricted		21,002		301,000		322,002	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	548,119	\$	384,310	\$	932,429	
FUND BALANCE							
Restricted for:							
Court bonds	\$	561	\$	-	\$	561	
Capital improvements		20,441		-		20,441	
Debt service		-		301,000		301,000	
Assigned to:							
Parks and recreation		-		83,310		83,310	
Unassigned		527,117		_		527,117	
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	\$	548,119	\$	384,310	\$	932,429	

See accompanying notes.

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS – MODIFIED CASH BASIS Year Ended December 31, 2014

		Special Revenue Fund		
	 General Fund	 Park Fund	Go	Total overnmental Funds
RECEIPTS				
Taxes	\$ 1,427,805	\$ 487,545	\$	1,915,350
Licenses and permits	79,087	-		79,087
Intergovernmental receipts	46,381	-		46,381
Charges for services	70,451	381,871		452,322
Fines and forfeitures	63,486	-		63,486
Miscellaneous	 18,289	 19,460		37,749
TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,705,499	888,876		2,594,375
DISBURSEMENTS				
Current				
Administrative	277,568	-		277,568
Public safety	671,631	-		671,631
Streets	392,398	-		392,398
Planning and development	58,662	-		58,662
Emergency management	21,192	-		21,192
Parks and recreation	-	720,118		720,118
Debt service				
Principal and interest	 	400,465		400,465
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	 1,421,451	 1,120,583		2,542,034
EXCESS (DEFICIT) OF RECEIPTS				
OVER DISBURSEMENTS	284,048	(231,707)		52,341
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Operating transfers in (out)	 14,992	 (45,359)		(30,367)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING				
SOURCES (USES)	 14,992	(45,359)		(30,367)
EXCESS (DEFICIT) OF RECEIPTS AND OTHER SOURCES OVER				
DISBURSEMENTS AND OTHER (USES)	299,040	(277,066)		21,974
FUND BALANCE, January 1, 2014	249,079	661,376		910,455
FUND BALANCE, December 31, 2014	\$ 548,119	\$ 384,310	\$	932,429

See accompanying notes.

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI STATEMENT OF NET POSITION – PROPRIETARY FUND – MODIFIED CASH BASIS December 31, 2014

		Water and Sewer Fund	
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents - unrestricted		\$	2,100,009
Cash and cash equivalents - restricted			180,159
	TOTAL ASSETS	\$	2,280,168
NET POSITION			
Restricted		\$	180,159
Unrestricted			2,100,009
	TOTAL NET POSITION	\$	2,280,168

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION – PROPRIETARY FUND – MODIFIED CASH BASIS

Year Ended December 31, 2014

			Water and ewer Fund
OPERATING RECEIPTS Charges for services Other		\$	2,454,834 20,192
TOTAL OPERATII	NG RECEIPTS		2,475,026
OPERATING DISBURSEMENTS	NO RECEII 13		2,473,020
Water Services			
Wages and benefits			297,122
Professional services			41,850
Utilities			102,142
Insurance			34,546
Supplies			70,542
Travel, meetings & dues Vehicle expense			9,583 13,321
Repairs and maintenance			29,005
Rent			3,000
Advertising			117
Miscellaneous			35
Sewer Services			
Wages and benefits			278,745
Professional services			18,655
Sewer charges Utilities			455,166 60,341
Insurance			33,488
Supplies			53,355
Travel, meetings & dues			5,713
Vehicle expense			13,124
Repairs and maintenance			21,537
Rent			3,000
Miscellaneous			35
Trash Services Trash			210 602
	NID CENTENTE		210,693
TOTAL OPERATING DISE			1,755,115
OPERAT	TING INCOME		719,911
NONOPERATING RECEIPTS (DISBURSEMENTS)			
Interest receipts			1,950
Capital outlay			(201,507)
Certificate of participation proceeds Debt service			2,295,000
Principal payment			(2,615,000)
Debt issue costs			(50,000)
Interest payment			(187,803)
TOTAL NONOPERATING RECEIPTS (DISB)	URSEMENTS)		(757,360)
(LOSS) BEFORE OPERATING	•		(37,449)
OPERATING TRANSFERS IN			30,367
	NET (LOSS)		(7,082)
NET POSITION, January 1	· - ·-··/		2,287,250
NET POSITION, December 31		\$	2,280,168
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See accompanying notes.

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS – PROPRIETARY FUND – MODIFIED CASH BASIS Year Ended December 31, 2014

		Water and lewer Fund
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Cash received from customers	\$	2,475,026
Cash paid to suppliers		(1,179,248)
Cash paid to employees		(575,867)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		719,911
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Transfers from other funds		30,367
NET CASH PROVIDED BY NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		30,367
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND		
RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Certificate of participation proceeds		2,295,000
Issuance costs		(50,000)
Payment of debt service		(2,802,803)
Purchase of capital assets		(201,507)
NET CASH (USED) BY CAPITAL AND		
RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(759,310)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Interest received on investments		1,950
NET CASH PROVIDED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES		1,950
NET (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(7,082)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, Beginning of year		2,287,250
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, End of year		2,280,168
LESS RESTRICTED CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		180,159
UNRESTRICTED CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	\$	2,100,009
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Operating income	\$	719,911
Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash provided by operating activities		
	ф.	710.011
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$	719,911

See accompanying notes.

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The City of Willard, Missouri, (the City) operates under a Mayor - Board of Aldermen form of government and provides the following services: public safety, streets, parks and recreation, planning and development, emergency management, and general administrative services. Other services include water, sewer, and trash operations.

The accounting policies of the City conform to the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applicable to governments. The following is a summary of the more significant policies.

Financial Reporting Entity

The City of Willard, Missouri, is a primary government that is governed by an elected Board of Aldermen. As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the City has evaluated the criteria to determine whether any other entity meets the definition of a component unit and must be included in these financial statements. The City has determined that no other outside entity meets the criteria and, therefore, no other entity has been included as a component unit in the City's basic financial statements. In addition, the City is not aware of any entity for which the City would be considered as a component unit of that entity.

Basis of Presentation

The basic financial statements include both the government-wide (the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and fund financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities display information about the reporting government as a whole. They include all funds of the reporting entity. Governmental activities, which are financed mostly through taxes and intergovernmental receipts, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely mostly on fees and charges for services for support.

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The accounts of the City are organized on the basis of funds, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, fund balance, receipts, and disbursements. Government resources are allocated to and accounted for in individual funds based upon the purposes for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled. The funds of the City are as follows:

GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES

<u>General Fund</u>: The General Fund is the general operating fund of the City. It is used to account for all financial resources not accounted for in other funds.

<u>Park Fund</u>: The Park Fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditures for parks and recreation.

PROPRIETARY FUND TYPE

<u>Water and Sewer Fund</u>: The Water and Sewer Fund is used to account for the activities and capital improvements of the City's water and sewer operations.

Basis of Accounting

The government-wide Statement of Assets and Net Position and Statement of Activities, as well as the fund financial statements, are presented using a modified cash basis of accounting. This basis recognizes assets, net position/fund balance, receipts, and disbursements when they result from cash transactions. The modification to the cash basis relates to the presentation of investments. This basis is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As a result of the use of the modified cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues (such as accounts receivable and revenue for billed or provided services not yet collected) and certain liabilities and their related expenditures/expenses (such as accounts payable and expenditures/expenses for goods or services received but not yet paid, and accrued expenditures and liabilities) *are not recorded* in these financial statements.

If the City utilized the basis of accounting recognized as generally accepted in the United States of America, the fund financial statements for the governmental funds would use the modified accrual basis of accounting and the proprietary fund would use the accrual basis of accounting. All government-wide financial statements would be presented on the accrual basis of accounting and would include capital assets and long-term debt.

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the City considers all accounts subject to withdrawal by check or on-demand to be cash equivalents.

Vacation and Sick Leave

Utilization of accumulated vacation and sick leave by employees in future years is not expected to have a material impact on City disbursements in any one year.

Property Taxes

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Taxes are levied on November 1 and are due and payable at that time. All unpaid taxes levied November 1 become delinquent after December 31 of that year.

Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt arising from cash transactions is not reported in the government-wide financial statements or the fund financial statements, which is consistent with the modified cash basis of accounting. Debt proceeds are reported as other financing sources and payment of principle and interest is reported as disbursements.

Capital Outlay

Capital assets are property and equipment purchases and are recorded as disbursements at the time the goods are paid for and received.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and net position at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Fund Balance Classification

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report aggregate amounts for five classifications of fund balances based on constraints imposed on the use of these resources as follows:

Nonspendable fund balance – This classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either a) not in spendable form or b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted fund balance – This classification reflects the constraints imposed on resources either a) externally by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed fund balance – These amounts can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal resolutions of the Board of Aldermen – the government's highest level of decision making authority. Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Board removes the specified use by taking the same type of action imposing the commitment.

Assigned fund balance – This classification reflects the amounts constrained by the City's "intent" to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. Assigned fund balances include all remaining amounts (except negative balances) that are reported in the governmental funds, other than the General Fund, that are not classified as nonspendable and are neither restricted nor committed.

Unassigned fund balance – This fund balance is the residual classification for the General Fund. It is also used to report negative fund balances in other governmental funds.

In circumstances when a disbursement is made for a purpose for which amounts are available in multiple fund balance classifications, fund balance is depleted in the order of restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned.

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Net Position

In the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements, equity is displayed in two components as follows:

Restricted net position – Consists of the net position with constraints placed on the use either by (1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments; or (2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net position – Consists of the financial position that does not meet the definition of "restricted".

When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available, the City first applies restricted net position.

Program Receipts

In the Statement of Activities, receipts that are derived directly from each activity or from parties outside the City's taxpayers are reported as program receipts. These include 1) charges for city court fines, licenses and permits, planning and zoning services, parks and recreation services or privileges provided, 2) operating grants and contributions, and 3) capital grants and contributions. All other governmental receipts are reported as general. All taxes are classified as general receipts, even if restricted for a specific purpose.

NOTE B – CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

State statutes require that the City's deposits be collateralized in the name of the City by the trust department of a bank that does not hold the collateralized deposits. As of December 31, 2014, all bank balances on deposit are entirely insured or collateralized.

NOTE C – INVESTMENTS

Investments of the City of Willard, Missouri, as of December 31, 2014, are as follows:

Investment Type	Maturity	 Total
Certificates of Deposit	12/29/2015 - 8/17/2016	\$ 76,296

Certificates of Deposit

Certificates of Deposit with maturities in excess of three months are classified as investments but are considered deposits for custodial risk determination. State statutes require that the City's deposits be collateralized in the name of the City by the trust department of a bank that does not hold the collateralized deposits. As of December 31, 2014, all Certificates of Deposit are entirely insured or collateralized with securities.

Interest Rate Risk

The City's investment policy limits its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates by limiting the City's investment portfolio to short-term maturities. All investments are held to maturity.

NOTE D - RESTRICTED ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents, fund balance, and net position have been restricted as follows:

	Cash	estricted and Cash aivalents	Restricted Fund Balance/ Net Position		
GENERAL FUND	Eqt	arvaicints		t I Oshion	
Court Bonds	\$	561	\$	561	
Capital Improvement Sales Tax		20,441	·	20,441	
	\$	21,002	\$	21,002	

NOTE D – RESTRICTED ASSETS (continued)

	Cash	estricted a and Cash uivalents	Restricted Fund Balance/ Net Position		
PARK FUND					
2008 Certificates of Participation					
Debt Service Reserve Fund	\$	301,000	\$	301,000	
WATER & SEWER FUND					
Customer Utility Deposits	\$	180,159	\$	180,159	

NOTE E - ASSESSED VALUATION, TAX LEVY, AND LEGAL DEBT MARGIN

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Taxes are levied on November 1 and are payable December 31. The county collects the property taxes and remits them to the City.

The assessed valuation of the tangible property and the tax levies per \$100 assessed valuation of that property were as follows:

		 2014
Assessed Valuation		
Real estate		\$ 43,907,760
Personal property		 9,255,687
	TOTAL	\$ 53,163,447
		2014
Tax Rates Per \$100 of Assessed Valuation		
General Fund		\$.4101
Park Fund		.1255
	TOTAL	\$.5356

NOTE E – ASSESSED VALUATION, TAX LEVY, AND LEGAL DEBT MARGIN (continued)

The legal debt margin at December 31, 2014, was computed as follows:

	General Obligation Bonds						
	Ordinary (1)		Ac	dditional (2)		Total	
Constitutional Debt Limit	\$	5,316,345	\$	5,316,345	\$	10,632,690	
General Obligation Bonds Payable							
LEGAL DEBT MARGIN	\$	5,316,345	\$	5,316,345	\$	10,632,690	

- (1) Under Article VI, Section 26(b) and (c), Missouri Constitution, the City, by vote of its qualified electors voting therein, may incur an indebtedness for any purpose authorized in the charter of the City or by any general law of the State of Missouri. The borrowings authorized by this section shall not exceed ten percent of the value of the taxable tangible property in the City.
- (2) Under Article VI, Section 26(d) and (e), Missouri Constitution, the City, by vote of its qualified electors voting therein, may become indebted not exceeding in the aggregate an additional ten percent for the purpose of acquiring rights of way, constructing, extending, and improving streets and avenues, and/or sanitary or storm sewer systems; and purchasing or constructing waterworks, electric or other light plants, provided that the total general obligation indebtedness of the City does not exceed twenty percent of the value of the taxable tangible property in the City.

NOTE F – LONG-TERM DEBT – GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Long-term debt for governmental activities at December 31, 2014, consists of the 2008 and 2006 Certificates of Participation, Capital Improvements Loan, a capital lease obligation, and compensated absences.

NOTE F – LONG-TERM DEBT – GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES (continued)

Certificates of Participation

On October 1, 2008, the City issued \$3,010,000 in Series 2008 Certificates of Participation for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, and installing certain additions to the City's parks and recreation system, being in particular a new aquatics facility for the City. The Certificates of Participation bear interest from 4.50% to 6.625% with principal payments due May 15 and interest payments due May 15 and November 15 each year. The annual debt service requirements to amortize the principal on the Certificates of Participation outstanding at December 31, 2014, are as follows:

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December 31,	Principal Principal	Principal Interest	
2015	\$ 30,0	000 \$ 187,63	36 \$ 217,636
2016	25,0	000 186,17	79 211,179
2017	25,0	000 184,85	209,853
2018	20,0	183,66	203,662
2019	15,0	182,69	197,690
2020	5,0	182,10	187,103
2021	5,0	000 181,81	0 186,810
2022		- 181,66	52 181,662
2023	185,0	000 176,22	361,228
2024	195,0	164,33	359,335
2025	210,0	000 150,91	8 360,918
2026	225,0	000 136,51	0 361,510
2027	240,0	000 121,10	361,106
2028	255,0	104,70	9 359,709
2029	275,0	000 87,49	362,497
2030	290,0	000 69,48	359,488
2031	310,0	50,36	360,362
2032	635,0	000 20,24	655,241
	\$ 2,945,0	900 \$ 2,551,98	\$ 5,496,989

NOTE F – LONG-TERM DEBT – GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES (continued)

On November 15, 2006, the City issued \$1,555,000 in Series 2006 Certificates of Participation for the purpose of providing funds to acquire certain additions to the City's parks and recreation system for the City and provide monies into escrow to refund the remaining Series 2001 Certificates of Participation on August 1, 2008. The Certificates of Participation bear interest from 4.25% to 4.65% with principal payments due May 15 and interest payments due May 15 and November 15 each year. The annual debt service requirements to amortize the principal on the Certificates of Participation outstanding at December 31, 2014, are as follows:

Year Ended December 31,	F	Principal	Interest	Total
2015	\$	95,000	\$ 47,012	\$ 142,012
2016		105,000	42,561	147,561
2017		115,000	37,666	152,666
2018		125,000	32,201	157,201
2019		140,000	26,040	166,040
2020		155,000	19,182	174,182
2021		160,000	11,857	171,857
2022		175,000	4,069	179,069
	\$	1,070,000	\$ 220,588	\$ 1,290,588

Loan

On September 25, 2012, the City renewed the balance of a loan obtained from Mid-Missouri Bank originally issued for \$200,000 in 2009 for the purpose of performing capital improvements. The loan bears interest at the rate of 5.25% with interest payments due monthly and principal payments due annually on September 25. The annual debt service requirements to amortize the principal of the loan outstanding at December 31, 2014, are due as follows:

Year Ended							
December 31,	<u>P1</u>	Principal		Interest		Total	
2015	\$	32,920	\$	2,362	\$	35,282	

NOTE F – LONG-TERM DEBT – GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES (continued)

Capital Lease Obligation

On June 21, 2013, the City entered into a cancelable lease purchase agreement with Great Southern Bank to finance the purchase of three police vehicles for \$75,000. The lease agreement requires annual payments in June of each year including interest of 1.62%.

The following is a schedule of the future minimum lease payments under the lease agreement (assuming noncancellation):

Year Ended		
December 31,		
2015		\$ 17,211
2016		17,211
	TOTAL MINIMUM LEASE PAYMENTS	34,422
	LESS AMOUNT REPRESENTING INTEREST	(821)
	PRINCIPAL BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 2014	\$ 33,601

The following table is a summary of the changes in the long-term debt of the governmental activities:

	Balance			Balance
	December 31,			December 31,
	2013	Additions	Retirements	2014
2008 Certificates of Participation	\$ 2,975,000	\$ -	\$ 30,000	\$ 2,945,000
2006 Certificates of Participation	1,160,000	-	90,000	1,070,000
Capital improvements loan	66,920	-	34,000	32,920
Capital lease obligation	50,000	-	16,399	33,601
Compensated Absences	9,770	542		10,312
	\$ 4,261,690	\$ 542	\$ 170,399	\$ 4,091,833

NOTE G – LONG-TERM DEBT – BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES

Long-term debt for business-type activities at December 31, 2014, consists of the 2014 Refunding Certificates of Participation and compensated absences.

On November 4, 2014, the City issued \$2,295,000 in Series 2014 Refunding Certificates of Participation for the purpose of providing funds to refinance the Series 2005 Certificates of Participation and 2008 Certificates of Participation. The certificates bear interest of 3.25%. Interest payments are due semi-annually on February 1 and August 1 of each year with annual principal payments due February 1 of each year. Annual debt service requirements to amortize the principal on the Certificates of Participation outstanding at December 31, 2014, are as follows:

Year Ended				
December 31,	Principal	 Interest	Total	
2015	\$ 155,000	\$ 52,800	\$	207,800
2016	145,000	67,194		212,194
2017	145,000	62,481		207,481
2018	140,000	57,850		197,850
2019	150,000	53,138		203,138
2020	155,000	48,181		203,181
2021	155,000	43,144		198,144
2022	165,000	37,944		202,944
2023	165,000	32,581		197,581
2024	175,000	27,056		202,056
2025	180,000	21,287		201,287
2026	185,000	15,356		200,356
2027	190,000	9,263		199,263
2028	190,000	 3,088		193,088
	\$ 2,295,000	\$ 531,363	\$	2,826,363

NOTE G – LONG-TERM DEBT – BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES (continued)

The following table is a summary of the changes in the long-term debt of the business-type activities:

	Balance December 31, 2013 Additions Retirement				tirements	Balance December 31, nts 2014			
		2013	7100	attons				2011	
2003 Revenue Bonds	\$	40,000	\$	-	\$	40,000	\$	-	
2005 Certificates of Participation		365,000		-		365,000		-	
2008 Certificates of Participation	2	2,210,000		-	2	2,210,000		-	
2014 Refunding Certificates of Participation		-	2,2	95,000		-		2,295,000	
Compensated absences		6,514				2,769		3,745	
	\$ 2	2,621,514	\$ 2,2	95,000	\$ 2	2,617,769	\$	2,298,745	

NOTE H – RISK MANAGEMENT

The City 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 City has transferred its risk by obtaining coverage from commercial insurance companies. In addition, it has effectively managed risk through various employee education and prevention programs. There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from the previous year.

NOTE I – RETIREMENT PLAN

Plan Description

The City of Willard, Missouri, participates in the Missouri Local Government Employees Retirement System (LAGERS), an agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system that acts as a common investment and administrative agent for local government entities in Missouri. LAGERS is a defined benefit pension plan which provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries.

LAGERS was created and is governed by statute section RSMo. 70.600 - 70.755. As such, it is the system's responsibility to administer the law in accordance with the expressed intent of the General Assembly. The plan is qualified under the Internal Revenue Code Section 401(a) and it is tax exempt.

NOTE I – RETIREMENT PLAN (continued)

The Missouri Local Government Employees Retirement System issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to LAGERS, P.O. Box 1665, Jefferson City, MO 65102, or by calling 1-800-447-4334.

Funding Status

Full-time employees of City of Willard, Missouri, contribute 4% of their gross pay to the pension plan. The June 30th statutorily required contribution rates are 4.4% (General) and 4.5% (Police) of annual covered payroll. The contribution requirements of plan members are determined by the governing body of the political subdivision. The contribution provisions of the political subdivision are established by state statute.

Annual Pension Cost (APC) and Net Pension Obligation (NPO)

The subdivision's annual pension cost and net pension obligation for the current year were as follows:

Annual required contribution	\$ 45,993
Interest on net pension obligation	-
Adjustment to annual required contribution	-
Annual pension cost	45,993
Actual contributions	 45,993
Increase (decrease) in NPO	-
NPO beginning of year	-
NPO end of year	\$ _

The annual required contribution (ARC) was determined as part of the February 29, 2012, and February 28, 2013, annual actuarial valuation using the entry age actuarial cost method. The actuarial assumptions as of February 28, 2014, included: (a) a rate of return on the investment of present and future assets of 7.25% per year, compounded annually, (b) projected salary increases of 3.5% per year, compounded annually, attributable to inflation, (c) additional projected salary increases ranging from 0.0% to 6.0% per year, depending on age and division, attributable to seniority/merit, (d) pre-retirement mortality based on 75% of the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Table set back 0 years for men and 0 years for women, and (e) post-retirement mortality based on 105% of the 1994 Group Annuity Mortality table set back 0 years for men and 0 years for women. The actuarial value of assets was determined using techniques that smooth the effects of short-term volatility in the market value of investments over a five-year period. The unfunded actuarial accrued liability is being amortized as a level percentage of projected payroll on a closed basis. The amortization period as of February 29, 2012, was 13 years for the General division and 23 years for the Police division. The amortization period as of February 28, 2013, was 30 years for the General division and 19 years for the Police division.

NOTE I – RETIREMENT PLAN (continued)

Three-Year Trend Information

Year	A	Annual	Percentage	Net	
Ended	P	ension	of APC	Pension	
June 30	Co	st (APC)	Contributed	Obligation	
2012	\$	50,959	100%	\$	-
2013		43,824	100%		-
2014		45,993	100%		_

The actuarial valuation revealed the following relating to the financial position of the Plan:

			(b-a)			
		(b)	Unfunded			[(b-a)/c]
	(a)	Entry Age	(Excess)		(c)	UAL as a
Actuarial	Actuarial	Actuarial	Accrued	(a/b)	Annual	Percentage of
Valuation	Value	Accrued	Liability	Funded	Covered	Covered
Date	of Assets	Liability	(UAL)	Ratio	Payroll	Payroll
2/28/2014	\$ 982,225	\$ 918,117	\$ (64,108)	107%	\$ 999,212	-

The required schedule of funding progress immediately following the notes to the financial statements presents multi-year trend information about whether the actuarial value of Plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits. The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations.

NOTE J – CLAIMS AND JUDGMENTS

The City participates in a number of programs that are fully or partially funded by grants received from other governmental units. Disbursements financed by grants are subject to audit by the appropriate grantor government. If disbursements are disallowed due to noncompliance with grant program regulation, the City may be required to reimburse the grantor government. As of December 31, 2014, disbursements have not been audited by grantor governments, but the City believes that disallowed disbursements, if any, based on subsequent audits, will not have a material effect on any of the individual government funds or the overall financial position of the City.

NOTE K - INTERNAL BALANCES

		General		Park		Vater and	
	-	Fund Fund			Sewer Fund		
Internal balances	\$	132,330	\$	(490,502)	\$	358,172	

During the course of its operations, the City has numerous transactions between funds to finance operations, provide services, construct assets and service debt. Due to the modified cash basis of accounting, these transactions are considered transfers in the year incurred, though the City has intentions of repaying the interfund loans from prior and current years.

During the year ended December 31, 2011, the Water and Sewer Fund loaned the Park Fund monies used for the construction and operation of the Aquatic Center and other park projects. The City passed a resolution authorizing the interfund loan and principal payments due as follows:

Year Ended		
December 31,	 Amount	
2015	\$ 50,000	
2016	50,000	
2017	50,000	
2018	55,000	
2019	55,000	
2020	55,000	
2021	 55,874	
	 370,874	

NOTE L – INTERFUND TRANSFERS

Transfers between funds of the City for the year ended December 31, 2014, were as follows:

	Tra	Transfers	
	In	In (Out)	
General Fund	\$	14,992	
Park Fund		(45,359)	
Water and Sewer Fund		30,367	
	\$		

Transfers are made to (1) move receipts from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to disburse them, (2) reimburse various funds for amounts owed from the other funds, and (3) use unrestricted receipts in the Enterprise Fund, General Fund, and Parks Fund to finance various programs accounted for in the other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

NOTE M – OPERATING LEASE

During 2011, the City entered into a \$30,000 cancelable building operating lease with a term of five years. The following is a schedule of the future minimum rental payments under the lease as of December 31, 2014:

Year Ended		
December 31,	<u> </u>	Amount
2015	\$	6,000
2016		3,000
	\$	9,000

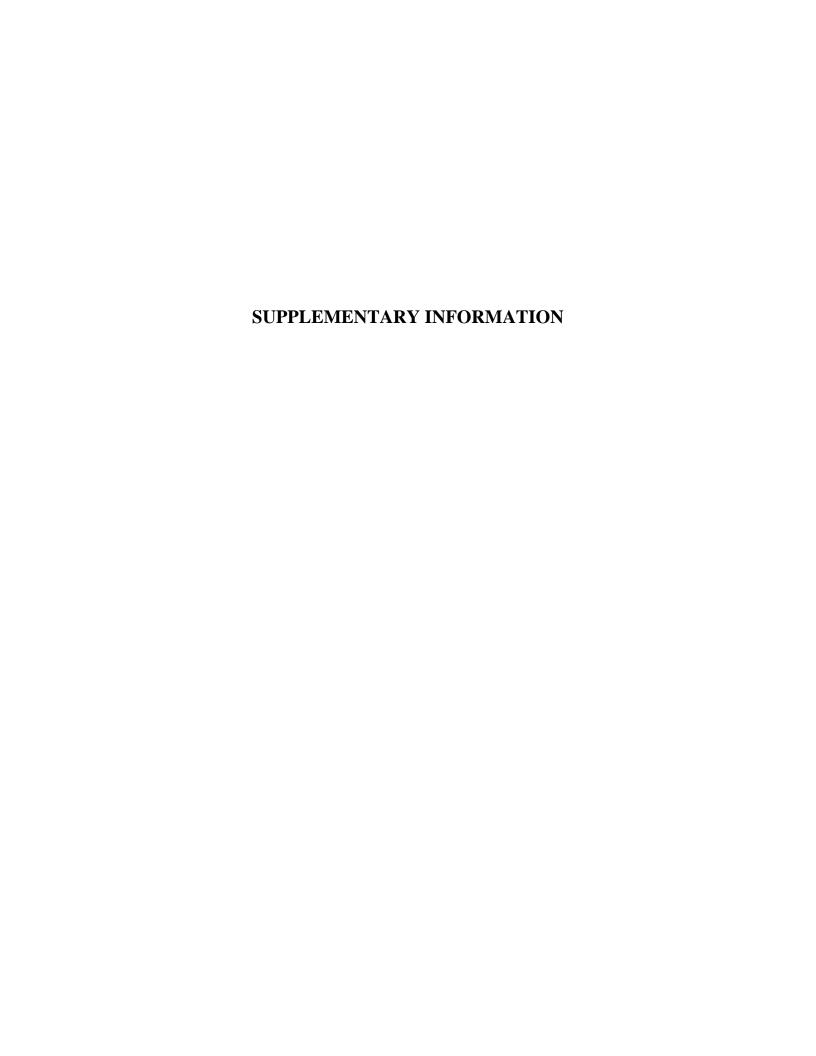
NOTE N – CURRENT YEAR DEBT REFUNDING

On November 4, 2014, the City issued \$2,295,000 in Series 2014 Refunding Certificates of Participation with a fixed interest rate of 3.25%. The City issued and used the net proceeds along with debt service reserve funds to pay off on December 1, 2014, \$289,394 of outstanding principal and interest on the Series 2005 Certificates of Participation with interest of 2.75% to 4.625%. The City deposited proceeds and debt service reserve funds totaling \$2,229,821 to pay principal of \$2,175,000 and accrued interest of \$54,821 on the Series 2008 Certificates of Participation with interest of 3.875% to 5.30% on February 1, 2015, and \$2,229,821 of outstanding principal and interest on the Series 2008 Certificates of Participation with interest of 3.875% - 5.30%.

As a result of the refunding, the City reduced its debt service requirements by \$355,608, which resulted in an economic gain (difference between the present value of the debt service payments on the old and new debt) of \$288,658.

NOTE O – DEBT DEFEASANCE

On November 4, 2014, the City issued Series 2014 Refunding Certificates of Participation in the amount of \$2,295,000. The proceeds of this issue were for the purpose of creating advance refunding of Series 2005 Certificates of Participation in the amount of \$285,000, of which was paid off on December 1, 2014. The remaining proceeds were deposited into an irrevocable escrow account at Commerce Bank in the amount of \$1,999,321 along with debt service reserve funds of \$230,500 to earn interest and pay principal of \$2,175,000 and accrued interest on Series 2008 Certificates of Participation on February 1, 2015. At December 31, 2014, the refunding escrow account for the Series 2008 Certificates of Participation held a balance of \$2,229,821 and had outstanding principal due of \$2,175,000.



CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS Year Ended December 31, 2014

Missouri Local Government Employees Retirement System (LAGERS)

		(b)	(b-a)			[(b-a)/c]
	(a)	Entry Age	Unfunded		(c)	UAL as a
Actuarial	Actuarial	Actuarial	Accrued	(a/b)	Annual	Percentage of
Valuation	Value	Accrued	Liability	Funded	Covered	Covered
Date	of Assets	Liability	(UAL)	Ratio	Payroll	Payroll
2/29/2012	\$ 691,262	\$ 726,920	\$ 35,658	95%	\$ 998,062	4%
2/28/2013	824,680	818,748	(5,932)	101%	793,540	-
2/28/2014	982,225	918,117	(64,108)	107%	999,212	-

Note: The above assets and actuarial accrued liability do not include the assets and present value of benefits associated with the Benefit Reserve Fund and the Casualty Reserve Fund. The actuarial assumptions were changed in conjunction with the February 28, 2011, annual actuarial valuations. For a complete description of the actuarial assumptions used in the annual valuations, please contact the LAGERS office in Jefferson City.

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE – GENERAL FUND Year Ended December 31, 2014

		Original Final					Fina	ance With al Budget:
		Budget		Budget		Actual	(Negative)	
RECEIPTS			Buager		Daager	 1101041		(oguil (o)
Taxes								
Property taxes		\$	181,900	\$	200,000	\$ 156,600	\$	(43,400)
Sales taxes			577,950		728,500	749,005		20,505
Franchise taxes			301,000		351,000	322,798		(28,202)
Motor vehicle taxes			187,000		200,000	199,402		(598)
			1,247,850		1,479,500	1,427,805		(51,695)
Licenses and Permits								
Building permits			20,000		75,000	73,359		(1,641)
Merchants licenses			5,400		5,800	 5,728		(72)
			25,400		80,800	79,087		(1,713)
Intergovernmental Recei	pts							
Grants	-		208,000		30,000	46,381		16,381
Charges for Services								
Planning and zoning			2,400		1,500	744		(756)
Recycling Center			500		1,000	968		(32)
Rentals			68,000		70,000	68,739		(1,261)
			70,900		72,500	70,451		(2,049)
Fines and Forfeitures								
City court fines			75,000		66,000	63,486		(2,514)
Miscellaneous								
Donations			1,000		1,000	747		(253)
Interest			630		1,000	917		(83)
Other receipts			2,000		14,550	 16,625		2,075
			3,630		16,550	18,289		1,739
	TOTAL RECEIPTS		1,630,780		1,745,350	1,705,499		(39,851)

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE – GENERAL FUND (continued) Year Ended December 31, 2014

				Variance With
	0::1	F' 1		Final Budget:
	Original	Final	A . 1	Positive
	Budget	Budget	Actual	(Negative)
DISBURSEMENTS				
Current				
Administrative	258,000	291,700	277,568	14,132
Public safety	717,650	708,550	671,631	36,919
Streets	529,050	371,000	392,398	(21,398)
Planning and development	69,060	68,600	58,662	9,938
Emergency management	24,500	24,000	21,192	2,808
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1,598,260	1,463,850	1,421,451	42,399
EXCESS OF RECEIPTS				
OVER DISBURSEMENTS	32,520	281,500	284,048	2,548
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES				
Operating transfers in			14,992	14,992
EXCESS OF RECEIPTS				
AND OTHER SOURCES				
OVER DISBURSEMENTS	32,520	281,500	299,040	17,540
FUND BALANCE, January 1, 2014	249,079	249,079	249,079	
FUND BALANCE, December 31, 2014	\$ 281,599	\$ 530,579	\$ 548,119	\$ 17,540

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE – PARK FUND Year Ended December 31, 2014

	Original Budget		Final Budget		Actual		Variance With Final Budget: Positive (Negative)	
RECEIPTS				8				
Taxes								
Ad valorem taxes	\$	56,000	\$	40,000	\$	47,914	\$	7,914
Sales taxes		610,000		480,000		439,631		(40,369)
		666,000		520,000		487,545		(32,455)
Charges for services								
Rental income		12,500		12,500		12,659		159
Adult and youth programs		178,500		184,000		188,815		4,815
Facility		45,000		40,000		33,897		(6,103)
Swimming pool		100,000		80,000		78,587		(1,413)
Special events		15,000		15,000		9,804		(5,196)
Advertising		30,000		30,000		19,172		(10,828)
Concessions		45,000		40,000		35,262		(4,738)
Park		2,500		3,700		3,675		(25)
		428,500		405,200		381,871		(23,329)
Miscellaneous								
Interest		1,000		220		221		1
Other receipts		8,500		16,620		19,239		2,619
		9,500		16,840		19,460		2,620
TOTAL RECEIPTS	1	1,104,000		942,040		888,876		(53,164)
DISBURSEMENTS								
Current								
Parks and recreation		677,600		751,400		720,118		31,282
Debt service								
Principal and interest		402,000		402,000		400,465		1,535
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	1	1,079,600		1,153,400		1,120,583		32,817
EXCESS (DEFICIT) OF RECEIPTS								
OVER DISBURSEMENTS		24,400		(211,360)		(231,707)		(20,347)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Operating transfers in		_		232,000		4,641		(227,359)
Operating transfers (out)		_		-		(50,000)		(50,000)
						(23,333)		(20,000)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		_		232,000		(45,359)		(277,359)
EXCESS (DEFICIT) OF RECEIPTS	-			- ,		(- ,)		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
AND OTHER SOURCES OVER								
DISBURSEMENTS AND OTHER (USES)		24,400		20,640		(277,066)		(297,706)
		·		•				(2)1,100)
FUND BALANCE, January 1, 2014		661,376		661,376		661,376		-
FUND BALANCE, December 31, 2014	\$	685,776	\$	682,016	\$	384,310	\$	(297,706)

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI NOTE TO BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULES Year Ended December 31, 2014

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The City utilizes the following procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the Budgetary Comparison Schedules:

- 1. Prior to January, the Chief Financial Officer submits to the Board a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following January 1. The operating budget includes proposed disbursement plans and the proposed means of financing them.
- 2. One public hearing is conducted by the City in late December to obtain taxpayers' comments on the proposed budget.
- 3. Prior to January 1, the City adopts a budget.
- 4. The budget for the City is adopted on the modified cash basis. Budgeted amounts may be amended during the year by the City.

OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION



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

Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen City of Willard Willard, Missouri

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, business-type activities, and each major fund of the City of Willard, Missouri, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City of Willard, Missouri's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon, dated April 29, 2015.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and, therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. However, as described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses, we identified a certain deficiency in internal control that we consider to be a material weakness.

Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen City of Willard Willard, Missouri

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or 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. We consider the deficiency described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses to be a material weakness. It is identified as item 2014-001.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City of Willard, Missouri's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the 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*.

City of Willard, Missouri's Response to Findings

The City's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. The City's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

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 City of Willard, Missouri'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 City of Willard, Missouri's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

KPM CPAs, PC

Springfield, Missouri April 29, 2015

KPM CPAS, PC

CITY OF WILLARD, MISSOURI SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES Year Ended December 31, 2014

2014-001 Segregation of duties

Condition: Because of a limited number of available personnel, it is not always possible to adequately segregate certain incompatible duties so that no one employee has access to both physical assets and the related accounting records, or to all phases of a transaction.

Criteria: Duties should be segregated so that no one employee has access to both physical assets and the related accounting records, or to all phases of a transaction.

Effect: Risk is present that errors or irregularities in amounts that would be material to the basic financial statements may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions.

Recommendation: We realize that because of limited resources and personnel, management may not be able to achieve a proper segregation of duties; however, our professional standards require that we bring this lack of segregation of duties to your attention in this report.

Response: The limited number of available personnel prohibits segregation of incompatible duties.