

**Bartram Springs
Community Development District**

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District
Jacksonville, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Bartram Springs Community Development District as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and the related notes to financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Accounting 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.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the 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 entity'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 entity'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 opinion.

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To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of Bartram Springs Community Development District, as of September 30, 2021, and the respective changes in financial position and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated June 28, 2022 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations and contracts. 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 Bartram Springs Community Development District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



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Fort Pierce, Florida

June 28, 2022

Bartram Springs Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

Management's discussion and analysis of Bartram Springs Community Development District (the "District") financial performance provides an objective and easily readable analysis of the District's financial activities. The analysis provides summary financial information for the District and should be read in conjunction with the District's financial statements.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The District's basic financial statements comprise three components; 1) *Government-wide financial statements*, 2) *Fund financial statements*, and 3) *Notes to financial statements*. The *Government-wide financial statements* present an overall picture of the District's financial position and results of operations. The *Fund financial statements* present financial information for the District's major funds. The *Notes to financial statements* provide additional information concerning the District's finances.

The *Government-wide financial statements* are the **statement of net position** and the **statement of activities**. These statements use accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. Emphasis is placed on the net position of governmental activities and the change in net position. Governmental activities are primarily supported by special assessments.

The **statement of net position** presents information on all assets and liabilities of the District, with the difference between assets and liabilities reported as net position. Assets, liabilities, and net position are reported for all Governmental activities.

The **statement of activities** presents information on all revenues and expenses of the District and the change in net position. Expenses are reported by major function and program revenues relating to those functions are reported, providing the net cost of all functions provided by the District. To assist in understanding the District's operations, expenses have been reported as governmental activities. Governmental activities financed by the District include general government, physical environment, culture/recreation and debt service.

Fund financial statements present financial information for governmental funds. These statements provide financial information for the major funds of the District. Governmental fund financial statements provide information on the current assets and liabilities of the funds, changes in current financial resources (revenues and expenditures), and current available resources.

**Bartram Springs Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Fund financial statements include a **balance sheet** and a **statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances** for all governmental funds. A **statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances – budget and actual** is provided for the District's General Fund. *Fund financial statements* provide more detailed information about the District's activities. Individual funds are established by the District to track revenues that are restricted to certain uses or to comply with legal requirements.

The *government-wide financial statements* and the *fund financial statements* provide different pictures of the District. The *government-wide financial statements* provide an overall picture of the District's financial standing. These statements are comparable to private-sector companies and give a good understanding of the District's overall financial health and how the District paid for the various activities, or functions, provided by the District. All assets of the District, including capital assets, are reported in the **statement of net position**. All liabilities, including principal outstanding on bonds are included. In the **statement of activities**, transactions between the different functions of the District have been eliminated in order to avoid "doubling up" the revenues and expenses. The *fund financial statements* provide a picture of the major funds of the District. In the case of governmental activities, outlays for long lived assets are reported as expenditures and long-term liabilities, such as general obligation bonds, are not included in the fund financial statements. To provide a link from the *fund financial statements* to the *government-wide financial statements*, reconciliation is provided from the *fund financial statements* to the *government-wide financial statements*.

Notes to financial statements provide additional detail concerning the financial activities and financial balances of the District. Additional information about the accounting practices of the District, investments of the District, capital assets and long-term debt are some of the items included in the *notes to financial statements*.

Financial Highlights

The following are the highlights of financial activity for the year ended September 30, 2021.

- ◆ The District's total liabilities exceeded total assets and deferred outflows of resources by \$(9,928,038) (net position). Net investment in capital assets was \$(4,054,070) and unrestricted net position was \$(5,873,968).
- ◆ Governmental activities revenues totaled \$2,755,681 while governmental activities expenses totaled \$2,417,141.

**Bartram Springs Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Financial Analysis of the District

The following schedule provides a summary of the assets, deferred outflows of resources liabilities and net position of the District and is presented by category for comparison purposes.

Net Position

	Governmental Activities	
	2021	2020
Current assets	\$ 392,593	\$ 350,433
Restricted assets	121,831	1,052,512
Capital assets, net	3,287,413	3,630,066
Deferred outflows	<u>1,590,461</u>	<u>1,549,447</u>
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows	<u>5,392,298</u>	<u>6,582,458</u>
Current liabilities	1,100,336	1,129,036
Non-current liabilities	<u>14,220,000</u>	<u>15,720,000</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>15,320,336</u>	<u>16,849,036</u>
Net investment in capital assets	(4,054,070)	(2,347,824)
Net position - restricted	-	214,434
Net position - unrestricted	<u>(5,873,968)</u>	<u>(8,133,188)</u>
Total Net Position	<u><u>\$ (9,928,038)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ (10,266,578)</u></u>

The increase in current assets is related to the increase in cash in the Capital Projects Fund.

The decrease in restricted assets is related to the bond refunding in the current year.

The decrease in capital assets is mainly related to depreciation in the current year.

The decrease in non-current liabilities is related to principal payments and the bond refunding in the current year.

The increase in net position is the result of revenues exceeding expenses in the current year.

**Bartram Springs Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Financial Analysis of the District (Continued)

The following schedule provides a summary of the changes in net position of the District and is presented by category for comparison purposes.

Change in Net Position

	Governmental Activities	
	2021	2020
Program Revenues		
Charges for services	\$ 2,719,485	\$ 2,709,948
General Revenues		
Investment earnings	406	14,069
Miscellaneous	35,790	32,074
Total Revenues	<u>2,755,681</u>	<u>2,756,091</u>
Expenses		
General government	189,577	198,916
Physical environment	367,052	342,201
Culture/recreation	1,070,985	974,420
Interest and other charges	789,527	743,961
Total Expenses	<u>2,417,141</u>	<u>2,259,498</u>
Change in Net Position	338,540	496,593
Net Position - Beginning of Year	<u>(10,266,578)</u>	<u>(10,763,171)</u>
Net Position - End of Year	<u>\$ (9,928,038)</u>	<u>\$ (10,266,578)</u>

The increase in physical environment is related to the increase in landscape repair expenses in the current year.

The increase in culture/recreation is related to the increase pool attendant and repair expenses in the current year.

**Bartram Springs Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Capital Assets Activity

The following schedule provides a summary of the District's capital assets activity as of September 30, 2021 and 2020:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	
	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Capital assets not being depreciated:		
Construction in progress	\$ 1,373,649	\$ 1,373,649
Capital assets being depreciated:		
Buildings and improvements	5,533,533	5,517,133
Infrastructure	1,674,905	1,674,905
Equipment	349,857	335,299
Accumulated depreciation	(5,644,531)	(5,270,920)
Total Capital Assets, depreciated	<u>1,913,764</u>	<u>2,256,417</u>
Total Capital Assets	<u>\$ 3,287,413</u>	<u>\$ 3,630,066</u>

During the year, depreciation was \$373,611, and additions to capital assets were \$30,958.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Budgeted expenditures exceeded actual expenditures primarily due to less water/wastewater and grounds maintenance expenditures than were anticipated.

The September 30, 2021 budget was not amended.

Debt Management

Governmental Activities debt includes the following:

- ◆ In February 2016, the District issued \$18,030,000 Series 2016-1 Special Assessment Refunding Bonds and \$1,600,000 Series 2016-2 Special Assessment Bonds. These bonds were issued to refund and redeem the Series 2006 Special Assessments and Special Assessments Refunding Bonds and finance the costs of the Series 2016 Project. The Series 2016-1 and Series 2016-2 Bonds were refunded and redeemed in the current year.
- In June 2021, the District issued \$15,175,000 Series 2021 Special Assessment Refunding Bonds. These bonds were issued to refund of the Series 2016-1 Special Assessment Refunding Bonds and Series 2016-2 Special Assessment Bonds. As of September 30, 2021, the balance outstanding was \$15,175,000.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
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OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget

Bartram Springs Community Development District does not expect any economic factors to have any significant effect on the financial position or results of operations of the District in fiscal year 2022.

Request for Information

The financial report is designed to provide a general overview of Bartram Springs Community Development District's finances for all those with an interest. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to the Bartram Springs Community Development District, Governmental Management Services, 475 West Town Place, Suite 114, St. Augustine, Florida 32092.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
September 30, 2021

	Governmental Activities
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Cash	\$ 314,122
Investments	25,652
Accounts receivable	32
Prepaid expenses	52,067
Deposits	720
Total Current Assets	392,593
Non-Current Assets	
Restricted Assets	
Investments	121,831
Capital Assets	
Construction in progress	1,373,649
Infrastructure	1,674,905
Buildings and improvements	5,533,533
Equipment	349,857
Accumulated depreciation	(5,644,531)
Total Non-Current Assets	3,409,244
Total Assets	3,801,837
 DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Deferred amount on refunding	1,590,461
 LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts payable	64,582
Bonds payable	955,000
Accrued interest	80,754
Total Current Liabilities	1,100,336
Non-Current Liabilities	
Bonds payable, net	14,220,000
Total Liabilities	15,320,336
 NET POSITION	
Net investment in capital assets	(4,054,070)
Unrestricted	(5,873,968)
Total Net Position	\$ (9,928,038)

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

Functions/Programs	Expenses	Program Revenues Charges for Services	Net (Expense) Revenues and Changes in Net Position Governmental Activities
Governmental Activities			
General government	\$ (189,577)	\$ 212,831	\$ 23,254
Physical environment	(367,052)	303,756	(63,296)
Culture/recreation	(1,070,985)	754,014	(316,971)
Interest and other charges	(789,527)	1,448,884	659,357
Total Governmental Activities	\$ (2,417,141)	\$ 2,719,485	302,344
	General Revenues		
	Miscellaneous revenues		35,790
	Investment income		406
	Total General Revenues		36,196
	Change in Net Position		338,540
	Net Position - October 1, 2020		(10,266,578)
	Net Position - September 30, 2021		\$ (9,928,038)

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
BALANCE SHEET –
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
September 30, 2021

	General	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 198,766	\$ -	\$ 115,356	\$ 314,122
Investments	25,652	-	-	25,652
Accounts receivable	32	-	-	32
Prepaid expenses	52,067	-	-	52,067
Deposits	720	-	-	720
Restricted assets				
Cash and investments, at fair value	-	121,831	-	121,831
Total Assets	\$ 277,237	\$ 121,831	\$ 115,356	\$ 514,424
 LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES				
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable	\$ 61,657	\$ -	\$ 2,925	\$ 64,582
Unearned revenues	-	-	-	-
Total Liabilities	61,657	-	2,925	64,582
 FUND BALANCES				
Nonspendable				
Prepays	52,067	-	-	52,067
Deposits	720	-	-	720
Restricted Debt service	-	121,831	-	121,831
Assigned Capital projects	-	-	112,431	112,431
Unassigned	162,793	-	-	162,793
Total Fund Balances	215,580	121,831	112,431	449,842
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 277,237	\$ 121,831	\$ 115,356	\$ 514,424

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES
TO NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
September 30, 2021

Total Governmental Fund Balances	\$	449,842
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:		
Capital assets, construction in progress, \$1,373,649, buildings and improvements, \$5,533,533, infrastructure, \$1,674,905, and equipment, \$349,857, net of accumulated depreciation, \$(5,644,531), used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and therefore, are not reported at the fund level.		3,287,413
Deferred outflow of resources are not current financial resources and therefore, are not reported at the fund level.		1,590,461
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore, are not reported at the fund level.		(15,175,000)
Accrued interest expense for long-term debt is not a current financial use and therefore, is not reported at the governmental fund level.		<u>(80,754)</u>
Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$	<u><u>(9,928,038)</u></u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES – GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	General	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues				
Special assessments	\$ 1,270,601	\$ 1,448,884	\$ -	\$ 2,719,485
Miscellaneous revenues	35,790	-	-	35,790
Investment income	38	368	-	406
Total Revenues	<u>1,306,429</u>	<u>1,449,252</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,755,681</u>
Expenditures				
Current				
General government	189,577	-	-	189,577
Physical environment	270,567	-	40,655	311,222
Culture/recreation	671,630	-	81,574	753,204
Capital outlay	-	-	30,958	30,958
Debt service				
Principal	-	16,550,000	-	16,550,000
Interest	-	612,258	-	612,258
Other	-	392,675	-	392,675
Total Expenditures	<u>1,131,774</u>	<u>17,554,933</u>	<u>153,187</u>	<u>18,839,894</u>
Excess of revenues over/(under) expenditures	174,655	(16,105,681)	(153,187)	(16,084,213)
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)				
Issuance of long-term debt	-	15,175,000	-	15,175,000
Transfers in	-	-	163,400	163,400
Transfers out	<u>(163,400)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(163,400)</u>
Total Other Financing Sources/(Uses)	<u>(163,400)</u>	<u>15,175,000</u>	<u>163,400</u>	<u>15,175,000</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	11,255	(930,681)	10,213	(909,213)
Fund Balances - October 1, 2020	<u>204,325</u>	<u>1,052,512</u>	<u>102,218</u>	<u>1,359,055</u>
Fund Balances - September 30, 2021	<u>\$ 215,580</u>	<u>\$ 121,831</u>	<u>\$ 112,431</u>	<u>\$ 449,842</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$	(909,213)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation. This is the amount capital outlay, \$30,958, was exceeded by depreciation, \$(373,611), in the current period.		(342,653)
The issuance of long-term debt is reflected as an other financing source at the fund level, however, the proceeds increase liabilities at the government-wide level.		(15,175,000)
Repayment of long-term liabilities are reported as expenditures in the governmental fund statement, but such repayments reduce liabilities in the Statement of Net Position.		16,550,000
Certain costs associated with a bond refunding are reflected as other debt service at the fund level, however, these costs are relected as a deferred outflow of resources and amortized over the life of the bonds at the government-wide level.		72,613
The deferred amount of refunding is amortized in the Statement of Activities, but not in the governmental funds. This is the amount of amortization in the current year.		(31,599)
At the fund level interest is recognized when due. At the government-wide level interest is accrued on outstanding debt. This is the current year accrual.		174,392
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$	338,540

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN
FUND BALANCES – BUDGET AND ACTUAL – GENERAL FUND
For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)
Revenues				
Special assessments	\$1,266,292	\$1,266,292	\$1,270,601	\$ 4,309
Miscellaneous revenues	35,000	35,000	35,790	790
Investment income	-	-	38	38
Total Revenues	<u>1,301,292</u>	<u>1,301,292</u>	<u>1,306,429</u>	<u>5,137</u>
Expenditures				
Current				
General government	191,212	191,212	189,577	1,635
Physical environment	285,583	285,583	270,567	15,016
Culture/recreation	661,097	661,097	671,630	(10,533)
Total Expenditures	<u>1,137,892</u>	<u>1,137,892</u>	<u>1,131,774</u>	<u>6,118</u>
Excess of revenues over/(under) expenditures	163,400	163,400	174,655	11,255
Other Financing Sources/(Uses)				
Transfers out	<u>(163,400)</u>	<u>(163,400)</u>	<u>(163,400)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	-	-	11,255	11,255
Fund Balances - October 1, 2020	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>204,325</u>	<u>204,325</u>
Fund Balances - September 30, 2021	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 215,580</u>	<u>\$ 215,580</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 2021

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the District have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The District's more significant accounting policies are described below.

1. Reporting Entity

The District was established on September 17, 2002, pursuant to the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), by Rule 42HH-1.001-1.003, Florida Administrative Code of the Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission, as a Community Development District. The District was established for the purposes of financing and managing the acquisition, construction, maintenance and operation of the infrastructure necessary for community development within its jurisdiction. The District is authorized to issue bonds for the purpose, among others, of financing, funding, planning, establishing, acquiring, constructing district roads, landscaping, and other basic infrastructure projects within or outside the boundaries of the Bartram Springs Community Development District. The District is governed by a Board of Supervisors who are elected to four year and two-year terms. The District operates within the criteria established by Chapter 190, Florida Statutes.

As required by GAAP, these financial statements present the Bartram Springs Community Development District (the primary government) as a stand-alone government. The reporting entity for the District includes all functions of government in which the District's Board exercises oversight responsibility including, but not limited to, financial interdependency, selection of governing authority, designation of management, significant ability to influence operations and accountability for fiscal matters.

Based upon the application of the above-mentioned criteria as set forth in Governmental Accounting Standards the District has identified no component units.

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The basic financial statements of the District are composed of the following:

- Government-wide financial statements
- Fund financial statements
- Notes to financial statements

Bartram Springs Community Development District
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

a. Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Government-wide financial statements report all non-fiduciary information about the reporting government as a whole. These statements include all the governmental activities of the primary government. The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

Governmental activities are supported by special assessments. Program revenues are netted with program expenses in the statement of activities to present the net cost of each program.

Amounts paid to acquire capital assets are capitalized as assets, rather than reported as an expenditure. Proceeds of long-term debt are recorded as liabilities in the government-wide financial statements, rather than as an other financing source.

Amounts paid to reduce long-term indebtedness of the reporting government are reported as a reduction of the related liability, rather than as an expenditure.

b. Fund Financial Statements

The underlying accounting system of the District is organized and operated on the basis of separate funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, deferred outflows of resources liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, fund equity, revenues and expenditures or expenses, as appropriate. Governmental 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.

Fund financial statements for the primary government's governmental funds are presented after the government-wide financial statements. These statements display information about major funds individually.

Bartram Springs Community Development District
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 2021

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

b. Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

Governmental Funds

The District reports fund balance according to Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement 54 – Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions. The Statement requires the fund balance for governmental funds to be reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the government is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent.

The District has various policies governing the fund balance classifications.

Nonspendable Fund Balance – This classification consists of amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted Fund Balance – This classification includes amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes stipulated by constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation.

Assigned Fund Balance – This classification consists of the Board of Supervisors' intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. The assigned fund balances can also be assigned by the District's management company.

Unassigned Fund Balance – This classification is the residual classification for the government's general fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. Unassigned fund balance is considered to be utilized first when an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of those unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

Fund Balance Spending Hierarchy – For all governmental funds except special revenue funds, when restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balances are combined in a fund, qualified expenditures are paid first from restricted or committed fund balance, as appropriate, then assigned and finally unassigned fund balances.

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

b. Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

Governmental Funds (Continued)

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collected within the current period or soon thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. Interest associated with the current fiscal period is considered to be an accrual item and so has been recognized as revenue of the current fiscal period.

Under the current financial resources measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on the balance sheet. The reported fund balance is considered to be a measure of “available spendable resources”.

Governmental fund operating statements present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets. Accordingly, they are said to present a summary of sources and uses of “available spendable resources” during a period.

Because of their spending measurement focus, expenditure recognition for governmental fund types excludes amounts represented by non-current liabilities. Since they do not affect net current assets, such long-term amounts are not recognized as governmental fund type expenditures or fund liabilities.

Amounts expended to acquire capital assets are recorded as expenditures in the year that resources are expended, rather than as fund assets. The proceeds of long-term debt are recorded as an other financing source rather than as a fund liability.

Debt service expenditures are recorded only when payment is due.

3. Basis of Presentation

a. Governmental Major Funds

General Fund – The General Fund is the District’s primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3. Basis of Presentation (Continued)

a. Governmental Major Funds (Continued)

Debt Service Fund – The Debt Service Fund accounts for debt service requirements to retire the Special Assessment Bonds, which were used to finance the construction of certain improvements within the District.

Capital Projects Fund – The Capital Projects Fund accounts for acquisition and construction of infrastructure improvements located within the boundaries of the District.

b. Non-current Governmental Assets/Liabilities

GASB Statement 34 requires that non-current governmental assets, such as construction in progress, and non-current governmental liabilities, such as general obligation bonds be reported in the governmental activities column in the government-wide Statement of Net Position.

4. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity

a. Cash and Investments

Florida Statutes require state and local governmental units to deposit monies with financial institutions classified as "Qualified Public Depositories," a multiple financial institution pool whereby groups of securities pledged by the various financial institutions provide common collateral from their deposits of public funds. This pool is provided as additional insurance to the federal depository insurance and allows for additional assessments against the member institutions, providing full insurance for public deposits.

The District is authorized to invest in those financial instruments as established by Section 218.415, Florida Statutes. The authorized investments consist of:

1. Direct obligations of the United States Treasury;
2. The Local Government Surplus Funds Trust or any intergovernmental investment pool authorized pursuant to the Florida Interlocal Cooperative Act of 1969;
3. Interest-bearing time deposits or savings accounts in authorized qualified public depositories;

Bartram Springs Community Development District
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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

4. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity (Continued)

a. Cash and Investments (Continued)

4. Securities and Exchange Commission, registered money market funds with the highest credit quality rating from a nationally recognized rating agency.

Cash and investments include time deposits, certificates of deposit, money market funds, and all highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less.

b. Restricted Assets

Certain net position of the District are classified as restricted assets on the Statement of Net Position because their use is limited either by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation; or by restrictions imposed externally by creditors. In a fund with both restricted and unrestricted net position, qualified expenses are considered to be paid first from restricted net position and then from unrestricted net position.

c. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include construction in progress, infrastructure, buildings and improvements and equipment are reported in the governmental activities column.

The District defines capital assets as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$5,000 or more and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. The valuation basis for all assets is historical cost.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend its useful life are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

Depreciation of capital assets is computed and recorded by utilizing the straight-line method. Estimated useful lives of the various classes of depreciable capital assets are as follows:

Infrastructure	30 years
Building and improvements	10-20 years
Equipment	10 years

d. Deferred Outflows of Resources

Deferred outflow of resources is the consumption of net position by the government that is applicable to a future reporting period. Deferred amount on refunding is amortized and recognized as a component of interest expense over the life of the bond.

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

4. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity (Continued)

e. Budgets

Budgets are prepared and adopted after public hearings for the governmental funds, pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes. The District utilizes the same basis of accounting for budgets as it does for revenues and expenditures in its various funds. The legal level of budgetary control is at the fund level. All budgeted appropriations lapse at year end. Formal budgets are adopted for the general and debt service funds. As a result, deficits in the budget columns of the accompanying financial statements may occur.

NOTE B – RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Explanation of Differences Between the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the Government-wide Statement of Net Position

“Total fund balances” of the District’s governmental funds, \$449,842, differs from “net position” of governmental activities, \$(9,928,038), reported in the Statement of Net Position. This difference primarily results from the long-term economic focus of the Statement of Net Position versus the current financial resources focus of the governmental fund balance sheet. The effect of the differences is illustrated below:

Capital related items

When capital assets (land, buildings and improvements, infrastructure and equipment that are to be used in governmental activities) are purchased or constructed, the cost of those assets is reported as expenditures in governmental funds. However, the Statement of Net Position included those capital assets among the assets of the District as a whole.

Construction in progress	\$ 1,373,649
Infrastructure	1,674,905
Buildings and improvements	5,533,533
Equipment	349,857
Accumulated depreciation	(5,644,531)
Total	<u>\$ 3,287,413</u>

Long-term debt transactions

Long-term liabilities applicable to the District’s governmental activities are not due and payable in the current period and accordingly are not reported as fund liabilities. All liabilities (both current and long-term) are reported in the Statement of Net Position. Balances at September 30, 2021 were:

Bonds payable	<u>\$ (15,175,000)</u>
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Bartram Springs Community Development District
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NOTE B – RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

1. Explanation of Differences Between the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the Government-wide Statement of Net Position (Continued)

Deferred amount on refunding

The difference between the outstanding balance of the old debt and the cost of the new debt is a deferred outflow of resources. This balance is amortized over the life of the new debt. The unamortized balance is reflected as deferred amount on refunding.

Deferred amount on refunding, net	\$ <u>1,590,461</u>
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Accrued interest

Accrued liabilities in the Statement of Net Position differ from the amount reported in governmental funds due to the accrued interest on bonds.

Accrued interest	\$ <u>(80,754)</u>
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2. Explanation of Differences Between the Governmental Fund Operating Statements and the Statement of Activities

The “net change in fund balances” for government funds, \$(909,213), differs from the “change in net position” for governmental activities, \$338,540, reported in the Statement of Activities. The differences arise primarily from the long-term economic focus of the Statement of Activities versus the current financial resources focus of the governmental funds. The effect of the differences is illustrated below:

Capital related items

When capital assets that are to be used in governmental activities are purchased or constructed, the resources expended for those assets are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. However, in the Statement of Activities, the costs of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation. As a result, fund balances decrease by the amount of financial resources expended, whereas net position decrease by the amount of depreciation charged for the year.

Capital outlay	\$ 30,958
Depreciation	<u>(373,611)</u>
Total	<u>\$ (342,653)</u>

Bartram Springs Community Development District
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NOTE B – RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

2. Explanation of Differences Between the Governmental Fund Operating Statements and the Statement of Activities (Continued)

Long-term debt transactions

When long-term debt is issued for governmental activities, the resources obtained are recognized as an other financing source at the fund level. At the government-wide level, however, the new debt increases non-current liabilities. Also, interest is recognized when due at the fund level, but is accrued at the government-wide level.

Payments on long-term debt	\$	16,550,000
Issuance of long-term debt		(15,175,000)
Additional deferred amount on refunding		72,613
Accrued interest		174,392
Deferred amount on refunding amortization		(31,599)
Total		<u>\$ 1,590,406</u>

NOTE C – CASH AND INVESTMENTS

All deposits are held in qualified public depositories and are included on the accompanying balance sheet as cash and investments.

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned to it. The District does not have a formal deposit policy for custodial credit risk, however, they follow the provisions of Chapter 280, Florida Statutes regarding deposits and investments. As of September 30, 2021, the District's bank balance was \$317,661 and the carrying value was \$313,922. Exposure to custodial credit risk was as follows. The District maintains all deposits in a qualified public depository in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 280, Florida Statutes, which means that all deposits are fully insured by Federal Depositors Insurance or collateralized under Chapter 280, Florida Statutes.

Investments

As of September 30, 2021, the District had the following investments and maturities:

<u>Investment</u>	<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>
Money Market Mutual Fund	N/A	\$ 17,928
Florida PRIME	49 Days*	7,724
First American Government Obligation Fund	14 Days*	121,831
Total		<u>\$ 147,483</u>

* Weighted Average Maturity

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NOTE C – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Investments (Continued)

The District categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy recently established by generally accepted accounting principles. The fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset, or paid to transfer a liability, in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. The District uses a market approach in measuring fair value that uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or similar assets, liabilities, or groups of assets and liabilities.

Assets or liabilities are classified into one of three levels. Level 1 is the most reliable and is based on quoted price for identical assets, or liabilities, in an active market. Level 2 uses significant other observable inputs when obtaining quoted prices for identical or similar assets, or liabilities, in markets that are not active. Level 3 is the least reliable and uses significant unobservable inputs that use the best information available under the circumstances, which includes the District's own data in measuring unobservable inputs.

Based on the criteria in the preceding paragraph, the investment in First American Government Obligation Fund is a Level 1 asset.

The District's investment policy allows management to invest funds in investments permitted under Section 218.415, Florida Statutes. The investment in Florida PRIME is measured at amortized cost. Florida PRIME has established policies and guidelines regarding participant transactions and the authority to limit or restrict withdrawals or impose a penalty for an early withdrawal. As of September 30, 2021, there were no redemption fees, maximum transaction amounts, or any other requirement that would limit daily access to 100 percent of the account value.

Interest Rate Risk

The District does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Credit Risk

The District's investments are limited by state statutory requirements and bond compliance. The District has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. Both the First American Government Obligation Fund and the Florida PRIME are rated AAAM by Standards & Poor's.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The District places no limit on the amount it may invest in any one fund. The investments in Money Market funds represents approximately 12% of the District's total investments. Florida PRIME represents 5% of the District's total investments. The remaining 83% is represented by First American Government Obligation Fund.

The types of deposits and investments and their level of risk exposure as of September 30, 2021 were typical of these items during the fiscal year then ended.

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NOTE D – SPECIAL ASSESSMENT REVENUES

Assessments are non-ad valorem assessments on benefitted property within the District. Operating and Maintenance Assessments are based upon adopted budget and levied annually. Debt Service Assessments are levied when bonds are issued and collected annually for the term of the bond. The District may collect assessments directly or utilize the uniform method of collection (Chapter 197.3632, Florida Statutes). Directly collected assessments are due as determined by annual assessment resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors. Assessments collected under the uniform method are mailed by County Tax Collector on November 1 and due on or before March 31 of each year. Property owners may prepay a portion or all of the Debt Service Assessments on their property subject to various provisions in the bond documents.

Assessments and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Only the portion of assessments receivable due within the current fiscal period is considered to be susceptible to accrual as revenue of the current period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

NOTE E – CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital Asset activity for the year ended September 30, 2021 was as follows:

	Balance 10/1/20	Additions	Deletions	Balance 09/30/21
<u>Governmental Activities:</u>				
Capital assets, not depreciated:				
Construction in progress	\$ 1,373,649	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,373,649
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Infrastructure	1,674,905	-	-	1,674,905
Buildings and improvements	5,517,133	16,400	-	5,533,533
Equipment	335,299	14,558	-	349,857
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated	<u>7,527,337</u>	<u>30,958</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7,558,295</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Infrastructure	(892,356)	(55,830)	-	(948,186)
Buildings and improvements	(4,242,139)	(283,159)	-	(4,525,298)
Equipment	(136,425)	(34,622)	-	(171,047)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(5,270,920)</u>	<u>(373,611)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(5,644,531)</u>
Total Capital Assets Depreciated, Net	<u>2,256,417</u>	<u>(342,653)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,913,764</u>
Governmental Activities Capital Assets	<u>\$ 3,630,066</u>	<u>\$ (342,653)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,287,413</u>

During the year depreciation of \$55,830 was charged to physical environment and \$317,781 was charged to culture/recreation.

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NOTE F – LONG-TERM DEBT

The following is a summary of activity for long-term debt for the year ended September 30, 2021:

Long-term debt at October 1, 2020	\$ 16,550,000
Issuance of long-term debt	15,175,000
Principal payments	<u>(16,550,000)</u>
Long-term debt at September 30, 2021	<u>\$ 15,175,000</u>

Long-term debt is comprised of the following:

Special Assessment Refunding Bonds

\$15,175,000 Series 2021 Special Assessment Refunding Bonds due in annual principal installments beginning May 1, 2022 and maturing in May 2036. Interest is due semi-annually on May 1 and November 1, at various rates between 0.75% and 2.52%. Current portion is \$955,000.

\$ 15,175,000

The annual requirements to amortize the principal and interest of bonded debt outstanding as of September 30, 2021 are as follows:

Year Ending September 30,	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 955,000	\$ 242,262	\$ 1,197,262
2023	965,000	269,708	1,234,708
2024	975,000	261,254	1,236,254
2025	985,000	250,295	1,235,295
2026	1,000,000	237,983	1,237,983
2027-2031	5,280,000	923,240	6,203,240
2032-2036	<u>5,015,000</u>	<u>340,696</u>	<u>5,355,696</u>
Totals	<u>\$ 15,175,000</u>	<u>\$ 2,525,438</u>	<u>\$ 17,700,438</u>

In June 2021, the District issued the Series 2021 Special Assessment Refunding Bonds that resulted in a deferred amount on refunding of \$1,622,060. As a result of this transaction, the District decreases its aggregate debt payment by \$1,751,030 over the next 13 years and realized an economic gain of approximately \$1,463,487.

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September 30, 2021

NOTE F – LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

Significant Bond Provisions

The Series 2021 Bonds are not subject to redemption at the option of the District prior to their maturity. The Series 2021 Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Trust Indenture.

The Trust Indenture established certain amounts be maintained in a reserve account. In addition, the Trust Indenture has certain restrictions and requirements relating principally to the use of proceeds and the procedures to be followed by the District on assessments to property owners. The District agrees to levy special assessments in annual amounts adequate to provide payment of debt service.

NOTE G – INTERFUND ACTIVITY

Interfund transfers for the year ended September 30, 2021, consisted for the following:

<u>Transfer In</u>	<u>Transfer Out</u>
	<u>General Fund</u>
Capital Projects Fund	\$ 163,400

Transfers from General Fund to Capital Projects Fund were made to fund capital reserve expenditures.

NOTE H – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

One member of the Board of Supervisors is affiliated with a vendor that provides property management services for the District. The Board Member’s term expired in November 2020. Payments made to the company totaled \$74,177 for October and November 2020. Additionally, one member of the Board of Supervisors is affiliated with a vendor that provides disinfection services for the District. Payments made to the company totaled \$10,250 during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2021.

NOTE I – RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the government carries commercial insurance. There were no claims or settled claims from these risks that exceeded commercial insurance coverage for the last three years.



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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

To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District
Jacksonville, Florida

We have audited, in accordance with the 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 Bartram Springs Community Development District, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 28, 2022.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or 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 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.

To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Bartram Springs Community Development District'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*.

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 entity'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 entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.



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MANAGEMENT LETTER

To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District
Jacksonville, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of the Bartram Springs Community Development District as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and have issued our report thereon dated June 28, 2022.

Auditor's Responsibility

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Florida Auditor General.

Other Reporting Requirements

We have issued our 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* and our Independent Auditor's Report on an examination conducted in accordance with *AICPA Professionals Standards*, AT-C Section 315, regarding compliance requirements in accordance with Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Auditor General. Disclosures in those reports, which are dated June 28, 2022, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

Prior Audit Findings

Section 10.554(1)(i)1., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we determine whether or not corrective actions have been taken to address findings and recommendations made in the preceding financial audit report. There were no findings or recommendations in the preceding financial audit report.

Financial Condition and Management

Section 10.554(1)(i)5.a. and 10.556(7), Rules of the Auditor General, require us to apply appropriate procedures and communicate the results of our determination as to whether or not Bartram Springs Community Development District has met one or more of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes, and to identify the specific conditions met. In connection with our audit, we determined that Bartram Springs Community Development District did not meet any of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1) Florida Statutes.

To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District

Pursuant to Sections 10.554(1)(i)5.b. and 10.556(8), Rules of the Auditor General, we applied financial condition assessment procedures for Bartram Springs Community Development District. It is management's responsibility to monitor the Bartram Springs Community Development District's financial condition; our financial condition assessment was based in part on the representations made by management and the review of the financial information provided by the same as of September 30, 2021.

Section 10.554(1)(i)2., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we communicate any recommendations to improve financial management. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such recommendations.

Specific Information

The information provided below was provided by management and has not been audited; therefore, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information.

As required by Section 218.39(3)(c), Florida Statutes, and Section 10.554(1)(i)6, Rules of the Auditor General, the Bartram Springs Community Development District reported:

- 1) The total number of district employees compensated in the last pay period of the District's fiscal year: 0
- 2) The total number of independent contractors to whom nonemployee compensation was paid in the last month of the District's fiscal year: 22
- 3) All compensation earned by or awarded to employees, whether paid or accrued, regardless of contingency: \$9,235
- 4) All compensation earned by or awarded to nonemployee independent contractors, whether paid or accrued, regardless of contingency: \$1,117,590
- 5) Each construction project with a total cost of at least \$65,000 approved by the District that is scheduled to begin on or after October 1, 2020, together with the total expenditures for such project: The District did not have any construction projects.
- 6) A budget variance based on the budget adopted under Section 189.016(4), Florida Statutes, before the beginning of the fiscal year being reported if the District amends a final adopted budget under Section 189.016(6), Florida Statutes: The budget was not amended.

As required by Section 218.39(3)(c), Florida Statutes, and Section 10.554(1)(i)8, Rules of the Auditor General, the Bartram Springs Community Development District reported:

- 7) The rate or rates of non-ad valorem special assessments imposed by the District: The General Fund, \$267.03 - \$1,023.87, and Debt Service Fund, \$16.87 - \$1,195.56.
- 8) The amount of special assessments collected by or on behalf of the District: Total special assessments collected was \$2,719,485.
- 9) The total amount of outstanding bonds issued by the District and the terms of such bonds: Series 2021 Bonds, \$15,175,000, maturing May 2036.

To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District

Additional Matters

Section 10.554(1)(i)3., Rules of the Auditor General, requires us to communicate noncompliance with provisions of contracts or grant agreements, or abuse, that have occurred, or are likely to have occurred, that have an effect on the financial statements that is less than material but warrants the attention of those charged with governance. In connection with our audit, we did not note any such findings.

Purpose of this Letter

Our management letter is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Auditing Committee, members of the Florida Senate and the Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Auditor General, Federal and other granting agencies, the Board of Supervisors, and applicable management, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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**INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT/COMPLIANCE
WITH SECTION 218.415, FLORIDA STATUTES**

To the Board of Supervisors
Bartram Springs Community Development District
Jacksonville, Florida

We have examined Bartram Springs Community Development District's compliance with Section 218.415, Florida Statutes during the year ended September 30, 2021. Management is responsible for Bartram Springs Community Development District's compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Bartram Springs Community Development District's compliance based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence about Bartram Springs Community Development District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on Bartram Springs Community Development District's compliance with the specified requirements.

In our opinion, Bartram Springs Community Development District complied, in all material respects, with the aforementioned requirements during the year ended September 30, 2021.

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Fort Pierce, Florida

June 28, 2022