# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY REPORT OF AUDIT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

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## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COUNTY OF BERGEN

PART I

REPORT ON AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014



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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Township Council Township of Wyckoff Wyckoff, New Jersey

### Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets - regulatory basis of the various funds and account group of the Township of Wyckoff, as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the related statements of operations and changes in fund balance - regulatory basis for the years then ended, and the related statement of revenues - regulatory basis and statement of expenditures - regulatory basis of the various funds for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

#### Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

As described in Note 1 of the financial statements, the financial statements are prepared and presented by the Township of Wyckoff on the basis of the financial accounting and reporting principles and practices that demonstrate compliance with the regulatory basis of accounting and budget laws prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, to meet the requirements of the State of New Jersey for municipal government entities.

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

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

In our opinion, because of the significance of the requirement that the Township of Wyckoff prepare and present its financial statements on the regulatory basis of accounting as discussed in the "Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles" paragraph above, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of each fund of the Township of Wyckoff as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, or changes in financial position, or, where applicable, cash flows for the years then ended.

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

As discussed in Note 15 of the financial statements, the financial statements – regulatory basis of the Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) Trust Fund have not been audited, and we were not required by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, to audit nor were we engaged to audit the LOSAP Trust Fund financial statements as part of our audit of the Township's financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013. The LOSAP Trust Fund financial activities are included in the Township's Trust Funds, and represent 41 percent and 41 percent of the assets and liabilities, respectively, of the Township's Trust Funds as of December 31, 2014 and 2013.

### Oualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of such adjustments, if any, as might have been determined to be necessary had the LOSAP Trust Fund financial statements been audited as described in the "Basis for Qualified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting" paragraph above, the financial statements – regulatory basis referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position – regulatory basis of the various funds and account group of the Township of Wyckoff as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the results of operations and changes in fund balance – regulatory basis of such funds for the years then ended and the respective revenues – regulatory basis and expenditures – regulatory basis of the various funds for the year ended December 31, 2014 in accordance with the financial accounting and reporting principles and practices prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey as described in Note 1.

#### Other Matters

### Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements of the Township of Wyckoff as a whole. The supplementary schedules listed in the table of contents, schedule of expenditures of federal awards, schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance and the supplementary data and letter of comments and recommendations section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements of the Township of Wyckoff.

The supplementary schedules listed in the table of contents, schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary schedules listed in the table of contents, schedule of expenditures of federal awards and schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

The supplementary data and letter of comments and recommendations section has not been subject to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued our report dated June 29, 2015 on our consideration of the Township of Wyckoff's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> in considering the Township of Wyckoff's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Fair Lawn, New Jersey June 29, 2015

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS CURRENT FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

	Reference	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
ASSETS			
Cash Cash - Change Fund	A-4 A-5	\$ 5,523,905 500	\$ 5,581,136 500
		5,524,405	5,581,636
Grants Receivable Due from State of NJ - Senior Citizen/Veteran Deduction	A-11 A-6	6,993 1,500	10,629 2,475
		8,493	13,104
Receivables and Other Assets with Full Reserves			
Taxes Receivable	A-7	364,931	371,210
Tax Title Liens	A-8	10,209	8,400
Property Acquired for Taxes - Assessed Valuation	A-9	36,700	36,700
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-10	6,587	42,025
Due from Other Trust Fund	B-8		2,950
Due from Animal Control Trust Fund	B-6	6,058	12,309
		424,485	473,594
Deferred Charges			
Special Emergency Authorization	A-26	441,628	552,128
Total Assets		\$ 6,399,011	\$ 6,620,462

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS CURRENT FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

	Reference	2014	<u>2013</u>
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE			
Liabilities			
Appropriation Reserves	A-3, A-12	\$ 759,848	\$ 739,650
Encumbrances Payable	A-13	436,036	691,012
Prepaid Taxes	A-14	408,767	361,254
Tax Overpayments	A-18	80,001	60,228
Reserve for Library Property Tax Relief	A-23		388,070
Reserve for Tax Appeals	A-19	400,000	650,000
Reserve for Payroll Account	A-25	301	334
Reserve for Revaluation	A-27	106,713	107,496
Unappropriated Grant Reserves	A-21	42,231	33,264
Appropriated Grant Reserves	A-20	61,572	53,900
Special Emergency Notes Payable	A-28	441,628	552,128
Fees Payable	A-24	9,120	9,217
Due to Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	A-22	1,160	1,444
		2,747,377	3,647,997
Reserve for Receivables and Other Assets	A	424,485	473,594
Fund Balance	A-1	3,227,149	2,498,871
Total Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance		\$ 6,399,011	\$ 6,620,462

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF

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

### FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

REVENUE AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED	Reference	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Fund Balance Utilized	A-2	\$ 1,550,000	\$ 1,750,000
Miscellaneous Revenue Anticipated	A-2	4,134,646	4,100,187
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	A-7	366,890	442,469
Receipts from Current Taxes	A-2	76,144,962	73,995,222
Non Budget Revenue	A-2	415,332	402,120
Other Credits to Income	•• -	,	1,12,120
Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves	A-12	479,963	333,073
Appropriated Grants Cancelled	A-1	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	400
Interfunds Liquidated	A	9,201	133
Statutory Excess- Animal Control Fund	B-6	6,046	8,471
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Total Income		83,107,040	81,031,942
EXPENDITURES			
Budget Appropriations			
Operations			
Salaries and Wages	A-3	6,318,340	6,183,432
Other Expenses	A-3	7,688,416	8,125,666
Capital Improvements	A-3	484,800	644,500
Municipal Debt Service	A-3	478,353	472,019
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures -			
Municipal	A-3	1,518,210	1,439,783
Other Debits			
Regional School Taxes	A-17	18,489,263	18,232,207
Local School Taxes	A-16	35,588,200	34,719,594
County Taxes	A-15	10,018,024	9,898,150
Municipal Open Space Tax	A-22	242,650	242,834
Prior Year Senior Citizen/Veterans Disallowed	A-6		1,500
Refund of Prior Year Revenue	A-1		356,516
Cancellation of Grants Receivable	A-11	2,506	
Interfunds Advanced	A-1		11,432
Total Expenditures		80,828,762	80,327,633
Excess in Revenue		2,278,278	704,309
Adjustments to Income Before Fund Balance:			
Expenditures Included Above Which are by Statute		•	
Deferred to Budget of Succeeding Year	A-1	<del>-</del>	552,128
Excess in Revenue to Fund Balance		2,278,278	1,256,437
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FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1	A	2,498,871	2,992,434
		4,777,149	4,248,871
Decreased by:	A-2	1,550,000	1,750,000
Utilized as Anticipated Revenue	A-4	1,330,000	1,750,000
FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31	A	\$ 3,227,149	\$ 2,498,871

	Reference	4	2014 Anticipated <u>Budget</u>	Added by NJS 40A:4-87		Realized in 2014		Excess or (Deficit)
Fund Balance Anticipated	A-2	\$	1,550,000		\$	1,550,000	_	_
Miscellaneous Revenues								
Township Clerk - Licenses								
Alcoholic Beverages	A-10		17,500			17,500	_	
Other	A-10		70,000			113,319	\$	43,319
Fees and Permits	A-2		160,000			217,172		57,172
Fines and Costs - Municipal Court	A-10		100,000			109,025		9,025
Interest and Costs on Taxes	A-10		100,000			106,932		6,932
Interest on Investments	A-2		3,000			6,339		- 3,339
Lease of Township Property	A-10		35,960			35,960		
Cable Franchise Fee	A-10		235,528			235,529		1
Lease of Cell Tower Space #1	A-10		131,723			142,821		11,098
Lease of Cell Tower Space #2	A-10		110,845			160,649		49,804
Lease of Cell Tower Space #3	A-10		32,137			33,262		1,125
Lease of Cell Monopole AT&T	A-10		27,689			28,339		650
Energy Receipts Tax	A-10		1,093,271			1,093,271		-
Uniform Construction Code Fees	A-10		460,000			470,788		10,788
Police Dispatching Services Agreement -								
Midland Park	A-10		280,012			280,013		1
CFO Shared Services Agreement - Borough								
of New Milford	A-10		26,010			26,010		
Library Shared Service Agreement- Payroll Administration	A-10		9,900			9,900		
Public and Private Revenues:								
Reserve for Recycling Tonnage Grant	A-21		27,771			27,771		
Reserve for Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	A-21		5,492			5,492		
Municipal Alliance Grant	A-11			\$ 5,839		5,839		
Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over	A-11			5,000		5,000		
Clean Communities Program	A-11			30,875		30,875		
Other Special Items								
Recreation Fees	A-10		530,000			564,641		34,641
Uniform Fire Safety Act	A-10		19,000			20,129		1,129
Receipt of Library Revenues	A-23		388,070			388,070		-
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	A-1		3,863,908	41,714		4,134,646		229,024
Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	A-7	_	370,000		_	366,890		(3,110)
Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget:								
Local Taxes for Municipal Purposes	A-2		10,731,578			11,874,909		1,143,331
Minimum Library Tax	A-2		1,431,916			1,431,916		
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxes			12,163,494		_	13,306,825		1,143,331
Budget Totals		\$	17,947,402	\$ 41,714		19,358,361	\$	1,369,245
Non-Budget Revenue	A-2, A-4					415,332		
					\$	19,773,693		

	<u>Reference</u>	
ANALYSIS OF REALIZED REVENUES		
Allocation of Current Tax Collections		
Revenue from Collections	A-7	\$ 76,307,791
Less: Transferred to Reserve for Tax Appeals	A-19	162,829
		76,144,962
Less: Allocated to School, County and Open Space Taxes	A-15, A-16, A-17, A-22	64,338,137
		11,806,825
Add: Appropriation "Reserve for Uncollected Taxes"	A-3	1,500,000
	4.0	ф. 12.207.005
Amount for Support of Municipal Budget Appropriations	A-2	\$ 13,306,825
Fees and Permits - Other	•	
Tax Collector		\$ 325
Board of Health		57,610
Code Enforcement		124,090
Police Department		15,966
Planning Board		2,500
Board of Adjustment		16,681
	A-2, A-10	\$ 217,172
Interest on Investments and Deposits		
Revenue Accounts Receivable	A-10	\$ 5,833
Received from General Capital Fund	C-9	6
Received from Other Trust Fund	B-8	488
Received from Animal Control Fund	B-6	12
	A-2	\$ 6,339

### Reference

Analysis of Non-Budget Revenue			
Recyclables - Paper/Plastic/Metal			\$ 33,103
FEMA Reimbursement - Hurricane Sandy			140,380
Library Reimbursements			25,389
Private Duty Admin Fees			90,734
Decommissioned Cell Tower			8,867
Senior Citizen/Veteran Administrative Payment			2,620
Miscellaneous			 114,239
	A-2		\$ 415,332
	A-4	Cash Receipts	\$ 400,332
	B-8	Due from Other Trust Fund	 15,000
			\$ 415,332

	2014 Appropriated Budget After		2014 Ex Paid or		
	Budget	Modification	Charged	Reserved	Cancelled
OPERATIONS - WITHIN "CAPS" GENERAL GOVERNMENT	<del></del>		<del></del>		
Administrative and Executive					
Salaries and Wages	\$ 276,044	\$ 276,044	\$ 257,826		
Other Expenses	20,800	25,800	23,116	2,684	
Township Clerk					
Salaries and Wages	157,727	157,727	153,820	3,907	
Other Expenses	65,500	67,500	67,239	261	
Financial Administration	154 994	154,834	154,834	-	
Salaries and Wages	154,834 23,400	26,400	26,093	307	
Other Expenses Audit Services	28,750	28,138	28,000	138	
Revenue Administration and Tax Collection	20,750	20,100	20,500		
Salaries and Wages	92,404	92,404	90,101	2,303	
Other Expenses	9,000	9,000	8,124	876	
Elections	•	•			
Other Expenses	17,000	17,000	13,611	3,389	
Assessment of Taxes					
Salaries and Wages	139,263	139,263	136,144	3,119	
Other Expenses	190,750	190,750	134,734	56,016	
Environmental Commission; NJSA 40:56A-1			<b>500</b>	105	
Other Expenses	1,000	1,000	503	497	
Legal Services and Costs	05.500	25 522	76.961	9.620	
Other Expenses	85,500	85,500 7000	76,861 4769	8,639	
Engineering Services	15,500	/000	4709	2,231	•
Other Expenses Public Buildings and Grounds					
Salaries and Wages	69,934	69,934	69,934		
Other Expenses	158,000	228,000	170,919	57,081	
Shade Tree Commission	150,000	,	<b>,</b>	,	
Other Expenses	6,000	6,000	5,470	530	
Land Use Administration:	,				
Planning Board					
Salaries and Wages	27,459	27,459	26,165	1,294	
Other Expenses	41,000	35,000	19,666	15,334	
Board of Adjustment:					
Other Expenses	5,000	5,000	2,178	2,822	
Insurances	240.01#	225 217	224 505	622	
General Liability Insurance	260,217	225,217 207,825	224,595 207,825	622	
Workers Compensation Insurance	207,825 1,706,200	1,826,200	1,761,412	64,788	
Employee Health Benefits Insurance Health Benefit Waivers	23,000	23,000	14,093	8,907	
Unemployment Compensation Insurance	100	100	100	24201	
Police	155				
Salaries and Wages	3,250,715	3,250,715	3,156,002	94,713	
Other Expenses	130,600	130,600	123,528	7,072	
Public Safety: Volunteer First Aid Squad	37,871	37,871	37,871		
Emergency Management Services:					
Other Expenses	3,750	3,750	1,366	2,384.	
Public Safety: Volunteer Fire Department					
Other Expenses	85,500	85,500	82,718	2,782	
Uniform Fire Safety Act					
Life Hazard Use Fees (PL 1983)	15 345	15 265	15,265		
Salaries and Wages	15,265 2,000	. 15,265 2,000	1,548	452	
Other Expenses Radio Communications Contract	13,000	13,000	10,983	2,017	
Recreation and Recreation Education	15,000	15,000	10,500		•
Salaries and Wages	157,593	214,593	213,763	830	
Other Expenses	325,000	275,000	239,948	35,052	
Park Maintenance		•	•	•	
Salaries and Wages	69,934	69,934	69,934		
Other Expenses	106,500	106,500	106,453	47	
Celebration of Public Events					
Other Expenses	5,500	5,500	5,500		

	•	2014 Appropriated Budget After			<u>2014 Expended</u> Paid or				
	В	udget		odification		Charged	<u>Re</u>	served	Cancelled
OPERATIONS - WITHIN "CAPS"	_								
GENERAL GOVERNMENT (CONTINUED)									
Recycling									
Other Expenses	\$	239,920	\$	239,920	\$	233,740	\$	6,180	
Sanitation/Garbage and Trash Removal									
Other Expenses		415,000		415,000		415,000			
Road Repairs and Maintenance								4	
Salaries and Wages		1,169,946		1,169,946		1,108,633		61,313	
Other Expenses		282,500		282,500		248,485		34,015	
DPW Vehicle Other Expenses		80,000		93,000 25,000		92,487 20,381		513 4,619	
Police Vehicle Other Expenses		25,000 35,000		38,000		37,863		137	
Fire Vehicle Other Expenses CDL Mandate Other Expenses		750		750		750		1-71	
Board of Health		750		750		,50			
Salaries and Wages		12,592		12,592		11,794		798	
Other Expenses		88,132		88,132		77,088		11,044	
Animal Control		,		,		,		ŕ	
Other Expenses		14,320		14,320		10,310		4,010	
Condo Services Act									
Other Expenses		4,000		4,000		3,976		24	
Construction Code Official									
Salaries and Wages		312,241		322,741		322,210		531	
Other Expenses		44,500		44,500		42,193		2,307	
PEOSHA Mandate									
Hepatitis B (P.L. 1985 c. 516)		4,150		4,150		4,150			
Respiratory Protection		22,000		22,000		22,000			
Municipal Court		77 076		77 074		77,405		471	
Salaries and Wages		77,876 6,600		77,876 6,600		5,588		1,012	
Other Expenses Municipal Prosecutor		0,000		0,000		5,500		1,012	
Other Expenses		9,700		9,700		8,475		1,225	
Public Defender		,,,,,,				. 9,110		-,	
Other Expenses		4,300		4,300		3,900		400	
Utilities:				,	•				
Electricity		76,000		83,000		81,842		1,158	
Street Lighting		180,000		150,000		143,505		6,495	
Telephone		55,000		55,000		55,000			
Water		5,000		5,000		2,167		2,833	
Natural Gas		40,000		40,000		35,158		4,842	
Fire Hydrants		60,000		60,200		60,194		6	
Gasoline		160,000		140,000		120,297		19,703	
Landfill and Solid Waste Disposal		455,000		394,800	_	376,873		17,927	<u>-</u>
Total Operations Within "CAPS"	1	1,864,962		11,945,350		11,364,475		580,875	_
Total Operations Within Can o		1,001,20		(1,5 10,550		1 1,10 0 1,3 1.10			
Detail;								•	
Salaries and Wages		5,983,827		6,051,327		5,863,830		187,497	-
Other Expenses		5,881,135		5,894,023	_	5,500,645		393,378	
,									
Deferred Charges and Statutory Expenditures - Municipal Within "CAPS"									
Statutory Charges Public Employees Retirement System		362,869		325,879		325,879			•
Social Security System (O.A.S.I.)		454,000		454,000		428,782		25,218	
Police and Firemen's Retirement System of NJ		671,229	_	627,831	_	627,831		-	
Total Deferred Charges and Statutory									
Expenditures - Municipal Within "CAPS"		1,488,098		1,407,710		1,382,492		25,218	
Total Canada American for Municipal									
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes Within "CAPS"	1	3,353,060		13,353,060		12,746,967		606,093	_
Larboses Minnin CVL 9	1	2,222,000		10,000,000	_	L=,7-FU,207		200,023	<del></del>

	<u>2014 Ap</u>	propriated Budget After		<u>2014 Expended</u> Paid or		
	Budget	Modification	Charged	Reserved	Cancelled	
OPERATIONS - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS"						
Recycling Tax	\$ - 24,000	\$ 24,000	\$ 17,295	\$ 6,705		
Affordable Housing						
Salaries and Wages	42,491	42,491	42,491			
Other Expenses	15,500	15,500	14,711	789		
Tax Appeal Interest	10,000	10,000	1,234	8,766		
911 Emergency Service Contract	16,600	16,600	16,400	200		
Maintenance of Free Public Library	1,431,916	1,431,916	1,424,621	7,295		
Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP)	130,000	130,000	-	130,000		
Total Other Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	1,670,507	1,670,507	1,516,752	153,755		
Interlocal Municipal Service Agreements						
Regionalized Dispatch Service - Midland Park	•					
Salaries and Wages	224,522	224,522	224,522			
Other Expenses	55,490	55,490	55,490			
Wyckoff Public Library-Payroll Shared Service	9,900	9,900	9,900			
CFO Shared Services-Borough of New Milford	26,010	26,010	26,010			
Total Interlocal Municipal Service Agreements	315,922	315,922	315,922		-	
Public and Private Programs Offset by Revenues						
Reserve for Recycling Tonnage Grant	27,771	27,771	27,771			
Reserve for Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	5,492	5,492	5,492			
Municipal Alliance Program - State Share		5,839	5,839			
Drive Sober Get Pulled Over		5,000	5,000			
Clean Communities Program		30,875	30,875	-		
Total Public and Private Programs Offset						
by Revenues	33,263	74,977	74,977			
Total Operations Excluded from "CAPS"	2,019,692	2,061,406	1,907,651	153,755	*	
Detail:						
Salaries and Wages	267,013	267,013	267,013	-	-	
Other Expenses	1,752,679	1,794,393	1,640,638	153,755	•	
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS - EXCLUDED						
FROM "CAPS"						
Capital Improvement Fund	484,800	484,800	484,800	<del>.</del>	<del></del>	
Total Capital Improvements Excluded						
from "CAPS"	484,800	484,800	484,800			

		2014 Appropriated Budget After			2014 Ext	Expended				
		Budget		odification		<u>Charged</u>	<u>R</u>	eserved	<u>Car</u>	ncelled
MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE - EXCLUDED FROM "CAPS" Payment of Bond Anticipation Notes and Capital Notes	\$	463,500	\$	463,500	\$	463,500				
Interest on Notes	<u> </u>	15,850		15,850	_	14,853			\$	997
Total Municipal Debt Service Excluded from "CAPS"	_	479,350		479,350		478,353				997
Deferred Charges - Municipal Excluded From "CAPS"										
Deferred Charges Special Emergency Authorizations	<del></del>	110,500		110,500	_	110,500				
Total Deferred Charges Municipal Excluded from "CAPS"		110,500		110,500		110,500		-		
,	-									
Total General Appropriations for Municipal Purposes Excluded from "CAPS"		3,094,342		3,136,056	_	2,981,304	\$	153,755		997
Subtotal General Appropriations		16,447,402		16,489,116		15,728,271		759,848		997
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes		1,500,000		1,500,000	-	1,500,000	_			
Total General Appropriations	\$	17,947,402	\$	17,989,116	\$	17,228,271	\$	759,848	<u>\$</u>	997
<u>Refe</u>	rence	A-2						A		

	Reference	Budget After Modification	Paid or <u>Charged</u>
Adopted Budget Additional Appropriations (N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87)	A-2 A-2	\$ 17,947,402 41,714	
		<u>\$ 17,989,116</u>	
Cash Disbursed	A-4		\$ 15,179,758
Encumbrances Payable	A-13		363,036
Transferred To Appropriated Grant Reserves	A-20		74,977
Special Emergency Authorization	A-26		110,500
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	A-2	•	1,500,000
			\$ 17,228,271

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS - TRUST FUNDS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

	Reference	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
ASSETS			
ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND Cash	B-3	\$ 37,089	\$ 41,898
OTHER TRUST FUND Cash	В-3	2,115,284	2,090,764
MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND			
Cash Due from Current Fund	B-3 B-11	709,056 1,160	465,532 1,444
		710,216	466,976
LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM TRUST FUND (UNAUDITED)			
Investments Contributions Receivable	B B	1,891,011 118,450	1,670,636 120,750
		2,009,461	1,791,386
Total Assets		\$ 4,872,050	\$ 4,391,024
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE			
ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND			
Reserve for Dog License Expenditures	B-4	\$ 30,301	\$ 28,926
Due to Current Fund Due to the State of New Jersey	B-6 B-5	6,058 730	12,309 663
		37,089	41,898
OTHER TRUST FUND			
Miscellaneous Reserves	B-7	2,003,830	1,980,909
Reserve for Payroll Deductions Payable  Due to Current Fund	B-12 B-8	105,728	104,175 2,950
Due to the State of New Jersey	B-9	5,726	2,730
		2,115,284	2,090,764
MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND Reserve for Municipal Open Space Trust Fund	B-10	710,216	466,976
LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM TRUST FUND (UNAUDITED) Reserve for LOSAP	В	2,009,461	1,791,386
Total Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance		\$ 4,872,050	\$ 4,391,024

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS - MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

	Anticipated (Memo)						
	Reference	Budget	Budget After Modification	2014 Realized	Excess or (Deficit)		
Amount to be Raised by Taxation	B-10	\$ 241,490	\$ 241,490	\$ 242,650	\$ 1,160		
		\$ 241,490	\$ 241,490	242,650	\$ 1,160		
Non-Budget Revenue	B-10			590			
				\$ 243,240			
Analysis of Non-Budget Revenue							

EXHIBIT B-2

### STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS - MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

	Reference	Appropriated Reference Budget				Paid or Charged		Excess or (Deficit)	
Reserve for Future Use	B-10	\$	241,490	\$	241,490	\$		\$	241,490
		\$	241,490	\$	241,490	\$	-	<u>\$</u>	241,490

Interest on Deposits

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS GENERAL CAPITAL FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31', 2014 AND 2013

ASSETS	Reference	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Cash Grants Receivable Deferred Charges to Future Taxation - Unfunded	C-2,C-3 C-4 C-5	\$ 798,473 810 2,520,050	\$ 1,030,931 192,204 1,365,550
Total Assets		\$ 3,319,333	\$ 2,588,685
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE	2.40	2 2 10 022	
Bond Anticipation Notes Payable	C-10	2,340,020	1,365,550
Encumbrances Payable	C-8	211,792	671,816
Capital Improvement Fund	C-7	11,317	11,317
Improvement Authorizations			
Funded	C-6	501,464	434,255
Unfunded	C-6	178,428	29,435
Fund Balance	C-1	76,312	76,312
Total Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance		\$ 3,319,333	\$ 2,588,685

There were bonds and notes authorized but not issued at December 31, 2014 and 2013 of \$180,030 and \$0 respectively (Exhibit C-11).

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS GENERAL CAPITAL FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

	Reference	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Balance, January 1	С	\$ 76,312	\$ 76,312
Balance, December 31	С	\$ 76,312	\$ 76,312

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS SEWER UTILITY FUND AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

ASSETS	Reference	2014	2013
1100210			
OPERATING FUND Cash	D-4	\$ 896,481	\$ 575,040
Receivables With Full Reserves Consumer Accounts Receivable	D-6	69,663	51,990
Total Operating Fund		966,144	627,030
CAPITAL FUND			
Cash	D-4, D-5	534,419	434,419
Fixed Capital	D-13	150,000	150,000
Fixed Capital Authorized and Uncompleted	D-15	150,000	150,000
•			
Total Capital Fund		834,419	734,419
Total Assets		\$ 1,800,563	\$ 1,361,449
LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCE		•	
OPERATING FUND			
Appropriation Reserves	D-3,D-7	\$ 59,299	\$ 360,485
Encumbrances Payable	D-8	541	2,718
Prepaid Sewer Rents	D-12	1,289	2,330
Overpayments	D-9	1,175	4,211
		62,304	369,744
Reserve for Receivables	D	69,663	51, <del>9</del> 90
Fund Balance	D-1	834,177	205,296
Total Operating Fund		966,144	627,030
CAPITAL FUND			
Capital Improvement Fund	D-11	405,916	305,916
Improvement Authorizations-Funded	D-10	128,503	128,503
Reserved for Amortization	D-14	150,000	150,000
Deferred Reserve for Amortization	D-14 D-16	150,000	150,000
DOLDING TOURING TO AMAZINE	2 10		200,000
Total Capital Fund		834,419	734,419
Total Liabilities, Reserves and Fund Balance		\$ 1,800,563	\$ 1,361,449

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN OPERATING FUND BALANCE - REGULATORY BASIS SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

	<u>Reference</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
REVENUES AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED			
Sewer Rents	D-2	\$ 2,108,039	\$ 2,124,002
Interest and Costs on Sewer Charges	D-2	6,688	4,577
Other Credits to Income			
Non Budget Revenue	D-2	20,203	15,302
Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves	D-7	360,599	26,838
Total Income		2,495,529	2,170,719
EXPENDITURES			
Budget Appropriations			
Operating	D-3	1,766,648 100,000	2,052,680
Capital Improvements	D-3	100,000	5,000
Total Expenditures		1,866,648	2,057,680
Excess in Revenues		628,881	113,039
FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1	D	205,296	92,257
FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31	D	<u>\$ 834,177</u>	\$ 205,296

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF REVENUES - REGULATORY BASIS SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

	Reference	2014 Anticipated	2014 Realized	Excess or (Deficit)
Sewer Rents Interest and Costs on Sewer Charges	D-1-D-6 D-1,D-4	\$ 1,862,648 4,000	\$ 2,108,039 6,688	\$ 245,391 2,688
		\$ 1,866,648	2,114,727	\$ 248,079
Non-Budget Revenue	D-1,D-4		20,203	
			\$ 2,134,930	

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - REGULATORY BASIS SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

		<u>Ap</u>	propriated	Expended		
			Budget After	Paid or		
		<u>Budget</u>	<u>Modification</u>	<u>Charged</u>	Reserved	
OPERATING						
Salaries and Wages		\$ 66,648	\$ 66,648	\$ 66,648		
Other Expenses		1,700,000	1,700,000	1,640,701	\$ 59,299	
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS						
Capital Improvement Fund		100,000	100,000	100,000		
		\$ 1,866,648	\$ 1,866,648	\$ 1,807,349	\$ 59,299	
		\$ 1,800,048	\$ 1,800,048	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
	Reference	D-2	D-2		D	
Cash Disbursed	D-4			\$ 1,806,808		
Encumbrances Payable	D-8			541		
•		•		\$ 1,807,349		

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - REGULATORY BASIS GENERAL FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT GROUP AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
ASSETS		
Land	\$ 9,040,300	
Buildings Vehicles and Equipment	2,275,875 8,552,361	2,275,875 7,809,443
Total Assets	\$ 19,868,536	\$ 19,125,618
RESERVES		
Investment in General Fixed Assets	\$19,868,536	\$ 19,125,618
Total Reserves	\$ 19,868,536	\$ 19,125,618

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### A. Reporting Entity

The Township of Wyckoff (the "Township") was incorporated in 1926 and operates under an elected Mayor and Council form of government. The Township's major operations include public safety, road repair and maintenance, sanitation, fire protection, recreation and parks, health services, and general administrative services.

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

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

### B. Description of Regulatory Basis of Accounting

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

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

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

### C. Basis of Presentation - Financial Statements

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

The Township has the following funds and account group:

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

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

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

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

<u>Municipal Open Space Trust Fund</u> - This fund is used to account for the receipts and disbursements relating to the taxes dedicated to acquisition of real property for open space.

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

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

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

<u>General Fixed Assets Account Group</u> - This account group is used to account for all general fixed assets of the Township, other than those accounted for in the sewer utility fund. The Township's infrastructure is not reported in the account group.

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

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

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

<u>Reclassifications</u> - Certain reclassifications may have been made to the December 31, 2013 balances to conform to the December 31, 2014 presentation.

### Financial Statements - Regulatory Basis

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

### D. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

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

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

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

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

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

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

Property Tax Revenues/Receivables - Real property taxes are assessed locally, based upon the assessed value of the property. The tax bill includes a levy for Municipal, County, and School purposes. The bills are mailed annually in June for that calendar year's levy. Taxes are payable in four quarterly installments on February 1, May 1, August 1, and November 1. The amounts of the first and second installments are determined as one-quarter of the total tax levied against the property for the preceding year. The installment due the third and fourth quarters is determined by taking the current year levy less the amount previously charged for the first and second installments, with the remainder being divided equally. If unpaid on these dates, the amount due becomes delinquent and subject to interest at 8% per annum, or 18% on any delinquency amount in excess of \$1,500. A penalty of up to 6% of the delinquency may be imposed on a taxpayer with a delinquency in excess of \$10,000 who fails to pay that delinquency prior to the end of the fiscal year in which the charges become delinquent. The school levy is turned over to the Board of Education as expenditures are incurred, and the balance, if any, must be transferred as of June 30, of each fiscal year. County taxes are paid quarterly on February 15, May 15, August 15 and November 15, to the County by the Township. When unpaid taxes or any municipal lien, or part thereof, on real property, remains in arrears on April first in the year following the calendar year levy when the same became in arrears, the collector in the municipality shall, subject to the provisions of the New Jersey Statutes, enforce the lien by placing the property on a standard tax sale. The Township also has the option when unpaid taxes or any municipal lien, or part thereof, on real property remains in arrears on the 11th day of the eleventh month in the fiscal year when the taxes or lien became in arrears, the collector in the municipality shall, subject to the provisions of the New Jersey Statutes, enforce the lien by placing property on an accelerated tax sale, provided that the The Township may institute sale is conducted and completed no earlier than in the last month of the fiscal year. annual in rem tax foreclosure proceedings to enforce the tax collection or acquisition of title to the property. In accordance with the accounting principles prescribed by the State of New Jersey, current and delinquent taxes are realized as revenue when collected. Since delinquent taxes and liens are fully reserved, no provision has been made to estimate that portion of the tax receivable and tax title liens that are uncollectible. GAAP requires property tax revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they are both levied and available), reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

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

<u>Utility Revenues/Receivables</u> - Utility charges are levied semi-annually based upon a flat service charge and if applicable, an excess consumption or usage charge. Revenues from these sources are recognized on a cash basis. Receivables that are susceptible to accrual are recorded with offsetting reserves on the balance sheet of the Township's sewer utility operating fund. GAAP requires such revenues to be recognized in the accounting period when they become susceptible to accrual, reduced by an allowance for doubtful accounts.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

<u>General Fixed Assets</u> - In accordance with NJAC 5:30-5.6, Accounting for Governmental Fixed Assets, the Township of Wyckoff has developed a fixed assets accounting and reporting system. Fixed assets are defined by the Township as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years.

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

Fixed Assets purchased after December 31, 1985 are stated as cost. Donated fixed assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

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

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

Fixed Assets purchased prior to December 31, 1985 are stated as follows:

Land and Buildings
Machinery and Equipment

Assessed Value Estimated Historical Cost

No depreciation has been provided for in the financial statements.

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

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

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

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

<u>Use of Estimates</u> - The preparation of financial statements requires management of the Township to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of accrued revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

### NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

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

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

Trust Funds except for the Municipal Open Space Trust Fund General Capital Fund Sewer Utility Capital Fund

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

### **Budgets and Budgetary Accounting (Continued)**

The governing body is required to introduce and approve the annual budget no later than February 10, of the fiscal year. The budget is required to be adopted no later than March 20, and prior to adoption must be certified by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. The Director of the Division of Local Government Services, with the approval of the Local Finance Board may extend the introduction and approval and adoption dates of the municipal budget. The budget is prepared by fund, function, activity and line item (salary or other expense) and includes information on the previous year. The legal level of control for appropriations is exercised at the individual line item level for all operating budgets adopted. The governing body of the municipality may authorize emergency appropriations and the inclusion of certain special items of revenue to the budget after its adoption and determination of the tax rate. During the last two months of the fiscal year, the governing body may, by a 2/3 vote; amend the budget through line item transfers. Management has no authority to amend the budget without the approval of the governing body. Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the line item level. During 2014 and 2013 the Township Council increased the original budget by \$41,714 and \$590,149. The 2014 increase was funded by additional aid allotted to the Township. The 2013 increase was funded by additional aid in the amount of \$38,021 awarded to the Township and a special emergency authorization of \$552,128 for the revaluation of real property. In addition, the governing body approved several budget transfers during 2014 and 2013.

### NOTE 3 DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

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

### A. Deposits

The Township's deposits are insured through either the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) or New Jersey's Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act (GUDPA). The Township is required to deposit their funds in a depository which is protecting such funds pursuant to GUDPA. The New Jersey Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act requires all banks doing business in the State of New Jersey to pledge collateral equal to at least 5% of the average amount of its public deposits and 100% of the average amount of its public funds in excess of the lesser of 75% of its capital funds or \$200 million for all deposits not covered by the FDIC.

Bank balances are insured up to \$250,000 in the aggregate by the FDIC for each bank. SIPC replaces cash claims up to a maximum of \$250,000 for each failed brokerage firm. At December 31, 2014 and 2013, the book value of the Township's deposits were \$10,615,207 and \$10,220,220 and bank and brokerage firm balances of the Township's deposits amounted to \$10,725,042 and \$10,407,433, respectively. The Township's deposits which are displayed on the various fund balance sheets as "cash" are categorized as:

Depository Account	Bank Balance		
	<u>2014</u>		<u>2013</u>
Insured Uninsured and Collateralized	\$ 10,610,566	\$	10,293,023 114,410
	\$ 10,725,042	\$	10,407,433

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

#### A. Deposits (Continued)

<u>Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits</u> - Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The Township does not have a formal policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Township's bank balances of \$114,476 and \$114,410 were exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Uninsured and Collateralized		
Collateral held by pledging financial institution's trust		
department not in the Township's name	\$ 114,476	\$ 114,410

#### B. Investments

The Township is permitted to invest public funds in accordance with the types of securities authorized by N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1. Investments include bonds or other obligations of the United States or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America, Government Money Market Mutual Funds, bonds or other obligations of the Township or bonds or other obligations of the school districts which are a part of the Township or school districts located within the Township, Local Government investment pools, and agreements for the repurchase of fully collateralized securities, if transacted in accordance with NJSA 40A:5-15.1 (8a-8e). In addition, the Township is permitted to invest LOSAP Funds with the types of eligible investments authorized in NJAC 5:30-14.19. LOSAP investments include interest bearing accounts or securities, in which savings banks of New Jersey are authorized to invest their funds, New Jersey Cash Management Fund, fixed and variable individual or group annuity contracts, mutual fund shares or fixed and variable life insurance contracts.

As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Township had the following investments:

		Fair V	Value	
		(Unau	dited)	)
	2	<u>.014</u>		<u>2013</u>
Investment:				
Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP)	\$	<u>1,891,011</u>	\$	1,670,636

<u>Custodial Credit Risk – Investments</u> – For an investment, this is the risk, that in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the Township will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are held by an outside party. The Township does not have a policy for custodial risk. As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, \$1,891,011 and \$1,670,636 of the Township's investments was exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

Fair	Value
(LOSAP)	Unaudited
2014	2013

Uninsured and Collateralized:

Collateral held by pledging financial institution's trust department but not in the Township's name

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

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

<u>Interest Rate Risk</u> – The Township does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

<u>Credit Risk</u> – State law limits investments as noted above (N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1). The Township does not have an investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Township's investment in Lincoln Financial Group was rated Baa1 by Moody's Investor Service.

<u>Concentration of Credit Risk</u> – The Township places no limit in the amount the Township may invest in any one issuer. More than five (5) percent of the Township's investments are in Lincoln Financial Group. These investments are 100% of the Township's total investments.

The fair value of the above-listed investment was based on quoted market prices.

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

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

Receivables at December 31, 2014 consisted of the following:

	Current	<u>s</u>	<u>Sewer</u>	<u>Total</u>
2014 Property Taxes	\$ 364,931			\$ 364,931
Tax Title Liens	10,209			10,209
Utility Charges and Fees	 <u> </u>	\$	69,663	 69,663
	\$ 375,140	\$	69,663	\$ 444,803

In 2014, the Township collected \$366,980 and \$51,990 from delinquent taxes and utility charges and fees, which represented 99% and 100% of the delinquent tax, and sewer charges receivable at December 31, 2013.

Receivables at December 31, 2013 consisted of the following:

	Current	Sewer	<u>Total</u>
2013 Property Taxes	\$ 371,210		\$ 371,210
Tax Title Liens	8,400	-	8,400
Utility Charges and Fees	 -	\$ 51,990	 51,990
	\$ 379,610	\$ 51,990	\$ 431,600

In 2013, the Township collected \$442,469 and \$58,034 from delinquent taxes and utility charges and fees, which represented 99% and 100% of the delinquent tax, water and sewer charges receivable at December 31, 2012.

#### NOTE 5 DUE TO/FROM OTHER FUNDS

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

•		<u>20</u> :	<u>14</u>		<u>2013</u>			
	D	ue from		Due to	Du	ie from		Due to
	<u>Oth</u>	er Funds	<u>Ot</u> l	her Funds	<u>Oth</u>	er Funds	<u>Otl</u>	ner Funds
Current Fund	\$	6,058	\$	1,160	\$	15,259	\$	1,444
Trust Funds Other Trust Fund								2,950
Municipal Open Space Animal Control Fund		1,160		6,058	<del></del>	1,444		12,309
Total	\$	7,218	\$	7,218	\$	16,703	\$	16,703

The above balances are the result of expenditures being paid by one fund on behalf of another.

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

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

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

2014	Balance cember 31,	equent Year Budget propriation	<u>Balance</u>
2014 Current Fund Special Emergency Authorization (40A:4-55)	\$ 441,628	\$ 110,500	\$ 331,128
2013 Current Fund Special Emergency Authorization (40A:4-55)	\$ 552,128	\$ 110,500	\$ 441,628

#### NOTE 7 FUND BALANCES APPROPRIATED

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

	Fund		Fund	
	Balance	Utilized	Balance	Utilized
	December 31	, in Subsequent	December 31,	in Subsequent
	<u>2014</u>	Year's Budget	<u>2013</u>	Year's Budget
Current Fund				
Cash Surplus	\$ 3,218,650	, ,	\$ 2,485,767	\$ 1,550,000
Non-Cash Surplus	8,493	<u> </u>	13,104	_
	\$ 3,227,149	9 \$ 1,850,000	\$ 2,498,871	\$ 1,550,000
Sewer Utility Operating Fur	nd			
Cash Surplus	\$ 834,17	7	\$ 205,296	
Non-Cash Surplus			<del></del>	
	\$ 834,17	<u> </u>	\$ 205,296	\$

#### NOTE 8 FIXED ASSETS

#### A. General Fixed Assets

The following is a summary of changes in the general fixed assets account group for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013.

		Balance					Balance,
	D	ecember 31,				D	ecember 31,
		<u>2013</u>	<u>I</u>	ncreases	<u>Decreases</u>		<u>2014</u>
2014							
<b>2014</b> Land	\$	9,040,300				\$	9,040,300
Buildings		2,275,875					2,275,875
Vehicles and Equipment		7,809,443	\$	742,918			8,552,361
	\$	19,125,618	\$	742,918	\$ -	\$	19,868,536
	D	Balance ecember 31, 2012	I	ncreases	Decr <u>eases</u>	D	Balance, ecember 31, 2013
			_				
<u>2013</u>							
Land	\$	9,040,300				\$	9,040,300
Buildings		2,223,400	\$	52,475			2,275,875
Vehicles and Equipment		7,555,080		254,363		_	7,809,443
	\$	18,818,780	\$	306,838	\$	\$	19,125,618

#### NOTE 8 FIXED ASSETS (Continued)

#### **B. Sewer Utility Fund Fixed Assets**

The following is a summary of changes in the sewer utility fund fixed assets for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013.

	Balance			Balance,
	December 31,			December 31,
Sewer Utility Fund	<u>2013</u>	Increases	<u>Decreases</u>	<u>2014</u>
<u>2014</u>				
Fixed Capital	·			
Various Improvements	\$ 150,000	<u> </u>	\$ -	\$ 150,000
<u>2013</u>				
Fixed Capital				
Various Improvements	<u>\$</u>	\$ 150,000	\$ -	\$ 150,000

#### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT

The Local Bond Law governs the issuance of bonds and notes used to finance capital expenditures. General obligation bonds have been issued for both general capital and utility capital fund projects. All bonds are retired in serial installments within the statutory period of usefulness. Bonds issued by the Township are general obligation bonds, backed by the full faith and credit of the Township. Bond anticipation notes, which are issued to temporarily finance capital projects, must be paid off within ten years and four months or retired by the issuance of bonds.

	<u>2014</u>	2013
Issued General Notes	\$ 2,340,020	\$ 1,365,550
Authorized But Not Issued General		
Notes	180,030	<u>-</u>
Net Notes Issued and Authorized But Not Issued	\$ 2,520,050	\$ 1,365,550

#### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

#### **Statutory Net Debt**

The statement of debt condition that follows is extracted from the Township's Annual Debt Statement and indicates a statutory net debt of .058% and .031% at December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

	,	Gross Debt	<u>Deductions</u>		Net Debt
2014 General Debt	\$	2,520,050		-\$	2,520,050
School Debt		46,305,000	\$ 46,305,000		
Total	\$	48,825,050	\$ 46,305,000	<u>\$</u>	2,520,050
		Gross Debt	Deductions		Net Debt
		CIOSS DOCE	Deductions		TACE DODE
2013 General Debt	\$	1,365,550	Deductions	\$	1,365,550
			\$ 34,796,301	\$	

#### **Statutory Borrowing Power**

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

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
3-1/2% of Equalized Valuation Basis (Municipal) Net Debt	\$ 151,531,893 2,520,050	\$ 152,489,782 1,365,550
Remaining Borrowing Power	\$ 149,011,843	\$ 151,124,232

#### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

#### A. Short-Term Debt

The Township's short-term debt activity for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013 was as follows:

<b>Bond Anticipation Notes</b>			D. 1			Dolomos
	Rate	Maturity	Balance, December 31,			Balance, December 31,
	(%)	Date	<u>2013</u>	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	<u>2014</u>
<u>2014</u>						
<u>Purpose</u>						
General Capital Fund						
Police Desk Upgrade/Rescue Truck	0.55%	7/28/2015	\$ 199,000	\$ 99,500	\$ 199,000	\$ 99,500
Various Capital Improvements	0.55%	7/28/2015	266,000	133,000	266,000	133,000
Refunding Tax Appeals	2.50%	1/28/2015	350,000	175,000	350,000	175,000
Purchase of a Fire Pumper Truck	0.55%	7/28/2015	550,550	494,550	550,550	494,550
Road Resurfacing	0.55%	7/28/2015		1,235,000		1,235,000
Various Equipment Upgrades	0.55%	7/28/2015		202,970		202,970
Total General Capital Fund			\$ 1,365,550	\$ 2,340,020	\$ 1,365,550	\$ 2,340,020
			Balance,			Balance,
	Rate	Maturity	Balance, December 31,			Balance, December 31,
	Rate (%)	Maturity <u>Date</u>	•	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	•
<u>2013</u>		-	December 31,	Additions	Reductions	December 31,
2013 Purpose		-	December 31,	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	December 31,
<del></del>		-	December 31,	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	December 31,
Purpose  General Capital Fund		-	December 31,	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions \$ 69,560	December 31,
<u>Purpose</u>	<u>(%)</u>	<u>Date</u>	December 31, 2012	Additions		December 31,
Purpose  General Capital Fund  Fire Pumper  Culvert Reconstruction	(%) 1.45%	<u>Date</u> 8/6/2013	December 31, 2012 \$ 69,560	Additions	\$ 69,560	December 31,
Purpose  General Capital Fund  Fire Pumper  Culvert Reconstruction  Road Resurfacing	(%) 1.45% 1.45%	Date 8/6/2013 8/6/2013	December 31, 2012  \$ 69,560 13,400	<u>Additions</u> \$ 199,000	\$ 69,560 13,400	December 31,
Purpose  General Capital Fund  Fire Pumper  Culvert Reconstruction	(%) 1.45% 1.45% 1.45%	Date 8/6/2013 8/6/2013 8/6/2013	December 31, 2012  \$ 69,560 13,400 99,040		\$ 69,560 13,400 99,040	December 31, 2013
Purpose  General Capital Fund  Fire Pumper Culvert Reconstruction Road Resurfacing Police Desk Upgrade/Rescue Truck	(%) 1.45% 1.45% 1.45% 0.75%	Date  8/6/2013 8/6/2013 8/6/2013 8/4/2014	December 31, 2012  \$ 69,560 13,400 99,040 298,500	\$ 199,000	\$ 69,560 13,400 99,040 298,500	December 31, 2013
Purpose  General Capital Fund  Fire Pumper Culvert Reconstruction Road Resurfacing Police Desk Upgrade/Rescue Truck Various Capital Improvements	(%)  1.45% 1.45% 1.45% 0.75% 0.75%	Date  8/6/2013 8/6/2013 8/6/2014 8/4/2014	December 31, 2012 \$ 69,560 13,400 99,040 298,500 266,000	\$ 199,000 266,000	\$ 69,560 13,400 99,040 298,500 266,000	December 31, 2013  \$ 199,000 266,000

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

#### NOTE 9 MUNICIPAL DEBT (Continued)

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

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

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

#### **Special Emergency Notes**

Following the adoption of an ordinance or resolution for special emergency appropriations, the Township may borrow money and issue special emergency notes which may be renewed from time to time, but at least 1/5 of all such notes and the renewal thereof, shall mature and be paid in each year so that all notes have been paid by the end of the fifth year following the date of the special emergency resolution.

	Rate (%)	Maturity <u>Date</u>	Balance, December 31, 2013	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	Balance, December 31, 2014
2014 Purpose						e.
Revaluation of Property	1.06%	11/18/15	\$ 552,128	\$ 441,628	\$ 552,128	\$ 441,628
			\$ 552,128	\$ 441,628	\$ 552,128	\$ 441,628
			Balance, December 31, 2012	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	Balance, December 31, 2013
2013 Purpose				•		•
Revaluation of Property	0.76%	11/19/14	\$ -	\$ 552,128	<u>\$</u>	\$ 552,128
			\$ -	\$ 552,128	<u>\$</u>	\$ 552,128

#### NOTE 10 OTHER SIGNIFICANT COMMITMENTS

As of December 31, the Township has other significant commitments as follows:

Purpose	Remaining Commitment
2014	·
Revaluation Services	\$73,000
2013	
Purchase of Fire Apparatus Revaluation Services	584,223 415,000

#### NOTE 11 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

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

Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS) – established in July 1944, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:16A to provide coverage to substantially all full time county and municipal police or firemen and State firemen appointed after June 30, 1944. Membership is mandatory for such employees with vesting occurring after 10 years of membership. PFRS is a cost-sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plan.

**Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)** – established in January 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide coverage, including post-retirement healthcare for those eligible employees whose local employers elected to do so, to substantially all full-time employees of the State or any county, municipality, school district, or public agency provided the employee is not a member of another State-administered retirement system. Membership is mandatory for such employees and vesting occurs after 10 years of service for pension benefits and, if applicable, 25 years for post-retirement healthcare coverage. PERS is a cost-sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plan.

#### Other Pension Funds

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

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

#### NOTE 11 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

#### Other Pension Funds (Continued)

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

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

#### **Basis of Accounting**

The financial statements of the retirement systems are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Employer contributions are recognized when payable to the retirement systems. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the retirement systems.

#### Significant Legislation

P.L. 2011, c.78, effective June 28, 2011, made various changes to the manner in which PERS and PFRS operate and to the benefit provisions of those systems.

This new legislation's provisions impacting employee pension and health benefits include:

- For new members of PERS hired on or after June 28, 2011 (Tier 5 members), the years of creditable service needed for early retirement benefits increased from 25 to 30 years and the early retirement age increased from 55 to 65. The eligibility age to qualify for a service retirement in the PERS increased from age 62 to 65 for Tier 5 members.
- The annual benefit under special retirement for new PFRS members enrolled after June 28, 2011 (Tier 3 members), decreased from 65 percent of final compensation to 60 percent of final compensation after 25 years of service and from 70 percent of final compensation to 65 percent of final compensation after 30 or more years of service.
- It increased the active member contribution rates as follows: PERS active member rates increase from 5.5 percent of annual compensation to 6.5 percent plus an additional 1 percent phased-in over 7 years for members hired or reappointed on or after June 28, 2011; PFRS active member rates increase from 8.5 percent to 10 percent. For Fiscal Year 2014, the PERS member contribution rate was 6.78%. The rate increased to 6.92% effective July 2014. The phase-in of the additional incremental member contributions for PERS members will take place in July of each subsequent fiscal year.
- The payment of automatic cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) additional increases to current and future retirees and beneficiaries was suspended. COLA increases may be reactivated at a future date as permitted by this law.
- It changed the method for amortizing the pension systems' unfunded accrued liability (from a level percent of pay method to a level dollar of pay method).

#### NOTE 11 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

#### Investment Valuation

Investments are reported at fair value. Securities traded on a national or international exchange are valued at the last reported sales price at current exchange rates. Mortgages are valued on the basis of future principal and interest payments, and are discounted at prevailing interest rates for similar instruments. The fair value of real estate investments is based on independent appraisals. Investments that do not have an established market are reported at estimated fair values.

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

#### **Funded Status and Funding Progress**

As of July 1, 2012, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the aggregate funded ratio for all the State administered retirement systems, including PERS and PFRS, is 64.5 percent with an unfunded actuarial accrued liability of \$47.2 billion. The aggregate funded ratio and unfunded accrued liability for the State-funded systems is 56.7 percent and \$34.4 billion, respectively and the aggregate funded ratio and unfunded accrued liability for local PERS and PFRS is 76.1 percent and \$12.8 billion, respectively.

The funded status and funding progress of the retirement systems includes actuarial valuations which involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events far into the future. These amounts are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the probability of future events.

Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective and are based on the benefits provided under the terms of the retirement systems in effect at the time of each valuation and also consider the pattern of the sharing of costs between the employer and members at that point in time. The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations on the pattern of cost sharing between the employer and members in the future.

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

In the July 1, 2012 actuarial valuations, the date of the most recent actuarial valuations, the projected unit credit was used as actuarial cost method, and the five year average of market value was used as asset valuation method for pension trust funds. The actuarial assumptions included (a) 7.90% for investment rate of return for all the retirement systems except CPFPF (2.00%) and (b) changes to projected salary increases of 4.22 percent for PERS and 6.01 percent for PFRS.

#### NOTE 11 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (Continued)

#### **Employer and Employee Pension Contributions**

The contribution policy is set by laws of the State of New Jersey and contributions are required by active members and participating employers. Plan members and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation, with the amount of contributions by the State of New Jersey contingent upon the annual Appropriations Act. As defined, the various retirement systems require employee contributions based on 6.50% plus an additional 1% phased-in over 7 years beginning in July 2013 for PERS and 10.0% for PFRS of employees' annual compensation. The member contribution for PERS was 6.78% in fiscal year 2014 and 6.92% for fiscal year 2015 effective July 2014.

#### Annual Pension Cost (APC)

For PFRS and PERS, which are cost sharing multi-employer defined benefit pension plans, annual pension cost equals contributions made. In the DCRP, which is a defined contribution plan, member contributions are matched by a 3% employer contribution.

During the years ended December 31, 2014, 2013 and 2012, the Township, was required to contribute for normal cost pension contributions, accrued liability pension contributions and non-contributory life insurance premiums the following amounts which equaled the required contributions for each respective year:

Year Ended December 31	<u>PFRS</u>	<u>PERS</u>		
2014	\$ 627,831	\$ 325,879		
2013	675,027	319,756		
2012	566,295	325,598		

#### NOTE 12 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS

The State of New Jersey sponsors and administers the post-retirement health benefit program plans for participating municipalities including the Township. The plans are classified as either single employer plans or cost sharing multiple employer defined benefit plans depending on the plan the eligible employee is covered under.

As a result of implementing Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 43, Financial Reporting for Post-employment Benefit Plans Other than Pension Plans (OPEB), effective for Fiscal Year 2007, the State Health Benefits Program (SHBP), and the Prescription Drug Program (PDP), and Post-Retirement Medical (PRM) of the PERS and the Teacher's Pension and Annuity (TPAF) are combined and reported as Pension and Other Employee Benefit Trust Funds in the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR). Specifically, SHBP-State, PDP-State, and the PRM of the PERS are combined and reported as Health Benefits Program Fund – State classified as a single employer plan. The SHBP-Local, PDP-Local, and the PRM of the TPAF-Local are combined and reported as Health Benefits Program Fund –Local Government classified as a cost sharing multiple-employer plan. The post-retirement benefit programs had a total of 585 state and local participating employers and contributing entities for Fiscal Year 2013.

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

#### NOTE 12 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

State Health Benefits Program Funds (HBPF) – Local Government (including Prescription Drug Program Fund) – Certain local employers who participate in the State Health Benefits Program provide health insurance coverage to their employees at retirement. Under provisions of P.L. 1997, c.330, the State of New Jersey provides partially funded benefits to local police officers and firefighters who retire with 25 years of service (or on disability) from an employer who does not provide coverage. Retirees who are not eligible for employer paid health coverage at retirement can continue in the program by paying the cost of the insurance for themselves and their covered dependents. Also, local employees are eligible for the PDP coverage after 60 days of employment.

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

#### **Basis of Accounting**

The financial statements of the health benefit programs are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Employer contributions are recognized when payable to the health benefit programs. Benefits or refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the health benefit programs.

#### Significant Legislation

P.L. 2011, c.78, effective October 2011, sets new employee contribution requirements towards the cost of employer-provided health benefit coverage. Employees are required to contribute a certain percentage of the cost of coverage. The rate of contribution is determined based on the employee's annual salary and the selected level of coverage. The increased employee contributions will be phased in over a 4-year period for those employed prior to this new legislation's effective date with a minimum contribution required to be at least 1.5% of salary. For those employed on or after June 28, 2011 the 4-year phase in does not apply, and contributions based on the full percentage rate of contribution are required.

#### **Investment Valuation**

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

#### **Funded Status and Funding Progress**

As of July 1, 2013, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the State had a \$51.5 billion unfunded actuarial liability for other postemployment benefits (OPEB) which is made up of \$19.3 billion for state active and retired members and \$32.2 billion for education employees and retirees that become the obligation of the State of New Jersey upon retirement.

The funded status and funding progress of the OPEB includes actuarial valuations which involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events far into the future. These amounts are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the probability of future events.

#### NOTE 12 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

#### Funded Status and Funding Progress (Continued)

Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective and are based on the benefits provided under the terms of the OPEB in effect at the time of each valuation and also consider the pattern of the sharing of costs between the employer and members at the point in time. The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations on the pattern of cost sharing between the employer and members in the future.

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

In the July 1, 2012 OPEB actuarial valuation, the projected unit credit was used as the actuarial cost method, and the market value was used as asset valuation method for the OPEB. The actuarial assumptions included an assumed investment rate of return of 4.50 percent.

#### Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contribution

P.L. 1987, c. 384 and P.L. 1990, c.6 required the Public Employees' Retirement System to fund post-retirement medical benefits for those State and participating local government employees who retire after accumulating 25 years of credited service or on a disability retirement. As of June 30, 2013, there were 100,134 retirees receiving post-retirement medical benefits, and the State contributed \$1.07 billion on their behalf. The cost of these benefits is funded through contributions by the State and participating local governments in accordance with P.L. 1994, c.62. Funding of post-retirement medical benefits changed from a pre-funding basis to a pay-as-you-go basis beginning in Fiscal Year 1994.

P.L. 1977, c. 136 provides for the State and participating local governments to pay health benefits on a pay-as-you-go basis for all enrolled retired employees, regardless of retirement date, under two provisions. The first is for employees whose pensions are based on 25 years or more of credited service (except those who elect a deferred retirement). The second is for retired employees who are eligible for a disability retirement regardless of years of service. The State and participating local governments contributed \$139.8 million for 9,404 eligible retired members for Fiscal Year 2013. This benefit covers the Police and Firemen's Retirement System.

P.L. 1997, c. 330 provides paid post-retirement health benefits to qualified retirees of the Police and Firemen's Retirement System and to dependents of qualified retirees. The State and participating local governments are responsible for 80 percent of the premium for the category of coverage elected by the retiree under the State managed care plan or a health maintenance organization participating in the program, whichever provides the lower charge. The State and participating local governments contributed \$38.0 million in Fiscal Year 2013 to provide benefits under Chapter 330 to qualified retirees.

#### NOTE 12 POST-RETIREMENT MEDICAL BENEFITS (Continued)

#### Post-Retirement Medical Benefits Contribution (Continued)

The State sets the employer contribution rate based on a pay-as-you-go basis rather than the *annual required* contribution of the employers (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) of the plan over a period not to exceed thirty years. The Township's contributions to the State Health Benefits Program Fund-Local Government for post-retirement benefits for the years ended December 31, 2014, 2013 and 2012 were \$634,229, \$523,554 and \$454,586, respectively, which equaled the required contributions for each year (or were not available). In addition, the Township's reimbursements to eligible retired employees for Medicare Part B insurance coverage for the years ended December 31, 2014, 2013 and 2012 were \$32,519, \$33,988 and \$31,169 respectively.

#### NOTE 13 RISK MANAGEMENT

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

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

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

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

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

#### NOTE 13 RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

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

Year Ended December 31	Township <u>Contributions</u>		mployee atributions	Amount imbursed	Ending <u>Balance</u>	
2014	\$ 100	\$	24,373	\$ 31,824	46,193	
2013	100		14,714	26,142	53,544	
2012	100		17,146	17,042	64,972	

#### NOTE 14 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

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

<u>Pending Tax Appeals</u> - Various tax appeal cases were pending in the New Jersey Tax Court at December 31, 2014 and 2013. Amounts claimed have not yet been determined. The Township is vigorously defending its assessments in each case. Under the accounting principles prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the Township does not recognize a liability, if any, until these cases have been adjudicated. The Township expects such amounts, if any, could be material. As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Township reserved \$400,000 and \$650,000, respectively in the Current Fund for tax appeals pending in the New Jersey Tax Court. Funding of any ultimate liability would be provided for in succeeding years' budget or from fund balance.

Federal and State Awards - The Township participates in a number of federal and state programs that are fully or partially funded by grants received from other governmental units. Expenditures financed by grants are subject to audit by the appropriate grantor government. If expenditures are disallowed due to noncompliance with grant program regulations, the Township may be required to reimburse the grantor government. As of December 31, 2014 and 2013, significant amounts of grant expenditure have not been audited by the various grantor agencies but the Township believes that disallowed expenditures, if any, based on subsequent audits will not have a material effect on the overall financial position of the Township.

#### NOTE 15 LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM (LOSAP)-UNAUDITED

The Township of Wyckoff Length of Service Award Program (the Plan) was created by a Township ordinance adopted on August 31, 1999 pursuant to 457 (e)(11)(13) of the Internal Service Code of 1986, as amended, except for provisions added by reason of the Length of Service Award Program as enacted into federal law in 1997. The voters of the Township of Wyckoff approved the adoption of the Plan at the general election held on November 2, 1999.

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

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

The Township of Wyckoff has contributed \$1,150 for 2014 and 2013, respectively, for each eligible volunteer fire department and volunteer first aid squad member into the Plan. The total Township contributions were \$115,000 and \$120,750 for 2014 and 2013, respectively.

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

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

#### Vesting and Benefits

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

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

#### Reporting Requirements

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

#### NOTE 16 HURRICANE SANDY

On October 29, 2012 Hurricane Sandy, the largest Atlantic hurricane on record made landfall in New Jersey and resulted in severe damage in numerous communities and a federal disaster was declared throughout the State. The Township has incurred significant costs in the clean up and recovery from this federal disaster. The Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA") provides emergency grant assistance (voluntary nonexchange transaction) to help government's cope with losses. Although the Township has applied for reimbursement from FEMA, the total amount to be received in conjunction with this event is not considered to be measurable with sufficient reliability and therefore has not been recognized in the financial statements as of December 31, 2014. During the year ended December 31, 2014, the Township has received \$140,380 in FEMA reimbursements relating to Hurricane Sandy which have been reflected in the financial statements.

#### NOTE 17 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

#### **Debt Authorized**

On June 1, 2015 the governing body adopted a Bond Ordinance authorizing the issuance of \$950,000 in Bonds or Notes to fund various capital improvements. As of the date of this report the Township has not issued nor awarded the sale of said bonds or notes.

CURRENT FUND

## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF CURRENT CASH - TREASURER

Balance, December 31, 2013			\$	5,581,136
Increased by Receipts:				
Taxes Receivable	\$	76,183,399		
Non-Budget Revenues		400,332		
State of NJ - Senior Citizens' and Vet. Deductions		131,003		
Revenue Accounts Receivable		3,671,093		
Grants Receivable		42,844		
Prepaid Taxes		408,767		
Unappropriated Grant Reserves		42,230		
Tax Overpayments		81,241		
Reserve for Payroll Account		7,550,693		
Fees Payable	1	37,186		
Special Emergency Notes		441,628		
Receipts from Animal Control Fund		12,309		
Receipts from Other Trust Fund		18,438		
Receipts from General Capital Fund		6		
				89,021,169
				94,602,305
Decreased by Disbursements:				
2014 Budget Appropriations		15,179,758		
2013 Appropriation Reserves		290,225		
Encumbrances Payable		587,474		
County Taxes Payable		10,018,024		
Local District School Taxes Payable		35,588,200		
Regional School Taxes Payable		18,489,263		
Tax Overpayments		61,468		
Reserve for Payroll Account		7,550,726		
Appropriated Grant Reserves		67,305		
Payments to Municipal Open Space Trust Fund		242,934		
Reserve for Tax Appeals		412,829		
Fees Payable		37,283		
Reserve for Revaluation		783		
Special Emergency Notes		552,128		
Refund of Prior Year Revenue				
				89,078,400
Balance, December 31, 2014			\$	5,523,905
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#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF CASH - CHANGE FUNDS

	Balance, cember 31, 2013		Balance, ember 31, 2014
Tax Collector	\$ 500	\$	500
	\$ 500	\$	500
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Balance, December 31, 2013		\$	2,475
Increased by: Senior Citizens /Veterans Deductions Per Tax Billings - 2014			132,750
Decreased by: Senior Citizens/Veterans Disallowed Per Tax Collector - 2014 Cash Received	\$ 2,722 131,003		135,225 133,725
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$	1,500

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF TAXES RECEIVABLE

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	Cancelled		·	150,407	150,407							
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Senior Citizens' and	Veterans' Deductions Allowed			\$ 132,750	\$ 132,750							
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	<u>15</u> 2014	366,890	366,890	75,816,509	76,183,399		017 000 75	(0,820,0)				
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	2014 Levy		ı	\$ 76,820,618	\$ 76,820,618	Analysis of 2014 Property. Tax Levy						
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## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF TAX TITLE LIENS RECEIVABLE

Balance, December 31, 2013	\$ 8,400
Increased by: Transfers from Taxes Receivable	 1,809
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$ 10,209

EXHIBIT A-9

## STATEMENT OF PROPERTY ACQUIRED FOR TAXES (AT ASSESSED VALUATION)

Balance, December 31, 2013	\$ 36,700
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$ 36,700

EXHIBIT A-10

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUE ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

		Balance, ember 31, 2013		Accrued in 2014	!	<u>Collected</u>	Balance, December 31, 2014		
Township Clerk - Licenses Alcoholic Beverages Other			\$	17,500 113,319	\$	17,500 113,319			
Fees and Permits Other				217,172		217,172			
Fines and Costs - Municipal Court	\$	9,430		106,182		109,025	\$	6,587	
Interest and Costs on Taxes				106,932		106,932			
Interest on Deposits				5,833		5,833			
Lease of Township Property				35,960		35,960			
Cable Franchise Fee				235,529		235,529			
Lease of Cell Tower Space #1				142,821		142,821			
Lease of Cell Tower Space #2		32,595		128,054		160,649			
Lease of Cell Tower Space #3				33,262		33,262			
Lease of Cell Monopole AT&T				28,339		28,339			
Energy Receipts Tax				1,093,271		1,093,271			
Uniform Construction Code Fees				470,788		470,788			
Police Dispatching Services Agreement - Midland Park CFO Shared Services Agreement - Borough				280,013		280,013			
of New Milford				26,010		26,010			
Library Shared Service Agreement- Payroll Administrat	ion			9,900		9,900			
Recreation Fees				564,641		564,641		*	
Uniform Fire Safety Act			_	20,129		20,129			
	\$	42,025	\$	3,635,655	<u>\$</u>	3,671,093	\$	6,587	

## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF GRANTS RECEIVABLE

		alance, ember 31, 2013	Revenue Realized		Received		Cancelled		Balance, December 31, 2014	
Municipal Alliance Program Clean Communities Program	\$	6,229	\$	5,839 30,875	\$	8,287 30,875			\$	3,781
Drive Sober Get Pulled Over		4,400		5,000		3,682	\$	2,506		3,212
	\$	10,629	<u>\$</u>	41,714	\$	42,844	\$	2,506	\$	6,993
			C	ancelled t	o Fun	d Balance	\$	2,506		

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF 2013 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

Prior Year Balance Balance, After Paid or Balance December 31, Encumbrances 2013 Cancelled Modification Charged Lapsed SALARIES AND WAGES \$ 4,095 \$ 4,095 \$ 1,136 \$ 2,959 Administrative and Executive 5,822 1,543 4,279 5,822 Township Clerk 11,251 11,251 11,251 Assessment of Taxes 32,812 32,812 575 32,237 Police 1,095 1,095 1,095 Recreation 42,036 42,036 42,036 Road Repairs and Maintenance \$ 99 99 99 Construction Code Official 731 723 8 731 Municipal Court OTHER EXPENSES 507 228 735 735 Administrative and Executive 409 409 119 290 Township Clerk 1,016 1,016 141 875 Financial Administrator 1,259 1,259 Revenue Administration and Tax Collection 1,259 4,433 4,433 4,433 Elections 29,962 29,962 2,708 27,254 Assessment of Taxes 4,600 1,103 5,703 5,703 Legal Services and Costs 6,509 6,509 6,509 **Engineering Services** 7,491 7,491 7,064 427 Public Buildings and Grounds 3,090 3,090 2,751 339 Planning Board 3,316 3.316 1.925 1.391 Board of Adjustment General Liability Insurance 24,492 24,492 24,492 **Environmental Commission** 710 710 710 Employee Health Benefits Insurance 64,908 64,908 629 64,279 Health Benefit Waivers 1,281 1,281 1,281 3,772 3,772 3,607 165 Police 400 400 **Emergency Management Services** 400 18,455 15,813 Public Safety Volunteer Fire Department 2,642 18,455 586 586 Life Hazard Use Fees (Uniform Fire Safety) 586 2,017 2,017 Radio Communications Contract 2,017 6,987 9,758 2,771 9,758 Recreation 1,052 1,765 1.765 713 Park Maintenance 14,838 14,838 14,838 Recycling

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF 2013 APPROPRIATION RESERVES

			Prior							
	E	Balance,		Year	]	3alance				
	Dec	ember 31,	Enc	umbrances		After		Paid or		Balance
		<u>2013</u>	<u>C</u>	ancelled	Mo	dification	9	Charged		<u>Lapsed</u>
OTHER EXPENSES (Continued)										
Road Repair and Maintenance	\$	92,977			\$	92,977	\$	44,597	\$	48,380
Vehicular Maintenance		18,405				18,405		7,982		10,423
CDL Mandate		288				288				288
Health and Human Services		8,827				8,827		1,100		7,727
Animal Control		4,010				4,010				4,010
Condo Services Act		223				223				223
Municipal Prosecutor		1,640				1,640				1,640
Public Defender		200	\$	600		800				800
Construction Code Official		1,364		4,792		6,156				6,156
PEOSHA - Respiratory Protection		1,509				1,509				1,509
Utilities										
Electricity		6,311		3,031		9,342				9,342
Street Lighting		14,506		391		14,897				14,897
Telephone				17		17				17
Water		5,528				5,528		827		4,701
Natural Gas		6,487				6,487		2,085		4,402
Fire Hydrants		60				60				60
Gasoline		28,378				28,378		23,997		4,381
Landfill and Solid Waste Disposal		69,437		14,483		83,920				83,920
Recycling Tax		5,647		730		6,377				6,377
Social Security System (OASI)		16,620				16,620				16,620
Municipal Court		1,578		167		1,745				1,745
Affordable Housing		13,533				13,533				13,533
Tax Appeal Interest		5,587		4		5,591				5,591
LOSAP		130,000				130,000		117,300		12,700
Interlocal Services Agreements - 911 Services	_	8,012		-		8,012			_	8,012
	\$	739,650	\$	30,538	\$	770,188	\$	290,225	\$	479,963
			Cash	Disburseme	ents		\$	290,225		

## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE

Balance, December 31, 2013			\$	691,012
Increased by: Charges to 2014 Appropriations				363,036
Dogwood her				1,054,048
Decreased by: Restored to 2013 Appropriation Reserves Cash Disbursements	\$	30,538 587,474		
Balance, December 31, 2014			\$	436,036
			<u>·                                      </u>	
STATEMENT OF PREPAID TAXES	EX	THIBIT A-14		
Balance, December 31, 2013			\$	361,254
Increased by: Collection of 2015 Taxes				408,767
Decreased by:				770,021
Application to 2014 Taxes Receivable				361,254
Balance, December 31, 2014			\$	408,767
STATEMENT OF COUNTY TAXES PAYA	BLE		EX	CHIBIT A-15
Increased by: 2014 Tax Levy 2014 Open Space Preservation 2014 Added and Omitted Taxes	\$	9,862,988 107,529 47,507	<u>\$</u>	10,018,024
Decreased by: Cash Disbursed				10,018,024
Balance, December 31, 2014			\$	•

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## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF LOCAL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAXES PAYABLE

Increased by: Levy - Calendar Year 2014	\$	35,588,200							
Decreased by: Cash Disbursed	<u>\$</u>	35,588,200							
	E	XHIBIT A-17							
STATEMENT OF REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAXES P.	4YA	BLE							
Increased by: Levy - Calendar Year 2014	\$	18,489,263							
Decreased by: Cash Disbursed	<u>\$</u>	18,489,263							
	Ε	XHIBIT A-18							
STATEMENT OF TAX OVERPAYMENTS									
Balance, December 31, 2013	\$	60,228							
Increased by: Cash Receipts		81,241							
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Decreased by:		141,469							
Cash Disbursements		61,468							
Balance, December 31, 2014	<u>\$</u>	80,001							
	Е	XHIBIT A-19							
STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR TAX APPEALS		·							
Balance, December 31, 2013	\$	650,000							
Increased by: Transferred from 2014 Taxes Collected		162,829							
		812,829							
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements		412,829							

Balance, December 31, 2014

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATED GRANT RESERVES

	В	alance,					]	Balance,
	Dec	ember 31,	I	Budget	Cash		De	cember 31,
		<u>2013</u>		ropriation	Disburseme	nts	<u>2014</u>	
Clean Communities Grant	\$	23,530	\$	30,875	\$ 26,6	571	\$	27,734
Municipal Alliance Against Alcohol and								
Drug Abuse								
Grant		4,715		5,839	5,9	99		4,555
Municipal Share		2,689			1	81		2,508
Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund		10,170		5,492	2,4	26		13,236
Body Armor Grant		8,396						8,396
Over the Limit Under Arrest		1,139						1,139
Drive Sober Get Pulled Over		2,469		5,000	4,2	257		3,212
Clean Cool Air Grant		792						792
NWBCUA Recycling Tonnage Grant		_		27,771	27,7	71		
	\$	53,900	\$	74,977	\$ 67,3	<u> 305</u>	\$	61,572

EXHIBIT A-21

#### STATEMENT OF UNAPPROPRIATED GRANT RESERVES

	Dec	alance, ember 31, <u>2013</u>	Cash <u>Receipts</u>	Balance, December 31, 2014				
Recycling Assistance Grant Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund Body Armor Grant	\$	27,771 5,492 1	\$	37,266 4,964	\$,	27,771 5,492	\$	37,266 4,964 <u>1</u>
	\$	33,264	\$	42,230	\$	33,263	\$	42,231

EXHIBIT A-22

#### STATEMENT OF DUE TO MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND

Balance, December 31, 2013		\$ 1,444
Increased by: 2014 Tax Levy 2014 Added Taxes	\$ 241,490 1,160	
201 ( Fidded Added	,	 242,650
		244,094
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements		242,934
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$ 1,160

## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR LIBRARY PROPERTY TAX RELIEF

Balance, December 31, 2013				\$	388,070
Decreased by: Anticipated as 2014 Revenue					388,070
Balance, December 31, 2014				\$	199
·	STATEMENT OF	FFFS DAVARI F		EXH	HIBIT A-24
<u>~</u>	STATEMENT OF	FEESTATABLE			
	Balance, December 31, 2013	Cash <u>Receipts</u>	Cash <u>Disbursements</u>	Dece	alance, ember 31, 2014
Uniform Construction Code-DCA	\$ 9,217	\$ 37,186	\$ 37,283	\$	9,120
STAT	EMENT OF RESE	ERVE FOR PAYF	ROLL	EX <del>I</del>	HBIT A-25
Balance, December 31, 2013				\$	334
Increased by: Cash Receipts					7,550,693
					7,551,027
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements					7,550,726
Balance, December 31, 2014				<u>\$</u>	301

## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES SPECIAL EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION

Balance December 31, $\frac{2014}{}$	441,628	441,628
) <del>(</del>	↔	<del>60</del>
Reduced by 2014	110,500	110,500
	€	<del>⊘</del>
Balance December 31, <u>2013</u>	\$ 552,128	552,128
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1/5 of Net Amount Authorized	\$ 110,426	
Net Amount Authorized	552,128	
	<del>∽</del>	
Purpose	Revaluation of Real Property	
Date <u>Authorized</u>	9/13/2013	

## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR REVALUATION

Balance, December 31, 2013	\$	107,496
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements		783
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$	106,713
STATEMENT OF SPECIAL EMERGENCY NOTE PAYABLE	EXI	HIBIT A-28
Balance, December 31, 2013	\$	552,128
Increased by: Notes Issued		441,628
Decreased by:		993,756
Notes Redeemed		552,128
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$	441,628

TRUST FUND

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF TRUST CASH - TREASURER

		Animal Control Trust Other Fund Trust Fund			Municipal Open Space <u>Trust Fund</u>						
Balance, December 31, 2013			\$	41,898			\$ 2,090,764			\$	465,532
Increased by Receipts: State of New Jersey Dog License Fees Collected Interest on Deposits Receipts from Current Fund Current Fund Receipts Payroll and Payroll Deductions Miscellaneous Reserves Dog License Fees	\$	2,375 12 18,548		20,935	\$	488 15,000 6,297,161 847,982	7,160,631	\$	590 242,934 		243,524
Decreased by Disbursements: Expenditures Under R.S. 4:19-15.11 Due to State of New Jersey Payments to Current Fund Municipal Open Space Expenditures Payroll and Payroll Deductions Miscellaneous Reserves	_	11,127 2,308 12,309		62,833 25,744	***************************************	28,828 18,438 6,295,608 793,237	 9,251,395 7,136,111	_	-		709,056
Balance, December 31, 2014			\$	37,089			\$ 2,115,284			<u>\$</u>	709,056

## TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR ANIMAL CONTROL EXPENDITURES

Balance, December 31, 2013		\$ 28,926
Increased by:		
Dog License Fees		
Municipal Share	\$ 16,003	
Late Fees	2,080	
Lost Tags	45	
Donation	420	
		 18,548
		47,474
Decreased by:		
Expenditures Under R.S. 4:19-15-11	11,127	
Statutory Excess - Due to Current Fund	6,046	
		 17,173
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$ 30,301

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF DUE TO STATE OF NEW JERSEY - ANIMAL CONTROL FUND

Balance, December 31, 2013		\$	663
Increased by: Dog License Fees Collected			2,375
			3,038
Decreased by: Payments Made to State of New Jersey			2,308
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$	730
		E	EXHIBIT B-6
ANIMAL CONTROL TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF DUE TO CURRENT FUND			
Balance, December 31, 2013		\$	12,309
Increased by: Interest on Deposits Statutory Excess	\$ 12 6,046		
Statutory Exposit	 		6,058
Decreased by:			18,367
Payments to Current Fund			12,309
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$	6,058

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF OTHER TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF MISCELLANEOUS RESERVES AND SPECIAL DEPOSITS

		Balance, cember 31, 2013		Increases		<u>Decreases</u>	Γ	Balance, December 31, 2014
Special Deposits	\$	710,678	\$	551,647	\$	487,425	\$	774,900
Snow Removal Escrow		306,407				9,476		296,931
Developer's Escrow		134,123		4,334		37,312		101,145
Performance Bonds		413,733		28,175		137,062		304,846
Gardens of Wyckoff Bequest		114,410		60				114,470
Unemployment		53,544		24,473		31,824		46,193
Affordable Housing		39,334		95,881				135,215
Community Development		928		1				929
Flexible Spending		1,004		1				1,005
Escrow Deposits Payable		206,748		143,410		121,962		228,196
·								
	<u>\$</u>	1,980,909	\$	847,982	<u>\$</u>	825,061	<u>\$</u>	2,003,830
			1 T	Disbursements	\$	793,237		
,	Dua ta Ctata					31,824		
	Due to State	or New Jers	sey-c	J <b>ne</b> mployment	_	31,824		
					\$	825,061		
					_	,		
								EXHIBIT B-8
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STATE		R TRUST F		RENT FUND				
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Balance, December 31, 2013							\$	2,950
Increased by:								
Interest on Deposits					\$	488		
Current Fund Receipts Deposited in Other Tru	st Fund					15,000		
1					_			15,488
Decreased by:								12,,00
Payments to Current Fund								18,438
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Balance, December 31, 2014							<u>\$</u>	

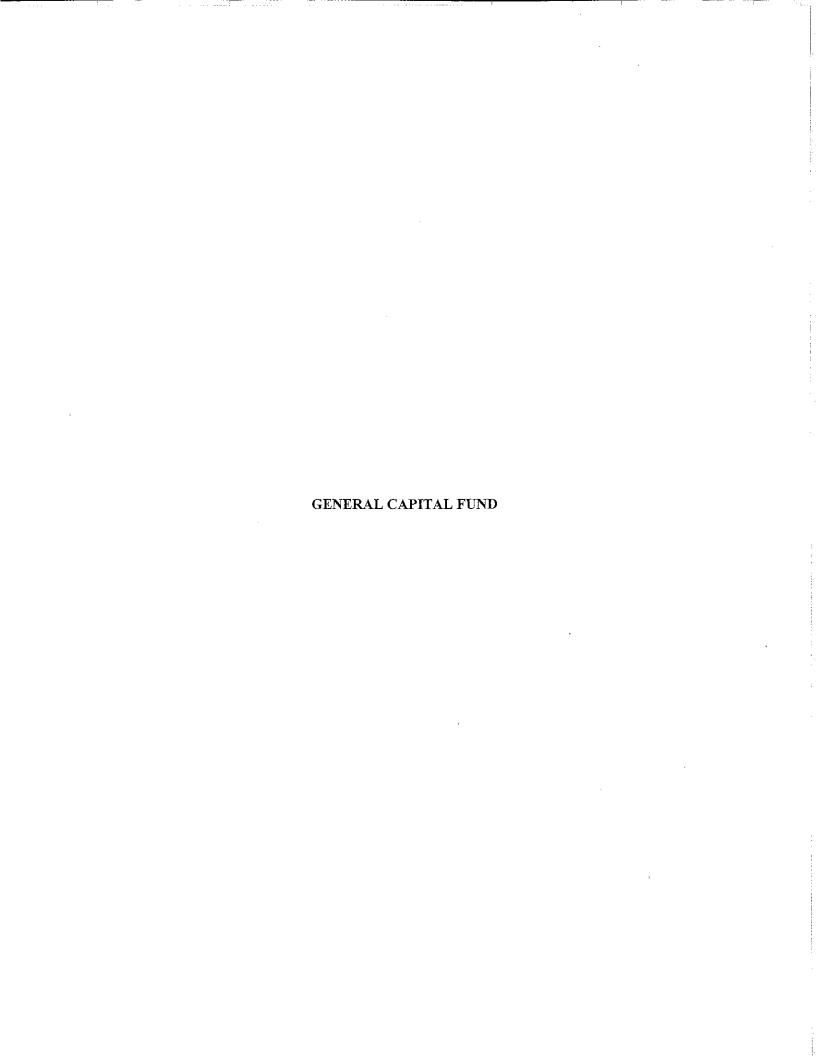
#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF OTHER TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF DUE TO STATE OF NEW JERSEY - UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION

Balance, December 31, 2013		\$	2,730
Increased by: Unemployment Claims			31,824
			34,554
Decreased By: Cash Disbursements			28,828
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$	5,726
		EX	HIBIT B-10
MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUNI STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR OPEN SPA			
Balance, December 31, 2013		\$	466,976
Increased by:			
Interest on Deposits	\$ 590		
2014 Municipal Open Space Tax Levy	241,490		
2014 Added Municipal Open Space Tax Levy	 1,160		
			243,240
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$	710,216

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF MUNICIPAL OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF DUE FROM CURRENT FUND

Balance, December 31, 2013			\$	1,444
Increased by: 2014 Municipal Open Space Tax Levy 2014 Added Municipal Open Space Tax Levy	\$	241,490 1,160	Angel Park State Constitution Constitution Constitution Constitution Constitution Constitution Constitution Cons	242,650
Decreased by: Cash Receipts				244,094 242,934
Balance, December 31, 2014			\$	1,160
•			EXH	IIBIT B-12
OTHER TRUST FUND STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR PAYROLL AND PAY	ROLL	DEDUCT	ONS	

Balance, December 31, 2013	\$ 104,175
Increased by:	
Cash Receipts	6,297,161
	6,401,336
Decreased by:	
Cash Disbursements	6,295,608
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$ 105,728



#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF GENERAL CAPITAL CASH

Balance, December 31, 2013		\$ 1,030,931
Increased by Receipts:		
Interest on Deposits	\$ 6	
Grants Receivable	169,007	
Bond Anticipation Note Proceeds	1,437,970	
Current Fund Budget Appropriations:		
Capital Improvement Fund	484,800	
		 2,091,783
		3,122,714
Decreased by Disbursements:		
Improvement Authorizations	1,652,419	
Encumbrances Payable	671,816	
Payments to Current Fund	6	
•		 2,324,241
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$ 798,473

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF ANALYSIS OF GENERAL CAPITAL CASH

			Balance, cember 31, 2014
Fund Balance Capital Improvem Encumbrances Pa Grants Receivable	yable	\$	76,312 11,317 211,792 (810)
Ord.			
No.	Improvement Authorizations		
1287/1308	Acquisition of Land		3,728
1469	Roller Hockey Rink Rehab		150
1602	Ballfield Improvement		4,926
1619/1646/1688	Field Enhancement	•	79,995
1645	Various Capital Improvements		12,000
1647/1690	Purchase of DPW Dump Truck With Plow		6,663
1664	Refunding Bond -Tax Appeals		19,338
1687	Various Capital Improvements		40,950
1710	Purchase of a Fire Pumper Truck		1,747
1711	Vehicle Repairs and Rehabilitation		4,082
1712	Various Capital Improvements		73,889
1735	Various Capital Improvements		147,744
1736	Purchase Fire Pumper		34,000
1737	Purchase Fire Pumper		50,000
1739	Town Hall Roof Replacement		50,000
1740	Various Capital Improvements		(29,350)
		\$	798,473

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF GRANTS RECEIVABLE

Balance, December 31, 2013			\$ 192,204
Cancellations Cash Receipts	\$	22,387 169,007	
			 191,394
Balance, December 31, 2014			\$ 810
Bergen County Open Space Trust Fund - Ordinance #1719 - Improvement to Russell Farms Commu	nity Park		\$ 810

TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF DEFERRED CHARGES TO FUTURE TAXATION - UNFUNDED

	Unexpended	Improvement <u>Authorization</u>					150,680	150,680	178,428
Analysis of Balance, December 31, 2014		Expended					29,350 \$	29,350	<del>64</del>
aalysis ecemt		part .					<del>69</del>	€	
Ar	Bond	Anticipation <u>Notes</u>	99,500	175,000	133,000	494,550	1,437,970	2,340,020	Improvement Authorizations - Unfunded
			6-9					€ <del>-2</del>	thoriz
	Balance,	December 31, <u>2014</u>	99,500	175,000	133,000	494,550	1,618,000	2,520,050	rovement Au
	ſ	ă	<b>⇔</b>					€~	Imp
Bond Anticipation	Notes Paid by 2014	Budget Appropriation	99,500	175,000	133,000	56,000	•	463,500	
•	Ž	₹	6-9					↔	
	2014	Authori- zations					1,618,000	\$ 1,618,000	
							643		
•	Balance,	December 31, <u>2013</u>	199,000	350,000	266,000	550,550	1	1,365,550	
	\$	ష	€9					<del>6</del>	
		Improvement Description	Police Desk Upgrade/Rescue Truck	Refunding Bond -Tax Appeals	Purchase of DPW Dump Truck With Plow	Purchase of Fire Pumper Truck	Various Capital Improvements		
	•	No.	1603	1664	1647/1690	1710	1740		

Proceeds
Note
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Unexpo
Less:

	27,748
6,663 19,338 1,747	
6 <del>7</del>	
Ord 1647/1690 Ord 1664 Ord 1710	

150,680

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# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

2014 Authorizations

<u>2014</u> Unfunded									6,663	19,338			1,747									150,680
Balance, <u>December 31, 2014</u> Funded Unfu	3,728	150	)		4,926	79,995		12,000	S			40,950		4,082	73,889			147,744	34,000	20,000	50,000	
Expended	(302) \$	1 850	22,505	14,481	,		10,222	24,133				8,275	1,687		127,085	12,597	302	87,656				1,553,720
Authorizations <u>Cancelled</u>	<del>59</del>										\$ 22,204					183						
Reapropriation of Capital Improvement Fund											••							(86,400)				86,400
Deferred Charges to Future Taxation <u>Unfunded</u> In																		€?				1,618,000
De Capital Improvement <u>Fund</u>						25,000								4,000				321,800	34,000	50,000	50,000	·
कु						<del>69</del>			6,663	19,338			3,434									
Balance, December 31, 2013 Funded Unfun	\$ 3,426	2.000	22,505	14,481	4,926	54,995	10,222	36,133	89		22,204	49,225		82	200,974	12,780	302					
Improvement Description	Acquisition of Land	Roller Hockey Rink Rehab	Various Capital Improvements	Various Capital Improvements	Ballfield Improvement	Field Enhancement	Various Capital Improvements	Various Capital Improvements	Purchase of DPW Dump Truck With Plow	Refunding Bond -Tax Appeals	Town Hall ADA Automatic Doors	Various Capital Improvements	Purchase of a Fire Pumper Truck	Vehicle Repairs and Rehabilitation	Various Capital Improvements	Reconstruction of Newton Road	Improvements to Russell Farms Community Park	Various Capital Improvements	Purchase Fire Pumper	Purchase Fire Pumper	Town Hall Roof Replacement	Various Capital Improvements
Ord. <u>No</u>	1287/1308	1469	1584	1601	1602	1619/1646/1688/1738	1622	1645	1647/1690	1664	1665	1687	1710	1711/1734	1712	1714	9171	1735	1736	1737	1739	1740

178,428

501,464 \$

69

22,387 \$ 1,864,211

484,800 \$ 1,618,000 \$

29,435 \$

\$ 434,255 \$

211,792 1,652,419

Encumbracnes Payable Cash Disbursments \$ 1,864,211

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance, December 31, 2013	\$	11,317
Increased by: 2014 Budget Appropriations		484,800
		496,117
Decreased by: Appropriations to Finance Improvement Authorizations		484,800
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$	11,317
	EXI	HIBIT C-8
STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE		
Balance, December 31, 2013	\$	671,816
Increased by: Charges to Improvement Authorizations		211,792
		883,608
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements		671,816
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$	211,792
	EXI	HBIT C-9
STATEMENT OF DUE TO CURRENT FUND		
Increased by: Interest on Deposits	\$	6
Decreased by: Payments to Current Fund		6
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$	<u>.</u>

TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES

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Balance December 31, <u>2014</u>	99,500	133,000	175,000	494,550	1,437,970	2,340,020		
De	€9					<del>5</del> ∧		
Decrease	\$ 199,000	266,000	350,000	550,550	ı	\$ 1,365,550	\$ 463,500 902,050	\$ 1,365,550
Increase	\$ 99,500	133,000	175,000	494,550	1,437,970	\$ 2,340,020	\$ 1,437,970	\$ 2,340,020
Balance December 31, <u>2013</u>	\$ 199,000	266,000	350,000	550,550	1	\$ 1,365,550	Paid by Budget Appropriation New Issues Renewals	924
Interest <u>Rate</u>	.75%	.75%	0.88%	.75% .55%	.55%		l by Budget	
Date of Maturity	8/4/2014 7/28/2015	8/4/2014 7/28/2015	1/28/2014	8/4/2014	7/28/2015		Paid	
Date of <u>Íssue</u>	8/5/2013 7/29/2014	8/5/2013 7/29/2014	1/29/2013	8/5/2013 7/29/2014	7/29/2014			
Original Date of <u>Issue</u>	8/12/2009	8/7/2012	1/30/2012	8/5/2013	7/29/2014		,	
Original Amount of Issue	527,500	266,000	525,000	550,550	1,437,970			
Improvement Description	Police Desk Upgrade/Rescue Truck	1647/1690 Various Capital Improvements	Refunding Tax Appeals	Purchase of a Fire Pumper Truck	Various Capital Improvements		,	
Ordinance #	1603	1647/1690	1664	1710	1740			

TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF
STATEMENT OF BONDS AND NOTES AUTHORIZED BUT NOT ISSUED

Balance	December 31,	2014	180,030	180,030
			<del>9</del> 1	<del>69</del>
Bond anticipation	Notes	<u>pənss</u>	\$ 1,437,970	1,437,970
⋖				69
	2014	Authorizations	1,618,000	1,618,000
		Aut	↔	8
Balance	December 31,	$\overline{2013}$	<del>50</del>	\$
	•	Improvement Description	Various Capital Improvements	
	Ord.	No.	1740	

SEWER UTILITY FUND

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF SEWER UTILITY CASH

	Operating	Capital
Balance, December 31, 2013	\$ 575,040	\$ 434,419
Increased by Receipts: Overpayments Prepaid Sewer Rents Consumer Rents Accounts Receivable (Net of Refunds)	\$ 1,175 1,289 2,102,416	
Capital Improvement Fund Interest and Costs on Sewer Charges Miscellaneous Revenues Not Anticipated	6,688 20,203	\$ 100,000
	2,131,771	100,000
	2,706,811	534,419
Decreased by Disbursements: 2014 Budget Appropriations 2013 Appropriation Reserves Overpayments	1,806,808 2,604 918	•
	1,810,330	1
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$ 896,481	\$ 534,419

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF SEWER CAPITAL FUND ANALYSIS OF SEWER CAPITAL CASH

			D	ecember 31, 2014
Capital Improvement Fund Ordinance			\$	405,916
#1693 Various Improvements				128,503
#1095 Various Improvements				120,000
			\$	534,419
			]	EXHIBIT D-6
SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND STATEMENT OF CONSUMER ACCOUNTS REC		ABLE		
Balance, December 31, 2013			\$	51,990
Increased by:				
Sewer Rents Levied				2,125,712
		·		2,177,702
Decreased by: Sewer Overpayment Applied	\$	3,293		
Prepaid Sewer Rents	*	2,330		
Collections		2,102,416		
				2,108,039
Balance, December 31, 2014			<u>\$</u>	69,663

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION RESERVES

	Balance, December 31, <u>2013</u>	Balance After Transfer of Encumbrances	Paid or <u>Charged</u>	Balance <u>Lapsed</u>
OPERATING Other Expenses	\$ 360,485	\$ 363,203	\$ 2,604	360,599
	\$ 360,485	\$ 363,203	\$ 2,604	\$ 360,599
	C	Cash Disbursements	\$ 2,604	·
	Appropriation Reserves Encumbrance Payable	360,485 2,718		
		\$ 363,203		

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUND STATEMENT OF ENCUMBRANCES PAYABLE

Balance, December 31, 2013		\$	2,718
Increased by: Charges to 2014 Budget Appropriations			541
Decreased by:			3,259 2,718
Transferred to 2013 Appropriation Reserves			4,/10
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$	541
SEWER UTILITY OPERATING FUN STATEMENT OF OVERPAYMENTS		EXI	HBIT D-9
Balance, December 31, 2013		\$	4,211
Increased by: Cash Receipts			1,175
			5,386
Decreased by: Cash Disbursements Applied to Sewer Billings	\$ 918 3,293		d 211
		,	4,211
Balance, December 31, 2014		\$	1,175

# TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND STATEMENT OF IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATIONS

		nded		l.
nce,	31, 2014	Unfunded	€	€~>
Bafance, December 31	December 31, 2014	Funded	128,503	128,503
			<del>69</del>	<del>€</del>
	2013	Unfunded	1	-
Balance,	31.		↔	<del>∽</del>
Balance, December 31, 2013	Decembe	Funded	128,503	128,503
			€9	<del>∽</del>
	Improvement	Description	Various Improvements	
	Ordinance	Number	1693	

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND STATEMENT OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Balance, December 31, 2013	\$ 3	305,916
Increased by: 2014 Budget Appropriation	1	100,000
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$ 4	105,916
SEWER UTILITY OPERAT STATEMENT OF PREPAID SE	ING FUND	IT D-12
Balance, December 31, 2013	\$	2,330
Increased by: Cash Receipts	,	1,289
		3,619
Decreased by: Applied to Consumer Accounts Receivable		2,330
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$	1,289

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF STATEMENT OF FIXED CAPITAL SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

alance	December 31,	<u>2014</u>	150,000	150,000
Д	Dec		€	€
Balance	December 31,	<u>2013</u>	150,000	150,000
	Ω		↔	↔
		Amount	150,000	
			<del>6/)</del>	
		<u>Date</u>	6/19/2007	
		Improvement Description	Various Improvements	
	Ordinance	Number	1561	

## EXHIBIT D-14

# STATEMENT OF RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, <u>2014</u>	150,000	150,000
Q	€9:	<del>∽</del>
Balance, December 31, <u>2013</u>	150,000	150,000
Д	€	€
Amount	150,000	
	↔	
Date of Ordinance	6/19/2007	
Improvement Description	Various Improvements	
Ordinance <u>Number</u>	1561	

# STATEMENT OF FIXED CAPITAL AUTHORIZED AND UNCOMPLETED SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance December 31, $\frac{2014}{}$	150,000	150,000
	<del>69</del>	<b>⇔</b> ∥
Balance December 31, $2013$	150,000	150,000
<b>_</b>	<del>⇔</del>	€9
Amount	150,000	
<u>Date</u>	8/7/2012	
Improvement Description	Various Improvements	
Ordinance <u>Number</u>	1693	

**EXHIBIT D-16** 

# STATEMENT OF DEFERRED RESERVE FOR AMORTIZATION SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND

Balance, December 31, <u>2014</u>	150,000	150,000
	<del>6</del>	<del>-</del>
Balance, December 31, <u>2013</u>	150,000	150,000
_	€	<del>64)</del>
Amount	150,000	
Date of <u>Ordinance</u>	17/2012	
Da . <u>Ord</u>	7./8	
Improvement Description	Various Improvements	1
Ordinance <u>Number</u>	1693	

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF PART II GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS



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

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Township Council Township of Wyckoff Wyckoff, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and audit requirements prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the financial statements - regulatory basis of the Township of Wyckoff as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 29, 2015. Our report on the financial statements - regulatory basis was modified to indicate that the financial statements were not prepared and presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America but rather prepared and presented in accordance with the regulatory basis of accounting prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, to meet the requirements of the State of New Jersey for municipal government entities as described in Note 1. In addition, our report on the financial statements – regulatory basis was modified on the regulatory basis of accounting because of the presentation of the unaudited LOSAP Trust Fund financial statements.

#### **Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Township of Wyckoff'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 opinion on the financial statements but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Township of Wyckoff's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Township of Wyckoff'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 a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Township'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.

#### Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Township of Wyckoff's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and audit requirements as prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey.

#### 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 Township of Wyckoff'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 Township of Wyckoff's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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

Gary W. Higgins

Registered Municipal Accountant

RMA Number CR00405

Fair Lawn, New Jersey June 29, 2015

### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

(Memo) Cumulative	Sxpenditures	\$ 3,402			140,380		52,796
Balance, December 31,		\$ 2,178	5,566	1			1
	Cancelled						\$ 22,204
	Expenditures	\$ 2,426			140,380		'
2014 Revenue	Realized		2 492	1	140,380		1
Balance, December 31.	2013	\$ 4,604	5,566	,			22,204
Grant Award D		u v		4,964	140,380		
Grant	Award	\$ 5,580	5,566	4,964	140,380	:	75,000
Federal CFDA	Number	20.601	20.601	20.601	97.036		14.218
	Account Number	066-1160-100-057-XX	066-1160-100-057-XX	066-1160-100-057-XX	066-1200-100-A92		Not Applicable
Grant	Year	2011	2012	2013	2014		2011
		U.S. Dept. of Transportation (Passed through NJ Dept of Transportation) Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund	Drunk Driving Enforcement Fund Drunk Driving Bnforcement Fund	U.S. Dept of Homeland Security (Passed through NJ Depart of Law and Public Safety) Disaster Grant - Public Assistance- Hurricane Sandy	U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Community Development Block Grant (Passed through County of Bergen)	ADA Automatic Doors - Ordinance #1665

Note - This schedule was not subject to an audit in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

\$ 32,374 \$ 145,872 \$ 142,806 \$ 22,204 \$ 13,236

TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

State Grant Program	<u> Grant Number</u>	Grant <u>Year</u>	Grant <u>Award</u>	Grant Amount <u>Received</u>	Balance, December 31, <u>2013</u>	2014 <u>Revenue</u>	<u>Fxpended</u>	Cancelled	Balance, December 31, 2014	(Memo) Cumulative Expenditures
Clean Communities Program	4900-752-178810-60	2014	\$ 30,875 \$ 32,882	\$ 30,875	\$ 23,530	\$ 30,875	\$ 3,141 23,530		\$ 27,734	\$ 3,141 32,882
Recycling Tonnage Grant	N/A	2014 2013	37,266 27,771	37,266		27,771	17,771			27,771
Clean Cool Air Grant	N/A	2013	1,000		792				792	208
Municipal Alliance Program - State Share	N/A	2014 2013	5,839	2,058 6,229	4,715	5,839	1,284 4,715		4,555	1,284
Municipal Alliance Program - Township Share	N/A	2013	3,100		2,689		181		2,508	592
Body Armor Replacement Grant	N/A	2012 2011 2010 2010	2,513 2,459 1,110 2,314		2,513 2,459 1,110 2,314				2,513 2,459 1,110 2,314	
Drive Sober Get Pulled Over	N/A	2014	5,000	1,788	2,469	5,000	3,683		1,317	3,683
New Jersey Department of Transportation Reconstruction of Newton Road - Ord #1714	078-6320-480 ALL	2014	150,000	149,817	12,780		12,597	\$ 183		149,817
Over the Limit Under Arrest	N/A	2011	1,191		1,139	•	1		1,139	52
N/A - Not Available					\$ 56,510	\$ 69,485	\$ 77,476	\$ 183	\$ 48,336	

Note - This schedule was not subject to an audit in accordance with NJ OMB Circular 15-08.

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

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

#### NOTE 1 GENERAL

The accompanying schedules present the activity of all federal awards and state financial assistance programs of the Township of Wyckoff. The Township is defined in Note 1(A) to the Township's financial statements. All federal financial assistance received directly from federal agencies, as well as federal awards and state financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the schedules of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance.

#### NOTE 2 BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying schedules are prepared and presented using the regulatory basis of accounting as prescribed for municipalities by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey which differ in certain respects from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) applicable to local government units. This basis of accounting is described in Note 1 to the Township's financial statements.

#### NOTE 3 RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

	<u>F</u>	<u>ederal</u>	State	<u>Total</u>
Current Fund	\$	145,872	\$ 69,485	\$ 215,357
Total Financial Awards	\$	145,872	\$ 69,485	\$ 215,357

#### NOTE 4 RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

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

#### TOWNSHIP OF WYCKOFF

#### PART III

#### SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

LETTER OF COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

#### COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - CURRENT FUND $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +\left($

CURRENT FOND		Year 201	<u>.4</u>		Year	2013	
	<u>Amot</u>	<u>ınt</u>	Percent		<u>Amount</u>	Percent Percent	
REVENUES AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED							
Fund Balance Utilized	\$ 1,5	50,000	1.87	%	\$ 1,750,000	2.16	<b>5</b> %
Miscellaneous - From Other Than Local Property Tax Levies	4,5	49,978	5.47		4,502,307	5.56	<u>,</u>
Collection of Delinquent Taxes and Tax Title Liens	3	66,890	0.44		442,469	0.55	,
Collection of Current Tax Levy		44,962	91.62		73,995,222	91.32	
Other Credits	4	95,210	0.60		341,944	0.42	2
Total Income	83,1	07,040	100.00	%	81,031,942	100.00	<u>%</u>
EXPENDITURES							
Budget Expenditures					· · · · ·		
Municipal Purposes	16,4	88,119	20.40		16,865,400	21.00	)
County Taxes	10,0	18,024	12.39		9,898,150	12.32	!
Local School Taxes	35,5	88,200	44.02		34,719,594	43.22	!
Regional School Taxes	18,4	89,263	22.87		18,232,207	22.70	ł
Municipal Open Space Taxes	2	42,650	0.30		242,834	0.30	1
Other Expenditures		2,506	0.01		369,448	0.46	<u>.</u>
Total Expenditures	80,8	28,762	100.00	%	80,327,633	100.00	<u>%</u>
Excess in Revenue	2,2	78,278			704,309		
Adjustments to Income Before Fund Balance:							
Expenditures Included Above Which are by Statute							
Deferred to Budget of Succeeding Year					552,128		
Excess in Revenue to Fund Balance	2,2	78,278			1,256,437		
Fund Balance, January 1	2,4	98,871			2,992,434		
	4,7	77,149			4,248,871		
Less Utilization as Anticipated Revenue	1,5	50,000			1,750,000		
Fund Balance, December 31	\$ 3,2	27,149			<u>\$ 2,498,871</u>		

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

	<u>Year 201</u>	4		Year 2	013	
	<u>Amount</u>	Percent		<u>Amount</u>	Percent	
REVENUES AND OTHER INCOME REALIZED						
Collection of Sewer Rents	\$ 2,108,039	84.47	% \$	2,124,002	97.85	%
Interest and Costs on Sewer Charges	6,688	0.27		4,577	0.21	
Other Credits to Income:						
Miscellaneous Revenue Not Anticipated	20,203	0.81		15,302	0.70	
Unexpended Balance of Appropriation Reserves	 360,599	14.45	_	26,838	1.24	
Total Income	 2,495,529	100.00	% _	2,170,719	100.00	%
EXPENDITURES						
Budget Appropriations						
Operating	1,766,648	94,64		2,052,680	99.76	
Capital Improvements	 100,000	5.36	_	5,000	0.24	
Total Expenditures	 1,866,648	100.00	% _	2,057,680	100.00	%
Excess in Revenues	628,881			113,039		
Fund Balance, January 1	\$ 205,296		. <u>§</u>	92,257		
Fund Balance, December 31	\$ 834,177		₹	3 205,296		,

#### Comparative Schedule of Tax Rate Information

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Tax Rate	<u>\$1.587</u>	<u>\$1.555</u>	<u>\$1.534</u>
Apportionment of Tax Rate			
Municipal County Local School Regional School	.251 .213 .739 .384	.250 .205 .721 .379	.247 .204 .704 .379
Assessed Valuation			
2014	<u>\$4,818,735,643</u>		
2013	( <u>\$</u>	\$4,818,540,34 <u>3</u>	
2012			<u>\$4,827,801,547</u>

#### Comparison of Tax Levies and Collection Currently

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

			Percentage of
<u>Year</u>	Tax Levy	Cash Collections	Collection
2014	\$ 76,820,618	\$ 76,307,791	99.33%
2013	75,376,440	74,645,222	99.02%
2012	74,371,347	73,800,349	99.23%

#### Property Acquired by Tax Title Lien Foreclosure

No properties have been acquired in 2014 by foreclosure or deed, as a result of liquidation of tax title liens.

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

Year	Amount
2014	\$36,700
2013	36,700
2012	36,700

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

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

December 31 <u>Year</u>	T	ax Title <u>Liens</u>	mount of elinquent Taxes	<u>D</u>	Total elinquent	Percentage of <u>Tax Levy</u>
2014	\$	10,209	\$ 364,931	\$	375,140	0.49%
2013		8,400	371,210		379,610	0.50%
2012		4,090	442,469		446,559	0.60%

#### Comparison of Sewer Utility Billings

<u>Year</u>	<u>Levy</u>	Collections *	Percent of Collection
2014	\$2,125,712	\$2,108,039	99.17%
2013	2,117,958	2,124,002	100.29%
2012	2,069,497	2,053,835	99.24%
2013	2,117,958	2,124,002	100.29%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes collections of prior years receivables

#### **Comparative Schedule of Fund Balances**

			Utilized
		Balance,	In Budget of
	Year	December 31	Succeeding Year
Current Fund	2014	\$3,227,149	\$1,850,000
	2013	2,498,871	1,550,000
	2012	2,992,434	1,750,000
	2011	2,639,101	1,750,000
	2010	2,299,889	1,515,000
Sewer Utility Operating Fund	2014	834,177	-0-
	2013	205,296	-0-
	2012	92,257	-0-
	2011	72,282	-0-
	2010	97,282	25,000

#### OFFICIALS IN OFFICE AND SURETY BONDS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014

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

Name	<u>Title</u>	Amount of Bond	Corporate Surety
Douglas Christie	Mayor		
Kevin Rooney	Township Committee		
Brian Scanlan	Township Committee		
Haakon Jepsen	Township Committee	•	
Rudy Boonstra	Township Committee		
Robert Shannon	Administrator	\$1,000,000	Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund
Joyce Santimauro	Township Clerk	4	
Diana McLeod	Chief Financial Officer,		
	Tax Collector	\$1,000,000	Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund
Pamela Steele	Tax Assessor		
Robert Landel	Township Attorney		
Russell Teschon	Municipal Judge	\$1,000,000	Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund
Paulette Scandone	Court Administrator	\$1,000,000	Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund

The Bergen County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund and Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund provides statutory bond coverage in the amounts of \$50,000 and \$950,000, respectively.

#### **General Comments**

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

NJS 40A:11-4 states "Every contract or agreement, for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the cost or the contract price whereof is to be paid with or out of public funds not included within the terms of Section 3 of this act, shall be made or awarded only after public advertising for bids and bidding therefore, except as is provided otherwise in this act or specifically by any other law. No work, materials or supplies shall be undertaken, acquired or furnished for a sum exceeding in the aggregate \$29,000, except by contract or agreement." As of July 1, 2011, the bidding threshold was increased to \$36,000.

If the Township's purchasing agent is qualified pursuant to subsection 3b. of Section 9 of P.L. 1971, c.198 (C.40A:11-9), the Township may establish the bid threshold up to a maximum of \$36,000. The Township's Administrator is qualified and the Township, by resolution, has increased the bid threshold to \$36,000.

The Governing Body of the Municipality has the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed \$36,000 within the fiscal year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of the statute, the Township Counsel's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

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

Road Improvements Acquisition of DPW Vehicle Ice Control Materials Summer Multi-Sport Instructional Camp

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

Our examination of expenditures did not reveal any instances where individual payments exceeded \$36,000 "for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies," where bids had not been previously sought by public advertisement or where a resolution had been previously adopted under the provisions of NJSA. 40A:11-6.

#### Collection of Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Assessments

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

The governing body on January 1, 2014, adopted the following resolution authorizing the amount of interest to be charged on delinquent taxes and assessments:

WHEREAS, Chapter 435 of the Laws of 1980 allows a governing body to set interest rates on delinquent taxes at a higher level than previously permitted by law;

#### **General Comments** (Continued)

#### Collection of Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Assessments (Continued)

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the Township of Wyckoff, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, that the interest rate to be charged by the Township of Wyckoff on taxes or assessments not timely paid shall be eight (8%) percent per annum on the first \$1,500 of delinquent assessments and taxes; and eighteen (18%) percent per annum on delinquent assessments and taxes in excess of \$1,500, all to be calculated from the date the tax was payable until the date of actual payment.

A penalty of 6% to be charged to a taxpayer where there is a tax and/or other municipal charge delinquency in excess of \$10,000 at the end of the calendar year.

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

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

The tax sale for 2014 taxes and utility charges was held on October 23, 2014 and was complete.

Inspection of tax sale certificates on file revealed that all tax sale certificates were available for audit.

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

<u>Year</u>	Number of Liens		
2014	4		
2013	4		
2012	3		

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

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

There are none.

No recommendations were reported in the prior year audit.

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

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