# LIVINGSTON PARISH SHERIFF ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 LIVINGSTON, LOUISIANA



#### Annual Comprehensive Financial Report of the

#### LIVINGSTON PARISH SHERIFF

Livingston, Louisiana

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2021

Prepared by the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office Accounting Department

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December 22, 2021

To the Citizens of Livingston Parish:

This Annual Comprehensive Financial Report is hereby submitted for the fiscal period July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021. State law requires that every general purpose local government publish, within six months of the close of each fiscal year, a complete set of audited financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards.

Management assumes full responsibility for the completeness and reliability of the information contained in this report, based upon a comprehensive framework of internal control that it has established for this purpose. Because the cost of internal control should not exceed anticipated benefits, the objective is to provide reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance that the financial statements are free of any material misstatements.

Hannis T. Bourgeois, LLP, a firm of licensed certified public accountants, have issued an unmodified ("clean") opinion on the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office financial statements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021. The independent auditor's report is presented in the financial section of this report.

Management's discussion and analysis (MD&A) immediately follows the independent auditor's opinion and provides a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis of the basic financial statements. MD&A complements this letter of transmittal and should be read in conjunction with it.

#### Profile of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office

Formed in 1832, the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office is a stand-alone political entity lead by an elected Sheriff providing leadership and guidance in the area of law enforcement and public safety. Livingston Parish, located in southeast Louisiana, has the ninth largest population in the state with an estimated 140,000 residents.

As provided by Article V. Section 27 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, the Livingston Parish Sheriff serves a four-year term as the chief executive officer of the law enforcement district and ex-officio tax collector of the Parish of Livingston, Louisiana. The Sheriff administers the parish jail system and exercises duties required by the parish court system, such as providing bailiffs, executing orders of the court, and serving subpoenas.

As the chief law enforcement officer of the parish, the Sheriff has the responsibility for enforcing state and local laws and ordinances within the territorial boundaries of the parish. The Sheriff provides protection to the residents of the parish through on-site patrols and investigations and serves the residents of the parish through the establishment of the neighborhood watch programs, and anti-drug abuse programs. Additionally, the Sheriff, when requested, provides assistance to other law enforcement agencies within the parish or state.

As the ex-officio tax collector of the parish, the Sheriff is responsible for collecting and distributing ad valorem property taxes, parish occupational licenses, state revenue sharing funds, sportsman's licenses and fines, costs, and bond forfeitures imposed by the district court.

In addition to being responsible for enforcing the laws and collecting the taxes for the parish, the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office is also responsible for staffing and operating the parish detention center, as well as providing security for the parish courthouse. Both facilities are owned by the Livingston Parish Government.

#### **Budget Preparation**

The annual budget serves as the foundation for the Sheriff's Office financial planning and control. The Chief Financial Officer develops, prepares and presents to the Sheriff the proposed annual budget and budget message for the general fund and all special revenue funds in accordance with the Local Government Budget Act found in Louisiana Revised Statute (R.S.) 39:1301-1315. The Sheriff is required to hold a public hearing on the proposed budget and adopt a final budget by no later than June 30, the close of the Sheriff's fiscal year. Certified copies of the adopted budget, adoption instrument, budget amendments, supporting schedules, and correspondence related to the budgets are to be retained at the Chief Financial Officer's (CFO) office. Additional details on the budget process are explained in the Notes to the Financial Statements.

The CFO administers and monitors the budget with monthly financial statements and budget-to-actual comparisons for any corrective action needed. The Sheriff is responsible for adopting amended budgets on a timely basis and in accordance with the Local Government Budget Act.

For the General Fund, the legal budgetary level of control is at the function (i.e., public safety) level.

#### Local Economy

One of the major reasons Livingston Parish is one of the nation's fastest growing parishes (counties) is the lifestyle it offers. Despite the recent growth locally, our communities retain their personality and charm. Families value the public schools, among the best in the state along with the safe neighborhoods and extensive public park system that offers recreational youth sports opportunities. According to the 2020 Census, Livingston ranks #7 for the fastest growing parish (county) in Louisiana.

Living in Livingston Parish is affordable and land is available for development, leaving great opportunities for growth. CNN Money stated that Livingston Parish ranks 11th in the nation for job growth. Such growth has been most visible in the retail sector, with major stores like Bass Pro and Sam's Club driving business into the parish. More shops and restaurants have followed, and now the Juban Crossing retail development has flourished by bringing a multitude of stores and restaurants helping to bring even more job opportunities and also daily conveniences to our doorstep.

Over the last ten years, unemployment rates have continued to drop. The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reports 5.1 percent unemployment in Livingston Parish during 2021, compared to 7.9 percent in 2011, while the unemployment rate in the United States has dropped to 5.9 percent in 2021 from 9.1 percent in 2011.

#### Long-term Financial Planning and Major Initiatives

Long-term financial plans serve as a tool to identify issues and opportunities, and to provide the Sheriff, staff, and citizens with the insights required to address issues impacting the Sheriff's Office financial condition. The Sheriff's plan typically includes a multi-year planning horizon - three to five years for projecting current operations and capital expenditures and extended time frames for more extensive projects depending on funding. Although issuance of bonds are typically a last resort, future additional projects may require additional revenue, either from current or new revenue sources, i.e., grants, bonded debt, etc.

In fiscal year 2018, the Sheriff's Office joined governmental entities across the United States in adopting GASB No. 75 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Other Post-Employment Benefits." Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) provided to the Sheriff's retired employees include medical and life insurance. Under this new guidance, the Sheriff's Office has reported the total OPEB liability of \$14.74 M in the Government-Wide Financial Statements. To ensure that these benefits can be paid as they come due, Sheriff Ard has assigned \$10.46 M in a trust fund towards a long-term plan for funding this liability.

Currently, multiple long-term projects are in progress, which includes a multipurpose training facility and two substations. The Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office continues to search for ways to better serve its citizens.

Since taking office, the Sheriff has continued the agency's dedicated focus on maintaining the safety of the people living and working in Livingston Parish while making changes to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the agency and build the community's trust. Some of his initiatives accomplished this year include: developing an initiative to reduce violent crime, expanding the school resource officer program in partnership with the school board to maintain a safe learning environment for our children, policing initiatives which help prevent crime, training deputies in crisis intervention, enhancing technologies, introducing new employee initiatives, creation of a domestic violence unit, and an updated electronic policy and procedure program.

The Sheriff strives to maintain an unrestricted fund balance to provide for unanticipated expenditures of a non-recurring nature and/or to meet unexpected increases in costs. All fund designations and reserves are reviewed annually for long-term adequacy and use requirements. Any projected insufficiencies will be addressed immediately. It is a goal to maintain a fund balance of at least 30% of the operating expenditures in the General Fund.

#### Relevant Financial Policies

The Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office has established and adopted the following comprehensive financial policies to improve the Sheriff's Office financial stability, to balance the needs of the organization with the resources available for use, and to assist the Sheriff's Office with careful financial planning. The policies set forth below are consistent guidelines for fiscal planning and performance, and support the Sheriff's Office commitment to sound financial management and financial stability.

These policies can be found within the notes to the financial statements which follow the basic financial statements.

#### Acknowledgements

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) presents an annual Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to a governmental entity who presents an annual comprehensive financial report. In order to receive this prestigious award, a government must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized annual comprehensive financial report. This report must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements. A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. Our Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020 is included our report. The Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office believes that our current annual comprehensive financial report meets the Certificate of Achievement Program's requirements, and we will be submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for the certificate.

The preparation of this report on a timely basis could not have been possible without the efficient and skillful efforts of our Accounting Department, as well as additional members of Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office departments. We would like to express our sincere appreciation for their assistance in providing the data necessary to prepare this report and for their commitment to maintaining the highest standards of professionalism in the management of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office.

Respectfully submitted,

Jason Ard

Sheriff

Jamie Felder

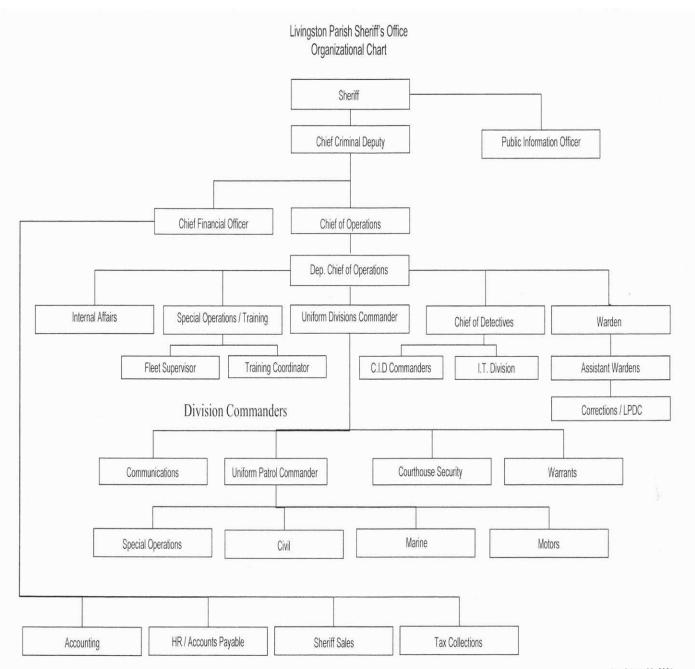
Chief Financial Officer

#### Livingston Parish Sheriff Livingston Parish, Louisiana

#### Principal Elected Official June 30, 2021

#### Sheriff Jason Ard





As of June 30, 2021



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Honorable Jason Ard Livingston Parish Sheriff Ex-Officio Parish Tax Collector Livingston Parish, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, the budgetary comparison statement of the general fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Livingston Parish Sheriff (the "Sheriff") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Sheriff'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 opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free 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 opinions.

#### **Opinions**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, the budgetary comparison statement of the general fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Livingston Parish Sheriff as of June 30, 2021, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### Other Matters

#### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on page 4 through 11, the schedule of changes in the net OPEB liability and related ratios on page 58, the schedule of the Sheriff's OPEB contributions on page 59, the schedule of OPEB investment returns on page 60, the schedule of the Sheriff's proportionate share of the net pension liability on page 61, and the schedule of the Sheriff's contributions on page 62 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

#### Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Sheriff's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining schedule of fiduciary net position – fiduciary funds, combining schedule of changes in net position – fiduciary funds, schedule of compensation, benefits, and other payments to agency head, the tax collector account affidavit, and statistical section are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The schedule of justice system funding – collecting/disbursing entity and the schedule of justice system funding – receiving entity are presented for purposes of additional analysis as requested by Louisiana revised statue 24:515.2 and are also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining schedule of fiduciary net position – fiduciary funds, combining schedule of changes in fiduciary net position - fiduciary funds, schedule of compensation, benefits, and other payments to agency head, the tax collector account affidavit, the schedule of justice system funding collecting/disbursing entity, the schedule of justice system funding – receiving entity, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining schedule of fiduciary net position – fiduciary funds, combining schedule of changes in fiduciary net position - fiduciary funds, schedule of compensation, benefits, and other payments to agency head, tax collector account affidavit, the schedule of justice system funding collecting/disbursing entity, the schedule of justice system funding – receiving entity, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The introductory section on pages i through x and the statistical section, Tables 1 through 18, have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated December 22, 2021, on our consideration of the Sheriff'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 solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Sheriff's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the Sheriff's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Respectfully submitted, Harris T. Bourgeois, LLP

Denham Springs, Louisiana December 22, 2021

#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

JUNE 30, 2021

#### Introduction

As management of the Livingston Parish Sheriff, Livingston, Louisiana, we offer readers of the Sheriff's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the Sheriff for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021. This management discussion and analysis ("MD&A") is designed to provide an objective and easy to read analysis of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's financial activities based on currently known facts, decisions, or conditions. It is intended to provide readers with a broad overview of the Sheriff's finances. It is also intended to provide readers with an analysis of the Sheriff's short-term and long-term activities based on information presented in the financial report and fiscal policies that have been adopted by the Sheriff. Specifically, this section is designed to assist the reader in focusing on significant financial issues, provide an overview of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's financial position (its ability to address the next and subsequent year challenges), identify any material deviations from the financial plan (the approved budget), and identify individual fund issues or concerns.

As with other sections of this financial report, the information contained within this MD&A should be considered only a part of a greater whole. The readers of this statement should take time to read and evaluate all sections of this report, including the footnotes and the other Required Supplemental Information ("RSI") that is provided in addition to this MD&A.

#### Government Wide Financial Highlights

Statement of Net Position	June		
	2021	2020	Increase (Decrease)
Assets	\$ 34,587,778	\$ 22,071,700	\$ 12,516,078
Deferred Outflows	10,221,878	7,095,442	3,126,436
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows	44,809,656	29,167,142	15,642,514
Liabilities	23,331,787	22,201,666	1,130,121
Deferred Inflows	5,450,357	4,939,355	511,002
Total Liabilities and Deferred Inflows	28,782,144	27,141,021	1,641,123
Net Investment in Capital Assets	9,300,062	8,039,896	1,260,166
Restricted for Training Center Construction	4,371,945	246,215	4,125,730
Unrestricted (Deficit)	2,355,505	(6,259,990)	8,615,495
Total Net Position	\$ 16,027,512	\$ 2,026,121	\$ 14,001,391

The assets and deferred outflows of the Sheriff's office exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$16,027,512 (Net Position). Of this amount, \$9,300,062 or 58.02% is invested in capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and related debt. An additional \$4,371,945 or 27.28% is restricted for the Training Center Construction. The net remaining balance of \$2,355,505 is the unrestricted net position and may be used to meet the Sheriff's ongoing obligations to the Parish.

For the year ended June 30, 2021, the Sheriff's total net position increased by \$14,001,391.

At June 30, 2021, the Sheriff's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$19,239,754, an increase of \$9,060,397 for the year. Of this amount, \$14,867,809 is unassigned, which is available for spending at the Sheriff's discretion. Of the remaining balance, \$2,168,816 is restricted for Training Center Construction and \$2,203,129 is committed for Construction Contracts related to the Training Center Construction project.

Governmental Funds	June 30,				
		2021	2020		Increase (Decrease)
Assets	\$	22,090,373	\$ 13,319,32	27	\$ 8,771,046
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows		22,090,373	13,319,32	27	8,771,046
Liabilities		1,887,446	1,913,80	58	(26,422)
Deferred Inflows		963,173	1,226,10	)2	(262,929)
Total Liabilities and Deferred Inflows		2,850,619	3,139,9	70	(289,351)
Restricted for Training Center Constrcution		2,168,816	-		
Committed for Construction Contracts		2,203,129	246,2	15	1,956,914
Unassigned		14,867,809	9,933,1	12_	4,934,667
Total Fund Balance		19,239,754	10,179,3	57_	6,891,581
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows, and Fund Balance	\$	22,090,373	\$ 13,319,33	27	\$ 6,602,230

#### Overview of the Annual Financial Report

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Livingston Parish Sheriff's financial statements. The Livingston Parish Sheriff's basic financial statements comprise three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

#### **Government-Wide Financial Statements**

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's finances in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The statement of net position (formerly reported as statement of net assets) presents information on all of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's assets, deferred outflows, liabilities and deferred inflows with the difference reported as net position using the accrual basis of accounting. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the Livingston Parish Sheriff is improving or deteriorating.

The statement of activities presents information showing how the government's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Therefore, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (for example, uncollected taxes and fees that have been earned).

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 12 - 13 of this report.

#### **Fund Financial Statements**

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The Livingston Parish Sheriff, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related and legal requirements. All of the funds of the Sheriff can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds.

Governmental Funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for *governmental funds* with similar information presented for *governmental activities* in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term effects of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between *governmental funds* and *governmental activities*.

The Livingston Parish Sheriff maintains two separate governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental funds statements which consist of balance sheets and statements of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the General Fund, which is considered to be a major fund, and a Capital Projects fund for the construction of the Training Center.

The Livingston Parish Sheriff adopts an annual appropriated budget for its general fund. A budgetary comparison statement for the major fund has been provided herein to demonstrate compliance with the budget. The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 14, 16 and 18 of this report.

Fiduciary funds. Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Fiduciary funds are *not* reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are *not* available to support the Livingston Parish Sheriff's own programs. The Sheriff reports its Post-Retirement Benefits Trust Fund as a fiduciary fund, and has three custodial funds, including the Sheriff's Fund, Tax Collector Fund, and Inmate Deposit Fund.

The basic fiduciary fund financial statements can be found on pages 19 - 20 of this report.

#### **Notes to the Financial Statements**

The notes to the financial statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements and are a required part of the basic financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 21 - 57 of this report.

#### Other Supplementary Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information. These can be found on page 58 through 62 of this report.

#### **Government-Wide Financial Statement Analysis**

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. The following table provides a summary of the Sheriff's net position for the current year as compared to the prior year. For more detailed information, see the Statement of Net Position on page 12 of this report.

## Statement of Net Position June 30, 2021 and 2020

	Government		
	2021	2020	Increase (Decrease)
Assets:			
Current and Other Assets	\$ 21,787,716	\$ 12,911,805	\$ 8,875,911
Capital Assets	12,800,062	9,159,895	3,640,167
Total Assets	34,587,778	22,071,700	12,516,078
Deferred Outflows of Resources	10,221,878	7,095,442	3,126,436
Total Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources	44,809,656	29,167,142	15,642,514
Liabilities:			
Long-Term Liabilities	21,623,529	19,873,293	1,750,236
Other Liabilities	1,708,258	2,328,373	(620,115)
Total Liabilities	23,331,787	22,201,666	1,130,121
Deferred Inflows of Resources	5,450,357	4,939,355	511,002
Total Liabilities and Deferred Inflows of Resources	28,782,144	27,141,021	1,641,123
Net Position:			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	9,300,062	8,039,896	1,260,166
Restricted for Training Center Construction	4,371,945	246,215	4,125,730
Unrestricted (Deficit)	2,355,505	(6,259,990)	8,615,495
Total Net Position	\$ 16,027,512	\$ 2,026,121	\$ 14,001,391

One of the largest portions of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's net position reflects its investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery and equipment, vehicles and infrastructure), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. The Livingston Parish Sheriff uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the Livingston Parish Sheriff's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

At the end of the current fiscal year, the Livingston Parish Sheriff is able to report positive balances in three categories of Net Position. The Sheriff was able to report positive balances in all categories of fund balance in the separate governmental activities.

The Sheriff's activities increased its total net position by \$14,001,391 during the current fiscal year.

In order to further understand what makes up the changes in net position, the Changes in Net Position table below provides a summary of the results of the Sheriff's activities for the current year as compared to the prior year. An analysis of the primary sources of these changes follows the table. For more detailed information, see the Statement of Activities on page 13 of this report.

Changes in Net Position
For the Years Ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

	Governmen	tal Activities	Increase (D	ecrease)
	2021 2020		Amount	Percentage
Revenues:				
Program Revenues:				
Charges for Services	\$ 4,225,741	\$ 3,184,751	\$ 1,040,990	32.7%
Operating Grants and Contributions	11,105,161	2,253,419	8,851,742	392.8%
Capital Grants and Contributions	2,104,225	44,674	2,059,551	4610.2%
General Revenues:				
Property Taxes	13,758,398	12,426,712	1,331,686	10.7%
Sales Taxes	12,168,309	10,107,379	2,060,930	20.4%
Intergovernmental:				
Support of Prisoners	2,984,948	3,312,227	(327,279)	-9.9%
State Revenue Sharing	695,622	691,269	4,353	0.6%
On Behalf - State Supplemental Pay	916,556	903,088	13,468	0.0%
Interest Income	109,310	90,016	19,294	21.4%
Miscellaneous	1,350,738	865,491	485,247	56.1%
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Assets	82,614	28,901	53,713	185.9%
Total Revenues	49,501,622	33,907,927	15,593,695	46.0%
Expenses:				
Public Safety	35,500,231	34,035,618	1,464,613	4.3%
Total Expenses	35,500,231	34,035,618	1,464,613	4.3%
Increase (Decrease) in Net Position	14,001,391	(127,691)	14,129,082	-11065.1%
Net Position - Beginning of Year	2,026,121	2,153,812	(127,691)	-5.9%
Net Position - End of Year	\$ 16,027,512	\$ 2,026,121	\$ 14,001,391	691.0%

#### **Governmental Activities**

Governmental activities increased the Livingston Parish Sheriff's net position by \$14,001,391. Key elements of this change in net position as shown on the previous page are as follows:

- Property Taxes increased \$1,331,686 or 11% in 2021.
- Sales taxes increased by \$2,060,930 or 20% in 2021 due to economic activity.
- Operating grants increased by \$8,851,742 or 393% in 2021 primarily related to COVID-19 economic relief funds.
- Capital grants increased by \$2,059,551 or 4,610% in 2021 primarily from FEMA reimbursements related to the August 2016 Flood.
- Expenses increased by \$1,464,613 or 4% in 2021 primarily in salaries and related benefits.

#### **Fund Financial Analysis**

As noted earlier, the Sheriff uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

#### **Governmental Funds**

The focus of the Sheriff's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Sheriff's financing requirements. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the Sheriff's net resources available for spending at the end of the year.

The general fund is the chief operating fund of the Livingston Parish Sheriff. At the end of the current fiscal year, total fund balance of the general fund was \$14,867,809, an increase of \$4,934,667. The significant factors in excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures are:

- Revenues for the fiscal year 2020-2021 increased compared to the prior year by \$15,808,502 primarily due to economic activity resulting in an increase in sales tax revenue of \$2,060,930, COVID-19 economic relief funds amounting to \$9,864,442, and FEMA reimbursements related to the August 2016 Flood amounting to \$2,104,225.
- Expenditures increased compared to the prior year by \$5,193,116 primarily due to COVID-19 personal protective material and supplies amounting to \$1,113,916 and pay off 2014 Revenue Series Bond and 2016-A Revenue bonds amounting to \$4,772,000. Transfers out totaled \$5,000,000, an increase of \$5,000,000 from last year and was transferred to the Training Center Construction Fund to help pay for construction costs. The amount of \$14,867,809 represents unassigned fund balance, which is available for subsequent year budget appropriation and spending at the government's discretion.

The Training Center Construction Fund accounts for the expenditures and revenues relating to the construction of a new training facility. This project is being funded from draws on the Series 2020 Revenue Bonds and surplus funds from the general fund. At the end of the current fiscal year, the total fund balance of the Training Center Construction Fund was \$4,371,945, an increase of \$4,125,730. The significant factors in excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures are expenditures increased compared to the prior year by \$3,128,037 primarily due to capital outlay for construction costs and other financing sources of \$7,750,000. The amount of \$4,371,945 represents committed and restricted fund balance and can be used only for the new Sheriff's office training facility.

As a measure of the general fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare unassigned fund balance to total fund operating expenditures plus other financing uses totaling \$43,993,392.

#### Major Fund Budgetary Highlights

The major funds of the Livingston Parish Sheriff are the general fund and capital projects fund. The capital projects fund is not required to have a budget.

#### **Budget to Actual Variance**

- The actual amounts of revenues for the general fund were more than the final budget by \$2,027,693. Revenues were budgeted using the best available data when the budget was formulated and amended. Actual results were better than anticipated primarily due to the following:
  - o Increase in sales and use taxes of \$168,308.
  - Increase in grants of \$326,474. The increase comprises mostly related to FEMA reimbursements for Hurricanes Sally and Delta, 2016 Flood, 2021 Winter Storm and other grants.
  - o Increase in housing prisoners from other parishes and Louisiana Department of Correction Prisoners of approximately \$484,948.
  - Increase in contracted revenue from the Livingston Parish Communications District of approximately \$507,670.
  - o Increase in miscellaneous revenues of approximately \$350,738. This increase is mostly attributable to unclaimed bail bond revenue.
- The actual amount of expenditures for the general fund was less than the final budget by \$3,866,608. Expenditures were budgeted using the best available data when the budget was formulated and amended. Actual results were better than anticipated primarily due to the following:
  - o Decrease in salaries of \$747,292.
  - o Decrease in employee benefits expenditure of \$757.318.
  - o Decrease in operating services expenditure of \$1,030,509.
  - Decrease in professional services expenditure of \$351,645.
  - o Decrease in capital outlay of \$781,892.
- The actual excess of revenues over expenditures and for the general fund was greater than the final budget by \$5,894,302 due to increased revenues and decreased expenditures as explained above.

#### **Capital Assets and Debt Administration**

#### **Capital Assets**

The Livingston Parish Sheriff's investment in capital assets for its governmental activities as of June 30, 2021, amounted to \$12,800,062 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, construction in progress, buildings and improvements, machinery and equipment, and infrastructure.

The following table provides a summary of the Sheriff's capital assets (net of depreciation) at the end of the current year as compared to the prior year. For more detailed information, see Note 5 to the financial statements on page 34 of this report.

## Capital Assets (Net of Depreciation) June 30, 2021 and 2020

						Percentage	
	Gove	rnmental A	ctivities	Inc	crease	Increase	
Capital Assets:	2021		2020	(De	crease)	(Decrease)	
Land	\$ 431,	957 \$	431,957	\$	-	0.0%	
Construction in Progress	4,080,	458	447,786	3,	,632,672	100.0%	
Buildings and Tower	5,959,	688	5,879,591		80,097	1.4%	
Equipment and Furniture	4,578,	086	4,459,849		118,237	2.7%	
Vehicles	9,040,	612	8,314,141		726,471	8.7%	
Subtotal Capital Assets	24,090,	801	19,533,324	4,	557,477	23.3%	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(11,290,	739)	(10,373,431)		917,308	-8.8%	
Capital Assets, Net	\$ 12,800,	062 \$	9,159,893	\$ 3,	640,169	39.7%	

#### **Long-Term Liabilities**

At the end of the fiscal year, the Sheriff had long term liabilities consisting of revenue bonds, net OPEB liability, and net pension liability in the amount of \$21,667,529. For more detailed information on Revenue Bonds Payable see Note 13 to the financial statements on page 49 of this report.

#### **Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates**

The following factors were considered in preparing the Livingston Parish Sheriff's budget for the 2022 fiscal year:

- The two major revenue sources for the general fund are ad valorem taxes and sales and use taxes. Ad valorem tax increased by \$1,331,686 between fiscal years 2020 and 2021.
- Sales tax revenues increased by approximately \$2,060,930 between 2020 and 2021.
- Grant revenues increased \$12,090,453 between fiscal years 2020 and 2021. This was related to receiving COVID-19 relief funds and is not anticipated to recur.

#### **Request for Information**

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's finances for all those with an interest in the government's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report for June 30, 2021, or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to Jamie Felder, Chief Financial Officer of the Livingston Parish Sheriff, at (225) 686-2241.



BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

AS OF JUNE 30, 2021

	Governmental Activities
ASSETS	•
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 13,084,642
Receivables, Net	3,858,028
Restricted Assets:	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	4,845,046
Capital Assets:	
Land and Construction in Progress	4,512,415
Other Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)	8,287,647
Total Assets	34,587,778
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Related to Pensions	9,505,403
Related to Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions	716,475
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	10,221,878
LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable	280,792
Accrued Interest Payable	79,469
Accrued Wages and Employee Benefits	521,280
Due to Livingston Parish Library	612,273
Other Accrued Payables - Retainage Payable	170,444
Non-Current Liabilities:	
Due Within One Year	44,000
Due in More Than One Year:	
Other Amounts Due in More Than One Year	3,456,000
Net OPEB Liability	4,285,558
Net Pension Liability	13,881,971
Total Liabilities	23,331,787
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Related to Pensions	1,995,075
Related to Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions	3,455,282
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	5,450,357
NET POSITION	
Net Investment in Capital Assets	9,300,062
Restricted For:	, ,
Training Center Construction	4,371,945
Unrestricted	2,355,505
Total Net Position	\$ 16,027,512

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

#### STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

				Program Revenue	es.		Reven	et (Expense) ue and Changes in Position (Deficit)
Functions/Programs		Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions		G	overnmental Activities
Governmental Activities:								
Public Safety Interest on Long-Term Debt	\$	35,377,813 122,418	\$ 4,225,741	\$ 11,105,161 	\$	2,104,225	\$	(17,942,686) (122,418)
Total Governmental Activities		35,500,231	4,225,741	11,105,161		2,104,225		(18,065,104)
General Revenues:	T							
		xes: Property						13,758,398
		Sales						12,168,309
		ergovernmenta	ı1·					12,100,309
		For Support of						2,984,948
		State Revenue S						695,622
			Supplemental P	ay				916,556
	In	vestment Earni	ngs	•				109,310
	M	scellaneous						1,350,738
	Ga	in (Loss) on Sa	ale of Assets					82,614
			Total General R	levenues				32,066,495
			Change in Net I	Position				14,001,391
Net Position - Begin	nin	g of Year						2,026,121
Net Position - End o	fΥ	ear					\$	16,027,512

#### BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

JUNE 30, 2021

	General Fund		Capital Projects Fund Training Center Construction Fund		Total Governmenta Funds	
<u>ASSETS</u>						
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	13,084,642	\$	-	\$	13,084,642
Receivables, Net						
Due from Other Governments		3,858,028		-		3,858,028
Due from Other Funds		302,657		-		302,657
Cash - Restricted		-		4,845,046		4,845,046
Total Assets	\$	17,245,327	\$	4,845,046	\$	22,090,373
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Liabilities:						
Accounts Payable	\$	280,792	\$	-	\$	280,792
Other Accrued Liabilities		-		170,444		170,444
Accrued Wages and Employee Benefits:						
Accrued Salaries		106,810		-		106,810
Accrued Health Claims		414,470		-		414,470
Due to Other Governments		612,273		-		612,273
Due to Other Funds		_		302,657		302,657
Total Liabilities		1,414,345		473,101		1,887,446
Deferred Inflows of Resources:						
Unavailable Intergovernmental Revenues		963,173		-		963,173
Fund Balance:						
Restricted For:						
Training Center Construction		-		2,168,816		2,168,816
Committed For:						
Construction Contracts	-			2,203,129		2,203,129
Unassigned		14,867,809		_		14,867,809
Total Fund Balances		14,867,809		4,371,945		19,239,754
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	17,245,327	\$	4,845,046	\$	22,090,373

## RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

JUNE 30, 2021

Total Fund Balances- Governmental Funds	\$ 19,239,754
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds:	
Governmental Capital Assets Less Accumulated Depreciation	24,090,801 (11,290,739) 12,800,062
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds:	
Bonds Payable Accrued Interest Payable Net OPEB Liability Net Pension Liability	(3,500,000) (79,469) (4,285,558) (13,881,971)
Certain revenues are deferred inflows in the fund financial statements until they are considered available to finance current expenditures, but these revenues are recognized when they are assessed in the government-wide financial statements	963,173
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions are not reported in governmental funds	9,505,403
Deferred outflows of resources related to other post-employment benefits are not reported in governmental funds	716,475
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions are not reported in governmental funds	(1,995,075)
Deferred inflows of resources related to other post-employment benefits are not reported in governmental funds	(3,455,282)
Net Position	\$ 16,027,512

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

## STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,2021

	General Fund	Capital Projects Fund Training Center Construction Fund	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:			-
Taxes:			
Ad Valorem	\$ 13,758,398	\$ -	\$ 13,758,398
Sales and Use	12,168,309	-	12,168,309
Intergovernmental:			
Grants	12,576,474	-	12,576,474
Support of Prisoners	2,984,948	-	2,984,948
State Revenue Sharing	695,622	-	695,622
Service Contract Revenue	1,557,670	-	1,557,670
On Behalf Payments - State Supplemental Pay	916,556	-	916,556
Fines, Forfeitures and Other Fees	2,668,071	-	2,668,071
Use of Money and Property	100,908	8,402	109,310
Miscellaneous	1,350,738	<del>-</del>	1,350,738
Total Revenues	48,777,694	8,402	48,786,096
Expenditures:			
Public Safety:			
Personnel Services and Related Benefits:			
Salaries	16,152,708	-	16,152,708
Employee Benefits	7,992,682	_	7,992,682
Travel and Training	208,297	_	208,297
Operating Services	3,529,491	_	3,529,491
Professional Services	498,355	_	498,355
Materials and Supplies	4,264,776	_	4,264,776
Capital Outlay	1,468,108	3,632,672	5,100,780
Debt Service:	1,100,100	3,032,072	3,100,700
Principal	4,772,000	_	4,772,000
Interest	106,975	-	106,975
Total Expenditures	38,993,392	3,632,672	42,626,064
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Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	9,784,302	(3,624,270)	6,160,032
Other Financing Sources (Uses):			
Proceeds on Disposal of Capital Assets	150,365	=	150,365
Transfers Out to Other Funds	(5,000,000)	-	(5,000,000)
Transfers In From Other Funds	-	5,000,000	5,000,000
Issuance of Debt	-	2,750,000	2,750,000
Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses)	(4,849,635)	7,750,000	2,900,365
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Sources			
Over Expenditures and Other Uses	4,934,667	4,125,730	9,060,397
Fund Balances at Beginning of Year	9,933,142	246,215	10,179,357
Fund Balances at End of Year	\$ 14,867,809	\$ 4,371,945	\$ 19,239,754

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

## RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Total Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$ 9,060,397
Amounts Reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities are Different Because:	
Certain revenues are deferred inflows in the fund financial statements until they are considered available to finance current expenditures, but such revenues are recognized when assessed in the government-wide financial statements  Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense.	(262,929)
Capital Outlays Which Were Capitalized Depreciation Expense	5,100,780 (1,392,861)
Add accumulated depreciation on capital assets retired during the year Less cost basis of capital assets retired during the year	475,553 (543,304)
The issuance of long-term debt (e.g. bonds, leases) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities	
Repayment of Principal on Long-Term Debt Proceeds from Issuance of Long-Term Debt	4,772,000 (2,750,000)
Interest on long-term debt in the Statement of Activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recognized as an expenditure in the funds when it is due, and thus requires the use of current financial resources. In the Statement of Activities, however, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due.	(2,750,000)
(Increase) Decrease in Accrued Interest Payable	(15,443)
Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds.	
(Increase) Decrease in Pension Expense (Increase) Decrease in OPEB Expense	(1,629,918) 291,275
Proportionate share of non-employer contributions to the pension plan does not provide current financial resources and, therefore, is not reported as revenue	225.241
in the Governmental Funds  Changa in Nat Resition of Governmental Activities	\$14,001,201
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$ 14,001,391

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

#### BUDGET TO ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Budget Amounts		Actual	Variance With Final	
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget	
Revenues:					
Taxes:					
Ad Valorem	\$ 12,200,000	\$ 13,750.000	\$ 13,758,398	\$ 8,398	
Sales and Use	10,000,000	12,000,000	12,168,309	168,309	
Intergovernmental:					
Grants	3,150,000	12.250,000	12,576,474	326,474	
Support of Prisoners	3.000,000	2,500,000	2,984,948	484,948	
State Revenue Sharing	675,00 <b>0</b>	675.000	695,622	20,622	
Service Contract Revenue	1,050,000	1,050.000	1,557,670	507,670	
On Behalf Payments - State Supplemental Pay	850,000	850,000	916,556	66,556	
Fines, Forfeitures and Other Fees	3,000,000	2,600,000	2,668,071	68,071	
Use of Money and Property	75,000	75,000	100,908	25,908	
Miscellaneous	1,000,000	1,000.000	1,350,738_	350,738	
Total Revenues	35,000,000	46,750.000	48,777,694	2.027,694	
Expenditures:					
Current					
Public Safety:					
Personnel Services and Related Benefits					
Salaries	16,400,000	16,900.000	16,152,708	747,292	
Employee Benefits	8,750,000	8,750,000	7,992,682	757,318	
Travel and Training	300,000	250,000	208,297	41,703	
Operating Services	3,310,000	4.560,000	3,529,491	1,030,509	
Professional Services	750,000	850,000	498,355	351,645	
Materials and Supplies	3.300,000	4,300.000	4.264,776	35,224	
Total Public Safety	32,810,000	35,610.000	32,646,309	2,963,691	
Capital Outlay	1,000,000	2.250,000	1,468,108	781.892	
Debt Service:					
Principal	758,00 <b>0</b>	4,772.000	4.772,000	-	
Interest	211,640	228.000	106,975	121,025	
Total Expenditures	34,779,640	42,860.000	38,993,392	3,866,608	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues over					
Expenditures	220,360	3,890.000	9,784,302	5.894,302	
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Proceeds on Disposal of Capital Assets	20,000	75,000	150,365	75,365	
Transfers Out to Other Funds	-	(5,000,000)	(5.000,000)	-	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	20,000	(4,925.000)	(4.849,635)	75,365	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other					
Other Sources Over (Under) Expenditures					
and Other Uses	200,360	(1,110,000)	4,934,667	6.044,667	
Fund Balance at Beginning of Year	9,933,142	9,933.142	9,933,142		
Fund Balance at End of Year	\$ 10.133,502	\$ 8,823.142	\$ 14.867,809	\$ 6,044,667	

#### STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - FIDUCIARY FUNDS

AS OF JUNE 30, 2021

	Trust Fund			
	Retired			
	Employees		Custodial	
	Benefit Fund		Funds	
ASSETS			•	
Current Assets				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	-	\$	901,326
Restricted Assets				
Cash and Cash Equivalents		46,110		-
Investments - Mutual Funds	1	0,457,238		-
Total Assets	\$ 1	0,503,348	\$	901,326
FIDUCIARY NET POSITION				
Restricted - Other Postemployment Benefits	\$ 1	0,503,348	\$	-
Restricted - Unsettled Balances Due to Others		-		823,169
Restricted - Inmate Personal Funds		-		78,157
Total Fiduciary Net Position	\$ 1	0,503,348	\$	901,326

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - FIDUCIARY FUNDS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Trust Fund		
	Retired		
	Employee	Custodial	
	Benefit Fund	Funds	
Additions:			
Investment Income	\$ 357,086	\$ -	
Net Appreciation (Depreciation) in Fair Value of Investments	1,453,946	-	
Suits and Sales	-	5,122,252	
Fines and Bonds	-	1,207,986	
Advance Deposits	-	109,500	
Garnishments	-	337,350	
Interest	-	276,827	
Property Taxes	-	65,559,611	
Occupational Licenses	-	1,511,215	
State Revenue Sharing	-	2,764,830	
Redemptions and Refunds	-	1,078,437	
Other		1,646,568	
Total Additions	1,811,032	79,614,576	
Deductions:			
Taxes Distributed to Taxing Bodies and Others	-	65,405,658	
Occupational Licenses	-	1,510,365	
State Revenue Sharing	-	2,764,830	
Redemptions and Refunds	-	1,454,791	
Interest Distributions	-	352,606	
Proceeds of Sales of Property	-	4,383,822	
Criminal and Civil Fees Distributed to Others	-	2,437,013	
Attorneys and Litigants	-	293,922	
Investment Expenses	54,104	-	
Other Deductions	45,261	1,574,389	
Total Deductions	99,365	80,177,396	
Change in Fiduciary Net Position	1,711,667	(562,820)	
Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning of Year	8,791,681	-	
Prior Period Adjustment - Adoption of GASB 84	_	1,464,146	
Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning of Year, as Restated	8,791,681	1,464,146	
Fiduciary Net Position - End of Year	\$ 10,503,348	\$ 901,326	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 2021

#### Introduction

As provided by Article V. Section 27 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, the Livingston Parish Sheriff serves a four-year term as the chief executive officer of the law enforcement district and exofficio tax collector of the Parish of Livingston, Louisiana. The Sheriff administers the parish jail system and exercises duties required by the parish court system, such as providing bailiffs, executing orders of the court, and serving subpoenas.

As the chief law enforcement officer of the parish, the Sheriff has the responsibility for enforcing state and local laws and ordinances within the territorial boundaries of the parish. The Sheriff provides protection to the residents of the parish through on-site patrols and investigations and serves the residents of the parish through the establishment of the neighborhood watch programs, and antidrug abuse programs. Additionally, the Sheriff, when requested, provides assistance to other law enforcement agencies within the parish.

As the ex-officio tax collector of the parish, the Sheriff is responsible for collecting and distributing ad valorem property taxes, parish occupational licenses, state revenue sharing funds, sportsman's licenses and fines, costs and bond forfeitures imposed by the district court.

#### The Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, the Sheriff includes all funds, account groups and activities that are controlled by the Sheriff as an independently elected parish official. As an independently elected parish official, the Sheriff is solely responsible for the operations of his office, which include the hiring and retention of the employees, authority over budgeting, responsibility for deficits, and the receipt and disbursement of funds. The Sheriff is financially independent, other than certain operating expenditures of the Sheriff's office that are paid or provided by the parish council as required by Louisiana Law. Accordingly, the Sheriff is a primary government for reporting purposes.

The criteria for including organizations as component units within the Sheriffs reporting entity, as set forth in Section 2100 of GASB's Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards, include items such as whether the organization is legally separate, whether the Sheriff appoints a voting majority of the organization's board, whether the Sheriff is able to impose his will on the organization, et cetera. Based on these criteria, the Sheriff has no component units.

#### (1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### A. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying basic financial statements of the Livingston Parish Sheriff have been prepared in conformity with governmental accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

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These financial statements are presented in accordance with GASB Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements, Management's Discussion and Analysis, for State and Local Governments. Statement No. 34 established standards for financial reporting, with presentation requirements originally including a statement of net position (or balance sheet) and a statement of activities. The definition and composition of these statements, as originally defined in GASB Statement No. 34, are as amended by GASB Statements included in the following paragraphs. The Sheriff has also adopted the provisions of GASB Statement No. 33, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Transactions, that require capital contributions to the Sheriff to be presented as a change in net position.

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) report information on all non-fiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable. As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Separate financial statements are provided for the governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are presented as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

# B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements (Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities) are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned, and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they

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are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets and liabilities resulting from non-exchange transactions are recognized in accordance with the requirements of GASB Statement No. 33, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Transactions.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when they are susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they become measurable and available). Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within sixty days of the end of the current fiscal period. Ad valorem taxes and the related state revenue sharing are recorded in the year taxes are due and payable. Intergovernmental revenues and fees, and charges and commissions for services are recorded when the Sheriff is entitled to the funds. Interest on interest-bearing deposits is recorded or accrued as revenues when earned. Substantially all other revenues are recorded when the Sheriff is entitled to the funds.

Expenditures, including capital outlays, are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Sheriff's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed. When committed, assigned or unassigned fund balances are available, the Sheriff considers amounts to have been spent out of committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds as needed, unless the Sheriff has provided otherwise in his commitment or assignment actions.

The Sheriff reports the following types of governmental funds:

- General Fund The General Fund is the Sheriff's primary operating fund. It accounts
  for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be
  accounted for in another fund.
- Capital Projects Fund The Capital Projects Fund accounts for and reports financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets.

The following types of fiduciary funds are reported separately:

• Trust Fund Retired Employees Benefit Fund: This fund accounts for the resources that are held in trust for the members and beneficiaries of the Sheriff's other post-employment benefit plan.

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#### Custodial Funds

Sheriff's Fund, Tax Collector Fund, and the Inmate Deposit Fund: The custodial funds are used as depositories for civil suits, cash bonds, taxes, fees, and inmate monies. Disbursements from these funds are made to various parish agencies, litigants in suits, inmates, or deputies as prescribed by law. Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net position and changes in net position.

The Sheriff's fiduciary funds are presented in the fiduciary fund financial statements by type. Since by definition these assets are being held for the benefit of a third party and cannot be used to address activities or obligations of the government, these funds are not incorporated into the government wide statements.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Sheriff's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

When restricted, committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available for use, the Sheriff considers amounts to have been spent first out of restricted funds, committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds as needed, unless the Sheriff has provided otherwise in commitment or assignment actions.

# C. Budget Practices

Budgetary procedures applicable to the Livingston Parish Sheriff are defined in state law, Louisiana Revised Statues 39: 1301-1315. The Sheriff uses the following budget practices:

Proposed budgets are prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting and published in the official journal at least ten days prior to the public hearing. Public hearings are held at the Livingston Parish Sheriff's office during the month of June for comments from taxpayers. The budgets are then legally adopted by the Sheriff and amended during the year, as necessary. Budgets are established and controlled by the Sheriff at the function level of expenditures. Appropriations lapse at year-end and must be re-appropriated for the following year to be expended. Unexpended appropriations and any excess of revenues over expenditures are carried forward to the subsequent year as beginning fund balance.

Budgeted amounts included in the accompanying financial statements include the original adopted budget amounts and one budget amendment. The Sheriff must adopt a budget each year for the general fund and each special revenue fund, if applicable. The Sheriff must prepare and submit the proposed budget for consideration not later than fifteen days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year. At the same time, if total proposed expenditures are \$500,000 or more, a notice of public hearing on the proposed budget must be published in the official journal in the parish.

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All action necessary to adopt and implement the budget must be completed prior to the beginning of the fiscal year. Budgetary amendments involving the transfers of funds from one program or function to another or involving increases in expenditures resulting from revenues exceeding amounts estimated require the approval of the Sheriff. The Sheriff adopts necessary budget amendments when actual operations are different from those anticipated in the original budget, and they are made available for public inspection.

Encumbrance accounting is not used. However, the budget is integrated into the accounting records, which allows monthly comparison of budget and actual amounts.

The proposed budget for the year ended June 30, 2021, was made available for public inspection and comments from taxpayers at the Sheriff's Office during June 2020. The proposed budget, per the June 4, 2020, public notice was available for public inspection June 5 through June 16. The public notice also noted that all interested parties may be present at the Sheriff's Office on June 16 to express their views concerning the Sheriff's Fiscal Budget. The budget is legally adopted and amended, as necessary, by the Sheriff.

### D. Deposits and Investments

The Sheriff's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, time deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition. State law and the Sheriff's investment policy allow the Sheriff to invest in collateralized certificates of deposit, government-backed securities, commercial paper, the state-sponsored investment pool, and mutual funds consisting solely of government-backed securities.

Investments are limited by Louisiana Revised Statutes and the Sheriff's Investment Policy. Investments held by the Sheriff at June 30, 2021, were limited to investments for Other Post-Employee Benefits (OPEB) invested per the requirements of Louisiana Revised Statute 33:5162 and consisted of funds invested in a newly created investment trust account. Investments, when held, are reported at fair value.

### E. Revenues

Ad valorem taxes and the related state revenue sharing, which is based on population and homesteads in the parish, are recorded in the year taxes are assessed. Ad valorem taxes are assessed and become due on November fifteenth of each year and become delinquent on December thirty-first. The taxes are generally collected in December of the current year and January and February of the ensuing year. The ad valorem tax was assessed pursuant to an election on April 9, 1977, with the tax assessed in perpetuity at an original assessment of an additional fifteen (15) mills on all property subject to taxation.

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Federal and state grants are recorded when the law enforcement district is entitled to the funds. Sales and use tax revenues are collected by the Livingston Parish School Board and are recognized by the law enforcement district as revenue in the month the tax is collected. The Sheriff receives a half a cent parish wide sales tax to help cover the cost of operating expenses, which does not expire. The current sales tax of one-half of one percent was approved by election on March 10, 1992 and was approved in perpetuity. On April 23, 2005, voters approved a re-dedication and use for a limited time an amount equal to 72% of the proceeds of the one-half percent sales and use tax collected within the boundaries of the Denham Springs Economic Development District for the payment of debt service on sales tax increment revenue bonds issued to finance a Bass Pro retail outlet and related improvements and infrastructure. The 2005 rededication of sales and use taxes within the Denham Springs Economic Development is to continue until the bonds remain outstanding. The balance of 28% of the sales and use tax remains payable to the Livingston Law Enforcement District, with the percentage increasing to 100% as the bonds are paid in full. The sales tax revenue is recorded in the month it was collected. Interest on investments and all other revenues are recorded when the income is measurable and available.

# F. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and vehicles, are reported in the applicable governmental activities' column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are capitalized at historical cost or estimated cost if historical cost is not available. Donated assets are recorded at acquisition value. The Sheriff maintains a threshold level of \$3,000 or more for capitalizing capital assets.

When surplus items are sold for an immaterial amount after being declared un-needed for public purposes, no salvage value is utilized for depreciation purposes. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset's lives are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. All capital assets, other than land, are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

<u>Description</u>	Estimated Lives
Building and Tower	40 Years
Furniture and Fixtures	5 Years
Vehicles	5 Years
Equipment	5 - 20 Years

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# G. Compensated Absences

The Sheriff has the following policy related to vacation and personal (sick) leave:

**Vacation.** Paid vacation is a benefit of employment given to eligible employees of LPSO. For purposes of this policy, "eligible employees" are those employees who are regularly employed to work more than 30 hours per week for the LPSO and who have completed one uninterrupted year of service with LPSO.

Each year all eligible employees are granted up to four weeks of vacation depending on the number of years employed. All vacation time must be taken during the fiscal year in which it is due. Any unused vacation is forfeited at the year end of each fiscal year and employees will not be compensated for unused vacation upon separation of employment.

**Personal (Sick) Leave.** Paid personal leave is a benefit of employment given to eligible employees of LPSO. For purposes of this policy, "Eligible employees" are those employees who are regularly employed to work more than 30 hours per week for the LPSO and who have completed their introductory period.

Each 8 hour per day employee is granted eighty (80) hours of personal leave and each 12 hour per day employee is granted one hundred twenty (120) hours of personal leave each fiscal year.

Any unused personal leave may not be carried over and accumulated in subsequent fiscal years. Any unused personal leave is forfeited at the end of each fiscal year and employees will not be compensated for unused personal leave upon separation of employment.

The Sheriff's recognition and measurement criteria for compensated absences follow:

GASB Statement No. 16 provides that vacation leave and other compensated absences with similar characteristics should be accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned by the employees if both of the following conditions are met:

- 1. The employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered.
- 2. It is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means, such as cash payments at termination or retirement.

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GASB Statement No. 16 provides that a liability for sick leave should be accrued using one of the following termination approaches:

- 1. An accrual for earned sick leave should be made only to the extent it is probable that the benefits will result in termination payments, rather than be taken as absences due to illness or other contingencies, such as medical appointments and funerals.
- 2. Alternatively, a governmental entity should estimate its accrued sick leave liability based on the sick leave accumulated at the balance sheet date by those employees who currently are eligible to receive termination payments as well as other employees who are expected to become eligible in the future to receive such payments.

### H. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payables are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are expensed when incurred.

On July 18, 2014, the Sheriff issued \$2,800,000 in Revenue Bonds, Series 2014, to construct a facility that will provide housing for inmates participating in the Louisiana Workforce, L.L.C. work release program. The bonds were set up to be drawn down as needed and with no early repayment penalty. The bonds were issued at an annual interest rate of 4% and are due in semi-annual interest and annual principal installments, with the bonds maturing on April 1, 2024. On September 15, 2020, the Sheriff paid in full the remaining \$1,120,000 of the outstanding principal, plus accrued interest of \$20,533, of the Series 2014 Revenue Bonds. Per the agreement, there was no penalty of prepayment.

On September 6, 2016, the Sheriff was authorized to issue bonds in the amount up to \$10,000,000. The bonds were set up to be drawn down as needed and with no early repayment penalty. The Sheriff issued \$5,000,000 in Revenue Bonds, Series 2016-A, to fund significant additional expenditures resulting from the August 2016 Flood. The bonds were issued at an annual interest rate of 4% and are due in semi-annual interest and annual principal installments, with the bonds maturing on September 1, 2026. On October 13, 2020, the Sheriff paid in full the remaining \$3,174,000 of the outstanding principal, plus accrued interest of \$13,401 of the series 2016A Revenue Bonds. Per the agreement, there was no penalty of repayment.

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On April 24, 2020, the Sheriff was authorized to issue bonds in the amount up to \$8,000,000. The bonds were set up to be drawn down as needed and with no early repayment penalty. The bonds were issued at an annual interest rate of 3.5% to finance the costs of constructing and equipping a new training facility and are due in semi-annual interest and annual principal installments, with the bonds maturing on September 1, 2034.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts as well as bond issuance costs during the current period. The face amount of the debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

# I. Net Position

In the government-wide financial statements, equity is classified as net position and is displayed in three components:

- Net Investment in Capital Assets Component of Net Position The net investment in capital assets component of net position consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets or related debt also should be included in this component of net position. If there are significant unspent related debt proceeds or deferred inflows of resources at the end of the reporting period, the portion of the debt or deferred inflows of resources attributable to the unspent amount should not be included in the calculation of net investment in capital assets. Instead, that portion of the debt or deferred inflows of resources should be included in the same net position component (restricted or unrestricted) as the unspent amount.
- Restricted Component of Net Position The restricted component of net position consists of restricted assets reduced by liabilities and deferred inflows of resources related to those assets. Generally, a liability relates to restricted assets if the asset results from a resource flow that also results in the recognition of a liability or if the liability will be liquidated with the restricted assets reported
- Unrestricted Component of Net Position The *unrestricted* component of net position is the net amount of the assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources that are not included in the determination of net investment in capital assets or the restricted component of net position.

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In the fund statements, governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance and is reported in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 54. This Statement provides clearly defined fund balance categories to make the nature and extent of the constraints placed on a government's fund balance more transparent. The following classifications describe the relative strength of the spending constraints placed on the purposes for which resources can be used.

- Non-spendable. These are amounts that cannot be spent either, because they are in a
  non-spendable form or because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained
  intact.
- Restricted. These are amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes, because of
  constitutional provisions, enabling legislation or constraints that are externally imposed
  by creditors, grantors, contributors, or the laws or regulations of other governments.
- Committed. These are amounts that can be used only for specific purposes determined by a formal decision of the Sheriff, which is the highest level of decision-making authority for the Sheriff.
- Assigned. These are amounts that do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed but are intended to be used for specific purposes based on the discretion of the Sheriff.
- Unassigned. These are all other spendable amounts. This also includes expenditure
  amounts incurred for specific purposes which exceed the amounts restricted, committed, or
  assigned to those purposes.

# J. Extraordinary and Special Items

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events within the control of the Sheriff, which are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence.

# K. Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

The statement of financial position reports a separate section for deferred outflows and (or) inflows of financial resources. Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of a net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources until that time.

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The Sheriff's deferred outflows and inflows of resources on the statement of net position are related to pensions and postemployment benefits other than pensions (OPEB). See pension plan Note 10 and OPEB Note 11.

The deferred inflows of resources on the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet include unavailable revenues. Unavailable revenue consists of grants receivable. The Sheriff considers revenues available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the fiscal year.

### L. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reported period. Actual results could differ from those estimates, particularly given the significant social and economic disruptions and uncertainties associated with the ongoing COIVD-19 pandemic and the COVID-19 control responses, and such differences may be material.

### M. Reconciliations of Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

Explanation of certain differences between the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet and the government-wide Statement of Net Position is presented in Statement D of the basic financial statements. Explanation of certain differences between the Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Balance and the government-wide Statement of Activities is presented in Statement F of the basic financial statements.

# N. Pension Plans

The Livingston Parish Sheriff is a participating employer in a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan as described in Note 10. For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of each of the plans, and additions to/deductions from the plan's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the plan. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments have been reported at fair value within the plan.

### O. Impact of Recently Issued Accounting Principles

The following statements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board are effective for the Sheriff's 2021 fiscal year. The Sheriff has adopted and implemented these statements in the preparation of the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2021.

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Statement No. 84 - Fiduciary Activities (2021) — This statement enhances consistency and comparability by (1) establishing specific criteria for identifying activities that should be reported as fiduciary activities and (2) clarifying whether and how business-type activities should report their fiduciary activities. Financial statements and note disclosures reflect any required changes and the cumulative effect. The following restatement of beginning net position for the custodial funds was required.:

Net Position, Beginning of Year	\$ -
Prior Period Adjustment – Adoption of GASB 84	<u>1,464,146</u>
Net Position, Beginning of Year, restated	\$1,464,146

The Sheriff also adopted GASB Statement No. 90 during the current year, which had no effect on the financial statements.

The following statements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board will be effective for years subsequent to the Sheriffs fiscal year 2021.

- 1. Statement No.87 Leases (2022)
- 2. Statement No. 91 Conduit Debt Obligations (2023)
- 3. Statement No. 96 Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements (2023)
- 4. Statement No. 97 Certain Component Unit Criteria, and Accounting and Financial Reporting for Internal Revenue Code Section 457 Deferred Compensation Plans (2022)

The Sheriff is currently evaluating the effects that these statements will have in its financial statements for the years ended June 30, 2022 and later.

### (2) Cash and Cash Equivalents

At June 30, 2021, the Sheriff has cash and cash equivalents (book balances) totaling, as follows:

Governmental Funds:

Cash on Hand	\$ 12,400
Interest Bearing Demand Deposits	17,917,288
Total Governmental Funds	17,929,688
Fiduciary Funds:	
Demand Deposits	947,436
Total Fiduciary Funds	947,436
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 18,877,124

Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the Statement of Net Position. These demand deposits are stated at cost, which approximates fair value.

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Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits: In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Sheriff's deposits may not be returned to it. To mitigate this risk, state law requires for these deposits (or the resulting bank balances) to be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities by the fiscal agent bank. The Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office is enrolled into the ICS (Insured Cash Sweep) program offered by First Guaranty Bank. The program transfers the daily balance of all held deposits to FDIC-insured institutions across the country, thereby ensuring that all of the Sheriff's deposits are federally insured. As of June 30, 2021, none of the Sheriff's bank balance of \$21,127,133 was exposed to custodial credit risk. The Sheriff does not have a formal policy for custodial risk

# (3) Investments

In 2011, Louisiana Revised Statute (R.S.) 13:5554.2 established the creation of the Livingston Parish Retired Employees' Insurance Fund (LREIF) to fund the payment by the Sheriff of the premium costs for eligible retired sheriffs and deputy sheriffs of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office. Earnings realized on the monies invested in the fund are available for the Sheriff to withdraw for the sole purpose of paying the insurance premium costs of retired sheriffs and retired deputy sheriffs of Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office.

In the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the Investment Advisory Board, which governs the LREIF, began implementation of a relationship with a professional investment manager. The LREIF is included in the Retired Employees Benefits Trust Fund as an investment asset. The Sheriff reports the Retired Employees Benefits Trust Fund as a fiduciary fund.

The Advisory Board adopted a policy which outlines asset allocation strategy, investment structure, monitoring and evaluation criteria, as well as performance measurement milestones. The Investment Advisory Board selected an initial asset allocation of thirty-five percent equities and sixty-five percent fixed income with an expected long-term return of six percent. As of June 30, 2021, the fair value of assets transferred to the investment manager totaled \$10,457,238.

The Sheriff categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. All investment securities held by the Sheriff at June 30, 2021, were measured using Level 1 inputs on a recurring basis.

Investment Held in (LREIF) Percentage

Mutual Funds 100%

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# (4) Receivables

The Governmental Fund receivables at June 30, 2021 consist of the following:

	General
Governmental Receivables	Fund
Due from Fiduciary Funds:	
Due from Tax Collector Fund	\$ 264,781
Due from Other Fund Accounts	39,370
Due from Other Governments:	
Due from Livingston Parish Council	56,608
Due from Livingston Parish School Board	1,130,491
Due from Livingston Parish Communications Dist.	757,669
Due from 21st Judicial Court Fund	63,294
Due from the State of Louisiana	452,688
Grants	985,915
Other	19,989
Due from Private Entities for Security Services	3,203
Due from Private Trade Entities	84,020
	\$ 3,858,028

# (5) Capital Assets

Capital assets and depreciation activity as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021 for governmental activities is as follows:

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	Balance	_	_	Balance
	July 1, 2020	Increases	Decreases	June 30, 2021
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated:				
Construction in Progress	\$ 447,786	\$ 3,632,672	\$ -	\$ 4,080,458
Land	431,958	_	_	431,958
Total Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated	879,744	3,632,672		4,512,416
Capital Assets Being Depreciated:				
Buildings and Improvements	5,879,591	80,097	-	5,959,688
Equipment and Furniture	4,459,849	156,745	(38,508)	4,578,086
Vehicles	8,314,141	1,231,266_	(504,796)	9,040,611
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	18,653,581	1,468,108	(543,304)	19,578,385
Less Accumulated Depreciation for:				
Building and Improvements	(816,767)	(150,575)	-	(967,342)
Equipment and Furniture	(3,990,244)	(127,814)	28,506	(4,089,552)
Vehicles	(5,566,420)	(1,114,472)	447,047	(6,233,845)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	(10,373,431)	(1,392,861)	475,553	(11,290,739)
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated, Net	8,280,150	75,247_	(67,751)	8,287,646
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$ 9,159,894	\$ 3,707,919	\$ (67,751)	\$ 12,800,062
Depreciation was charged to governmental act Public Safety	rivities as follows:			\$ 1,392,861

A summary of the Sheriff's commitments under construction contracts at June 30, 2021 is as follows:

	Project E:		Expended to		Unexpended		
	Au	Authorization		June 30, 2021		ommitment	
LPSO Training Facility	\$	6,283,607	\$	4,080,458	\$	2,203,149	

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# (6) Accounts, Salaries, and Other Payables

				Capital
	Ge	neral Fund	Pro	jects Fund
Governmental Funds Payable	-			
Accounts	\$	278,868	\$	-
Accrued Wages and Employee Benefits:				
Accrued Salaries		106,810		-
Accrued Health Claims		414,470		-
Other Accrued Liabilities:				
Due to Livingston Parish Library		612,273		-
Retainage Payable		-		170,444
Other		1,924		-
	\$	1,414,345	\$	170,444

The Livingston Parish Sheriff on July 9, 2014, signed an agreement to pay a commission to the Livingston Parish Library in the amount of \$786,272. The payment schedule includes \$90,000 paid from escrow funds in July 2014 and annual payments of \$12,000 with no interest thereafter.

As of June 30, 2021, the Livingston Parish Sheriff owes the Livingston Parish Library \$612,273 which is recorded as a liability of the general fund.

# Future requirements are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ended June 30	Principal	Interest	Total
2022	\$ 12,000	\$ -	\$ 12,000
2023	12,000	-	12,000
2024	12,000	-	12,000
2025	12,000	-	12,000
2026	12,000	-	12,000
2027 to 2031	60,000	-	60,000
2032+	492,273	_	492,273
	\$ 612,273	\$ -	\$ 612,273

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# (7) State Revenue Sharing

The revenue sharing funds provided by Act 525 were distributed as follows for the year ended June 30, 2021:

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### (8) Taxes Paid Under Protest

There were no unsettled balances due to taxing bodies and others in the custodial funds at June 30, 2021.

### (9) Group Health Self Insurance

The Sheriff is self-insured for group health coverage for employees. Each month the Sheriff funds an account with an amount equal to what would be required for premiums if the previous policy had continued. From this account, the health claims of employees are paid, as well as a premium for stop-loss insurance which caps the claims per employee at \$75,000 per policy year. The Sheriff has accrued a liability for claims incurred but not reported as of June 30, 2021 in the amount of \$414,470 based on a search of actual claims subsequent to the balance sheet date.

The officers of the Louisiana Sheriff's Association may adopt a self-insurance plan to provide group coverage for health, medical and surgical expenses of participating sheriffs and deputy sheriffs. Any self-insurance plan adopted by the Louisiana Sheriff's Association shall not be subject to any of the provisions of Subpart P or Part I of Chapter 2 of Title 22 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.

# (10) Retirement Systems

Substantially all employees of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office are members of the Louisiana Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund (the "System"), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by a separate board of trustees.

The System issues an annual publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the System. The report may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund, 1225 Nicholson Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802, or by calling (225) 219-0500.

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The Sheriff's office implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 68 on Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pension and Statement 71 on Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the measurement date - an amendment of GASB 68. The standards require the sheriff's office to record its proportional share of the Pension's plan Net Pension Liability and report the following disclosures:

# A. Federal Social Security System

All employees who are not eligible to participate in the Louisiana Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund are members of the Federal Social Security System. The Sheriff contributes 6.2 percent for social security and 1.45 percent for Medicare, and its employees contribute 6.2 percent for social security and 1.45 percent for Medicare of each employee's taxable compensation. The Sheriff's contributions during the year ended June 30, 2021 were \$13,572 for social security and \$241,399 for Medicare.

### B. Louisiana Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund (System)

**Plan Description** - The Louisiana Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund is the administrator of a cost-sharing, multiple employer defined benefit plan. The plan provides retirement, disability, and survivor benefits to employees of the Sheriff's offices throughout the state of Louisiana, employees of the Louisiana Sheriff's Association and the Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund's office as provided for in LRS 11:271.

Members who joined the system on or before December 31, 2011, are eligible for regular retirement benefits upon attaining 30 years of creditable service at any age, or 12 years or creditable service and age 55 years is entitled to retirement benefit payable monthly for life, equal to 3.33 percent of his final average compensation for each year of creditable service, not to exceed (after reduction for optional payment form) 100% of average final compensation. Active, contributing members with at least 10 years of creditable service may retire at age 60. The accrued normal retirement benefit is reduced actuarially for each month or fraction thereof that retirement begins prior to the member's earliest normal retirement date assuming continuous service. Members who joined the system on or after January 1, 2012, who retire at or after age 62 with at least 12 years of creditable service, at or after age 60 with at least 20 years of creditable service, or at 55 with 30 years of creditable service are entitled to retirement benefit payable monthly for life, equal to 3.00 percent. For members with 30 or more years of service; the accrual rate is 3.33 percent. The retirement allowance is equal to the benefit accrual times the member's final average compensation each year of creditable service. In any case, the retirement benefit cannot exceed 100 percent of their final average salary. Members with 20 or more years of services may retire with a reduced retirement at age 55. For members eligible on or before June 30, 2006, final average compensation is based on the average monthly earnings during the highest 36 consecutive months (60 highest consecutive months for member employed between July 1, 2006, and July 1, 2013) or joined months if service was interrupted. The earnings to be considered for each 12-month period within the 36-month (or 60 month) period shall not exceed 125% of

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the preceding 12 months. For members joining after July 1, 2013, final compensation is based on the average monthly earning during the highest 60 consecutive months and the earnings to be considered for each 12-month period within the 60 months shall not exceed 115% of the preceding 12-month period.

A member is eligible to receive disability benefits if the member has at least 10 years of creditable service when a non-service related disability is incurred; there are no service requirements for a service related disability. Disability benefits shall be the lesser of a sum equal to the greatest of 45% or final average compensation or the members' accrued retirement benefit at the time of termination of employment due to disability, or the retirement benefit which would be payable assuming continued service to the earliest normal retirement age. Members who become partially disabled receive 75% of the amount payable for total disability.

Survivor benefits for death, solely as a result of injuries received in the line of duty, are based on the following. For a spouse alone, a sum equal to 50% of the member's final average compensation with a minimum of \$150 per month. If a spouse is entitled to benefits and has a child or children under 18 years of age (or over said age if physically or mentally incapacitated and dependent upon the member at the time of his death), an additional sum of 15% of the member's final average compensation is paid to each child with total benefits paid to spouse and children not to exceed 100%. If a member dies with no surviving spouse, surviving children under age eighteen will receive monthly benefits of 15% of the member's final average compensation up to a maximum of 60% of final average compensation if there are more than four children. If a member is eligible for normal retirement at the time of death, the surviving spouse receives an automatic option 2 benefit. The additional benefit payable to children shall be the same as those available for members who die in the line of duty. In lieu of receiving option 2 benefit, the surviving spouse may receive a refund of the member's accumulated contributions. All benefits payable to surviving children shall be extended through age twenty three, if the child is a full time student in good standing enrolled at a board approved or accredited school, college, or university.

The fund does provide for deferred benefits for vested members who terminate before being eligible for retirement. Benefits become payable once the member reaches the appropriate age for retirement.

In lieu of receiving a service retirement allowance, any member of the Fund who has more than sufficient service for a regular service retirement may elect to receive a "Back-DROP" benefit. The Back-DROP benefit is based upon the Back-DROP period selected and the final average compensation prior to the period selected. The Back-DROP period is the lesser of three years or the service accrued between the time a member first becomes eligible for retirement and his actual date of retirement. For those individuals with thirty or more years, the Back-DROP period is the lesser of four years or service accrued between the time a member first becomes eligible for retirement and his actual date of retirement. At retirement the member's maximum monthly retirement benefit is based upon his service,

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final average compensation and plan provisions in effect on the last day of creditable service immediately prior to the commencement of the Back-DROP period. In addition to the monthly benefit at retirement, the member receives a lump-sum payment equal to the maximum monthly benefit as calculated above multiplied by the number of months in the Back-DROP period. In addition, the member's Back-DROP account will be credited with employee contributions received by the retirement fund during the Back-Drop period. Participants have the option to opt out of this program and take a distribution, if eligible, or to rollover the assets to another qualified plan.

Cost of living provision of the Fund allows the board of trustees to provide an annual cost of living increase of 2.5% of the eligible retiree's original benefit if certain funding criteria are met. Members are eligible to receive a cost of living adjustment once they have attained the age of sixty and have been retired at least one year. Funding criteria for granting cost of living adjustments is dependent on the funded ratio.

According to state statute, contribution requirements for all employers are actuarially determined each year. For the year ending June 30, 2021, the actual employer contribution rate was 12.25% with no additional amount allocated from the funding Deposit Account. In accordance with state statue, the Fund receives ad valorem taxes, insurance premium taxes and state revenue sharing funds. These additional sources of income are used as employer contributions and are considered support for non-employer contributing entities but are not considered special funding situations. Non-employer contributions of \$895,841 are recognized as revenue and excluded from pension expense for the year ended June 30, 2021.

Plan members are required by state statute to contribute 10.25% of their annual covered salary and the Livingston Parish Sheriff is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current rate for the year ended June 30, 2021 was 12.25% of annual covered payroll. Contributions to the System also include one-half of one percent of the taxes shown to be collectible by the tax rolls of each parish and funds as required and available from insurance premium taxes. The contribution requirements of plan members and the Livingston Parish Sheriff are established and may be amended by state statute. As provided by R.S. 11:103, the employer contributions are determined by actuarial valuation and are subject to change each year based on the results of the valuation for the prior fiscal year. The Livingston Parish Sheriff's contributions to the System for the year ending June 30, 2021 was \$1,941,311 in excess of the required contributions for the year by \$16,584.

# Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

At June 30, 2021, the Sheriff reported a liability of \$13,881,971 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability of the System. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2020 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The Sheriff's proportion of the net

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pension liability was based on a projection of the sheriff's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all employers actuarially determined. At June 30, 2020, the Sheriff's proportion was 2.00573%, which was an decrease of 0.01239% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2019.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, the sheriff recognized pension expense of \$3,571,229 representing its proportionate share of the System's net expense, including amortization of deferred amounts.

At June 30, 2021, the Sheriff reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of		Deferred Inflows of	
	Resources		Resources	
Differences between expected and actual experiences	\$	-	\$	1,622,521
Changes in assumptions		3,412,054		-
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		3,339,915		-
Changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of contributions		812,123		372,554
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date		1,941,311		-
Total	\$	9,505,403	\$	1,995,075

The sheriff reported a total of \$1,941,311 as deferred outflows of resources related to pension contributions made subsequent to the measurement period of June 30, 2020 which will be recognized as a reduction in net pension liability for the fiscal period ended June 30, 2022.

Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year	
2022	\$ 901,551
2023	1,619,321
2024	1,647,885
2025	1,232,820
2026	167,440
	\$ 5,569,017

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**Actuarial Assumptions** - A summary of the actuarial methods and assumptions used in determining the total pension liability as of June 30, 2020 is as follows:

Valuation Date June 30, 2020

Actuarial Cost Method Individual Entry Age Normal Method

Investment Rate of Return 7.00% net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

Discount Rate 7.00%

Projected Salary Increases 5.0% (2.50% inflation, 2.50% merit)

Mortality Rates PUB-2010 Public Retirement Plans Mortality Table for Safety

Below-Median Employees multiplied by 120% for males and 115%

for females for active members, each with full generational

projection using the appropriate MP2019 Scale.

PUB-2010 Public Retirement Plans Mortality Table for Safety Below-Median Healthy Retirees multiplied by 120% for males and 115% for females for annuitants and beneficiaries, each with full generational projection using the appropriate MP2019 Scale. PUB-2010 Public Retirement Plans Mortality Table for Safety Disabled Retirees multiplied by 120% for males and 115% for females for disabled annuitants, each with full generational

projection using the appropriate MP2019 Scale.

Expected Remaining Service Lives 2020 - 6 years

2019 - 6 years 2018 - 6 years 2017 - 7 years 2016 - 7 years 2015 - 6 years

Cost-of-Living Adjustments The present value of future retirement benefits is based on benefits

currently being paid by the Fund and includes previously granted cost-of-living increases. The present values do not include provisions for potential future increases not yet authorized by the Board of Trustees as they were deemed not to be substantively automatic.

The mortality rate assumptions were set after reviewing an experience study performed over the period July 1, 2014, through June 30, 2019. The data was then assigned credibility weighting and combined with a standard table to produce current levels of mortality. This mortality was then projected forward to a period equivalent to the estimated duration of the Fund's liabilities. Annuity values calculated based on this mortality were compared to those produced by using a setback of standard tables. The result of the procedure indicated that these tables would produce liability values approximating the appropriate generational mortality tables used.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation.

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Estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class based on the Fund's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2020 were as follows:

	Long-Term Expected Rate of Return					
	Target	Target Real Return				
	Asset	Arithmetic	Expected Real			
Asset Class	Allocation	Basis	Rate of Return			
Equity Securities	62%	6.8%	4.2%			
Bonds	23%	2.4%	0.6%			
Alternative Investments	15%	4.7%	0.7%			
Total	100%		5.5%			
Inflation			2.4%			
Expected Arithmetic Nominal return			7.9%			

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% which was a decrease of .10% from the prior measurement date of June 30, 2019. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current contribution rates and that contributions from participating employers will be made at the actuarially determined rates approved by PRSAC taking into consideration the recommendation of the Fund's actuary. Based on those assumptions, the Fund's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

# Sensitivity of the Employer's proportionate Share of the net pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the Sheriff's proportionate share of the net pension liability (NPL) using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the Sheriff's proportionate share of the NPL would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower or one percentage point higher than the current rate as of June 30, 2020:

	Chan	ges in Discount	Rate
	•	Current	_
		Discount	
	1% Decrease	Rate	1% Increase
	6.00%	7.00%	8.00%
Net pension liability	25,214,481	13,881,971	4,431,212

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### **Pension Plans Fiduciary Net Position**

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund's financial report at <a href="www.lsprf.com">www.lsprf.com</a> or on the Office of Louisiana Legislative Auditor's official website: <a href="www.lla.state.la.us">www.lla.state.la.us</a>.

# Payables to the Pension Plan

At June 30, 2021, there is no payable to the pension plan.

### (11) Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Plan

### General Information about the OPEB Plan

Plan Description and Administration - The Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office administers the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office Retiree Benefits Plan (the Plan) - a single-employer defined benefit plan that is used to provide post-employment benefits other than pensions (OPEB) for all permanent full-time employees of the Sheriff. The Plan was established in 2002. In 2009, The Sheriff created a Trust to finance future payments of retired employee's premium costs. The Trust is included as a fiduciary fund in the Sheriff's financial statements. Separate stand-alone statements are not issued for the plan.

Management of the Plan - Management of the plan is vested in the Board, which consists of management and the Board of Directors, who may vary from time to time.

Plan Membership - At June 30, 2021, the Plan's membership consisted of the following:

Inactive plan members or beneficiaries currently receiving	
benefit payments	68
Inactive plan members entitled to but not yet receiving	
benefit payments	-8
Active plan members	304
·	372

Benefits Provided - Medical and life insurance benefits are provided to employees upon actual retirement. The Livingston Parish Sheriff pays one hundred percent of the medical coverage for the retiree only (not dependents). Retirees are eligible for benefits once they meet the retirement eligibility requirements of the Louisiana Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund. Eligibility requirements of the Louisiana Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund are age 55 with at least 12 years of service or any age with at least 30 years of service, but employees must have at least 15 years of service at retirement for employer paid medical coverage.

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Life insurance coverage is continued to retirees in the same amount as while active but there is a reduction schedule whereby the amount of life insurance is reduced to the following percentages: 65% at age 65, 45% at age 70, 30% at age 75, 20% at age 80, 15% at age 85 and 10% at age 90. The employer pays 100% of the cost of life insurance after retirement for retirees (not dependents), but it is based on the blended active/retired rate and there is thus an implied subsidy.

Contributions - The Sheriff has the authority to establish and amend the contribution requirements of the Sheriff and the plan members. Plan members are not required to contribute to their post-employment benefits costs.

#### Investments

*Investment Policy* - The Trust Board's management meets quarterly to review the investments and make decisions about future investments. The following was the asset allocation policy as of June 30, 2021:

Asset Class	<u>Target Allocation</u>
Total Fixed Income	48.9%
Total Equity Based	51.1%
Cash	0%

Concentrations - The Trust has over 5% invested in the following funds: Vanguard Short Term, 6.42%, Prudential Short Term Corporate, 6.42%, Blackrock Strategic Income, 9.17%, Growth Fund of America Class, 7.25%, Vanguard 500 Index, 7.27%, and Washington Mutual Investors Class, 7.12%

Rate of Return - For the year ended June 30, 2021, the annual money-weighted rate of return on investments, net of investment expense, was 20.01%. The money-weighted rate of return expresses investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested.

# **Net OPEB Liability**

The components of the net OPEB liability of the Sheriff at June 30, 2021, were as follows:

Total OPEB liability	\$ 14,788,906
Plan fiduciary net position	 10,503,348
Sheriff's net OPEB liability	\$ 4,285,558

Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability

70.93%

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The Sheriff's net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2021, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date.

Actuarial Assumptions - The total OPEB liability in the June 30, 2021 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Inflation	2.5%
Salary increases	4.0%, including inflation
Discount rate	6.0% annually (Beginning of Year to Determine ADC)
	6.0% annually (As of End of Year Measurement Date)
Healthcare cost trend rates	5.5% annually for ten years, 4.5% thereafter
Morality	SOA RP-2000 Table

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2021 valuation were based on the results of ongoing evaluations of the assumptions from July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2020.

The long-term expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the target asset allocation as of June 30, 2020 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Asset Allocation
Domestic Equity	0.0%
Corporate Bonds	0.0%
Agency Bonds	99.0%
Cash	1.0%

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 6.0%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that the Sheriff's contributions will be made at rates equal to the actuarially determined contribution rates. Based on those assumption, the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total OPEB liability.

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# Changes in the Net OPEB Liability:

		Increase (Decrease	)
		Plan Fiduciary	
	Total OPEB	Net Position	Net OPEB
	Liability (a)	(b)	Liability (a)-(b)
Balances at 6/30/20	\$ 14,391,633	\$ 8,828,519	\$ 5,563,114
Service Cost	224,893	-	224,893
Interest Cost at 6.00%	842,666	-	842,666
Difference between Expected & Actual Experience	(68,105)	-	(68,105)
Employer Contributions - Trust	-	-	-
Net Investment Income	-	1,756,829	(1,756,829)
Changes in Assumptions	-	-	-
Benefit Payments			
a. From Trust	-	-	-
b. Direct	(602,181)	=	(602,181)
Administrative Expense			
a. From Trust	-	(82,000)	82,000
b. Direct	=	-	-
Net Changes			
Balance at 6/30/2021	397,273	1,674,829	(1,277,556)
	\$ 14,788,906	\$ 10,503,348	\$ 4,285,558

Sensitivity of the net OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate - The following represents the net OPEB liability of the Sheriff, as well as what the Sheriff's net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower (5.0%) or 1 percentage point higher (7.0%) than the current discount rate:

	1.0	1.0% Decrease		Current Discount		1.0% Increase	
		(5.0%) Rate (6.0		ate (6.0%)		(7.0%)	
Net OPEB Liability	\$	6,889,428	\$	4,285,558	\$	2,112,290	

Sensitivity of the net OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trend rates - The following represents the net OPEB liability of the Sheriff, as well as what the Sheriff's net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1 percentage point lower (4.5%) or 1 percentage point higher (6.5%) than the current healthcare trend rates:

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	1.0	% Decrease (4.5%)	Current Trend (5.5%)		1.0% Increase (6.5%)	
Net OPEB Liability	\$	2,061,173	\$	4,285,558	\$	6,937,268

# **OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB**

For the year ended June 30, 2021, the Sheriff recognized OPEB expense of \$310,906. At June 30, 2021, the Sheriff reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	I	Deferred		
	Ot	utflows of	Def	erred Inflows
	R	lesources	0	f Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	371,789	\$	(481,149)
Net difference between projected and actual earnings				
on OPEB plan investments		344,686		(985,877)
Assumption changes		=		(1,988,256)
	\$	716,475	\$	(3,455,282)

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in the OPEB expense as follows:

Fiscal Years Ending	Net Amount to
June 30	be Recognized
2022	\$ 314,168
2023	315,036
2024	346,052
2025	439,981
2026	193,512
Thereafter	1,130,058
	\$ 2,738,807

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# (12) Deferred Compensation Plan

All of the employees of the Livingston Parish Sheriff are eligible to participate in the State of Louisiana deferred compensation plan. Employees hired after July 1, 2012 do not receive employer match deferred compensation plan. Employees hired before July 1, 2012 continue to receive an employer match according to the following schedule:

Years of Service	Match
0 - 4	2.00%
5 - 9	4.00%
10 - 14	7.00%
15 - 19	10.00%
20 - 24	12.00%
25+	14.31%

Employees may contribute up to twenty-five percent of their salary (not to exceed \$19,500 a year) to the plan on a pre-tax basis. Participants in the plan have two different opportunities to catch up and contribute more during the final years of their career. "Standard Catch-Up" allows participants in the three calendar years prior to normal retirement age to contribute more to the plan (up to double the annual contribution limit of \$39,000). The additional amount that you may be able to contribute under the Standard Catch-Up option will depend upon the amounts that you were eligible to contribute in previous years but did not.

Also, participants turning age 50 or older may contribute an additional \$6,500. The Standard Catch-Up provision and the Age 50+ Catch Up provision cannot be used in the same year.

The contributions are withheld from the employees' paycheck and the Sheriff matches employees' contributions according to plan specifications. The contributions are fully vested immediately and are remitted to a third-party administrator each payday, where they are deposited in an account in the employee's name. The Livingston Parish Sheriff does not assume any liability for the funds and does not have any control over the funds once they are remitted to the third-party administrator. During the year ended June 30, 2021, the Sheriff contributed \$539,082 to the plan.

# (13) Long-Term Debt

On July 18, 2014, the Livingston Parish Sheriff issued \$2,800,000 in Revenue Bonds, Series 2014, to construct a facility that will provide housing for inmates participating in the Louisiana Workforce, L.L.C. work release program. The bonds were issued at annual interest rate of 4.0% with interest installments due semi-annually and principal payments due annually, with the bonds maturing on April 1, 2024. On September 15, 2020, the Sheriff paid in full the remaining \$1,120,000 of the understanding principal, plus accrued interest of \$20,533, of the Series 2014 Revenue Bonds. Per the agreement, there was no penalty for prepayment.

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Due to the August 2016 Flood, which caused significant additional expenditures, the Sheriff requested and was authorized to issue bonds in an amount up to \$10,000,000. The bonds were set up to be drawn down as needed and with no early repayment penalty. On September 6, 2016, the Livingston Parish Sheriff issued \$5,000,000 in Revenue Bonds, Series 2016-A to fund additional expenditures due to the August 2016 Flood. The bonds were issued at an annual interest rate of 4.0% with interest installments due semi-annually and principal payments due annually, with the bonds maturing September 1, 2024. On October 13, 2020, the Sheriff paid in full the remaining \$3,174,000 of the outstanding principal, plus accrued interest of \$13,401, of the Series 2016A Revenue Bonds. Per the agreement, there was no penalty for prepayments.

On April 29, 2020, the Livingston Parish Sheriff issued \$8,000,000 in Revenue Bonds, Series 2020, to construct a facility that will provide a training center for its police officers. The bonds were set up to be drawn down as needed and with no early repayment penalty. The bonds were issued at annual interest rate of 3.5% with interest installments due semi-annually and principal payments due annually, with the bonds maturing on September 1, 2034. During the year ended June 30, 2021 the Sheriff drew an additional \$2,750,000 of proceeds on the bonds.

The annual requirements to amortize the Series 2020 Revenue Bonds, including interest payments of \$1,171,194, are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ended	Fiscal	Year	Ended
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June 30	P	Principal		Interest		Total
2022	\$	44,000	\$	\$ 161,129		205,129
2023		52,000		120,050		172,050
2024		70,000		117,915		187,915
2025		88,000		115,150		203,150
2026		227,000		109,637		336,637
2027 and Thereafter	3	,019,000		547,313	3	3,566,313
	\$ 3	,500,000	\$	1,171,194	\$ 4	4,671,194

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Changes in Long-Term Debt. Long-term debt activity for year ended June 30, 2021 is as follows:

Direct Placement Borrowings	Ju	Balance ne 30, 2020		Additions		Reductions	Ju	Balance ne 30, 2021		e Within ne Year		ong-Term Portion
Revenue Bonds, Series 2014	\$	1,120,000	<u> </u>	_	S	(1,120,000)	S	_	S	_	S	-
Revenue Bonds, Series 2016 - A Revenue Bonds.		3,652,000		-		(3,652,000)		-		-		-
Series 2020		750,000		2,750,000		_		3,500,000		44,000		3,456,000
	\$	5,522,000	\$	2,750,000	_\$	(4,772,000)	\$	3,500,000	S	44,000	S	3,456,000

Total interest incurred and recorded as an expense in the Statement of Activities was \$122,418 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021.

# (14) Tax Collector Account

Louisiana Revised Statutes (R.S. 24:513B), as amended by Act 711 of the Louisiana Legislative Session, require that the audit report for parish sheriffs include footnote disclosures for taxes collected and disbursed per taxing entity. For the Livingston Parish Sheriff, this requires disclosure of current and prior year ad valorem tax collections and distributions, and disclosure of occupational license fees collected and disbursed. For ad valorem taxes, amounts collected vary to disbursements by tax refunds, fees, commissions, Louisiana Tax Commission (LTC) change orders, and other corrections. The amount of collections and disbursements are presented in the following sections.

The schedule of taxes assessed and settled is as follows for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021:

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2021

	Adjusted				Tax to be	Amount
Taxing District	Tax Roll	Adjudications	Refunds	Uncollected	Collected	Settled
Livingston Parish Assessor	\$ 4,702,689	\$ (15,700)	\$ 39,309	\$ 56,479	\$ 4,622,601	\$ 4,622,601
Livingston Gravity Drainage District No. 1	841,406	(2.142)	11,093	8,635	823,819	823,819
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 1	277,952	(1.024)	1,225	3,609	274,142	274,142
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 2	342,685	(1,835)	1,866	4,644	338,010	338,010
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 4	2,650,345	(7,335)	18,280	26,743	2,612,657	2,612,657
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 5	1,233,758	(2,637)	23,840	9,529	1.203,025	1,203,025
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 7	126,255	(2,859)	590	677	127,846	127,846
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 8	223,002	(923)	1,024	1,319	221,581	221,581
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 9	217,423	(819)	848	1,792	215,602	215,602
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 10	212,149	(573)	621	7,767	204,334	204,334
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 11	22,211	(321)	316	344	21,872	21,872
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 4 (User Fees)	822,390	(7,552)	672	12,817	816,453	816,453
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 5 (User Fees)	293,026	(1,632)	256	11,755	282,647	282,647
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 7 (User Fees)	41,792	(704)	96	744	41,656	41,656
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 9 (User Fees)	68,544	(672)	64	1,631	67,522	67,522
Livingston Fire Protection District No. 11 (User Fees)	16,576	(480)	32	602	16,422	16,422
Livingston Parish Library - LBM	920,895	(3,074)	7.697	11,060	905,213	905,213
Livingston Parish Library - LIB Tax	4.601,220	(16,695)	45,565	50,346	4,522,003	4,522,003
Livingston Parish Council - PTX	2,783,958	(8,116)	16,990	37,778	2.737,306	2,737,306
Livingston Parish Council - Road Equip & Mtce	3,069,640	(10,248)	25,659	36,866	3,017,364	3,017,364
Livingston Parish Council - Health Unit	1,534,820	(5.124)	12,829	18,433	1,508,682	1,508,682
Livingston Recreation District No. 2	1,151,395	(1.835)	5,607	8,845	1,138,778	1,138,778
Livingston Recreation District No. 3	2,851,107	(7.257)	37,589	29,260	2,791,515	2,791,515
Livingston Parish School Board - S01	2,117,480	(5,604)	24,828	21,379	2,076,876	2,076,876
Livingston Parish School Board - S04	1,161,823	(3,553)	9,771	12,904	1,142,702	1,142,702
Livingston Parish School Board - S04-1	1.410,495	(4,503)	12,062	16,342	1,386,594	1,386,594
Livingston Parish School Board - S22	838,214	(1,336)	4,082	6,439	829,029	829,029
Livingston Parish School Board - S33	146,184	(732)	520	1,313	145,084	145,084
Livingston Parish School Board - Construction	2,019,823	(6.743)	16,883	24,258	1,985,425	1,985,425
Livingston Parish School Board - Special Mtce	4,297,496	(14.347)	35,922	51,612	4,224,309	4,224,309
Livingston Parish School Board - Additional Mtce	4,408,003	(14,716)	36,846	52,939	4,332,934	4,332,934
Livingston Parish School Board - District No. 5	3,069,640	(10,248)	25,659	36,866	3,017,364	3,017,364
Livingston Parish Law Enforcement - Reg	6,820,740	(22,771)	57,013	81,916	6,704,582	6,704,582
Livingston Parish Law Enforcement - Special	6,476,961	(21,624)	54,139	77,787	6.366,658	6,366,658
Florida Parish Juvenile District	1,688,308	(5,637)	14.112	20,277	1,659,556	1,659,556
City of Denham Springs	346,058	(909)	455	6,668	339,844	339,844
Comite River District	123,736	(320)	563	1,727	121,765	121,765
Carter Plantation Community Dev District - SMF	220,548	-	-	1,650	218,898	218,898
Livingston Parish Council on Aging	1,209,435	(4,038)	10,108	14,525	1,188,839	1,188,839
Louisiana Tax Commission - BKN	2,355	-	-	-	2,355	2,355
Louisiana Tax Commission - PBS	18,447	-	-	2	18,445	18,445
Louisiana Forestry	20,841	(17)	34	83	20,741	20,741
City of Walker	132,730	(182)	185	2,218	130,509	130,509
Total Current Taxes	\$ 65,534,555	\$ (216.837)	\$ 555,240	\$ 772,580	\$ 64,423,559	\$ 64,423,559

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2021

The amount of Current Year taxes collected and disbursed is as follows for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021:

Taxing District	Current Taxes Collected		Current Taxes Disbursed		
Livingston Parish Assessor	\$	4.622,601	\$	4,622,601	
Livingston Gravity Drainage District No. 1		823,819		823,819	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 1		274,142		274,142	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 2		338,010		338,010	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 4		2,612,657		2,612,657	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 5		1.203,025		1,203,025	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 7		127,846		127.846	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 8		221,581		221,581	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 9		215,602		215,602	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 10		204,334		204,334	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 11		21,872		21,872	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 4 (User Fees)		816,453		816,453	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 5 (User Fees)		282,647		282,647	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 7 (User Fees)		41,656		41,656	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 9 (User Fees)		67,522		67,522	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 11 (User Fees)		16,422		16,422	
Livingston Parish Library - LBM		905,213		905.213	
Livingston Parish Library - LIB Tax		4.522,003		4,522,003	
Livingston Parish Council - PTX		2,737,306		2,737,306	
Livingston Parish Council - Road Equip & Mtce		3,017,364		3,017,364	
Livingston Parish Council - Health Unit		1,508,682		1,508,682	
Livingston Recreation District No. 2		1,138,778		1,138,778	
Livingston Recreation District No. 3		2.791,515		2,791,515	
Livingston Parish School Board - S01		2,076,876		2,076,876	
Livingston Parish School Board - S04		1,142,702		1,142,702	
Livingston Parish School Board - S04-1		1,386,594		1.386,594	
Livingston Parish School Board - S22		829,029		829.029	
Livingston Parish School Board - S33		145,084		145,084	
Livingston Parish School Board - Construction		1,985,425		1.985,425	
Livingston Parish School Board - Special Mtce		4,224,309		4,224,309	
Livingston Parish School Board - Add'l Mtce		4,332,934		4,332,934	
Livingston Parish School Board - Dist, No. 5		3,017,364		3,017,364	
Livingston Parish Law Enforcement - Reg		6.704,582		6,704,582	

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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2021

Taxing District	Current Taxes Collected	Current Taxes Disbursed
Livingston Parish Law Enforcement - Special	6,366,658	6,366,658
Florida Parish Juvenile District	1,659,556	1.659,556
City of Denham Springs	339,844	339,844
Comite River District	121,765	121,765
Carter Plantation Community Dev District SMF	218,898	218,898
Livingston Parish Council on Aging	1,188,839	1.188,839
Louisiana Tax Commission - BKN	2,355	2.355
Louisiana Tax Commission - PBS	18,445	18,445
Louisiana Forestry	20,741	20,741
City of Walker	130,509	130,509
Total Current Taxes	\$ 64,423,559	\$ 64.423,559

The amount of Prior Year ad valorem taxes collected and disbursed is as follows for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021:

Taxing District	Prior Year Taxes Collected		Prior Year Taxes Disbursed		
Livingston Parish Assessor	\$	76,850	\$	76,850	
Livingston Gravity Drainage District No. 1		15,229		15,229	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 1		5,512		5.512	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 2		9,791		9,791	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 4		29,454		29,454	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 5		24,620		24,620	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 7		1,173		1.173	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 8		14,241		14,241	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 9		14,780		14,780	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 10		2,239		2.239	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 11		901		901	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 4 (User Fees)		12,768		12,768	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 7 (User Fees)		896		896	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 9 (User Fees)		1,536		1.536	
Livingston Parish Fire Protection District No. 11 (User Fees)		864		864	
Livingston Parish Library - LBM		13,135		13,135	
Livingston Parish Library - LIB Tax		72,623		72,623	
Livingston Parish Council - PTX		19,836		19,836	
Livingston Parish Council - Road Equip & Mtce		45,132		45,132	
Livingston Parish Council - Health Unit		22,939		22,939	
Livingston Parish Recreation District No. 2		11,101		11,101	
Livingston Parish Recreation District No. 3		49,398		49,398	
Livingston Parish Recreation District No. 5		343		343	
Livingston Parish School Board - S01		41,927		41,927	
Livingston Parish School Board - S04		13,114		13,114	
Livingston Parish School Board - S04-1		18,400		18,400	
Livingston Parish School Board - S22		10,435		10,435	
Livingston Parish School Board - S27A		886		886	
Livingston Parish School Board - S32A		18		18	
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2021

Taxing District	Prior Year Taxes Collected	Prior Year Taxes Disbursed		
Livingston Parish School Board - S33	2,436	2,436		
Livingston Parish School Board - Construction	29,701	29,701		
Livingston Parish School Board - Special Mtce	63,179	63,179		
Livingston Parish School Board - Add'l Mtce	64.803	64,803		
Livingston Parish School Board - Dist. No. 5	45,160	45,160		
Livingston Parish Law Enforcement Reg	99,258	99.258		
Livingston Parish Law Enforcement - Special	94,034	94,034		
Florida Parish Juvenile District	24,845	24,845		
City of Denham Springs	4,116	4,116		
Comite River District	1,577	1,577		
Carter Plantation Community Dev District SMF	3,825	3,825		
Livingston Parish Council on Aging	18,029	18,029		
Louisiana Forestry	163	163		
City of Walker	1,008	1,008		
Filing Fees, Cost, and Interest	359,574	359,574		
Total	\$ 1,341,849	\$ 1,341.849		

Occupational License fees collected and disbursed are as follows for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021:

Gross Collections	\$ 1	,511,215	5
Less Distribution to Livingston Parish Council (at 85%)	(1	,285,000	))
Less Commission to Livingston Parish Sheriff (at 15%)	i	(226,765	5)
Add Prior Year Balance Not Distributed		550	)_
Balance Not Distributed	\$	-	
	***************************************		-

All tax collections were disbursed to taxing districts at June 30, 2021.

# (15) Risk Management

The Sheriff is exposed to various risks of loss related to law enforcement liabilities: torts, theft, damage or destruction of assets, errors and omissions, and injuries to employees. To handle such risks of loss, the Sheriff maintains commercial insurance policies covering automobile liability, general liability, commercial crime, law enforcement, public official's liability, worker's compensation, and employer's liability. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage for the current year or in the three prior years.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2021

# (16) Contingent Liabilities

At June 30, 2021, the Livingston Parish Sheriff is involved in several lawsuits and claims, which are either adequately covered by liability insurance or in the opinion of legal counsel, will not result in any material liability to the Sheriff.

# (17) Expenditures of the Sheriff's Office Paid by the Parish Council

The Sheriff's administration offices are located in the parish courthouse building. The cost of maintaining and operating the courthouse, as required by Louisiana Revised Statute 33:4715, is paid by the Livingston Parish Council. These costs are not included in the accompanying financial statements.

# (18) On-Behalf Payments for Fringe Benefits and Salaries

A portion of the salaries of the Sheriff's deputies are paid through a supplement from the State of Louisiana. These payments provide the deputies of the Sheriff with an additional \$500 per month, which is added to their base salary. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, in accordance with GASB 24, the Sheriff recorded \$916,556 of on behalf payments as revenue and as an expenditure in the General Fund.

# (19) Tax Abatements

Industrial Tax Exemption Program – The Louisiana Industrial Ad Valorem Tax Exemption (ITEP) program (Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 13, Chapter 5) is a state incentive program which abates, up to 10 years, local ad valorem taxes on manufacturer's new investment and annual capitalized additions related to the manufacturing site. Businesses must be classified as a manufacturer or related to the manufacturing project in order to receive the benefits of the ITEP program. ITEP is only available for activities related to manufacturing. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, \$96,258 of the Sheriff's ad valorem tax revenues were abated as a result of this program.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2021

# (20) Contingency

The COVID-19 outbreak in the United States and throughout the world has caused business disruption through mandated and voluntary closings of schools and businesses. While the disruption is currently expected to be temporary, there is considerable uncertainty around the duration and its effects on the Sheriff's employees and vendors. Therefore, the extent to which COVID-19 may affect the Sheriff's financial condition or results of operations cannot be reasonably estimated at this time.

# (21) Subsequent Events

On October 6, 2021 the obligation to the Livingston Parish Library dating back to 2011 in the amount of \$612,273 was paid.

Subsequent events have been evaluated by management through December 22, 2021, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.



REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

## SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

		2021		2020		2019		2018
Total OPEB Liability	***************************************		***************************************		***************************************			
Service Cost	\$	224,893	\$	244,138	\$	220,107	\$	196,224
Interest		842,666		836,651		822,759		904,584
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience		(68,105)		520,505		(279,402)		(244,207)
Changes in Assumptions or Other Inputs		-		(947,692)		-		(1,686,002)
Benefit Payments		(602,181)		(504,511)		(559,357)		(509,357)
Net Change in Total OPEB Liability		397,273		149,091		204,107		(1,338,758)
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning		14,391,633		14,242,542		14,038,435		15,377,193
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	<u>\$</u>	14,788,906	\$	14,391,633	<u>\$</u>	14,242,542	<u>\$</u>	14,038,435
Plan Fiduciary Net Position								
Employer Contributions	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_
Net Investment Income		1,756,829		54,340		348,588		471,632
Benefit Payments		-		-		<u>-</u>		-
Administrative Expense		(82,000)		(10,000)		(10,000)		(10,000)
Net Change in Plan Fiduciary Net Position		1,674,829		44,340		338,588		461,632
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning		8,828,519		8,784,179		8,445,591		7,983,959
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Ending		10,503,348		8,828,519		8,784,179		8,445,591
Net OPEB Liability - Ending	\$	4,285,558	\$	5,563,114	\$	5,458,363	\$	5,592,844
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of Total OPEB Liability		71.02%		61.34%		61.68%		60.16%
Covered Payroll	\$	14,092,133	\$	13,676,612	\$	13,150,588	\$	12,150,306
Net OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		30.41%		40.68%		41.51%		46.03%
Discount Rate		6.00%		6.00%		6.00%		6.00%

## Notes to Schedule:

*Benefit Changes*. There were no changes of benefit terms for the year ended June 30, 2021. *Changes of Assumptions*. There were no changes of assumptions for the year ended June 30, 2021.

## SCHEDULE OF THE SHERIFF'S OPEB CONTRIBUTIONS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

		2021		2020		2019		2018
Actuarially determined employer contribution  Contribution in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	\$	629,047	\$	640,682	\$	626,421	\$	733,334
Employer-paid retiree premiums	ì	602,181		504,511		559,357		509,357
Contribution excess (deficiency)	\$	26,866	\$	136,171	\$	67,064	\$	223,977
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Employer's Covered Payroll	\$	14,092,133	\$	13,676,612	\$	13,150,588	\$	12,150,306
Contributions as a % of Covered Payroll		4.27%		3.69%		4.25%		4.19%
Notes to schedule:								
Measurement Date		6/30/2021		6/30/2020		6/30/2019		6/30/2018
Valuation Date		7/1/2020		7/1/2019		7/1/2018		7/1/2017
Timing	Ca	lculated based	Ca	alculated based	Cal	culated based	Cal	culated based
		on actuarial		on actuarial		on actuarial		on actuarial
		valuation one		valuation one		valuation one		vahuation one
		year prior to		year prior to		year prior to		year prior to
		beginning of		beginning of	begi	nning of plan	beg	inning of plan
		plan year		plan year		year		year
Actuarial Cost Method	In	dividual Entry	In	dividual Entry	Ind	lividual Entry	Inc	lividual Entry
		Age Normal		Age Normal		Age Normal		Age Normal
Amortization Method		Level dollar.		Level dollar.		Level dollar,		Level dollar,
		open		open		open		open
Remaining Amortization Period		30 years		30 years		30 years		30 years
Discount Rate	6.0	00% Annually	6.	00% Annually	6.0	0% Annually	6.0	00% Amually
Retirement Age	5	years after the	5	years after the	5 y	years after the	5	years after the
		earliest of: 30		earliest of: 30		earliest of: 30		earliest of: 30
	-	irs of services;	-	ars of services;	•	rs of services;	yea	rs of services;
		ainment of age		ainment of age		inment of age		inment of age
		5 and 20 years		5 and 20 years		and 20 years		and 20 years
		f service; and,		of service; and,		f service; and,		f service; and,
		amment of age		ainment of age		inment of age		inment of age
	60	0 and 15 years	6	0 and 15 years	60	and 15 years	60	and 15 years
		of service		of service		of service		of service
Mortality		RP-2000 M/F		RP-2000 M/F	]	RP-2000 M/F		RP-2000 M/F
		without		without		without		without
		projection		projection		projection	pr	ojection, 50%
								unisex blend
Turnover		Age specific		Age specific		Age specific		Age specific
		table with an		table with an		table with an		table with an
		verage of 15%		verage of 15%		erage of 15%		verage of 15%
		hen applied to	W	hen applied to	wh	en applied to	wl	nen applied to
	the	active census	the	e active census	the	active census	the	active census

## SCHEDULE OF OPEB INVESTMENT RETURNS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Annual money-weighted rate of return, net of investment expenses

2013	(0.16)%
2014	11.25%
2015	0.44%
2016	(0.71)%
2017	10.20%
2018	5.95%
2019	4.02%
2020	0.62%
2021	20.01%

## SCHEDULE OF THE SHERIFF'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021\*

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Louisiana Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund:							
Employer's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	2.00573%	2.01812%	1.96203%	2.10954%	1.88735%	1.75764%	1.75982%
Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	13,881,971	9,546,179	7,523,680	9,134,864	11,977,873	7,834,711	6,968,892
Covered Payroll	14,800,349	14,102,866	13,504,065	14,611,670	12,889,810	11,652,728	11,399,580
Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability							
as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	93.79%	67.69%	55.71%	62.52%	92.93%	67.23%	61.13%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	84.73%	88.91%	90.41%	88.49%	87.34%	86.61%	87.34%

<sup>\*</sup> The amounts presented have a measurement date of the previous fiscal year end.

## SCHEDULE OF THE SHERIFF'S CONTRIBUTIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Louisiana Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund:							
Contractually required contribution	\$ 1,924,727	\$ 1,813,042	\$ 1,727,603	\$ 1,721,887	\$ 1,936,046	\$ 1,772,117	\$ 1,660,514
Contributions in relation to contractually required contributions	1,941,311	1,813,042	1,727,603	1,721,887	1,936,046	1,772,117	1,660,514
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ (16,584)	<u>\$</u> -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	<u>\$</u> -
Covered Payroll	15,712,058	14,800,349	14,102,866	13,504,065	14,611,670	12,889,810	11,652,728
Contributions as a % of Covered Payroll	12.2500%	12.2500%	12.2500%	12.7509%	13.2500%	13.7482%	14.2500%

Additional years will be displayed as they become available.



COMBINING AND INDIVIDUAL FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – FIDUCIARY FUNDS – CUSTODIAL FUNDS

## FIDUCIARY FUNDS – CUSTODIAL FUNDS

## Sheriff's Fund

The Sheriff's Custodial Fund accounts for funds held in connection with civil suits, Sheriff's sales and garnishments due to other agencies. It also accounts for the collections of bonds, probation fines and disbursement of these collections, in accordance with applicable law. All funds in the Sheriff's Fund at the end of each month belong to others, such as money held for a pending sheriff's sale. Any commissions or fees due to the Sheriff are disbursed prior to the end of the month.

#### **Tax Collector Fund**

Article V, Section 27 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, provides that the Sheriff will serve as the collector of State and Parish taxes and fees. The Tax Collector Custodial Fund accounts for the collection and distribution of these taxes and fees to the appropriate taxing bodies.

## **Inmate Deposit Fund**

The Inmate Deposit Fund accounts for individual prisoner account balances. Funds are deposited in the name of the prisoner and payable upon request. Balances in the individual prisoner accounts are returned upon completion of their jail sentence. The Inmate Deposit Fund also accounts for collection and disbursement of certain fees charged to inmates upon incarceration.

## COMBINING SCHEDULE OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - FIDUCIARY FUNDS

JUNE 30, 2021

	Custodial Funds							
				Tax	]	[nmate		
	S	Sheriff's	C	ollector	Ι	Deposit		
		Fund		Fund		Fund		Total
ASSETS								
Current Assets								
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	823,169	_\$_	-	\$	78,157	_\$_	901,326
Total Assets	\$	823,169	\$	-	\$	78,157		901,326
NET POSITION								
Restricted Unsettled balances Due to Others	\$	823,169	\$	-	\$	-	\$	823,169
Restricted Inmate Personal Funds		-		-		78,157	_	78,157
Total Fiduciary Net Position	\$	823,169	\$	_	\$	78,157	\$	901,326

## COMBINING SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION - FIDUCIARY FUNDS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	Custodial Funds					
	Sheriffs	Tax Collector	Inmate Deposit			
	<u>Fund</u>	Fund	Fund	Total		
Additions:						
Suits and Sales	\$ 5,122,252	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,122,252		
Fines and Bonds	1,207,986	-	-	1,207,986		
Advance Deposits	109,500	-	-	109,500		
Garnishments	337,350	-	-	337,350		
Interest	8,962	267,865	-	276,827		
Property Taxes	-	65,559,611	-	65,559,611		
Occupational Licenses	-	1,511,215	-	1,511,215		
State Revenue Sharing	-	2,764,830	-	2,764,830		
Redemptions and Refunds	-	1,078,437	-	1,078,437		
Other		397,893	1,248,675	1,646,568		
Total Additions	6,786,050	71,579,851	1,248,675	79,614,576		
Distributions:						
By Funding Source						
Property Tax	-	65,405,658	-	65,405,658		
Occupational License	-	1,510,365	-	1,510,365		
State Revenue Sharing	-	2,764,830	-	2,764,830		
Redemptions and Refunds	374,081	1,080,710	-	1,454,791		
Interest Distributions	-	352,606	-	352,606		
Proceeds of Sales of Property	4,383,822	-	-	4,383,822		
By Location						
State of Louisiana						
State Crime Laboratory	3,796	-	-	3,796		
Livingston Parish						
Clerk of Court	336,389	-	-	336,389		
Sheriff	1,240,853	298,569	-	1,539,422		
Twenty-First Judicial District						
District Attorney	193,394	-	-	193,394		
Public Defender	183,904	-	-	183,904		
Judicial Court Fund	180,108	-	-	180,108		
Other Parties						
Advertising	63,000	-	-	63,000		
Appraisers and Helpers	14,725	-	-	14,725		
Attorney and Litigants	293,922	-	-	293,922		
Municipalities	48,958	-	-	48,958		
Other	5,143	170,754	1,271,809	1,447,706		
Total Distributions	7,322,095	71,583,492	1,271,809	80,177,396		
Change in Fiduciary Net Position	(536,045)	(3,641)	(23,134)	(562,820)		
Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning of Year	-	-	-	-		
Prior Period Adjustment - Adoption of GASB 84	1,359,214	3,641	101,291	1,464,146		
Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning of Year, as Restated	1,359,214	3,641	101,291	1,464,146		
Fiduciary Net Position - End of Year	\$ 823,169		\$ 78,157	\$ 901,326		

## SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Assistance Listing	Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Amounts Passed Through to Subrecipients	Federal Expenditures
U.S. Department of Transportation:				
Passed through Louisiana Highway Safety Commission				
State and Community Highway Safety	20.600 [1]	2020-30-37 & 2021-30-37	\$ -	\$ 47,633
Repeat Offender Funds LHSC National Priority Safety Programs	20.608 20.616 [1]	2020-30-37 2021-30-37	-	25,290 38,520
Total passed through Louisiana Highwav Safety Commission	20.010 [1]	2021-30-37	-	111,443
				***************************************
Total U.S. Department of Transportation			_	111,443
U.S. Department of Justice:				
Passed through Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding FY 2020 - COVID-19	16.034	2020-DJ-01-5522	_	38.017
S.T.O.P. Violence Against Women Formula Grants	16.588	2019-WF-01-5343	-	10.687
Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program - Criminal Patrols	16.738	2018-DJ-01-5206	-	8,018
Total passed through Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement			-	56,722
Direct Program - Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program				
Livingston Parish Gun Violence Initiative	16.738	2019-DJ-BX-0085 & 2020-DJ-BX-0135	_	21,849
Total U.S. Department of Justice				78,571
U.S. Department of Homeland Security:				
Passed through Governor's Office of Homeland Security (GOHSEP)				
Disaster Grants - Public Assistance	97.036	063-UQFK9-00	_	130,946
Total passed through Governor's Office of Homeland Security (GOHSEP)				130,946
Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security				130,946
U.S. Department of Treasury				
Passed through Louisiana Division of Administration				
COVID-19 Coronavirus Relief Fund	21.019	COVID-19-CRF-084678	_	9,864,442
Total passed through Louisiana Division of Administration				9,864,442
Total U.S. Department of Treasury			_	9,864,442
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			<u>\$</u>	\$ 10,185,401

[1] Total Highway Safety Cluster = \$86,153

See independent auditor's report.

## LIVINGSTON PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE

## NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

## Note A – Significant Accounting Policies

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards include the federal grant activity of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office and is presented on the accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards.

## Note B – Indirect Cost Rate Election

The Sheriff's Office did not elect to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate during the year ended June 30, 2021.

## Note C – Reconciliation of Federal Expenditures

## Reconciliation of Federal Expenditures:

Federal Assistance expended as reported on the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards	\$ 10,185,401
Add: revenue received in current year of prior year federal expenditures	2,447,502
Less: expenditures incurred in curent year but not reimbursed by	
awarding agency as of June 30, 2021	 (130,946)
Federal grant revenues	\$ 12,501,957
Revenues from Federal Sources as reported on:	
Statement E - All Governmental Fund Types - Statement of Revenues,	
Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance	\$ 12,501,957



OTHER SCHEDULES REQUIRED BY THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR

## SCHEDULE OF COMPENSATION, BENEFITS AND OTHER PAYMENTS TO AGENCY HEAD

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Purpose	 Amount		
Salary	\$ 177,956		
Benefits-Insurance	\$ 23,292		
Benefits-Retirement	\$ 55,925		
Employer Paid Payroll Taxes	\$ 3,080		
Vehicle Provided by Government	Note 1		
Travel-Per Diem	\$ 334		
Travel-Lodging	\$ 1,411		
Travel-Airfare	\$ 1,252		

Note 1: Use of a qualified nonpersonal use vehicle, including commuting, is excludable to the employee as a working condition fringe benefit if the specific requirements for the type of vehicle are met. Recordkeeping and substantiation by the employee are not required by the IRS. Reg § 1.274-5T(k;Reg.§1.132-5(h).

IRS Fringe Benefit Guide, Office of Federal, State and Local Governments, Publication 5137 (1-2014) excludes qualified nonpersonal use vehicles from employee income for unmarked vehicles used by law enforcement officers if the use is officially authorized. The Sheriff has complied with the requirements of this regulation.

#### TAX COLLECTOR ACCOUNT AFFIDAVIT

## STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

#### **AFFIDAVIT**

JASON ARD, SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR, OF LIVINGSTON PARISH, LOUISIANA

**BEFORE ME**, the undersigned authority, personally came and appeared, **JASON ARD**, the sheriff of LIVINGSTON PARISH, State of Louisiana, who after being duly sworn, deposed and said:

The following information is true and correct:

\$0 is the amount of cash on hand in the tax collector account on JUNE 30, 2021;

He further deposed and said:

All itemized statements of the amount of taxes collected for tax year 2020, by taxing authority, are true and correct.

All itemized statements of all taxes assessed and uncollected, which indicate the reasons for the failure to collect, by taxing authority, are true and correct.

Signature

Sheriff of Livingston Parish

SWORN to and subscribed before me, Notary, this 28 day of October 2021, in my office in the Parish of Livingston, Town of Livingston, Louisiana.

## $\underline{SCHEDULE\ OF\ JUSTICE\ SYSTEM\ FUNDING\ -\ COLLECTING/DISBURSING\ ENTITY}$

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Cash Basis Presentation	First Six Month Period Ended 12/31/2020		Period Ended		Period Ended		Period Ended		Period Ended		Per	nd Six Month riod Ended 5/30/2021
Beginning Balance of Amounts Collected (i.e. cash on hand)	\$	1,359,216	\$	730,601								
Add: Collections  Civil Fees (including refundable amounts such as garnishments or advance deposits)  Bond Fees Interest Earnings on Collected Balances		3,338,026 511,353 4,438		2,231,074 696,633 4,525								
Subtotal Collections	***************************************	3,853,817	***************************************	2,932,232								
Less: Disbursements To Governments & Nonprofits	•											
State of Louisiana, Department of Justice-Civil East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office-Civil Acadia Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Ascension Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Assumption Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office-Civil East Feliciana Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Orleans Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Point Coupee Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil St. Bernard Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil St. Helena Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Tangipahoa Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Livingston Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Louisiana Office of Motor Vehicles-Civil Jason B. Harris, Clerk of Court-Bond Fees Louisiana State Police Crime Laboratory-Bond Fees Office of Public Defender-Bond Fees		2.032 177 - 40 84 1,753 43 180 - 210 - - 42 726 102,188 176 1,862 1,862 73,227 77,882		3.303 307 5 130 - 685 - 180 127 150 36 66 - 52 230,405 176 1,934 1,934 110,677 115,512								
Judicial Court Fund-Bond Fees		71,365		108,743								
Less: Amounts Retained by Collecting Agency Collection Fee for Collecting/Disbursing to Others Based on Percentage of Collection Collection Fee for Collecting/Disbursing to Others Based on Fixed Amount Amounts "Self-Disbursed" to Collecting Agency - Interest Amounts "Self-Disbursed" to Collecting Agency - Civil Fees		361,333 34,742 3,779 529,344		277,402 34,169 4,777								
Less: Disbursements to Individuals/3rd Party Collection or Processing Agencies Civil Fee Refunds Bond Fee Refunds Other Disbursements to Individuals Payments to 3rd Party Collection/Processing Agencies		3,115 263,204 65,410 2,887,656		3,184 120,252 40,705 1,784,753								
Subtotal Disbursements/Retainage	***************************************	4,482,432		2,839,664								
Total: Ending Balance of Amounts Collected but not Disbursed/Retained (i.e. cash on hand)	\$	730,601	\$	823,169								
Ending Balance of "Partial Payments" Collected but not Disbursed	\$	-	\$	-								
Other Information:												
Ending Balance of Total Amounts Assessed but not yet Collected	\$		\$	-								
Total Waivers During the Fiscal Period	\$	_		_								

See independent auditor's report.

## SCHEDULE OF JUSTICE SYSTEM FUNDING - RECEIVING ENTITY

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Cash Basis Presentation		Six Month od Ended /31/2020	Second Six Month Period Ended 06/30/2021		
Receipts From:					
Livingston Parish Council-Criminal Court Costs/Fees	\$	14,086	\$	19,186	
Livingston Parish Council-Criminal Court Cost/Fees	•	52,020		59,500	
Livingston Parish Council-Pre-Trial Diversion Program fees		30,000		30,000	
Livingston Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		28,000		14,500	
21ST Judicial Court-Criminal Court Costs/Fees		60,186		69,352	
21ST Judicial Court-Criminal Court Costs/Fees		23,247		24,960	
21ST Judicial Court-Criminal Court Costs/Fees		94		103	
21ST Judicial Court-Asset Forfeiture/Sale		24,454		10,241	
3rd Justice Court, Constable Jame Leblanc-Civil Fees		734		184	
Acadia Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		86		185	
Allen Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		80		66	
Ascension Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		3,492		3,439	
Ascension Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Fees		310		247	
Assumption Parish Clerk f Court-Civil Fees		175		-	
Avoyelles Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		86		-	
Bossier City Court-Civil Fees		-		86	
Caddo Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		66		143	
Caddo Parish Sheriff-Civil Fees		-		43	
Calcasieu Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		608		291	
City Court of Denham Springs-Civil Fees		2,692		3,105	
City Court of Abbeville-Civil Fees		43		-	
City Court of Hammond-Civil Fees		2,745		4,751	
City Court of Houma-Civil Fees		12		304	
City Court of Lafayette-Civil Fees		172		215	
City Court of Shreveport-Civil Fees		86		-	
City Court of Slidell-Civil Fees		23		-	
City Court of Sulphur -Civil Fees		-		106	
City Court of West Monroe-Civil Fees		12		43	
City of Baton Rouge-Civil Fees		304		3,985	
City of Zachary-Civil Fees		-		43	
Concordia Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		-		23	
Danny Thibodeaux, Constable, Ascension Parish 2nd Justice Court-Civil Fees		747		557	
East Baton Rouge Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		19,441		17,409	
East Carroll Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		43		-	
East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office-Civil Fees		433		372	
East Feliciana Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		330		161	
Evangeline Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		32		-	
Iberia Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		146		213	
Iberville Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		485		348	
Iberville Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Fees		54		-	
Jefferson Davis Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		109		-	
Jefferson Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		1,968		1,672	
Lafayette Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		708		316	
Lafourche Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees		86		155	

## SCHEDULE OF JUSTICE SYSTEM FUNDING - RECEIVING ENTITY (CONTINUED)

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	First Six Month Period Ended 12/31/2020	Second Six Month Period Ended 06/30/2021
Receipts From (Continued):		
Lake Charles City Court-Civil Fees	-	66
Lambert Boissiere Constable, First City Court New Orleans-Civil Fees	43	211
Livingston Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	76,776	85,362
Madison Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	-	43
Monroe City Court-Civil Fees	43	23
Morehouse Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	17	=
Natchitoches Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	66	-
New Iberia City Court-Civil Fees	86	-
Opelousas City Court -Civil Fees	-	55
Orleans Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Fees	210	686
Ouachita Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	_	103
Pineville City Court-Civil Fees	92	-
Plaquemines Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	227	98
Pointe Coupee Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	229	209
Pointe Coupee Parish Sheriff-Civil Fees	_	63
Rapides Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	103	120
Sabine Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	37	-
Shreveport City Court-Civil Fees	-	57
St. Bernard Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	34	71
St. Charles Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	40	157
St. Helena Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	43	149
St. Helena Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Fees	-	221
St. James Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	86	-
St. John The Baptist Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	628	735
St. Landry Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	86	152
St. Martin Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	210	37
St. Martin Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Fees	-	23
St. Mary Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	60	86
St. Tammany Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	192	3,259
Tangipahoa Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	6,899	6,009
Tangipahoa Parish Sheriff's Office-Civil Fees	2,319	1,236
Terrebonne Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	92	585
Todd Clement Justice of the Peace Laplace, La-Civil Fees	37	123
Union Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	-	43
Vernon Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	72	17
Washington Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	185	26
West Baton Rouge Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	988	900
West Carroll Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	-	112
West Feliciana Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	152	96
Winn Parish Clerk of Court-Civil Fees	89	-
Zachary City Court-Civil Fees	180	267
Subtotal Receipts	\$ 358,714	\$ 367,699
Ending Balance of Amounts Assessed but Not Received	\$ -	<u> </u>
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STATISTICAL SECTION - UNAUDITED

# STATISTICAL SECTION (UNAUDITED)

This part of the Livingston Parish Sheriff's comprehensive annual financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and required supplementary information says about the government's overall financial health.

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Sources: Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the annual financial reports for the relevant year.

#### NET POSITION BY COMPONENT

LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)
(UNAUDITED)

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,										
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	
Governmental Activities  Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$ 9,300,062 4,371,945 2,355.505	\$ 8,039,896 246,215 (6,259,990)	\$ 7,396,022 - (5.242,210)	\$ 7,379,693 516 (7.276,292)	\$ 7,713,181 20,818 (1,318,483)	\$ 6,614,727 32 (149,947)	\$ 4,558,676 20,450 1,399,465	\$ 4,275.707 - 8,437.758	\$ 3,509,506 - 8,231,762	\$ 3.380,930 - 6,209,499	
Total Governmental Activities Net Position	16,027.512	2,026,121	2.153,812	103,917	6,415,516	6,464,812	5,978,591	12,713.465	11,741,268	9,590,429	
Business-type Activities  Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Total Business-type Activities Net Position											
Primary Government  Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Umrestricted	9,300,062 4,371,945 2,355,505	8,039,896 246,215 (6,259,990)	7,396,022 - (5,242,210)	7,379,693 516 (7,276,292)	7,713,181 20,818 (1,318,483)	6,614,727 32 (149,947)	4,558,676 20,450 1,399,465	4,275,707 - 8,437,758	3,509,506 - 8,231,762	3,380,930 - 6,209,499	
Total Primary Government Net Position	\$ 16,027,512	\$ 2,026,121	\$ 2,153,812	\$ 103,917	\$ 6,415,516	\$ 6,464,812	\$ 5,978,591	\$ 12,713,465	\$ 11,741,268	\$ 9,590,429	

#### Note

The Livingston Parish Sheriff adopted the provisions of GASB 68 and 71 beginning July 1, 2014, and applied those provisions prospectively.

The Livingston Parish Sheriff adopted the provisions of GASB 75 beginning July 1, 2017, and applied those provisions prospectively.

#### CHANGES IN NET POSITION

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING) (UNAUDITED)

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,									
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Expenses										
Governmental Activities:										
Public Safety	\$ 35,500,231	\$ 34,035,618	\$ 32,019,482	\$ 30.854,043	\$ 34,928,971	\$ 27,841.121	\$ 25,503,521	\$ 25,418,781	\$ 23,806.102	\$ 23,415,671
•										
Total Governmental Activities Expenses	35,500.231	34,035,618	32,019,482	30,854,043	34,928,971	27.841,121	25,503,521	25,418.781	23,806,102	23,415,671
p. 73										
Program Revenues Governmental Activities:										
Public Safety	4 30 5 8 4 3	4 227 030	4.555.030	4 437 000	0.050.503	1145.000	4 030 0 00	4 200 716	1 107 1 65	3.053.004
Charges for Services	4,225,741	4,087.839	4,561,830	4,423,098	3,972,702	4,149,765	4.028,368	4,280,736	4,407,160	2,952,004
Operating Grants and Contributions	11,105,161	2,253,419	1,899,204	2.820,833	3,697,953	1,594.539	3,120,152	947,171	1,133,192	665,238
Capital Grants and Contributions	2,104,225	44,674	5,351	102,084	63,058	5,278	48,287	67,282	192.713	79,564
Total Governmental Activities Program Revenues	17,435,127	6,385,932	6,466,385	7.346,015	7,733,713	5,749.582	7,196,807	5,295,189	5,733.065	3,696,806
Total Governmental Activities Flogram Revenues	17,455,127	0,363,932	9,400,363	7.540,013	7,735,713		7,190,407	3,293,169		3,090,800
Total Net (Expense) Revenue	\$ (18,065.104)	\$ (27,649,686)	\$ (25,553,097)	\$ (23,508,028)	\$ (27,195,258)	\$ (22.091,539)	\$ (18,306,714)	\$ (20,123.592)	\$ (18,073,037)	\$ (19,718,865)
, ,										
General Revenues										
Governmental Activities										
Property Taxes	13,758.398	12,426,712	11,863,909	11,347,931	10,817,956	10.817,273	10,429,804	10,027,243	9,677,080	9,083,057
Sales Tax	12,168,309	10,107,379	9,451,274	9,470,131	10,932,230	8,686,732	8,029,228	7,293,461	6,955,844	6,632,029
Intergovernmental	, ,	, ,		,	. ,	ŕ	, ,	, ,	,	,
Support of Prisoners	2,984,948	3,312,227	3,273,380	3,224,112	3,221,035	2,733,154	2,194,824	2.151,795	2,249,926	2,362,631
Reimbursements			-,	- ,	-,,	-,,	-,,	-,,	-,,	294,793
State Revenue Sharing	695,622	691.269	686,743	689,798	681,409	645,835	665,427	660,796	664,757	656,052
Investment Earnings	109,310	90,016	99,086	97,510	66,207	42,194	34,138	25,666	64,436	33,441
On Behalf Payments - State Supplemental Pay	916,556	20,020	22,000	274214	501207	1=,1>1	2 -,150	20,000	0.,.50	55,777
Miscellaneous	1,350,738	865,491	2,211,111	1,008,568	1,225,623	1,046,646	883,745	953.671	570,294	282,640
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Assets	82,614	28,901	17,489	(180,938)	201,502	44,616	7,456	(16,843)	(52,967)	(49,005)
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Assets	62,014	20,901	17,409	(180,938)	201,302	44,010		(10,043)	(32,901)	(49,00.7)
Total General Revenues	\$ 32,066,495	\$ 27,521,995	\$ 27,602,992	\$ 25,657,112	\$ 27,145,962	\$ 24.016,450	\$ 22,244,622	\$ 21,095.789	\$ 20,129,370	\$ 19,295,638
Extraordinary Items										
Deepwater Horizon Settlement	_					133,877	_		_	_
Total Extraordinary Items						133,877				
TOTAL LAUROUBHARY REIDS	_	_		_		133,8//				_
Total Change in Net Position	\$ 14,001,391	\$ (127,691)	\$ 2,049,895	\$ 2.149,084	\$ (49,296)	\$ 2,058.788	\$ 3,937,908	\$ 972,197	\$ 2,056,333	\$ (423,227)

#### FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING) (UNAUDITED)

		Fiscal Year Ending June 30,																	
	20	21		2020	2	2019		2018		2017		2016		2015		2014	 2013		2012
General Fund																			
Nonspendable	\$	-	\$	-	\$	30,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-
Restricted		_		-		-		516		-		-		-		-	-		-
Committed		-		-		_		-		-		-		-		-	-		94,991
Unassigned	14	.867,809		,933,142	10	647,938		9,426,305	8	646,426		6,698,734	7	469,068	7	,695,631	7,806,210		5,538,137
Total General Fund	14	,867.809		9.933,142	10.	.677,938		9,426.821	8	646,426		6.698,734	7	,469.068	7	,695,631	 7.806,210		5,633,128
All Other Governmental Funds																			
Restricted	2	,168.816		-		-		-		-		35		718.328		-	-		-
Committed	2	.203,129		246,215				-				-		-			 -		-
Total All Other Governmental Funds	4.	.371,945		246,215		_		_		-		35		718,328		_	 -		_
Total All Funds	\$ 19	.239,754	\$ 10	),179,357	\$ 10	677,938	\$	9,426,821	\$ 8	646,426	\$ 6	6,698,769	\$ 8	3,187,396	\$ 7	,695,631	\$ 7,806,210	\$	5,633,128

#### CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING) (UNAUDITED)

					Fiscal Year End	ling June 30,				
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Revenues										
Property Taxes	\$ 13.758,398	\$ 12.426,712	\$ 11.863,909	\$ 11.347,931	\$ 10,817,956	\$ 10,817,273	\$ 10,429,803	\$ 10.027,243	\$ 9,677,080	\$ 9.061,983
Sales Taxes	12.168,309	10.107,379	9.451,274	9.470,131	10,932,230	8,686,732	8,029,228	7.293,461	6,955,844	6.632,029
Intergovernmental										
Grants	12.576,474	486,021	679,509	686,314	1,244,524	225,073	286,872	314,646	936,028	281,574
Support of Prisoners	2.984,948	3.312,227	3.273,380	3.226,563	3,223,692	2,736,065	2,196,520	2.155,401	2,249,926	2.535,137
State Revenue Sharing	695,622	691,269	686,743	689,798	681,409	645,835	665,427	660,796	664.757	656,052
Service Contract Revenue	1.557,670	1.259,124	1.409,050	1.275,066	1.148,581	1.032,448	1.054,223	1,003,180	990,364	-
Fines and Forfeitures	2.668,071	2.828,715	3.152,780	3.148,032	2.824,121	3.117,317	2.974,145	3,278,690	3,416,797	2.912,110
Use of Money and Property	109,310	90,016	99,086	97,510	66,207	42,194	34,138	24,532	64,436	44,502
Miscellaneous	1.350,738	865,491	2.211,111	1.006,117	1,671,417	1,043,735	882,049	950,065	570,294	454,834
On Behalf Payments - State Supplemental Pay	916,556	903,088	867,488	809,396	757,768	716,633	682,132	699,807	625,931	454,605
Total Revenues	48.786,096	32.970,042	33.694,330	31.756,858	33.367,905	29.063,305	27.234,537	26,407,821	26,151,457	23.032,826
Expenditures										
Public Safety										
Current										
Salaries	16,152,708	16,392,193	14,828,564	14,217,413	16,047,449	13,735,196	12,408,096	12,114,064	12,004,845	10,046,223
Employee Benefits	7.992.682	8.132.666	8.182,298	7.505.412	7,735,970	7,356,652	6,630,947	6.725,690	5,682,422	5.682,580
Travel & Training	208.297	129,945	275,697	262.872	· -	· -	· -		-	
Operating Services	3,529,491	3,197,949	3,135,966	3,708,776	3,765,967	3,424,678	3,409,250	3,208,775	2,945,304	1,377,707
Professional Services	498,355	469,957	745,207	854,887	1,291,989	568,947	665,402	555,222	420,403	1.288,339
Materials and Supplies	4.264,776	3.150,863	3.221,240	2.505,401	2,188,397	2,248,070	2,103,063	2.085,849	1,899,115	3.042,147
Other	-	-	-		2,375,588	_,,	1,179	16,236	6,076	
Capital Outlay	5,100,780	1,804,848	1,202,735	973,378	2,580,019	3,040,300	4,016,203	1,940,308	1,161.049	759,798
Debt Service	-,,	2,000.00	-,			2,0,0,0		.,		, , , , , ,
Principal	4,772,000	758,000	715,000	715,000	330,000	280,000	280,000	_	-	_
Interest	106,975	211,640	241,100	269,700	171,578	100,800	78,711	_	-	_
Debt Issue Cost	-	56,849	-	-	48,750	-	42,780	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	42,626,064	34,304,910	32,547,807	31,012,839	36,535,707	30,754,643	29,635,631	26,646,144	24,119.214	22,196,794
·										
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenditures	6.160,032	(1.334,868)	1.146,523	744,019	(3.167,802)	(1.691,338)	(2.401,094)	(238,323)	2,032,243	836,032
Other Financing Sources (Uses)										
Operating Transfers In	5.000,000	-	-	-	35	301,683	-	-	-	-
Operating Transfers (Out)	(5,000,000)	-	-	_	(35)	(301,683)	-	-	-	-
Proceeds from the Sale of Capital Assets	150,365	86,287	104,594	-	65,459	68,834	92,859	127,743	68,760	20,025
Proceeds from the Sale of Bonds	2.750,000	750,000			5,050,000		2,800,000			
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	2,900,365	836,287	104,594		5,115,459	68,834	2,892,859	127,743	68,760	20,025
Net Change in Fund Balance before Extraordinary Items	9,060,397	(498,581)	1,251,117	744,019	1,947,657	(1,622,504)	491,765	(110,580)	2,101.003	856,057
Extraordinary Items						122 053				
Deepwater Horizon Settlement						133,877			_	_
Total Extraordinary Items		_				133,877				
Net Change in Fund Balances	\$ 9.060,397	\$ (498,581)	\$ 1.251,117	\$ 744,019	\$ 1,947,657	\$ (1,488,627)	\$ 491,765	\$ (110,580)	\$ 2,101,003	\$ 856,057
Debt Service as a Percentage of Noncapital Expenditures	13.00%	2.98%	3.05%	3.28%	1.48%	1.37%	1.40%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

## TAX REVENUES BY SOURCE - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING) (UNAUDITED)

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,												
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012			
Tax Revenues by Source:													
AdValorem Tax	\$ 13,758,398	\$ 12,426,712	\$ 11,863,909	\$ 11,347,931	\$ 10,817,956	\$ 10,817,273	\$ 10,429,803	\$ 10,027,243	\$ 9,677,080	\$ 9,061,983			
Sales Tax	12,168,309	10,107,379	9,451,274	9,470,131	10,932.230	8.686,732	8,029,228	7,293,461	6,955,844	6,632,029			
Total Tax Revenues	\$ 25,926,707	\$ 22,534.091	\$ 21.315,183	\$ 20,818,062	\$ 21,750,186	\$ 19,504,005	\$ 18,459,031	\$ 17,320,704	\$ 16.632,924	\$ 15,694,012			

#### ASSESSED VALUE AND ESTIMATED ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY

## LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2021 2020 2019 2018 2017 2015 2014 2013 2012 Real Estate Assessed Value \$ 618,300,610 \$ 580.707.622 \$ 562,286,902 \$ 534,226,025 \$ 521,464,650 \$ 509,381,920 \$ 499,575.780 \$ 498,148,630 \$ 482,325,540 \$ 541,967,875 Commercial and Other Property Assessed Value 203,446,980 43.371.090 180.870,560 168,277,560 156,730,870 160,322,640 150,644.320 144.623.910 130,879,300 127,154,840 Public Service Assessed Value 46,117,660 190.624.150 41.478,300 43,942,650 42,751,220 41,934,920 41,133,050 40,282.680 37,006,120 35.046,590 Total Assessed Value 867,865,250 814.702.862 784.635,762 754,188,085 733,708,115 723,722,210 701,159.290 684,482.370 666,034,050 644,526,970 Less: Homestead Exemption Value 249,056,371 243,436,347 244.716,657 240,227,447 239,288,703 234,283,864 228,433.625 224,703.390 224,926,920 225,468,750 Total Taxable Assessed Value 419,058,220 618,808,879 571.266.515 539,919,105 513,960,638 494,419,412 489,438,346 472,725.665 459,778.980 441,107,130 Total Estimated Actual Value 7,723,789,940 6,858.713.420 6,994,585,953 6.717,299,750 6,558,137,597 6,451,203,780 6,262,646.867 6,121,047.920 6,002,039,447 5.811,140,693 Total Direct Tax Rate 21.66 21.66 21.66 21.66 21.66 21.66 21.66 21.66 21.66 21.66 Ratio of Total Assessed Value to Total 11.24% 11.88% 11.22% 11.23% 11.19% 11.22% 11.20% 11.18% 11.10% 11.09% Estimated Actual Value

Source: Livingston Parish Assessor's Office; Louisiana Tax Commission Annual Reports

## **Livingston Parish Sheriff**

## DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING PROPERTY TAX RATES

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,										
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	
Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office Direct Rates:											
Law Enforcement	21.660	21.660	21.660	21.660	21.660	21.660	21.660	21.660	21.660	21.660	
Overlapping Governments' Rates:											
Parish Government	30.120	31.270	31.270	30.770	30.270	31.340	33.250	33.140	32.685	32.429	
School District	71.040	77.790	81.790	87.790	85.790	104.760	110.610	146.980	161.110	182.880	
Cities, Towns, and Villages	11.973	9.884	9.638	9.638	9.638	9.885	9.885	9.764	8.468	8.362	
Fire Districts	100.600	98.890	98.730	98.760	98.420	98.890	93.420	93.300	91.380	98.940	
Lighting Districts	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Recreational Districts	29.130	30.000	30.100	44.620	44.870	45.350	46.000	44.920	44.920	47.000	
Other Districts	4.970	5.160	5.160	5.160	5.160	5.270	5.270	5.270	5.270	5.400	
Total Direct and Overlapping Rates:	269.49	274.65	278.35	298.40	295.81	317.16	320.10	355.03	365.49	396.67	

Source: Livingston Parish Assessor's Office

## PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS

# CURRENT YEAR AND TEN YEARS AGO (UNAUDITED)

	2021				2012	
Taxpayer	Taxable Assessed Value	Rank	Percentage of Total Assessed Value	Taxable Assessed Value	Rank	Percentage of Total Assessed Value
Dixie Electric Membership	\$ 16,605,020	1	1.91%	\$ 11,565,180	1	1.79%
Entergy Louisiana, LLC	12,657,720	2	1.46%	4,840,450	4	0.75%
Ferrara Fire Apparatus	6,298,480	3	0.73%	4,040,430	7	0.7370
All Star Dodge	3,778,420	4	0.44%	_		_
Bellsouth Telecommunications	3,478,120	5	0.40%	_		_
East Ascension Telephone	3,211,210	6	0.37%	6,415,970	3	1.00%
Creekstone Juban I LLC	3,055,900	7	0.35%	2,919,530	6	0.45%
CB & I Walker LA, LLC	2,960,980	8	0.34%	2,213,330	V	-
Grand Trunk Western RA	2,446,000	9	0.28%	-		-
Weyerheauser Company	2,243,370	10	0.26%	-		-
Shaw Sunland Fabricators			0.00%	10,292,370	2	1.60%
Bass Pro Outdoor World	<del>-</del>		-	1,859,610	7	0.29%
Wal-Mart Louisiana, LLC	-		-	4,283,160	5	0.66%
Omni Bank	-		-	1,520,740	9	0.24%
Southern Natural Gas, Company	-		-	1,534,470	8	0.24%
Boardwalk Place Limit	-		-	1,350,080	10	0.21%
	\$ 56,735,220		6.54%	\$ 46,581,560		7.23%

Source: Livingston Parish Assessor's Office

#### PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS

## LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2020 2021 2019 2018 2017 2016 2015 2014 2013 2012 Total Tax Levy for Fiscal Year \$ 66.038,401 \$ 62,199,588 \$ 59,149,532 \$ 57,672.519 \$ 54,461,412 \$ 54.986,130 \$ 58.152,415 \$ 51,341,660 \$ 48,915,306 \$ 48,745.627 Current Tax Collections 64,423.560 60,585,513 58,571,612 57,020,840 53,609,494 54.565,369 53,643,968 50,770,979 47,940,499 Percent of Levy Collected 97.55% 97.41% 99.02% 98.87% 98.44% 99.23% 92.25% 98.89% 98.01% Collections for Prior Years 1,341.848 747,692 88,179 252.413 184.953 248,103 187,827 275,446 974,963 Total Collections 65.765,408 61,333,199 58,659,791 57,273.253 53,794,447 54.813,472 53.831,795 51,046,425 48,915,462 Ratio of Total Collections to Tax Levy 99.59% 98.61% 99.17% 99.31% 98.78% 99.69% 92.57% 99.42% 100.00%

Notes: \* Information not available: New Tax Software implemented in 2013

Source: Total Tax Levy, Livingston Parish Assessor's Office

## RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE

## LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30.											
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012		
Governmental Activities:								***************************************		***************************************		
Revenue Bonds	\$ 3,500,000	\$ 5,522.000	\$ 5,530,000	\$ 6,245,000	\$ 6.960.000	\$ 2,240,000	\$ 2,520,000	<u>s</u> -	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>s</u> -		
Total Outstanding Debt	\$ 3,500,000	\$ 5,522,000	\$ 5,530,000	\$ 6,245,000	\$ 6,960,000	\$ 2,240,000	\$ 2,520,000	<u> </u>	\$ -	<u>s</u> -		
Percentage of Personal Income (1)	*	*	*	0.08%	0.13%	0.04%	0.05%	-	-	-		
Population (2)	*	*	140,789	139,567	138,228	140,080	137,564	135,579	134.029	131.843		
Debt Per Capita	*	*	39.28	44.75	50.35	15.99	18.32	-	-	-		
Percentage of Estimated Actual Value of Property	0.05%	0.08%	0.08%	0.09%	0.11%	0.03%	0.04%	-	-	-		

Notes: \* Information not available.

(1) Personal Income Disclosed on Table 14

(2) United States Census Bureau

Details regarding the Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

Source: See Table 6 for Estimated Actual Value of Property

See Table 14 for Economic Statistics

## DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT

# AS OF JUNE 30, 2021 (UNAUDITED)

Governmental Unit:	Debt Outstanding	Estimated Percentage Applicable	Amount Applicable to Primary Government			
Parish Governments	\$ 26,870,000	100%	\$	26,870,000		
Parishwide School Districts	96,191,747	100%		96,191,747		
Recreation Districts	13,655,000	100%		13,655,000		
Community Development District	52,370,000	100%		52,370,000		
Library	2,635,000	100%		2,635,000		
Subtotal, Overlapping Debt				191,721,747		
Livingston Parish Sheriff Direct Debt				3,500,000		
Total Direct and Overlapping Debt			\$	195,221,747		

Notes: Overlapping governments are those that coincide, at least in part, with geographic boundaries of the Parish. This schedule estimates the portion of the outstanding debt of those overlapping governments that is born by the property taxpayers of the Livingston Parish Sheriff. This process recognizes that, when considering the government's ability to issue and repay long-term debt, the entire debt burden born by the property taxpayers should be taken into account. However, this does not imply that every taxpayer is a resident, and therefore responsible for repaying the debt of each overlapping government.

Source: Outstanding debt and applicable percentages provided by each government.

Estimated

Actual

Taxable Assessed

Value as a Percentage of

Total Taxable

## LIVINGSTON PARISH SHERIFF

#### LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION

## AS OF JUNE 30, 2021 (UNAUDITED)

Year	Assessed Value	Estimated Actual Value	Value
2021	\$ 618,808,879	8.01%	\$ 7,723,789,940
2020	571,276,515	8.33%	6,858,713,420
2019	539,919,105	7.72%	6,994.585,953
2018	513,960,638	7.65%	6,717.299,750
2017	494.419,412	7.54%	6,558,137,597
			\$ 34,852,526,660
Total Five Year Valuation			
Five Year Average Full Valuation of Taxable Real Property			\$ 6,970,505,332
Statutory Debt Limit (10% of Assessed Valuation)			\$ 697.050,533
Outstanding General Obligation Indebtedness as of June 30, 2019			
Governmental Activities - General Obligation Debt			2 500 000
Governmental Activities - Revenue Bonds Net Indebtedness Subject to Debt Limit			3,500,000
Net indebteditess subject to Debt Limit			3.500,000
Net Debt Contracting Margin			\$ 693,550,533
Percentage of Net Debt Contracting Margin Available			99.50%
Percentage of Net Debt Power Exhausted			0.50%
Last Ten Fiscal Years (June 30)			
Little I viz I Elevel I vizio (vizzo ov)	Statutory	Outstanding	Percentage of Net
	Debt	Indebtedness	Debt Contracting
Year	Limit	June 30	Margin Available
2021	\$ 697,050,533	\$ 3,500,000	0.50%
2020	671,598,810	5,522,000	0.82%
2019	659,677,479	5,530.000	0.84%
2018	642.206,718	6,245,000	0.97%
2017	627.901,512	6,960.000	1.11%
2016	612,961,574	2.240,000	0.37%
2015	597,284,827	2,520,000	0.42%
2014	*	-	*
2013	*	-	*

Notes: \* Information not available due to no outstanding debt.

2012

Fiscal

## PLEDGED-REVENUE COVERAGE

AS OF JUNE 30, 2021 (UNAUDITED)

Special Assessment Bonds

Fiscal	Special Assessment	Debt	Service	
Year	Collections	Principal	Interest	Coverage
-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-

Notes: Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office does not have any Special Assessment Bonds nor has had any for the previous ten years.

## **DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS**

# AS OF JUNE 30, 2021 (UNAUDITED)

Year	Population (1)	Median Age (1)	Per Capita Personal Income (1)	Total Personal Income (1)	Education Level in Years of Formal Schooling (2)	Public School Enrollment (2)	Total Unemployment Rate (3)
2021	*	*	*	*	*	25,900	5.1%
2020	*	*	*	*	*	25,520	8.4%
2019	140,789	*	*	*	*	25,712	4.1%
2018	139,567	36.3	40,658	5,674,450,000	12.93	25,855	4.1%
2017	138,228	35.9	38,493	5,320,879,000	12.90	25,482	4.2%
2016	140,080	35.6	37,509	5,254,329,000	12.87	25,418	5.1%
2015	137,564	35.3	38,554	5,303,613,000	12.88	25,994	5.1%
2014	135,579	35.0	37,320	5,059,821,000	12.88	25,992	5.5%
2013	134,029	35.0	35,654	4,778,635,000	12.87	25,826	5.8%
2012	131,843	34.7	35,687	4,705,017,000	12.88	25,554	6.4%

Notes: \* Information not available.

Sources: (1) U.S. Census Bureau, Bureau of Economic Analysis

- (2) Annual School Census of Department of Education
- (3) Bureau of Labor Statistics

## PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS

AS OF JUNE 30, 2021 (UNAUDITED)

		021	June 30, 2012				
			Percentage of			Percentage of	
	Number		Total Livingston	Number		Total Livingston	
	of		Parish	of		Parish	
Employer	Employees	Rank	Employment	Employees	Rank	Employment	
Livingston Parish Public Schools	3,800	1	5.75%	*	*	*	
Walmart Supercenter	803	2	1.22%	*	*	*	
CB&I Storage Solutions	577	3	0.87%	*	*	*	
Bass Pro Shops	400	4	0.61%	*	*	*	
Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office	311	5	0.47%	*	*	*	
CEI Environmental Services	200	6	0.30%	*	*	*	
Parish of Livingston	200	7	0.30%	*	*	*	
Sam's Club	180	8	0.27%	*	*	*	
Martin Brower Company	160	9	0.24%	*	*	*	
All Star Dodge Chrysler Jeep	150	10	0.23%	*	*	*	
Total - 10 Largest Employers	6,781		10.27%	*		*	

Notes: \* Information not available

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Livingston Economic Development Council

#### FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION

## LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Public Safety										
Full-Time Positions										
Financial Administration:										
Accounting	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	**	**
Civil	14	12	11	10	8	o	0	0	**	***
Property Tax	6	5	5	5	6	7	7	8	水水	市市
Accounts Payable	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	**	**
Human Resources/Payroll	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	**	***
Sheriff Sales	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	**	*io als
Support Services:										
Administration	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	**	市市
Communications-911	31	33	34	32	33	35	33	29	水水	市本
Criminal Records	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	**	**
Π	4	4	3	3	4	3	3	3	**	**
Internal Affairs	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	**	**
Public Information Officer	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	李李	**
Vehicle Maintenance	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	水安	**
Clerical	11	11	8	8	9	9	9	9	**	**
Paralegal	1	1	1	*	*	*	*	*	##	**
Warrants	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	非净	**
Law Enforcement Operations:										
Canine (K-9)	4	5	5	6	5	5	5	5	**	非非
Court Security	13	13	13	13	11	12	11	11	水水	市市
Evidence Room	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	**	**
Uniform Patrol	51	47	54	53	54	56	53	49	**	¥0 ×4
Criminal Investigations	36	34	28	26	26	26	25	24	**	*io afe
Dare	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	**	市市
SRO	10	9	9	5	5	5	5	5	**	sje zje
Marine Patrol	5	5	5	5	6	3	3	3	水水	sje zje
Motor Division	6	7	8	7	7	7	7	7	非本	**
Training Center	6	5	5	5	4	5	5	5	**	**
Detention Center:										
Administration	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	**	市市
Clerical	7	7	8	5	5	4	4	4	本本	**
Transportation	6	6	6	5	6	6	5	5	**	**
Jailers	75	72	71	70	72	73	69	67	##	**
Total Full-Time Positions	319	307	304	288	291	286	274	263	**	**
Part-Time Positions										
School Crossing Guards	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	**	市市
9				4 1			2	1	**	**
All Other Departments Total Part-Time Positions	2	<u>2</u> 5	<u>2</u>		<u>2</u>	2		5	**	**
			***************************************			6				
Total	324	312	310	293	297	292	280	268	##	**

Notes: \* Paralegal added to our Agency 3/1/19

\*\* New Payroll system started 7/1/2014, all prior information not available

Source: Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office

#### OPERATING INDICATORS BY FUNCTION

#### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,									
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Population - Total	ofe	ofe	140,789	139,567	138,228	140,080	137.564	135,579	134,029	131,843
Calls for Service	122,123	105,231	166,927	226,838	219.360	263.276	220.090	202,705	水市	非净
Assigned Cases	6,703	6,467	7,256	8,171	7,013	7,197	6,673	6,468	安安	本本
Traffic Tickets Issued	1,834	1,794	3,611	4.322	3,458	3,889	4,428	4,092	3,319	***
Crime Statistics:										
Murders	8	4	3	9	13	2	2	9	4	1
Rapes	80	53	34	38	28	23	43	30	21	9
Assaults	1,982	1,885	1,226	1,932	2,018	1,724	1,816	828	736	1,411
<b>Total Persons Crimes</b>	2,070	1,942	1,263	1,979	2,059	1.749	1.861	867	761	1,421
Robberies	12	18	10	12	11	12	20	14	19	23
Burglary	318	642	459	798	975	934	1,272	1,001	1,256	729
Theft	1,822	1,734	1,410	2,118	2,441	1.998	1.916	1.740	1,845	1,504
Vehicle Theft	181	141	112	20	27	15	22	12	16	91
Arson				5	2			5	3	5
Total Property Crimes	2,333	2,535	1,991	2,953	3,456	2,959	3,230	2,772	3,139	2,352
Total	4,403	4,477	3,254	4,932	5,515	4,708	5,091	3,639	3,900	3,773
Estimated Value of Property Stolen	\$ 3,759,810	\$ 4,377,657	\$ 3,570,876	\$ 4,214,553	\$ 4,721,027	\$ 3,873,697	\$ 4.606,509	\$ 2,792,222	\$ 3,422,463	\$ 3,806,042
Estimated Value of Property Recovered	\$ 2,126,964	\$ 1,310,779	\$ 1,282,640	\$ 842,043	\$ 719,476	\$ 506.834	\$ 435.938	\$ 282.158	\$ 217,543	\$ 195,302
Crime Rate per 1,000 Residents	妆	*	23.11	35.34	39.90	33.61	37.01	26.84	29.10	28.62

Notes: \* Information not yet available

Sources: Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office See Table 14 for Demographic Statistics

<sup>\*\*</sup> Information not available due to new system software implemented; old system and files were lost in August 2016 Flood
\*\*\* Information not available due to new traffic tickets system software implemented

#### CAPITAL ASSETS BY FUNCTION

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

		Fiscal Year								
	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Public Safety				<b>X</b>						***************************************
Financial Administration:										
Accounting	1	2	2	5	4	4	3	5	8	2
Civil	11	10	10	15	15	15	13	10	18	8
Property Tax	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	16	13	10
Purchasing	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	16	16	16	26	25	25	22	32	40	21
Support Services:										
Administration	13	13	11	37	30	29	25	20	16	25
Building Maintenance	11	10	10	4	4	3	3	6	6	4
Communications - 911	10	11	11	16	16	16	16	30	21	20
Criminal Records	5	5	5	11	11	8	7	20	6	32
Human Resources	4	4	4	6	5	5	5	2	1	2
Information Systems	19	19	19	22	22	22	22	15	4	28
Public Affairs	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	4	1	4
Fleet Maintenance	2	4	4	5	8	8	5	6	7	5
	66	68	66	104	99	94	86	103	62	120
Law Enforcement Operations:										
Canine (K-9) / Criminal Patrol	16	14	12	29	32	32	27	19	24	16
Forensic Investigations	21	21	21	3	3	3	3	2	3	3
Criminal Investigations	18	18	14	101	105	99	97	72	129	48
Marine Patrol	36	36	36	24	24	23	16	18	16	13
Uniform Patrol	282	284	270	406	496	446	423	214	403	272
Narcotic Investigation	25	24	21	33	33	34	31	22	20	30
Law Enforcement Training	19	19	16	24	22	17	17	17	25	18
Firing Range - Training	22	22	18	54	57	47	40	30	54	12
Special Operations Unit	18	18	18	63	63	62	61	51	91	43
Traffic	17	17	16	31	37	32	29	37	54	26
Emergency Response/Logistical Equipment	22	21	20	22	22	22	21	8	5	5
	496	494	462	790	894	817	765	490	824	486
Corrections Division:										
Detention Center	68	68	63	70	67	62	59	39	61	60
Work Release Facility	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
·	69	69	64	71	68	63	59	39	61	60

Notes: The number of Capital Assets by Function was compiled beginning in fiscal year ended June 30, 2012 via Fixed Asset Manager.

Source: Livingston Parish Sheriff's Office



OTHER GOVERNMENTAL REPORTING INFORMATION

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



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To the Honorable Jason Ard Livingston Parish Sheriff Livingston, Louisiana

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 the governmental activities, each major fund, the budgetary comparison statement of the general fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Livingston Parish Sheriff (the "Sheriff") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Sheriff's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 22, 2021.

#### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

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

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Sheriff'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 Sheriff'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 Sheriff's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose; however, under Louisiana Revised Statue 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

Respectfully submitted, Hannis T. Bourgeois, LLP

Denham Springs, Louisiana December 22, 2021

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUNDIANCE



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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

To the Honorable Jason Ard Livingston Parish Sheriff Livingston, Louisiana

#### Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Livingston Parish Sheriff's (the "Sheriff") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Sheriff's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2021. The Sheriff's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

#### Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its federal programs.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Sheriff's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance 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 of *Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Sheriff's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Sheriff's compliance.

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Livingston Parish Sheriff complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2021.

#### Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the Sheriff is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Sheriff's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Sheriff's internal control over compliance.

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

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

#### **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose; however, under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

Respectfully submitted,

Hannis T. Bourgeois, LLP

Denham Springs, Louisiana December 22, 2021

## SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

# A. Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements	
Type of auditor's report issued: unmodified	
Internal control over financial reporting:	
• Material weaknesses identified?	Yes <u>x</u> No
• Significant deficiencies identified?	Yes x None Reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	Yes <u>x</u> No
Federal Awards	
Internal control over major programs:	
• Material weaknesses identified?	Yes <u>x</u> No
• Significant deficiencies identified?	Yes x None Reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: unmodified	
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance?	Yes <u>x</u> No
Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program Name	CFDA Number
United States Department of Treasury:  Passed Through Louisiana Division of Administration:  COVID-19 - Coronavirus Relief Funds	21.019

- The threshold for distinguishing Type A and B programs was \$750,000 for major federal programs.
- The auditee did not qualify as a low-risk auditee for federal purposes.

# SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONTINUED)

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

B. Findings - Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

None

C. Findings - Compliance

None

# SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

A.	Findings -	Internal	Control	Over	Financial	Reporting
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None

B. Findings - Compliance

None