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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

To the Board of Supervisors
Wiregrass Community Development District
Pasco County, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Wiregrass Community Development District as of and for the year ended September 30, 2020, and the related notes to financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

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

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

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To the Board of Supervisors
Wiregrass Community Development District

Opinion

In our opinion, the basic financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the governmental activities, and each major fund of Wiregrass Community Development District as of September 30, 2020, and the respective changes in financial position and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

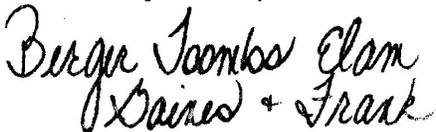
Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated June 15, 2021, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations and contracts.

The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Wiregrass Community Development District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



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Fort Pierce, Florida

June 15, 2021

**Wiregrass Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020**

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

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

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

The **statement of net position** presents information on all assets and liabilities of the District, with the difference between assets and liabilities reported as net position. Net position is reported in three categories: 1) net investment in capital assets, 2) restricted, and 3) unrestricted. Assets, liabilities, and net position are reported for all Governmental activities.

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

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

**Wiregrass Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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

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

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

Financial Highlights

The following are the highlights of financial activity for the year ended September 30, 2020.

- ◆ The District's total assets exceeded total liabilities by \$1,901,558 (net position). Net investment in capital assets for the District was \$1,079,451. Restricted net position was \$206,022 and unrestricted net position was \$616,085.
- ◆ Revenues from governmental activities totaled \$2,143,369 and expenses from governmental activities totaled \$2,750,844.

**Wiregrass Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Financial Analysis of the District

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

Net Position

	Governmental Activities	
	2020	2019
Current assets	\$ 655,462	\$ 816,751
Restricted assets	2,210,298	2,152,822
Capital assets	20,987,193	21,878,696
Total Assets	23,852,953	24,848,269
Current liabilities	924,590	899,935
Non-current liabilities	21,026,805	21,439,301
Total Liabilities	21,951,395	22,339,236
Net Position		
Net investment in capital assets	1,079,451	1,586,261
Restricted	206,022	138,175
Unrestricted	616,085	784,597
Total Net Position	\$ 1,901,558	\$ 2,509,033

The decrease in current assets is the result of expenditures exceeding revenues at the fund level.

The increase in restricted assets and restricted net position is primarily the result of revenues exceeding expenditures in the Debt Service Fund.

The reduction in capital assets and net investment in capital assets is related to depreciation.

**Wiregrass Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Financial Analysis of the District (Continued)

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

Change In Net Position

	Governmental Activities	
	2020	2019
Program Revenues		
Charges for services	\$ 2,137,243	\$ 2,168,005
Operating contribution	-	850
General Revenues		
Investment earnings	6,126	17,413
Total Revenues	<u>2,143,369</u>	<u>2,186,268</u>
Expenses		
General government	124,721	87,549
Physical environment	935,296	551,357
Transportation	549,216	-
Interest and other charges	1,141,611	1,159,758
Total Expenses	<u>2,750,844</u>	<u>1,798,664</u>
Change in Net Position	(607,475)	387,604
Net Position - Beginning of Year	<u>2,509,033</u>	<u>2,121,429</u>
Net Position - End of Year	<u>\$ 1,901,558</u>	<u>\$ 2,509,033</u>

The increase in general government is primarily related to the increase in engineering and legal expenses in the current year.

The increase in physical environment and transportation is related to the initial year for depreciation.

The decrease in interest and other charges is due to the decrease in bonds payable outstanding.

**Wiregrass Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Capital Assets Activity

The following schedule provides a summary of the District's capital assets as of September 30, 2020 and 2019:

	Governmental Activities	
	2020	2019
Land	\$ 2,771,076	\$ 2,771,076
Construction in progress	-	19,107,620
Infrastructure	19,107,620	-
Less: accumulated depreciation	(891,503)	-
Governmental Activities Capital Assets	\$ 20,987,193	\$ 21,878,696

During the year, \$19,107,620 was transferred from construction in progress to infrastructure and depreciation was \$891,503.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

The budgeted expenditures exceeded actual expenditures in the current year because landscaping and legal expenditures were less than anticipated.

There were no budget amendments in the current year.

Debt Management

Governmental Activities debt includes the following:

- ◆ In September 2014, the District issued \$13,620,000 Series 2014 Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds. These bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2020 was \$12,545,000.
- ◆ In April 2016, The District issued \$9,430,000 Series 2016 Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds. The bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. The balance outstanding on the Series 2016 Bonds at September 30, 2020 was \$8,965,000.

**Wiregrass Community Development District
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020**

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget

Wiregrass Community Development District does not expect any economic factors to have any significant effect on the financial position or results of operations of the District in fiscal year 2021.

Request for Information

The financial report is designed to provide a general overview of Wiregrass Community Development District's finances for all those with an interest. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to the Wiregrass Community Development District's Finance Department at 3434 Colwell Avenue, Suite 200, Tampa, Florida 33614.

Wiregrass Community Development District
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
September 30, 2020

	Governmental Activities
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Cash	\$ 640,029
Prepaid expenses	10,233
Deposits	5,200
Total Current Assets	655,462
Non-Current Assets	
Restricted Assets	
Investments	2,210,298
Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated	
Land	2,771,076
Capital Assets, Being Depreciated	
Infrastructure	19,107,620
Less: accumulated depreciation	(891,503)
Total Non-Current Assets	23,197,491
Total Assets	23,852,953
LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	39,377
Bonds payable	415,000
Accrued interest	470,213
Total Current Liabilities	924,590
Non-Current Liabilities	
Bonds payable, net	21,026,805
Total Liabilities	21,951,395
NET POSITION	
Net investment in capital assets	1,079,451
Restricted for debt service	205,976
Restricted for capital projects	46
Unrestricted	616,085
Total Net Position	\$ 1,901,558

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Wiregrass Community Development District
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020

Functions/Programs	Expenses	Program Revenues Charges for Services	Net (Expenses) Revenues and Changes in Net Position Governmental Activities
Governmental Activities			
General government	\$ (124,721)	\$ 94,698	\$ (30,023)
Physical environment	(935,296)	450,261	(485,035)
Transportation	(549,216)	-	(549,216)
Interest and other charges	(1,141,611)	1,592,284	450,673
Total Governmental Activities	\$ (2,750,844)	\$ 2,137,243	(613,601)
			General Revenues
			Investment income
			6,126
			Changes in Net Position
			(607,475)
			Net Position - Beginning of Year
			2,509,033
			Net Position - End of Year
			\$ 1,901,558

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Wiregrass Community Development District
BALANCE SHEET -
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
September 30, 2020

	General	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 640,029	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 640,029
Prepaid expenses	10,233	-	-	10,233
Deposits	5,200	-	-	5,200
Restricted assets				
Investments, at fair value	-	2,210,252	46	2,210,298
Total Assets	<u>\$ 655,462</u>	<u>\$ 2,210,252</u>	<u>\$ 46</u>	<u>\$ 2,865,760</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES				
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	<u>\$ 39,377</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 39,377</u>
FUND BALANCES				
Nonspendable - prepaid expenses/deposits	15,433	-	-	15,433
Restricted:				
Debt service	-	2,210,252	-	2,210,252
Capital projects	-	-	46	46
Unassigned	<u>600,652</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>600,652</u>
Total Fund Balances	<u>616,085</u>	<u>2,210,252</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>2,826,383</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	<u>\$ 655,462</u>	<u>\$ 2,210,252</u>	<u>\$ 46</u>	<u>\$ 2,865,760</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Wiregrass Community Development District
RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES
TO NET POSITION OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
September 30, 2020

Total Governmental Fund Balances	\$ 2,826,383
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:	
Capital assets, land, \$2,771,076, and infrastructure, \$19,107,620, net of accumulated depreciation, \$(891,503), used in governmental activities are not current financial resources, and therefore, are not reported at the fund level.	20,987,193
Long-term liabilities, bonds payable, \$(21,510,000), net of bond discount, net \$68,195, are not due and payable in the current period, and therefore, are not reported at the fund level.	(21,441,805)
Accrued interest expense for long-term debt is not a financial use, and therefore, is not reported at the fund level.	<u>(470,213)</u>
Net Position of Governmental Activities	<u><u>\$ 1,901,558</u></u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Wiregrass Community Development District
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020

	General	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues				
Special assessments	\$ 544,959	\$ 1,592,284	\$ -	\$ 2,137,243
Investment income	4,259	1,867	-	6,126
Total Revenues	<u>549,218</u>	<u>1,594,151</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,143,369</u>
Expenditures				
Current				
General government	124,721	-	-	124,721
Physical environment	593,009	-	-	593,009
Debt service				
Principal	-	390,000	-	390,000
Interest	-	1,146,675	-	1,146,675
Total Expenditures	<u>717,730</u>	<u>1,536,675</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,254,405</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	(168,512)	57,476	-	(111,036)
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year	<u>784,597</u>	<u>2,152,776</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>2,937,419</u>
Fund Balances - End of Year	<u>\$ 616,085</u>	<u>\$ 2,210,252</u>	<u>\$ 46</u>	<u>\$ 2,826,383</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Wiregrass Community Development District
RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020

Net Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$	(111,036)
<p>Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:</p>		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation. This is the amount of depreciation in the current period.		(891,503)
Repayments of bond principal are expenditures at the fund level, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities at the government-wide level.		390,000
Bond discounts are amortized over the life of the bonds as interest. This is the current period amortization.		(2,504)
At the government-wide level, interest is accrued on outstanding bonds; whereas at the fund level, interest expenditures are reported when due. This is the change in accrued interest in the current period.		<u>7,568</u>
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$	(607,475)

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Wiregrass Community Development District
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN
FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND
For the Year Ended September 30, 2020

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)</u>
Revenues				
Special assessments	\$ 607,980	\$ 607,980	\$ 544,959	\$ (63,021)
Investment income	-	-	4,259	4,259
Total Revenues	<u>607,980</u>	<u>607,980</u>	<u>549,218</u>	<u>(58,762)</u>
Expenditures				
Current				
General government	131,573	131,573	124,721	6,852
Physical environment	<u>857,635</u>	<u>857,635</u>	<u>593,009</u>	<u>264,626</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>989,208</u>	<u>989,208</u>	<u>717,730</u>	<u>271,478</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	(381,228)	(381,228)	(168,512)	212,716
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year	<u>381,228</u>	<u>381,228</u>	<u>784,597</u>	<u>403,369</u>
Fund Balances - End of Year	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 616,085</u>	<u>\$ 616,085</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Wiregrass Community Development District
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 2020

NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

1. Reporting Entity

The District was established on June 24, 2009, pursuant to the Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980, Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, as amended (the "Act"), by Rule 42MMM-1 of the Florida Land and Water Adjudicatory Commission as a Community Development District. The District was established for the purposes of financing and managing the acquisition, construction, maintenance and operation of the infrastructure necessary for community development within its jurisdiction. The District is authorized to issue bonds for the purpose, among others, of financing, funding, planning, establishing, acquiring, constructing district roads, landscaping, and other basic infrastructure projects within or outside the boundaries of the Wiregrass Community Development District. The District is governed by a five-member Board of Supervisors. The District operates within the criteria established by Chapter 190, Florida Statutes.

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

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

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

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

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

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

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

a. Government-wide Financial Statements

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

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

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

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

b. Fund Financial Statements

The underlying accounting system of the District is organized and operated on the basis of separate funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues and expenditures or expenses, as appropriate. Governmental resources are allocated to and accounted for in individual funds based upon the purposes for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled.

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

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

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

b. Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

Governmental Funds

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

The District has various policies governing the fund balance classifications.

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

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

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

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

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

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

2. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

b. Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

Governmental Funds (Continued)

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

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

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

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

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

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

Debt service expenditures are recorded only when payment is due.

3. Basis of Presentation

a. Governmental Major Funds

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

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

3. Basis of Presentation (Continued)

a. Governmental Major Funds (Continued)

Debt Service Fund – Accounts for debt service requirements to retire the capital improvement bonds which were used to finance the construction of District infrastructure improvements.

Capital Projects Fund – The Capital Projects Funds account for construction of infrastructure improvements within the boundaries of the District.

b. Non-current Governmental Assets/Liabilities

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

4. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity

a. Cash and Investments

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

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

1. Direct obligations of the United States Treasury;
2. The Local Government Surplus Funds Trust or any intergovernmental investment pool authorized pursuant to the Florida Interlocal Cooperative Act of 1969;
3. Interest-bearing time deposits or savings accounts in authorized qualified public depositories;
4. Securities and Exchange Commission, registered money market funds with the highest credit quality rating from a nationally recognized rating agency.

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

4. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity (Continued)

a. Cash and Investments (Continued)

Cash equivalents include time deposits and all highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less and held in a qualified public depository as defined by Section 280.02, Florida Statutes.

b. Restricted Net Position

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

c. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include land and infrastructure are reported in the governmental activities column.

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

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

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

Depreciation of capital assets is computed and recorded by utilizing the straight-line method. Estimated useful lives of the infrastructure of depreciable capital assets range from 15 to 25 years.

d. Unamortized Bond Discounts

Bond discounts associated with the issuance of revenue bonds are amortized according to the straight line method of accounting. For financial reporting, unamortized bond discounts are netted against the applicable long-term debt.

**Wiregrass Community Development District
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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

4. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity (Continued)

e. Budgets

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

NOTE B – CASH AND INVESTMENTS

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

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned to it. The District does not have a formal deposit policy for custodial credit risk; however, they follow the provisions of Chapter 280, Florida Statutes regarding deposits and investments. As of September 30, 2020, the District's bank balance was \$640,479 and the carrying value was \$640,029. Exposure to custodial credit risk was as follows. The District maintains all deposits in a qualified public depository in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 280, Florida Statutes, which means that all deposits are fully insured by Federal Depositors Insurance or collateralized under Chapter 280, Florida Statutes.

As of September 30, 2020, the District had the following investments and maturities:

Investment	Maturities	Fair Value
U S Bank Managed Money Market	N/A	\$ 2,210,298

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

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NOTE B – CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits (Continued)

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

Based on the criteria in the preceding paragraph, the investment listed above is a Level 1 asset.

Interest Rate Risk

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

Credit Risk

The District's investments in managed money markets are limited by state statutory requirements and bond compliance. The District has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. As of September 30, 2020, the District's investments in U S Bank Managed Money Market was not rated.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The District places no limit on the amount it may invest in any one fund. The investments in U S Bank Managed Money Market represent 100% of District's total investments.

The types of deposits and investments and their level of risk exposure as of September 30, 2020 were typical of these items during the fiscal year then ended. The District considers any decline in fair value for certain investments to be temporary.

NOTE C – SPECIAL ASSESSMENT REVENUES

Assessments are non-ad valorem assessments on benefited property within the District. Operating and Maintenance Assessments are based upon the adopted budget and levied annually at a public hearing by the District. Debt Service Assessments are levied when bonds are issued and collected annually. The District may collect assessments directly or utilize the uniform method of collections (Chapter 197.3632, Florida Statutes). Direct collected assessments are due as determined by annual assessment resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors. Assessments collected under the uniform method are due and payable on November 1 or as soon as the assessment roll is certified and delivered to the Tax Collector. Per Section 197.162, Florida Statutes discounts are allowed for early payment at the rate of 4% in November, 3% in December, 2% in January, and 1% in February. Taxes paid in March are without discount.

All unpaid assessments become delinquent as of April 1. Virtually all unpaid assessments are collected via the sale of tax certificates on, or prior to, June 1; therefore, there were no material amounts receivable at fiscal year-end. Assessment levied for the 2019-2020 fiscal year were levied in October 2019.

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NOTE D – CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended September 30, 2020 was as follows:

	Balance October 1, 2019	Additions	Disposals	Balance September 30, 2020
<u>Governmental activities:</u>				
Capital assets, not being depreciated				
Land	\$ 2,771,076	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,771,076
Construction in progress	19,107,620	-	(19,107,620)	-
Total Capital Assets Not Depreciated	<u>21,878,696</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(19,107,620)</u>	<u>2,771,076</u>
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Infrastructure	-	11,635,168	-	11,635,168
Stormwater infrastructure	-	7,472,452	-	7,472,452
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Infrastructure	-	(891,503)	-	(891,503)
Total Capital Assets Depreciated, Net	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 18,216,117</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 18,216,117</u>
 Total Capital Assets, net	 <u>\$ 21,878,696</u>	 <u>\$ 18,216,117</u>	 <u>\$ (19,107,620)</u>	 <u>\$ 20,987,193</u>

Current year depreciation of \$891,503 was charged to physical environment, \$342,287, and transportation, \$549,216.

NOTE E – LONG-TERM DEBT

Governmental Activities

The following is a summary of activity for long-term debt of the Governmental Activities for the year ended September 30, 2020:

Long-term debt at October 1, 2019	\$ 21,900,000
Principal payments	<u>(390,000)</u>
Long-term debt at September 30, 2020	21,510,000
Less bond discount, net	<u>(68,195)</u>
 Total long-term debt, September 30, 2020	 <u>\$ 21,441,805</u>

In September 2014, the District issued \$13,620,000 of Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds, Series 2014 maturing on May 1, 2045 with a fixed interest rate ranging from 5.375% to 5.625%. The bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. Interest is to be paid semiannually on each May 1 and November 1. Principal is to be paid serially commencing May 1, 2016 through May 1, 2045. The balance outstanding at September 30, 2020 was \$12,545,000.

In April 2016, the District issued \$9,430,000 Series 2016 Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds due in annual principal installments beginning May 2018, maturing May 2047. Interest is due semi-annually on May 1 and November 1, beginning November 1, 2016, at a fixed interest rate ranging from 3.625% to 5%. The balance outstanding on the Series 2016 Bonds at September 30, 2020 is \$8,965,000.

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NOTE E – LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

The annual requirements to amortize the principal and interest of bonded debt outstanding as of September 30, 2020 are as follows:

Year Ending September 30,	Principal	Interest	Total
2021	\$ 415,000	\$ 1,128,512	\$ 1,543,512
2022	430,000	1,109,182	1,539,182
2023	455,000	1,087,819	1,542,819
2024	475,000	1,065,213	1,540,213
2025	500,000	1,041,581	1,541,581
2026-2030	2,930,000	4,800,419	7,730,419
2031-2035	3,780,000	3,958,489	7,738,489
2036-2040	4,935,000	2,849,482	7,784,482
2041-2045	6,445,000	1,366,344	7,811,344
2046-2047	1,145,000	86,500	1,231,500
Totals	<u>\$ 21,510,000</u>	<u>\$ 18,493,541</u>	<u>\$ 40,003,541</u>

Summary of Significant Bond Resolution Terms and Covenants

The District levies special assessments pursuant to Section 190.022, Florida Statutes and the assessment rolls are approved by resolutions of the District Board. The collections are to be strictly accounted for and applied to the debt service of the bond series for which they were levied. The District covenants to levy special assessments in annual amounts adequate to provide for payment of principal and interest on the bonds. Payment of principal and interest is dependent on the money available in the debt service fund and the District's ability to collect special assessments levied.

The Series 2014 Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity, in whole on any date, or in part at any time on or after May 1, 2025, at the redemption price of the principal amount, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption. The Series 2014 Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to their selected maturity date in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Bond Indenture.

The Series 2016 Bonds are subject to redemption at the option of the District prior to their maturity, in whole or in part, at any time after May 1, 2026, at a redemption price equal to the principal amount of the Series 2016 Bonds to be redeemed, together with accrued interest to the date of redemption. The Series 2016 Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to maturity in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Trust Indenture.

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NOTE E – LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

The bond indentures provide for Debt Service Reserve Funds, which shall be held by the Trustee separate and apart from all other funds. The following is a schedule of reserve requirements and balances in the reserve accounts at September 30, 2020:

	Reserve Balance	Reserve Requirement
Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds, Series 2014	\$ 933,250	\$ 930,447
Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds, Series 2016	\$ 603,616	\$ 603,616

NOTE F – PROMISSORY NOTE TO DEVELOPER

In prior years beginning 2010, the District executed a series of promissory notes payable to the Developer. Outstanding promissory notes as of the year-ended September 30, 2020, were \$43,455,005 with interest accruing at 7.5%. The District has promised to pay the Developer in a single installment which is due and payable when and if the District, in its sole discretion, issues a future series of bonds or other indebtedness. The proceeds of such indebtedness must be legally available for the payment of such principal and interest under the terms of the indenture and the law. These notes were given to finance the purchase price of certain improvements and facilities described in the individual promissory notes. The District is under no obligation to issue such Bonds at any time and the Developer shall have no right to compel the District to issue such Bonds or to pay principal or interest from any other source of funds.

During 2019, the District assigned impact fee credits to the Developer totaling \$5,414,537 which reduced the notes payable to the Developer for the stated amount, including accrued interest.

NOTE G – ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY

A significant portion of the District's activity is dependent upon continued involvement of the Developer, the loss which could have a material adverse effect on the District's operations. At September 30, 2020, the Developer owned a significant amount of the assessable property located within the District's boundaries. Four of the five Board members are affiliated with the Developer.

NOTE H – RISK MANAGEMENT

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



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

To the Board of Supervisors
Wiregrass Community Development District
Pasco County, Florida

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of Wiregrass Community Development District, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 15, 2021.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Board of Supervisors
Wiregrass Community Development District

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Wiregrass Community Development District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

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



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MANAGEMENT LETTER

To the Board of Supervisors
Wiregrass Community Development District
Pasco County, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of the Wiregrass Community Development District as of and for the year ended September 30, 2020, and have issued our report thereon dated June 15, 2021.

Auditor's Responsibility

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

Other Reporting Requirements

We have issued our Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and our Independent Auditor's Report on an examination conducted in accordance with *AICPA Professionals Standards*, AT-C Section 315, regarding compliance requirements in accordance with Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Auditor General. Disclosures in those reports, which are dated June 15, 2021, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

Prior Audit Findings

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

Financial Condition and Management

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

Fort Pierce / Stuart

To the Board of Supervisors
Wiregrass Community Development District

Pursuant to Sections 10.554(1)(i)5.b. and 10.556(8), Rules of the Auditor General, we applied financial condition assessment procedures for Wiregrass Community Development District. It is management's responsibility to monitor the Wiregrass Community Development District's financial condition; our financial condition assessment was based in part on the representations made by management and the review of the financial information provided by the same as of September 30, 2020.

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

Additional Matters

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

Purpose of this Letter

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

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

To the Board of Supervisors
Wiregrass Community Development District
Pasco County, Florida

We have examined Wiregrass Community Development District's compliance with Section 218.415, Florida Statutes during the year ended September 30, 2020. Management is responsible for Wiregrass Community Development District's compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Wiregrass Community Development District's compliance based on our examination.

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

In our opinion, Wiregrass Community Development District complied, in all material respects, with the aforementioned requirements during the year ended September 30, 2020.

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June 15, 2021