

DODGE COUNTY, GEORGIA
ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues
Dodge County, Georgia

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Dodge County, Georgia, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2011, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Dodge County, Georgia's management. My responsibility is to express opinions on the financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my 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 I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinions.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Dodge County, Georgia, as of December 31, 2011, and the respective changes in financial position, thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund, for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, I have also issued my report dated June 29, 2012, on my consideration of Dodge County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting and on my tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of my testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of my audit.

Dodge County, Georgia has not presented the management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. The required supplementary information on page 32 is not a part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Such information, although not 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. I 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 my inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge I obtained during my audit of the basic financial statements. I do not

express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide me with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Dodge County, Georgia's basic financial statements as a whole. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, and is also not a required part of the financial statements. The schedules of expenditures of special purpose local option sales tax proceeds are presented as required part of the basic financial statements. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards, and the schedules of expenditures of special purpose local option sales tax proceeds are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In my opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.



Eastman, Georgia
June 29, 2012

Dodge County, Georgia
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
December 31, 2011

	PRIMARY GOVERNMENT	COMPONENT UNIT
	Governmental Activities	Governmental Activities
Assets:		
Cash	914,035	434,587
Investments	-	-
Taxes receivable, net	1,208,717	-
Due from other governments	70,534	8,823
Loans receivable	302,837	-
Prepaid Expenses	-	-
Inventory	11,316	-
Accrued Interest	10,269	-
Debt issuance cost, net of amortization	98,038	-
Net pension obligation asset	53,684	-
Capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation):		
Land	351,410	-
Construction in Progress	5,928,017	-
Buildings	1,019,215	-
Improvements	869,237	-
Machinery and equipment Infrastructure	1,037,654 2,803,961	1,697 -
Total Assets	14,678,924	445,107
Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	187,496	-
Accrued liabilities	15,000	6,036
Deferred tax revenue	-	-
Deferred grant revenue	-	-
Noncurrent liabilities:		
Due within one year:		
Capital lease payable	40,784	-
Note payable	86,589	-
Bond Payable	590,000	-
Due in more than one year:		
Accrued liabilities	-	24,146
Capital lease payable	43,231	-
Note payable	-	-
Bond Payable	3,800,000	-
Closure/post closure care	1,640,517	-
Total liabilities	6,403,617	30,182
Net assets:		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	7,546,928	1,697
Restricted for:		
Prior year program income	-	77,288
Non-current loans receivable	302,837	-
Unrestricted	425,542	335,940
Total net assets	8,275,307	414,925

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Dodge County, Georgia
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

Functions	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets					
	Expenses	Charges for Services and Fines	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Primary Governmental Activities	Component Unit Governmental Activities
Primary government:						
Governmental activities:						
General government	\$ 1,281,783	\$ 20,606	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (1,261,177)	-
Public safety	4,287,144	1,495,776	410,571	-	(2,380,797)	-
Public works	3,230,306	274,063	398,071	66,922	(2,491,250)	-
Judiciary	829,215	654,018	-	-	(175,197)	-
Health & welfare	475,632	-	182,437	178,463	(114,732)	-
Recreation & culture	282,228	-	88,802	-	(193,426)	-
Development & housing	302,888	30,601	-	-	(272,287)	-
Community service	921,438	8,114	111,856	482,366	(319,102)	-
Interest on Long Term Debt	384,987	-	-	-	(384,987)	-
Total governmental activities	\$11,995,621	\$ 2,483,178	\$ 1,191,737	\$ 727,751	(7,592,955)	-
Component units:						
Governmental-type	\$ 443,212	\$ 145,283	\$ 277,468	\$ -	-	(20,461)
General revenues:						
Property taxes					4,097,101	-
Sales taxes					3,351,913	-
Other taxes					610,909	-
Sales of capital assets					16,500	-
Interest					17,385	-
Other revenues					784,393	42,780
Transfers					-	-
Total general revenues and transfers					8,878,201	42,780
Change in net assets					1,285,246	22,319
Net assets - beginning					6,990,061	392,606
Adjustments					-	-
Net assets - ending					\$ 8,275,307	\$ 414,925

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Dodge County, Georgia
BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

December 31, 2011

	General	Revolving Loan Fund	2008 SPLOST	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Assets:					
Cash	\$ -	\$ 18,533	\$ 808,169	\$ 160,042	\$ 986,744
Investments	-	-	-	-	-
Taxes receivable, net	1,008,887	-	199,830	-	1,208,717
Due from other governments	70,534	-	-	-	70,534
Due from other funds	-	-	1,125	-	1,125
Loans receivable	-	302,837	-	-	302,837
Prepaid expenses	-	-	-	-	-
Inventory	11,316	-	-	-	11,316
Accrued Interest	-	10,269	-	-	10,269
Total assets	1,090,737	331,639	1,009,124	160,042	2,591,542
Liabilities:					
Bank overdraft	72,709	-	-	-	72,709
Accounts payable	187,496	-	-	-	187,496
Accrued liabilities	15,000	-	-	-	15,000
Due to other funds	1,125	-	-	-	1,125
Deferred tax revenue	480,616	-	-	-	480,616
Deferred grant revenues	-	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	756,946	-	-	-	756,946
Fund balances:					
Reserved for non-current loans receivable	-	302,837	-	-	302,837
Unreserved reported in:					
General fund	333,791	-	-	-	333,791
Special revenue funds	-	28,802	-	158,147	186,949
Capital projects funds	-	-	1,009,124	1,895	1,011,019
Total fund balances	333,791	331,639	1,009,124	160,042	1,834,596
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 1,090,737	\$ 331,639	\$ 1,009,124	\$ 160,042	\$ 2,591,542

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Dodge County, Georgia
Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet of Governmental Funds
To the Statement of Net Assets
December 31, 2011

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:

Total Fund Balance on the balance sheet	\$ 1,834,596
Net pension obligation - Pension assets resulting from contributions in excess on the annual required contribution.	53,684
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. (capital assets amounted to \$18,884,751 accumulated depreciation amounted to \$6,875,257 and bond issuance costs, net \$98,038)	12,107,532
Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current-period expenditures and, therefore, are deferred in the funds.	480,616
Long-term liabilities, including landfill estimated cost of closure and post closure care and capital leases payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. (closure/post closure care amounted to \$1,640,517; capital lease payable amounted to \$84,015; notes payable amounted to \$86,589; bonds payable amounted to \$4,390,000.	<u>(6,201,121)</u>
Net assets of governmental activities	<u>\$ 8,275,307</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Dodge County, Georgia
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	General	Revolving Loan Fund	2008 SPLOST	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:					
Taxes	\$ 6,108,769	\$ -	\$ 2,170,937	\$ -	\$ 8,279,706
Licenses and permits	44,870	-	-	-	44,870
Intergovernmental	1,958,416	-	-	390,066	2,348,482
Charges for services	1,156,653	-	-	428,841	1,585,494
Judicial fees and charges	691,566	-	-	62,444	754,010
Other	339,815	14,434	2,260	128,766	485,275
Total revenues	10,300,089	14,434	2,173,197	1,010,117	13,497,837
Expenditures:					
Current:					
General government	1,163,665	-	-	127,136	1,290,801
Public safety	3,230,298	-	48,136	926,088	4,204,523
Public works	2,318,123	-	208,441	451,167	2,977,732
Judiciary	829,215	-	-	-	829,215
Health & welfare	189,570	-	98,671	-	288,241
Recreation & culture	261,363	-	2,691	-	264,055
Development & housing	238,095	-	-	-	238,095
Community service	902,369	-	-	-	902,369
Capital outlay:					
General government	-	-	-	-	-
Public safety	167,179	-	2,174,680	-	2,341,859
Public Works	2,000	-	-	84,638	86,638
Health & Welfare	-	-	-	178,463	178,463
Recreation & culture	-	-	-	-	-
Debt service:					
Pricipal retirement	986,567	-	565,000	83,166	1,634,733
Interest	191,354	-	186,631	7,002	384,987
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	10,479,798	-	3,284,251	1,857,660	15,621,709
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	(179,709)	14,434	(1,111,054)	(847,543)	(2,123,872)
Other financing sources (uses):					
Loan proceeds	129,842	-	-	-	129,842
Reimbursement	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	-	-	-	69,813	69,813
Transfers out	(69,813)	-	-	-	(69,813)
Total other financing sources and (uses)	60,029	-	-	69,813	129,842
Net change in fund balance	(119,680)	14,434	(1,111,054)	(777,730)	(1,994,030)
Fund balances - beginning	453,471	317,205	2,120,178	937,772	3,828,626
Adjustments	-	-	-	-	-
Fund balances - ending	333,791	\$ 331,639	\$ 1,009,124	\$ 160,042	\$ 1,834,596

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Dodge County, Georgia
 Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues,
 Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds
 To the Statement of Activities
 For the Year Ended December 31, 2011

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds (1,994,030)

Net pension obligation - Change in pension assets resulting from contributions in excess of the annual required contribution. 53,684

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period. 1,951,668

In the Statement of Activities, only the gain on the disposal of capital assets is reported, whereas in the governmental funds, the proceeds from the sale increase financial resources. Thus, the change in net assets differs from the change in fund balance by the cost of the assets disposed of. -

Because some revenues will not be collected for several months after the government's fiscal year end, they are not considered available revenues and are deferred in the governmental funds. Deferred revenues decreased by this amount during the fiscal year. (216,968)

Payment of landfill postclosure cost is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the payment of landfill postclosure cost is a reduction of long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets. -

The issuance of long - term debt (e.g., bonds, leases, notes) 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 assets. Also, governmental funds report the effect of issuance costs, premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities.

Debt Issued or Incurred	(2,879,841)
Bond Issuance Costs	(14,000)
Principal Repayments	
Bonds	565,000
Capital Leases	86,567
Notes Payable	<u>3,733,166</u>

Net assets of governmental activities	<u><u>1,285,246</u></u>
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Dodge County, Georgia
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Taxes	\$ 6,064,500	\$6,064,500	\$ 6,108,769	\$ 44,269
Licenses and permits	40,500	40,500	44,870	4,370
Intergovernmental	474,616	254,616	1,958,416	1,703,800
Charges for services	1,174,500	1,197,500	1,156,653	(40,847)
Judicial fees and charges	850,000	640,000	691,566	51,566
Other	16,300	16,300	339,815	323,515
Total revenues	8,620,416	8,213,416	10,300,089	2,086,673
Current expenditures:				
General government:				
Office of Commissioner	368,783	516,754	547,596	(30,842)
Registrar and election	81,360	97,850	121,129	(23,279)
Self-Insured Health Plan	840,000	10,000	-	10,000
Office of Tax Commissioner	206,039	225,546	186,563	38,983
Tax Assessor and Appraiser	266,135	349,253	301,401	47,852
Tax Collector	20,000	20,000	6,976	13,024
Total general government	1,782,317	1,219,403	1,163,665	55,738
Public safety:				
Office of Sheriff	2,275,210	1,473,960	1,819,370	(345,410)
EMA	24,020	24,020	21,843	2,177
Coroner	29,336	29,336	24,691	4,645
EMS	759,689	853,366	912,446	(59,080)
Building Inspector	32,435	56,363	64,400	(8,037)
Oconee Drug Task Force	-	-	370,279	(370,279)
Miscellaneous	11,700	17,900	17,268	632
Total public safety	3,132,390	2,454,945	3,230,298	(775,353)
Public works:				
Landfill and sanitation	588,863	595,824	661,135	(65,311)
Roads	1,213,928	1,363,452	1,656,989	(293,537)
Total public works	1,802,791	1,959,276	2,318,123	(358,847)
Judiciary:				
Clerk of Superior Court	213,820	293,042	240,729	52,313
Superior Court	171,585	179,561	192,083	(12,522)
Probate Court	161,909	171,721	184,013	(12,292)
Magistrate Court	163,604	196,696	212,390	(15,694)
Total judiciary	710,918	841,020	829,215	11,805

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Dodge County, Georgia
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL - CONTINUED

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Health & welfare:				
Eastman Dodge Nutrition Center	81,516	81,516	71,880	9,636
Public health	94,500	94,500	108,462	(13,962)
Family and Children Services	11,200	11,200	8,227	2,973
Paupers and financial assistance	-	-	1,000	(1,000)
	187,216	187,216	189,570	(2,354)
Total health & welfare				
Recreation & culture:				
Library	57,940	57,940	57,936	4
Historical Society	9,000	9,000	9,000	-
Recreation	166,500	182,452	194,427	(11,975)
	233,440	249,392	261,363	(11,971)
Total recreation & culture				
Development & housing:				
Development Authority	-	-	14,336	(14,336)
Firefighters Association	78,540	78,540	84,000	(5,460)
Forestry Department	13,811	13,811	13,811	-
Chamber of Commerce	87,000	94,976	94,030	946
NRCS Conservation	56,085	33,125	31,918	1,207
	235,436	220,452	238,095	(17,643)
Total development & housing				
Community service:				
Extension Service	84,493	84,493	89,054	(4,561)
GEFA Irrigation Grant	-	-	482,366	(482,366)
Miscellaneous	18,700	14,000	7,652	6,348
Airport	16,750	16,750	17,480	(730)
Eastman-Dodge Council on Aging	22,910	22,910	19,087	3,823
Dodge County Agricultural Park	200	200	420	(220)
Regional Development Center	13,500	12,000	79,299	(67,299)
Building Rent	2,400	2,400	2,400	-
Transit	209,419	231,786	204,612	27,174
	368,372	384,539	902,369	(517,830)
Total community service				

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Dodge County, Georgia
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL - CONTINUED

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Capital outlay:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	88,000	88,000	167,179	(79,179)
Public works	-	-	2,000	(2,000)
Total capital outlay	<u>88,000</u>	<u>88,000</u>	<u>169,179</u>	<u>(81,179)</u>
Debt service:				
Principal retirement	-	-	986,567	(986,567)
Interest	-	-	191,354	(191,354)
Total debt service	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,177,921</u>	<u>(1,177,921)</u>
Total expenditures	<u>8,540,880</u>	<u>7,604,243</u>	<u>10,479,798</u>	<u>(5,625,555)</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures	79,536	609,173	(179,709)	(788,882)
Other financing sources (uses):				
Loan proceeds	-	-	129,842	129,842
Reimbursement	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	-	-	-	-
Transfers out	<u>(70,597)</u>	<u>(163,334)</u>	<u>(69,813)</u>	<u>93,521</u>
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(70,597)</u>	<u>(163,334)</u>	<u>60,029</u>	<u>223,363</u>
Net change in fund balances	<u>8,939</u>	<u>445,839</u>	<u>(119,680)</u>	<u>(565,519)</u>
Fund balances - beginning	<u>453,471</u>	<u>453,471</u>	<u>453,471</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balances - ending	<u>\$ 462,410</u>	<u>\$ 899,310</u>	<u>\$ 333,791</u>	<u>\$ (565,519)</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
December 31, 2011

ASSETS	
Cash	\$ 513,073
Due from other governments	-
Due from other funds	-
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Total assets	<u>513,073</u>
 LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable	-
Due to others	513,073
Due to other funds	-
Due to other taxing units	-
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Total liabilities	<u>\$ 513,073</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Dodge County, Georgia
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
December 31, 2011

1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of Dodge County, Georgia have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP) as applied to governments. The Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The County also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) statements and interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, to its governmental and business-type activities at the government-wide financial reporting level and to its enterprise funds at the fund reporting level, provided they do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements.

The more significant of the County's accounting policies are described below.

A Reporting Entity

Dodge County, Georgia (the Government) was chartered under the laws of Georgia in 1870. The County operates under a five member Board of Commissioners form of government. Dodge County provides services in the following functions: General Government, Public Safety, Public Works, Judicial, Health and Welfare, Recreation and Culture, Development and Housing, and Community Services.

The County's basic financial statements include the accounts of all County operations. The criteria for including organizations within the County's reporting entity, as set forth in GASB No. 14 "The Financial Reporting Entity", is financial accountability. Financial accountability is defined as appointment of a voting majority of the component unit's board and either the ability to impose will by the primary government or the possibility that the component unit will provide a financial benefit to or impose a financial burden on the primary government.

Discretely Presented Component Units – Discretely presented component units are reported in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements to emphasize they are legally separate from the Government.

Dodge County Public Health Center – The financial operations of the Dodge County Public health Center are presented as a governmental fund type. The seven members of the Board of Health include the Chairmen of Dodge County, three County appointed members, the County School Superintendent, the City Administrator, and one City appointed member. The Board of Health has a June 30th year-end. The Board of Health is responsible for health programs designed for prevention, early detection, treatment and referral. The complete financial statements for Dodge County Public health Center may be obtained at the following address: Dodge County, P.O. Box 818, Eastman, GA 31023.

B Basis of Presentation

The County's basic financial statements consist of government-wide statements, including a statement of net assets and a statement of activities and fund financial statements, which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

Government-wide Financial Statements – The government-wide financial statements include a statement of net assets and a statement of activities. These statements report financial information for the County as a whole. All funds other than fiduciary activities are included at the government-wide reporting level. These statements include separate columns for the governmental and business-type activities of the primary government, as well as its discretely presented component units. Individual funds are not displayed at this reporting level, but the statements distinguish governmental activities, generally supported by taxes and County general revenues, from business-type activities, generally financed in whole or in part with fees charged to external customers.

The statement of net assets presents the financial position of the governmental and business-type activities of the County.

Dodge County, Georgia
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
December 31, 2011

The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function of the County's governmental activities and for each identifiable activity of the business-type activities of the County. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a function and therefore clearly identifiable to that function. The County does not allocate indirect expenses to functions in the statement of activities.

The statement of activities reports the expenses of a given function offset by program revenues directly related to the functional program. A function is an assembly of similar activities and may include portions of a fund or summarize more than one fund to capture the expenses and program revenues associated with a distinct functional activity. Program revenues include: (1) charges for services which report fees and other charges to users of the County's services; (2) operating grants and contributions which finance annual operating activities including restricted investment income; and (3) capital grants and contributions which fund the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of capital assets. These revenues are subject to externally imposed restrictions to these program uses. For identifying to which function program revenue pertains, the determining factor for *charges for services* is which function *generates* the revenue. For *grants and contributions*, the determining factor is to which function the revenues are *restricted*.

Taxes and other revenue sources not properly included with program revenues are reported as general revenues of the County. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function and each identifiable business activity is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the County.

Fund Financial Statements – During the year, the County segregates transactions related to certain County functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the County at this more detailed level. Fund financial statements are provided for governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary funds.

Major individual governmental and enterprise funds are reported in separate columns with composite columns for non-major funds. The fiduciary funds are reported by type.

Fund Accounting - The County uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. The County uses two categories of funds: governmental and fiduciary.

Governmental Funds - Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. Governmental fund reporting focuses on the sources, uses and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purpose for which they may or must be used. Fund liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be liquidated. The County reports the difference between governmental fund assets and liabilities as fund balance. The following are the County's major governmental funds:

General Fund – The general fund accounts for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in other funds. The general fund's fund balance is available to the County for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Georgia.

Revolving Loan Fund – The revolving loan fund is established to account for funds provided by the United States Department of Agriculture.

2008 Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) – Established to separately account for Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax 2008, which was approved by the citizens of Dodge County on November 6, 2007. The proceeds of this levy are designated for various capital projects totaling \$14.4 million which include: roads, streets, bridges, and transportation improvement projects, Courthouse and other public buildings repair, Dodge County Hospital projects, recreational facilities in Dodge County, rural fire departments, Dodge County Jail project, water and sewer projects for the City of Eastman, and ambulances and related equipment for emergency medical services. The proceeds of this levy began on November 1,

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2008. Under Georgia law, this tax can remain in effect for five years.

Fiduciary Fund – The fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net assets. The County's fiduciary funds account for assets held by the government in accordance with GASB in a trustee capacity or as an agent on behalf of others.

C Measurement Focus

Government-wide Financial Statements – The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of the County are included on the statement of net assets. The statement of activities reports revenues and expenses, including depreciation.

Fund Financial Statements – All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus in these financial statements. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances reports the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources. This approach differs from the manner in which the governmental activities of the government-wide financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements therefore include reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the governmental fund statements.

D Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. At the fund reporting level, governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting and fiduciary funds use the accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and the modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of deferred revenue, and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

Revenues – Exchange Transactions – Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On the modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded when the exchange takes place and in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the County, the phrase "available for exchange transactions" means expected to be received within twelve months of year-end.

Revenues – Non-exchange Transactions – Non-exchange transactions in which the County receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include sales taxes, property taxes, grants, and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from sales taxes is recognized in the period in which the taxable sale takes place and on the modified accrual basis, it is recognized in the year received (i.e. when considered available). Revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the County must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the County on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from non-exchange transactions also must be available (i.e., collected within 60 days) before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be susceptible to accrual: property taxes, sales taxes, interest and federal and state grants.

Deferred Revenue – Deferred revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied.

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On governmental fund financial statements (i.e., on the modified accrual basis), receivables that will not be collected within the available period have been reported as deferred revenue (i.e., they are measurable but not available) rather than as revenue.

Sales taxes collected by the State of Georgia, Department of Revenue, for the November and December sales are reported as deferred revenue at year-end. Property taxes receivable not collected within 60 days of year-end have been recorded as deferred revenue. Grants and entitlements received before the eligibility requirements are met (e.g., cash advances) also are recorded as deferred revenue.

Expenses/Expenditures – On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. On the modified accrual basis, expenditures generally are recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred and due, if measurable.

E Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents include amounts in demand deposits as well as short-term investments with a maturity date within three months of the date acquitted by the County.

Investments are stated at fair value based on quoted market prices.

Georgia law authorizes local governments to invest in the following type of obligations:

- Obligations of the State of Georgia or of any other states
- Obligations issued by the United States
- Obligations fully insured or guaranteed by the United States government or governmental agency
- Obligations of any corporation of the United States government
- Prime bankers' acceptances
- The State of Georgia local government investment pool (i.e., Georgia Fund I)
- Georgia Extended Asset Pool (GEAP)
- Repurchase agreements
- Obligations of other political subdivisions of the State of Georgia

Any investment or deposit in excess of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) insured amount must be secured by 110% of an equivalent amount of State or U.S. obligations.

The County has no custodial credit risk policy that would require additional collateral requirements.

F Receivables

Outstanding balances resulting in transactions between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds". Receivables are stated net of an allowance for uncollectibles, where applicable.

G Inventory

Inventories are valued at cost, which approximates market, using the first in, first out (FIFO) method. The consumption method is used to account for inventories. Under the consumption method, inventory items are recognized as expenditures when used.

H Prepaid Items

For prepaid expenditures in the government-wide and fund financial statements, the County reports the expenditures during the benefiting period.

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I Capital Assets

General capital assets are those assets not specifically related to activities reported in the proprietary funds. These assets generally result from expenditures in governmental funds. The County reports these assets in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net assets but does not report these assets in the governmental fund financial statements.

Capital assets are defined by the Government as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$5,000 or more and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. All capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date received. Improvements (i.e., betterments) to capital assets are capitalized. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend its useful life are not capitalized.

Infrastructure assets reported in the Governmental Activities include assets acquired after the implementation date of GASB 34. The County's management has elected not to include infrastructure assets acquired prior to July 1, 2003.

All reported capital assets are depreciated except for land and construction in progress. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Infrastructure	20-50 Years
Buildings	40 Years
Improvements	7-40 Years
Equipment	5 - 15 Years

J Deferred Revenues

The government-wide financial statements use the accrual basis of accounting and all revenue is recognized when earned. Deferred revenues reported in governmental fund financial statements represent unearned revenues or revenues which are measurable but not available and, in accordance with the modified accrual basis of accounting, are reported as deferred revenues.

K Compensated Absences

All unused vacation leave lapses at year-end, therefore no liability is recorded. In accordance with the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 43, *Accounting for Compensated Absences*, no liability is recorded for nonvesting accumulating rights to receive sick pay benefits.

L Accrued Liabilities and Long-term Obligations

All payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements.

In general, governmental funds payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources, are reported as obligations of these funds. Debt service expenditures are recognized as a liability in the governmental fund financial statements when due.

M Fund Equity

Fund equity at the governmental fund financial reporting level is classified as "fund balance." Fund equity for all other reporting is classified as "net assets."

Fund Balance – Generally, fund balance represents the difference between the current assets and current liabilities. The County reserves those portions of fund balance which are legally segregated for a specific future use or which

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do not represent available, spendable resources and therefore are not available for appropriation or expenditure. Unreserved fund balance indicates that portion of fund balance that is available for appropriation in future periods. Designations demonstrate management's intent to set aside these resources for specific services.

Net Assets - Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets, net of related debt, consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. The net asset amount also is adjusted by any bond issuance deferred amounts. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the County or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. All other net assets are reported as unrestricted.

The County applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available.

N Management Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the reported amount of revenues and expenditures/expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

O Interfund Activity

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as Interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds and the after non-operating revenues/expenses section in proprietary funds. Repayments from funds responsible for particular expenditures/expenses to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements (i.e., they are netted).

Transfers between governmental and business-type activities on the government-wide statement of activities are reported as general revenues. Transfers between funds reported in the governmental activities column are eliminated. Transfers between funds reported in the business type activities column are eliminated.

2) STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A Budgetary Information

The County's Board of Commissioners adopted, in a timely manner, an operating budget for the general fund but failed to adopt annual budgets for all special revenue funds, including proposed expenditures and the means of financing them for the year ended December 31, 2011 as required by its charter, generally accepted accounting principals, and Georgia law O.C.G.A. 36-81-3, and various other agencies' requirements. The operating budget may not be revised or changed during the year without approval by a majority of the members of the Board of Commissioners.

Budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Each budget is prepared on a detailed line item basis. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the general fund, special revenue funds, and for project length capital project funds. All annual budget appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The Community Development Block Grant fund, consist of federally funded grants which have their own budgets. The budgets can only be revised or changed by the funding source. This budget is for the life of the project, which maybe longer than twelve months.

The level of legal budgetary control (the level at which expenditures may not exceed appropriations) is the

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department level with the following provisions:

- The County Manager may authorize transfers of appropriations between line items within any departmental budget without Commission approval.
- The Board of Commissioners may amend the budget by motion during the fiscal year.

B Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations

The following funds reported expenditures/expenses over appropriations:

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Encumbrances/ Expenditures</u>	<u>Over- Appropriation</u>
General Fund:			
Office of Commissioner	516,754	547,596	30,842
Registrar & election	97,850	121,129	23,279
Office of Sheriff	1,473,960	1,819,370	345,410
EMS	853,366	912,446	59,080
Building Inspector	56,363	64,400	8,037
Oconee Drug Task Force	-	370,279	370,279
Landfill and Sanitation	595,824	661,135	65,311
Roads	1,363,452	1,656,989	293,537
Superior Court	179,561	192,083	12,522
Probate Court	171,721	184,013	12,292
Magistrate Court	196,696	212,390	15,694
Health and Welfare	187,216	189,570	2,354
Recreation and Culture	249,392	261,363	11,971
Development and Housing	220,452	238,095	17,643
Community Service	384,539	902,369	517,830
Capital Outlay	88,000	169,179	81,179
Debt Service	-	1,177,921	1,177,921

3) DEPOSITS

Primary Government

Dodge County's demand and interest-bearing deposits for all funds including the Agency Funds are reflected in the accounts of the banks (without recognition of checks written but not yet cleared or deposits in transit) in the amount of \$7,061,841 at year-end. Georgia law requires that all deposits during the year be insured or collateralized. The carrying amounts for these deposits are \$1,427,108.

A summary of the deposits and their associated level of risk assumed by the County follows:

Category 1: Insured or collateralized with securities held by the County or its agent in the County's name.	\$ 7,061,841
Category 2: Collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the County's name	-
Category 3: Uncollateralized, including any bank balance that is collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution, or by its trust department or agent but not in the County's name	-
Total Deposits	<u>\$ 7,061,841</u>

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At December 31, 2011 the County had no deposits that were uninsured and as a result there were no bank balances exposed to custodial credit risk. Georgia statute requires collateral at 110% of the government's deposits, less the amount of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insurance, to be held in the government's name by the safekeeping agent.

Discretely Presented Component Unit

Dodge County component unit's demand and interest-bearing deposits were reflected in the accounts of the banks (without recognition of checks written but not yet cleared or deposits in transit) total \$453,596 at year-end. The Center did not have any balances exposed to custodial credit risk as uninsured and uncollateralized by GASB pronouncements. The carrying amounts for these deposits are \$434,287.

4) TAXES RECEIVABLE

Receivables at December 31, 2011, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, consist of the following:

	<u>General</u>	<u>Capital Projects</u>	<u>Total</u>
Property Taxes, 2011 fiscal year	\$ 727,071	\$ -	\$ 727,071
Property Taxes, 2010 and prior	263,490	-	263,490
Local Option Sales Tax	108,509	-	108,509
Special Purpose Local Option	<u>-</u>	<u>199,830</u>	<u>199,830</u>
Gross receivables	1,099,070	199,830	1,298,900
Less: allowance for uncollectibles	<u>(90,183)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(90,183)</u>
Taxes receivable	<u>\$1,008,887</u>	<u>\$199,830</u>	<u>\$1,208,717</u>

Property Taxes Receivable

The Dodge County Tax Commissioner Office bills and collects property taxes and also collects taxes for the State of Georgia and the Dodge County School District. Property taxes are recognized as revenue when levied to the extent they result in current receivables (i.e., amounts received within 60 days of fiscal year-end). A gross tax of 12.950 mills was levied in the year 2011 and a local option sales tax credit of 2.950 mills was applied against the gross levy causing a net tax assessment of 10.000 mills.

Property taxes were levied on July 27, 2011, based on assessed property values set by the county assessors as of January 1. Notices were mailed on September 9th, and are considered due upon receipt by the taxpayer; however, the legal due date is 60 days after receipt of bill or December 31st, whichever date occurs later. After the due date passes, the bill becomes delinquent and penalties and interest are assessed.

5) DUE FROM (DUE TO) OTHER GOVERNMENTS

Amounts due to the County at December 31, 2011, are as follows:

General Fund	
Georgia Department of Transportation	\$ 40,199
Georgia Environmental Finance Authority	<u>30,335</u>
	<u>\$ 70,534</u>

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Amounts due from the County to other governments at December 31, 2011 are \$0.

6) LOANS RECEIVABLE

Revolving Loan Special Revenue Fund

Funds provided by the Community Development Block Grant – Employment Incentive Program Grant are loaned to local businesses in accordance with the grant agreement. The status of the loan receivable at December 31, 2011 is as follows:

Aircraft Manufacturing & Development	\$ 9,241
W.T. Howell & Sons, Inc.	4,771
Loyd's Quality Cars & Truck Sales	89,746
Dynamic Painting, Inc.	41,008
Timberline Transport, Inc.	36,434
Heart of GA Regional Airport Authority	40,000
Heart of GA Metal Crafters, Inc.	<u>81,637</u>
Total	\$302,837

The status of all loans is current except for Aircraft Manufacturing & Development which is forty one months behind, Timberline Transport, Inc. which is six months behind and Loyd's Quality Cars & Truck Sales which is twenty one months behind on their loans.

Rural Business Enterprise Special Revenue Fund

Funds provided by the Farmers Home Administration Rural Business Enterprise Grant are loaned to local businesses in accordance with the grant agreement. At December 31, 2011 no loans were outstanding.

7) CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2011, was as follows:

	<u>Balance</u> <u>12/31/10</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Decrease</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>12/31/11</u>
Governmental activities:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$306,410	\$ 45,000	\$ ---	\$ 351,410
Construction in Progress	<u>4,311,928</u>	<u>2,214,314</u>	<u>598,225</u>	<u>5,928,017</u>
Total	4,618,338	2,259,314	598,225	6,279,427
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings	2,354,297	553,225	---	2,907,522
Improvements	2,091,401	---	---	2,091,401
Equipment	4,477,232	138,541	(130,000)	4,485,773
Infrastructure	<u>3,038,283</u>	<u>82,341</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>3,120,624</u>
Total capital assets, being depreciated	<u>11,961,213</u>	<u>774,107</u>	<u>(130,000)</u>	<u>12,605,320</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings	(1,877,228)	(13,080)	---	(1,890,308)
Improvements	(1,117,926)	(104,238)	---	(1,222,164)
Equipment	(3,270,675)	(305,443)	130,000	(3,446,118)
Infrastructure	<u>(255,896)</u>	<u>(60,766)</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>(316,662)</u>

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Total accumulated depreciation	<u>(6,521,725)</u>	<u>(483,527)</u>	<u>130,000</u>	<u>(6,875,252)</u>
Governmental activities capital assets, net	<u>\$10,057,826</u>	<u>\$2,549,894</u>	<u>\$ 598,225</u>	<u>\$12,009,495</u>

Governmental activities depreciation expense:

General government	\$ 44,665
Public safety	139,722
Public works	252,575
Judiciary	--
Health & Welfare	8,929
Recreation & Culture	18,174
Development & Housing	393
Community Service	<u>19,069</u>
Total governmental activities depreciation expense	<u>\$483,527</u>

8) CAPITAL LEASES

The county has a lease agreement with Ford Motor Credit Company for four new vehicles for the Sheriff Department. The vehicles were acquired for \$129,841 and as of December 31, 2011 \$6,492 in depreciation has been recorded.

The following is a schedule of the future minimum payments required under these capital leases and the present value of the minimum lease payments at December 31, 2011:

<u>Year Ending</u> <u>December 31</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2012	40,784	5,041	45,825
2013	43,231	2,594	45,825

The following is a summary of capital lease transactions of the County for the year ended December 31, 2011:

Balance at January 1, 2011	\$ 40,741
Additions	129,841
Payments	<u>(86,567)</u>
Balance at December 31, 2011	<u>\$ 84,015</u>

9) GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS PAYABLE

Bond payable at December 31, 2011 is comprised of General Obligation Bonds, Series 2008 due in annual installments of \$545,000 to \$715,000 through January 1, 2018; interest at 3.985%. The following is a summary of bond transactions for the year ended December 31, 2011:

Revenue bonds payable at January 1, 2011	\$ 4,955,000
Bonds issuance	-
Bonds payments	<u>565,000</u>
Revenue bonds payable at December 31, 2011	<u>\$ 4,390,000</u>

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Annual requirements to amortize bonds outstanding at December 31, 2011 including interest payments are as follows:

Year ending December 31	Principal	Interest
2012	590,000	163,186
2013	610,000	139,276
2014	635,000	114,469
2015	660,000	88,666
2016	685,000	61,867
2017-2018	1,210,000	43,835
Total	<u>4,390,000</u>	<u>611,299</u>

10) SHORT-TERM BORROWINGS

The County has a line of credit of \$2,750,000 at a local financial institution as of December 31, 2011. The borrowing bears interest at 4.49% and matures on December 31, 2011. As of December 31, 2011, \$-0- was outstanding. The line of credit is secured by a resolution of the Dodge County Board of Commissioners.

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Reductions	Ending Balance
Governmental activities	<u>\$900,000</u>	<u>\$2,750,000</u>	<u>\$3,650,000</u>	<u>\$ -0-</u>

11) NOTES PAYABLE

Notes payable at December 31, 2011 consisted of the following:

United States Department of Agriculture

A promissory note, original amount of \$400,000 due 6/26/12, interest at 4.125%, principle and interest paid annually on June 26th of each year for five years, incurred to purchase two garbage trucks and one motor grader.

\$ 86,589

The following is a summary of noted payable transactions of the County for the year ended December 31, 2011:

Balance at January 1, 2011	\$ 169,754
Additions	-
Payments	<u>(83,165)</u>
Balance at December 31, 2011	<u>\$ 86,589</u>

Annual requirements to amortize debt outstanding at December 31, 2010 including interest payments.

Year ending December 31	Principal	Interest
2012	86,589	3,573
Total	<u>86,589</u>	<u>3,573</u>

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12) LANDFILL CLOSURE AND POST CLOSURE CARE COSTS

Dodge County owns and operates a landfill located within the county. The landfill site reached capacity in 1998 and was closed. The current site is being used as a transfer station for the county's garbage. All garbage received at the landfill is transferred to a landfill located in Houston County. State and federal laws and regulations will require the Government to monitor and maintain the site for thirty years. In 1994 the total estimated liability for landfill closure and post closure care costs were determined to be \$1,443,227, which was based on 100% usage (filled) of the landfill. This amount is based on equipment, facilities, and services necessary to close, monitor, and maintain the landfill. However, the actual cost may vary due to changes in technology or changes in landfill laws and regulations. The County has been adjusting this liability over the years by an inflation factor that has been provided by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources. As of December 31, 2011, the liability was \$1,640,517.

Change in landfill closure/post closure liability

Liability at January 1, 2011	\$1,640,517
Additions	---
Reductions	---
Liability at December 31, 2011	<u>\$1,640,517</u>

13) INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS

Fund	Due From Other Funds	Due To Other Funds
General Fund:		
Deposit not transferred to:		
2008 SPLOST Fund	\$ -	\$ 1,125
2008 SPLOST Fund:		
Deosit due from:		
General Fund	1,125	-
Total	\$ 1,125	\$ 1,125

The outstanding balances between funds result mainly from a delay in the deposit transfer to the 2008 SPLOST Fund account from the General Fund account.

Fund	Transfer In	Transfer Out	Net Transfers In (Out)
E-911 Fund	\$ 68,813	\$ -	\$ 68,813
2003 SPLOST	1,000		1,000
General Fund	-	69,813	(69,813)
Total	\$ 69,813	\$ 69,813	\$ -

Nonmajor Governmental Funds—Funds were transferred to the E-911 Special Revenue Fund where they are used to help offset expenditures incurred for public safety.

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14) RISK MANAGEMENT

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters; and losses resulting from providing accident and health benefits to employees, retirees, and their dependents. For these risks, settlements have not exceeded coverage for each of the past three fiscal years. The County had no significant reduction in insurance coverage from coverage in the prior year.

During fiscal year 1992, the County entered into a self-funded group insurance plan with major medical coverage. The County currently utilizes Blue Cross Blue Shield as the Third Party Administrator. A stop loss carrier is in place to cover claims in excess of \$10,000.

The County has joined together with other municipalities in the state as a member of the Group Self Insurance Workers' Compensation Fund (GSIWCF) for its workers' compensation risks and the Georgia Interlocal Risk Management Agency (GIRMA) for its liability, crime, motor vehicle, and property damage risks. GSIWCF and GIRMA exists by authority of the Official Code of Georgia (OCGA), and participates in risk sharing arrangements among Georgia county governments. As part of these risk pools, the County is obligated to pay all contributions and assessments as prescribed by the pools, to cooperate with the pools' agents and attorneys, to follow loss reduction procedures established by the funds, and to report promptly as possible, and in accordance with any coverage descriptions issued, all incidents which could result in the funds being required to pay any claims of loss. The County is also to allow the pools' agents and attorneys to represent the County in investigation, settlement discussions and all levels of litigation arising out of any claim made against the County within the scope of loss protection furnished by the funds.

Chapter 85 of Title 36 and Chapter 9 of Title 34 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated authorize Georgia counties to form interlocal risk management agencies. GSIWCF acts as a risk management agency to function as unincorporated nonprofit instrumentalities of its member counties. GSIWCF establishes and administers one or more group self insurance funds and a risk management service to prevent or lessen the incidence and severity of workers' compensation losses occurring in the operation of member governments. GIRMA is a municipal interlocal risk management agency to function as an unincorporated nonprofit instrumentality of its member municipalities - GIRMA establishes and administers one or more group self insurance funds and a risk management service to prevent or lessen the incidence and severity of casualty and property losses occurring in the operation of municipal government . GIRMA is to defend and protect in accordance with the member government contract and related coverage descriptions any member of GIRMA against liability or loss.

The liability of the Fund to the employees of the County is specifically limited to such obligations as are imposed by applicable state laws against the employer for workers' compensation and/or employer's liability. GIRMA members shall be jointly and severally liable for all legal obligations of the pools. Based upon the financial performance of the risk pools, the County may be liable for additional premium assessments to meet any financial deficiencies or be entitled to receive a dividend. The County retains the first \$5,000 of each risk of loss in the form of deductible. The County files all claims with GIRMA. GIRMA bills the County for any risk of loss up to the \$5,000 deductible.

The fund is to defend, in the name of and on behalf of the members, any suits or other proceedings which may at any time be instituted against them on account of injuries or death within the realm of the Workers' Compensation Law of Georgia, or on the basis of employer's liability, including suits or other proceedings alleging such injuries and demanding compensation therefore, although such suits, other proceedings, allegations or demands be wholly groundless, false, or fraudulent. The fund is to pay all costs taxed against members in any legal proceeding defended by the members, all interest accruing after entry of judgement, and all expenses incurred for investigation, negotiation, or defense.

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15) CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Litigation

Dodge County is a defendant in several lawsuits which arose in the ordinary course of its activities. The Government follows the practice of recording liabilities resulting from claims and legal actions only when they become probable and measurable.

Possible Unasserted Claims

In the normal course of operations, the County receives grant funds from various Federal and State agencies. The grant programs are subject to audit by agents of the granting authority, the purpose of which is to ensure compliance with conditions precedent to the granting of funds. Any liability for reimbursement which may arise as the result of these audits is not believed to be material.

Guaranteed Bond Issues

Heart of Georgia Regional Airport Authority—In order for the Authority to finance the construction of a new runway, a bond issue in the amount of \$2,900,000 known as “Heart of Georgia Regional Airport Authority Revenue Bond, Series 2005” was agreed to. Dodge County and the City of Eastman have, under certain conditions and circumstances, agreed to guarantee payments of principle and interest which may become due and payable under said bond.

Dodge County Hospital Authority—In order for the Authority to accomplish two objectives: one being that it has been determined that it is necessary and desirable to refinance a prior bond issuance in order to achieve debt service savings; two being that it is necessary and desirable that the Dodge County Hospital be added to, extended, improved, and equipped, in accordance with a plan prepared by the Authority, the Authority has issued \$10,000,000 in original aggregate principle amount of its Revenue Anticipation Certificates (Dodge County Hospital Project) Series 2005. Dodge County has deemed it advisable to levy an annual ad valorem tax each year, as necessary and as provided by the Hospital Authorities Law to the extent the Authority’s revenues are not sufficient, and to pledge the revenues derived from such tax levy to the payment of the County’s obligations hereunder in order to enable the Authority to pay the principle of and interest on the Series 2005 Certificates.

16) JOINT VENTURE

Heart of Georgia Altamaha Regional Commission - Under Georgia law, the County, in conjunction with other cities and counties in the 17 county central Georgia area, is a member of the Heart of Georgia Altamaha Regional Commission (RC) and is required to pay annual dues thereto. During its year ended December 31, 2011, the County paid \$12,299 in such dues. Membership in an RC is required by the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) Section 50-8-34 which provides for the organizational structure of the RC in Georgia. The RC Board membership includes the chief elected official of each county and municipality of the area. OCGA 50-8-39.1 provides that the member governments are liable for any debts or obligations of an RC. Separate financial statements may be obtained from:

Heart of Georgia Altamaha Regional Commission
501 Oak Street
Eastman, Georgia 31023

Ocmulgee Regional Development Authority – On August 3, 2004 the County authorized the creation and establishment of the Ocmulgee Regional Development Authority, a joint development authority which shall have as its members Dodge County, Wilcox County and Bleckley County. The purpose of the development authority shall be for each county to be eligible for an additional tax credit from the State of Georgia under the BEST Program, to receive extra points for grant applications and to have a mechanism in place in the event that a regional project could

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take place. As of December 31, 2011, there had been no activity.

17) RELATED ORGANIZATIONS

The Eastman Dodge Development Authority is a related organization that is excluded from the financial reporting entity because the County's accountability does not extend beyond making appointments. Audited financial statements are not available from this organization.

18) PENSION PLAN

Plan Description

The County sponsors the Association County Commissioners of Georgia Restated Pension Plan for Dodge County Employees (The Plan), which is a defined benefit pension plan.

The Plan provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to plan participants and beneficiaries. The Plan, through execution of the adoption agreement, is affiliated with the Association County Commissioners of Georgia Third Restated Defined Benefit Plan (The ACCG Plan), an agent multiple-employer pension plan, administered by GEBCorp. The ACCG, in its role as the Plan Sponsor, has the sole authority to amend the provisions of the ACCG Plan, as provided in Section 19.03 of the ACCG Plan document. The County has the authority to amend the adoption agreement, which defines the specific benefit provisions of The Plan, as provided in Section 19.02 of the ACCG Plan document.

In order to participate in the Plan, employees are required to contribute 5% of pay. The County contributes the remaining cost of the Plan, using the actuarial basis described in the annual valuation report.

A separate financial report with financial statements and required supplementary information has been issued and may be obtained by contacting ACCG as follows:

GEBCorp
 400 Galleria Parkway
 Suite 1205
 Atlanta, Georgia 30339
 (800) 736-7166

Funding Policy

The County is required to contribute an actuarially determined amount annually to the Plan's trust. The contribution amount is determined using actuarial methods and assumptions approved by the ACCG Plan trustees and must satisfy the minimum contribution requirements contained in the State of Georgia statutes.

Annual Pension Cost

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

Derivation of Net Pension Obligation:

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Net Pension Obligation as of Beginning of Prior Year	(\$49,816)	(\$43,555)
Annual Pension Cost for Prior Year	5,705	19,639
Actual Contributions to Plan for Prior Year	9,573	25,900
Increase in Net Pension Obligation	<u>(\$ 3,868)</u>	<u>(\$6,261)</u>

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Net Pension Obligation as of Beginning of the Year	(\$53,868)	(\$49,816)
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Derivation of Annual Pension Cost:

Annual Required Contribution	\$21,741	\$ 5,435
Interest on Net Pension Obligation	(4,161)	(3,861)
Amortization of Net Pension Obligation	4,452	4,131
Annual Pension Cost	\$22,032	\$5,705

Basis of Valuation:

Current Valuation Date	January 1, 2011
Annual Return on Invested Plan Assets	7.75%
Projected Annual Salary Increases	4.0%-6.5% based on age
Expected Annual Inflation	3.00%
Actuarial Value of Asset	Market Value
Actuarial Funding Method	Projected Unit Credit
Amortization Method	Level Percent of Pay (Closed)

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Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:

The defined benefit plan had an unfunded liability in the amount of \$172,639 as of the date of the actuarial report. The unfunded liability has a net amortization payment of \$17,963 which translates into an average amortization period of 9.61 years. The actuarial report contains an exhibit detailing the amortization of Dodge County unfunded liability.

Trend Information for the Plan

<u>Fiscal Year Beginning</u>	<u>Annual Pension Cost (APC)</u>	<u>Actual County Contribution</u>	<u>Percentage Of APC Contributed</u>	<u>Net Pension Obligation</u>
January 1, 2011	\$22,032	N/A	N/A	(\$53,684)
January 1, 2010	5,705	9,573	168%	(49,816)
January 1, 2009	19,639	25,900	132%	(43,555)
January 1, 2008	16,608	18,284	110%	(41,879)
January 1, 2007	10,823	12,848	119%	(39,854)
January 1, 2006	22,350	23,224	104%	(38,980)

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Fiscal Year Ending	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) Projected Unit Credit (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Fatio (a/b)	Covered Payroll c	UAAL as a Percent of Covered Payroll [(b-a)/c]
December 31, 2010	\$ 945,249 *	\$ 1,117,888	\$ 172,639	84.6%	\$ 199,576	86.5%
December 31, 2009	\$ 993,764 *	\$ 1,211,400	\$ 217,636	82.0%	\$ 285,044	76.4%
December 31, 2008	\$ 978,828 *	\$ 1,178,512	\$ 199,684	83.1%	\$ 641,323	58.5%
December 31, 2007	\$ 1,063,942	\$ 1,133,408	\$ 69,466	93.9%	\$ 329,791	51.1%
December 31, 2006	\$ 1,034,422	\$ 1,062,152	\$ 27,730	97.4%	\$ 270,810	10.2%
December 31, 2005	\$ 966,100	\$ 1,072,125	\$ 106,025	90.1%	\$ 386,209	27.5%

* Reflects change to asset smoothing adopted by the ACCG Pension Plan and Trust Board of Trustees.

The assets and liabilities shown above reflect expected amounts as of the last day of the plan year. These amounts may vary from those used in determining the required contribution, since those calculations use actual amounts as of the first day of the next plan year.

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

DEFINED PENSION BENEFIT PLAN
SCHEDULE OF ACCRUED LIABILITIES

1. Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits as of December 31, 2011

a. Vested	
i. Retirees (and others in pay status)	\$ 749,253
ii. Deferred Vested (former employees)	126,242
iii. Vested Active Participants	<u>199,055</u>
Total	\$1,074,550
b. Nonvested	<u>12,092</u>
Total	\$1,086,642
2. Effect of Future Salary Increases	\$ 34,513
3. Total Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$1,121,155
4. Net Assets Available for Benefits (including receivables)	\$ 809,360
5. Net Assets in Excess of Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits	<u>(\$ 277,282)</u>
6. Principal Actuarial Assumptions	
a. Investment Return	7.75%
b. Rate of Future Salary Increases	4.0% - 6.5%
(not applicable to Accumulated Plan Benefits calculations)	(based on age)

**COMBINING AND INDIVIDUAL FUND
STATEMENTS AND SCHEDULES**

Dodge County, Georgia
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
 NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Special Revenue	Capital Projects	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Assets:			
Cash	\$ 158,147	\$ 1,895	\$ 160,042
Investments	-	-	-
Loans receivable	-	-	-
Grants receivable	-	-	-
Accrued Interest	-	-	-
	<u>158,147</u>	<u>1,895</u>	<u>160,042</u>
Total assets			
Liabilities:			
Deferred revenues	-	-	-
Total liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balances:			
Reserved for non-current loans receivable	-	-	-
Unreserved:			
Designated for property and infrastructure improvements	-	1,895	1,895
Undesignated	158,147	-	158,147
Total fund balances	<u>158,147</u>	<u>1,895</u>	<u>160,042</u>
Total liabilities and fund balances	<u>\$ 158,147</u>	<u>\$ 1,895</u>	<u>\$ 160,042</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Special Revenue	Capital Project	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Revenues:			
Judical fees and charges	\$ 62,444	-	\$ 62,444
Intergovernmental	-	390,066	390,066
Charges for services	428,841	-	428,841
Other	128,761	5	128,766
Total revenues	620,046	390,071	1,010,117
Expenditures:			
Current:			
General government	-	127,136	127,136
Public safety	926,088	-	926,088
Public works	-	29,906	29,906
Health Welfare	-	-	-
Capital Outlay:			
Public works	-	503,602	503,602
Health Welfare	-	178,463	178,463
Recreation & culture	-	2,297	2,297
Debt service:			
Principal retirement	-	83,166	83,166
Interest	-	7,002	7,002
Total expenditures	926,088	931,572	1,857,660
Other financing sources (uses):			
Transfers in	68,813	1,000	69,813
Transfers out	-	-	-
Total other financing sources and (uses)	68,813	1,000	69,813
Net change in fund balances	(237,229)	(540,501)	(777,730)
Fund balances - beginning	395,376	542,396	937,772
Adjustments	-	-	-
Fund balances - ending	\$ 158,147	\$ 1,895	\$ 160,042

Dodge County, Georgia
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Rural Business Enterprise Fund	Drug Education Fund	Jail Fund	Law Library	Sheriff's Commissary Fund	Sheriff's Condemnation & Supply Fund	Sheriff's Vending Machine Fund	E-911 Fund	Total Special Revenue Funds
Assets:									
Cash	\$ 25,227	\$ 461	\$ 1,674	\$ 35,124	\$ 50,938	\$ 41,698	\$ 346	\$ 2,679	\$ 158,147
Loans receivable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Accrued Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total assets	25,227	461	1,674	35,124	50,938	41,698	346	2,679	\$ 158,147
Liabilities:									
Deferred revenues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fund balances:									
Reserved for non-current loans receivable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unreserved:									
Undesignated	25,227	461	1,674	35,124	50,938	41,698	346	2,679	158,147
Total fund balances	25,227	461	1,674	35,124	50,938	41,698	346	2,679	158,147
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 25,227	\$ 461	\$ 1,674	\$ 35,124	\$ 50,938	\$ 41,698	\$ 346	\$ 2,679	\$ 158,147

Dodge County, Georgia
**COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
 AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES**
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Rural Business Enterprise Fund	Drug Education Fund	Jail Fund	Law Library	Sheriff's Commissary Fund	Sheriff's Condemnation & Supply Fund	Sheriff's Vending Machine Fund	E-911 Fund	Total Special Revenue Fund
Revenues:									
Judicial fees and charges	\$ -	\$ 9,911	\$ 34,794	\$ 17,739	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 62,444
Grant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charges for services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	428,841	428,841
Other	110	15	76	-	86,769	39,730	2,061	-	128,761
Total revenues	110	9,926	34,870	17,739	86,769	39,730	2,061	428,841	620,046
Expenditures:									
Current:									
General government	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	60,821	255,500	17,429	70,924	18,899	2,144	500,371	926,088
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	-	60,821	255,500	17,429	70,924	18,899	2,144	500,371	926,088
Other financing sources (uses):									
Transfers in	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68,813	68,813
Transfers out	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources and (uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68,813	68,813
Net change in fund balances	110	(50,895)	(220,630)	310	15,845	20,831	(83)	(2,717)	(237,229)
Fund balances - beginning	25,117	51,356	222,304	34,814	35,093	20,867	429	5,396	395,376
Fund balances - ending	\$ 25,227	\$ 461	\$ 1,674	\$ 35,124	\$ 50,938	\$ 41,698	\$ 346	\$ 2,679	\$ 158,147

Dodge County, Georgia
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
CAPITAL PROJECT FUNDS
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	<u>CDBG</u>	<u>1998 SPLOST</u>	<u>2003 SPLOST</u>	<u>Total Capital Project Funds</u>
Assets:				
Cash	\$ 960	\$ -	\$ 935	\$ 1,895
Investments	-	-	-	-
Grant Receivable	-	-	-	-
Total assets	<u>960</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>935</u>	<u>1,895</u>
Liabilities:				
Deferred revenues	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balances:				
Unreserved:				
Designated for property and infrastructure improvements	960	-	935	1,895
Undesignated	-	-	-	-
Total fund balances	<u>960</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>935</u>	<u>1,895</u>
Total liabilities and fund balances	<u>\$ 960</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 935</u>	<u>\$ 1,895</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
 AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
 CAPITAL PROJECT FUNDS
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	CDBG	1998 SPLOST	2003 SPLOST	Total Capital Project Funds
Revenues:				
Grant	178,463	-	-	178,463
Intergovernmental	-	-	211,603	211,603
Other	-	-	5	5
Total revenues	<u>178,463</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>211,608</u>	<u>390,071</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
General government	-	-	127,136	127,136
Public Works	-	421,261	29,906	451,167
Health Welfare	-	-	-	-
Capital Outlay:				
Public Works	-	-	84,638	84,638
Health Welfare	178,463	-	-	178,463
Recreation & culture	-	-	-	-
Debt service:				
Principal retirement	-	-	83,166	83,166
Interest	-	-	7,002	7,002
Total expenditures	<u>178,463</u>	<u>421,261</u>	<u>331,848</u>	<u>931,572</u>
Other financing sources (uses):				
Transfers in	-	-	1,000	1,000
Transfers out	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources and (uses)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>
Net change in fund balances	<u>-</u>	<u>(421,261)</u>	<u>(119,240)</u>	<u>(540,501)</u>
Fund balances - beginning	960	421,261	120,175	542,396
Fund balances - ending	<u>\$ 960</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 935</u>	<u>\$ 1,895</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
COMBINING STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Balance December 31, 2010	Additions	Deductions	Balance December 31, 2011
<u>Local Victims Assistance Program</u>				
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 100	-	-	\$ 100
Total assets	100	-	-	100
LIABILITIES				
Due to others	100	-	-	100
Total liabilities	\$ 100	-	-	\$ 100

Probate Court

ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 70,245	\$ 350,122	\$ 386,105	\$ 34,262
Total assets	70,245	350,122	386,105	34,262
LIABILITIES				
Due to others	70,245	350,122	386,105	34,262
Total liabilities	\$ 70,245	\$ 350,122	\$ 386,105	\$ 34,262

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Dodge County, Georgia
 AGENCY FUNDS
 COMBINING STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES - CONTINUED
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Balance December 31, 2010	Additions	Deductions	Balance December 31, 2011
<u>Tax Commissioner</u>				
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 140,387	\$ 9,608,131	\$ 9,513,194	\$ 235,324
Total assets	140,387	9,608,131	9,513,194	235,324
LIABILITIES				
Due to others	140,387	9,608,131	9,513,194	235,324
Due to other funds	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	\$ 140,387	\$ 9,608,131	\$ 9,513,194	\$ 235,324

Sheriff

ASSETS				
Cash	62,155	319,353	175,937	205,571
Total assets	62,155	319,353	175,937	205,571
LIABILITIES				
Due to others	62,155	319,353	175,937	205,571
Due to other funds	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	\$ 62,155	\$ 319,353	\$ 175,937	\$ 205,571

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Dodge County, Georgia
 AGENCY FUNDS
 COMBINING STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES - CONTINUED
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Balance December 31, 2010	Additions	Deductions	Balance December 31, 2011
<u>Clerk of Court</u>				
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 73,984	\$ 517,459	\$ 553,916	\$ 37,527
Total assets	73,984	517,459	553,916	37,527
LIABILITIES				
Due to others	73,984	517,459	553,916	37,527
Total liabilities	\$ 73,984	\$ 517,459	\$ 553,916	\$ 37,527
 <u>Magistrate Court</u>				
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 240	\$ 268,297	\$ 268,248	\$ 289
Total assets	240	268,297	268,248	289
LIABILITIES				
Due to others	240	268,297	268,248	289
Total liabilities	\$ 240	\$ 268,297	\$ 268,248	\$ 289

**CAPITAL ASSETS USED IN THE OPERATION
OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

Dodge County, Georgia
Schedule of Changes in Capital Assets - By Function and Activity
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Balance December 31, 2010	Additions	Deductions	Balance December 31, 2011
General government:				
Office of Commissioner	\$ 75,008	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 75,008
Tax Commissioner	30,671	-	-	30,671
Tax Assessor & Appraiser	8,535	-	-	8,535
Other	12,117,747	2,841,478	598,225	14,361,000
Total general government	12,231,961	2,841,478	598,225	14,475,214
Public Safety:				
Sheriff	641,344	136,541	-	777,885
Civil Defense	19,345	-	-	19,345
E-911	226,777	-	-	226,777
EMS	256,163	-	-	256,163
Other	45,626	-	-	45,626
Total public safety	1,189,255	136,541	-	1,325,796
Public Works:				
Sanitation	690,497	-	-	690,497
Road	2,454,025	2,000	130,000	2,326,025
Total public works	3,144,522	2,000	130,000	3,016,522
Judiciary:				
Clerk of Superior Court	5,758	-	-	5,758
Probate Court	5,260	-	-	5,260
Magistrate Court	2,795	-	-	2,795
Total judiciary	13,813	-	-	13,813
Total capital assets	\$ 16,579,551	\$ 2,980,019	\$ 728,225	\$ 18,831,345

SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES

Dodge County, Georgia
RURAL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE GRANT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 110	\$ 110
Other	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>110</u>	<u>110</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
General Government	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balances	-	-	110	110
Fund balances - beginning	<u>25,117</u>	<u>25,117</u>	<u>25,117</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balances - ending	<u>\$ 25,117</u>	<u>\$ 25,117</u>	<u>\$ 25,227</u>	<u>\$ 110</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
DRUG EDUCATION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget-
	Original	Final		Positive (Negative)
Revenues:				
Judicial fees and charges	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 9,911	\$ 9,911
Interest	-	-	15	15
Total revenues	-	-	9,926	9,926
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Public safety	-	-	60,821	(60,821)
Total expenditures	-	-	60,821	(60,821)
Net change in fund balances	-	-	(50,895)	(50,895)
Fund balances - beginning	51,356	51,356	51,356	-
Fund balances - ending	\$ 51,356	\$ 31,356	\$ 461	\$ (30,895)

Dodge County, Georgia
JAIL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Judicial fees and charges	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 34,794	\$ 34,794
Interest	-	-	76	76
Total revenues	-	-	34,870	34,870
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Public safety	-	-	255,500	(255,500)
Total expenditures	-	-	255,500	(255,500)
Net change in fund balances	-	-	(220,630)	(220,630)
Fund balances - beginning	222,304	222,304	222,304	-
Fund balances - ending	\$ 222,304	\$ 222,304	\$ 1,674	\$ (220,630)

Dodge County, Georgia
 LAW LIBRARY SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
 SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Judicial fees and charges	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,739	\$ 17,739
Interest	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	-	-	17,739	17,739
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Public safety	-	-	17,429	(17,429)
Total expenditures	-	-	17,429	(17,429)
Net change in fund balances	-	-	310	310
Fund balances - beginning	34,814	34,814	34,814	-
Fund balances - ending	\$ 34,814	\$ 34,814	\$ 35,124	\$ 310

Dodge County, Georgia
 REVOLVING LOAN SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
 SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 14,434	\$ 14,434
Other	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,434</u>	<u>14,434</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balances	-	-	14,434	14,434
Fund balances - beginning	<u>317,205</u>	<u>317,205</u>	<u>317,205</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balances - ending	<u>\$ 317,205</u>	<u>\$ 317,205</u>	<u>\$ 331,639</u>	<u>\$ 14,434</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
SHERIFF'S CONDEMNATION AND SUPPLY SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Other	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 39,730	\$ 39,730
Total revenues	-	-	39,730	39,730
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Public safety	-	-	18,899	(18,899)
Total expenditures	-	-	18,899	(18,899)
Other financing uses:				
Transfers out	-	-	-	-
Net change in fund balances	-	-	20,831	20,831
Fund balances - beginning	20,867	20,867	20,867	-
Fund balances - ending	<u>\$ 20,867</u>	<u>\$ 20,867</u>	<u>\$ 41,698</u>	<u>\$ 20,831</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
E-911 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Charges for services	\$ 390,000	\$ 390,000	\$ 428,841	\$ 38,841
Total revenues	<u>390,000</u>	<u>390,000</u>	<u>428,841</u>	<u>38,841</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Public Safety	460,597	553,334	500,371	52,963
Total expenditures	<u>460,597</u>	<u>553,334</u>	<u>500,371</u>	<u>52,963</u>
Other financing uses:				
Transfers in (out)	<u>70,597</u>	<u>163,334</u>	<u>68,813</u>	<u>(94,521)</u>
Net change in fund balances	-	-	(2,717)	(2,717)
Fund balances - beginning	<u>5,396</u>	<u>5,396</u>	<u>5,396</u>	-
Fund balances - ending	<u>\$ 5,396</u>	<u>\$ 5,396</u>	<u>\$ 2,679</u>	<u>\$ (2,717)</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
 SHERIFF'S COMMISSARY ACCOUNT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
 SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Other	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 86,769	\$ 86,769
Total revenues	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>86,769</u>	<u>86,769</u>
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Public safety	-	-	70,924	(70,924)
Total expenditures	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>70,924</u>	<u>(70,924)</u>
Other financing uses:				
Transfers out	-	-	-	-
Net change in fund balances	-	-	15,845	15,845
Fund balances - beginning	<u>35,093</u>	<u>35,093</u>	<u>35,093</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balances - ending	<u>\$ 35,093</u>	<u>\$ 35,093</u>	<u>\$ 50,938</u>	<u>\$ 15,845</u>

Dodge County, Georgia
SHERIFF'S VENDING MACHINES ACCOUNT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Other	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,061	\$ 2,061
Total revenues	-	-	2,061	2,061
Expenditures:				
Current:	-	-		
Public safety	-	-	2,144	(2,144)
Total expenditures	-	-	2,144	(2,144)
Other financing uses:				
Transfers out	-	-	-	-
Net change in fund balances	-	-	(83)	(83)
Fund balances - beginning	429	429	429	-
Fund balances - ending	\$ 429	\$ 429	\$ 346	\$ (83)

Dodge County, Georgia
 2007 CDBG Program Capital Projects Fund
 Schedule Of Revenues, Expenditures, & Changes in Fund Balances - Budget & Actual
 From Inception And for the Year Ended December 31, 2011

	Project Authorization	Prior Years	Current Year	Total To Date
Revenues:				
Intergovernmental	\$ 500,000	\$ 334,038	\$ 178,463	\$ 512,501
Total revenues	<u>500,000</u>	<u>334,038</u>	<u>178,463</u>	<u>512,501</u>
Expenditures:				
Capital Outlay	500,000	333,128	178,463	511,591
Total expenditures	<u>500,000</u>	<u>333,128</u>	<u>178,463</u>	<u>511,591</u>
Excess (Deficiency) Of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>-</u>	<u>910</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>910</u>
Other financing uses:				
Transfers in	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balances	<u>-</u>	<u>910</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>910</u>
Fund balances - beginning			<u>960</u>	
Fund balances - ending			<u>\$ 960</u>	

Dodge County, Georgia
SPECIAL-PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX 1998
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES
 (Construction and Other Projects)
 Year ended December 31, 2011

<u>Project Description</u>	(Unaudited) Original/ Latest Estimated Cost	Prior Years Cumulative Expenditures	Total Current Year Expenditure	Total Cumulative Expenditures	(Unaudited) Estimated Percentage of Completion
Roads, streets, bridges, & transportation	\$ 4,800,000	\$ 4,186,781	\$ 421,261	\$ 4,608,042	96.00%
Courthouse & other public building repair	720,000	784,353	-	784,353	108.94%
Local solid waste handling facilities, including a landfill	1,200,000	1,303,323	-	1,303,323	108.61%
Recreational facilities & operation thereof	800,000	1,007,309	-	1,007,309	125.91%
Public safety facilities, specifically including installation of 911 emergency telephone system	480,000	480,660	-	480,660	100.14%
Total SPLOST 1998	<u>\$ 8,000,000</u>	<u>\$ 7,762,426</u>	<u>\$ 421,261</u>	<u>\$ 8,183,687</u>	

Dodge County, Georgia
SPECIAL-PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX 2003
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES
 (Construction and Other Projects)
 Year ended December 31, 2011

Project Description	(Unaudited) Original/ Latest Estimated Cost	Prior Years Cumulative Expenditures	Total Current Year Expenditure	Total Cumulative Expenditures	(Unaudited) Estimated Percentage of Completion
Roads, streets, bridges, & transportation	\$3,400,000	\$ 3,707,849	\$ 54,624	\$ 3,762,473	110.66%
Courthouse & other public building repair	600,000	1,147,110	(83,852)	1,063,258	177.21%
Dodge County Hospital	2,500,000	2,834,106	-	2,834,106	113.36%
Recreational facilities in Dodge County	450,000	517,135	105,812	622,947	138.43%
Rural fire departments	200,000	251,236	-	251,236	125.62%
Dodge County-Eastman Development Authority	150,000	76,718	(44,159)	32,559	21.71%
Water and sewer projects for the City of Eastman	1,500,000	1,569,062	-	1,569,062	104.60%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Chauncey	25,000	25,000	-	25,000	100.00%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Chester	25,000	3,508	4,655	8,163	32.65%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Milan	25,000	24,400	-	24,400	97.60%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Rhine	25,000	27,100	-	27,100	108.40%
Public safety facilities, specifically including E-911 emergency telephone system	100,000	100,000	-	100,000	100.00%
Total SPLOST 2003	\$9,000,000	\$ 10,283,224	\$ 37,080	\$10,320,304	

Dodge County, Georgia
SPECIAL-PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX 2008
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES
 (Construction and Other Projects)
 Year ended December 31, 2011

Project Description	(Unaudited) Original/ Latest Estimated Cost	Prior Years Cumulative Expenditures	Total Current Year Expenditure	Total Cumulative Expenditures	(Unaudited) Estimated Percentage of Completion
Roads, streets, bridges, & transportation	\$ 2,400,000	\$ 1,302,780	\$ 97,887	\$ 1,400,667	58.36%
Purchase of land and construction New Jail	50,000	-	-	-	
Dodge County Hospital	5,500,000	4,094,160	2,361,310	6,455,470	117.37%
Recreational facilities in Dodge County	2,500,000	809,244	98,671	907,915	36.32%
Rural fire departments	100,000	-	2,691	2,691	2.69%
Renovations, improvements, and additions for Dodge County buildings	200,000	126,204	48,136	174,340	87.17%
Water and sewer projects for the City of Eastman	550,000	13,312	-	13,312	2.42%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Chauncey	2,680,000	882,659	105,775	988,434	36.88%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Chester	30,000	9,967	1,195	11,162	37.21%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Chester	30,000	9,967	1,195	11,162	37.21%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Milan	30,000	9,967	1,195	11,162	37.21%
Recreational facilities, roads, and street improvements for the City of Rhine	30,000	9,967	1,195	11,162	37.21%
Public safety facilities, specifically including E-911 emergency telephone system	300,000	174,933	-	174,933	58.31%
Total SPLOST 2008	\$14,400,000	\$ 7,443,160	\$ 2,719,251	\$10,162,411	

Dodge County, Georgia
 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM
 SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES-BUDGET AND ACTUAL
 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget- Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
Revenues:				
Section 5311 Funding	\$ 80,000	\$ 80,000	\$ 81,107	\$ 1,107
Third Party Operator Funding	30,000	30,000	25,717	(4,283)
Fares	8,500	8,500	8,114	(386)
Total revenues	118,500	118,500	114,938	(3,562)
Expenditures:				
Administrative:				
Contract	46,896	47,402	52,768	(5,366)
Supplies	300	300	-	300
Vehicle insurance	4,500	4,500	6,385	(1,885)
Radio	1,800	1,800	150	1,650
Physicals and drug testing	500	500	176	324
Miscellaneous	150	150	592	(442)
Total administrative	54,146	54,652	60,071	(5,419)
Operating:				
Salaries and benefits	109,832	117,134	111,339	5,795
Fuel and oil	55,000	55,000	26,417	28,583
Maintenance and repair	5,000	5,000	6,785	(1,785)
Total operating	169,832	177,134	144,541	32,593
Total expenditures	223,978	231,786	204,612	27,174
Total excess (deficit)	\$ (105,478)	\$ (113,286)	\$ (89,673)	\$ 23,613

STATE COMPLIANCE SECTION

Dodge County, Georgia
Schedule of State Contractual Assistance
For the Year Ended December 31, 2011

	Contract Number	Revenues	Expenditures	Amounts (Owed to) Due from Organization
State Program				
Georgia Department of Community Affairs:				
Community Development Block Grant	07p-y-045-1-3350	\$ 178,463	\$ 178,463	\$ -
Georgia Department of Transportation:				
Section 5311 Transportation	T003505	\$ 42,804	\$ 42,804	\$ -
Section 5311 Transportation	T003824	\$ -	\$ 37,695	\$ 37,695
Section 5311 Transportation	T002822	\$ 608	\$ 608	\$ -
Airport Access Road Project	PR000-S008-00(414)	\$ 66,922	\$ 66,922	\$ -
System Safety Enhancement Project	CSSFT-0008-00(748)	\$ 398,071	\$ 398,071	\$ -
Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority:				
EECBG	DE-EE0000806	\$ 452,031	\$ 482,366	\$ 30,335
Georgia Emergency Management Agency:				
Emergency Management Performance	FY 11 PPA	\$ 6,526	\$ 6,526	\$ -

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Independent Accountant's Report

I have examined management's assertion included in the accompanying Annual Report of 9-1-1 Collections and Expenditures about Dodge County's compliance during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011 with the requirement to expend 9-1-1 funds in compliance with the expenditure requirements of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, Section 46-5-134. Management is responsible for Dodge County's compliance with this requirement. My responsibility is to express an opinion on management's assertion about Dodge County's compliance based on my examination.

My examination was conducted in accordance with the attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence about Dodge County's compliance with this requirement and performing such other procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances. I believe that my examination provides a reasonable basis for my opinion. My examination does not provide a legal determination on Dodge County's compliance with the specified requirement.

In my opinion, management's assertion that Dodge County complied with the aforementioned requirement during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011 is fairly stated, in all material respects.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management and the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than the specified parties.



H. Frank Erwin, Jr., P.C.
June 29, 2012

Dodge County, Georgia

Annual Report of 9-1-1 Collections and Expenditures

For the Year Ended
December 31, 2011

Line No.	O.C.G.A. Reference	
1		Indicate UCOA Fund Type Used to Account for 9-1-1 Activity (choose one): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Fund <input type="checkbox"/> Enterprise Fund
2	46-5-134(a)(1)	Monthly 9-1-1 charge billed to each exchange access facility subscriber: \$ <u>1.50</u>
3		Total revenue from exchange access facility subscribers: \$ <u>100,205</u>
4		Does 9-1-1 system provide automatic number identification of a wireless telecommunications connection? (choose one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
5		If the answer to Line 4 is "yes", indicate below which of the following apply (choose one) <input type="checkbox"/> System provides location of base station or cell site 46-5-134(a)(2)(A) <input type="checkbox"/> System provides automatic location identification 46-5-134(a)(2)(B)
6		If the answer to Line 4 is "yes", identify the monthly 9-1-1 charge billed to each wireless telecommunications connection subscriber: 46-5-134(a)(2) \$ <u>1.50</u>
7		Total revenue from wireless telecommunications connection subscribers: \$ <u>200,841</u>
8		Total Line 3 plus Line 7 (should equal UCOA Revenue Source 34.2500) \$ <u>301,046</u>
9		Additional revenue sources:
9a	46-5-134(j)	Federal (UCOA Revenue Source 33.1000) Identify each funding agency individually. Attach list, if necessary. <hr/> <hr/>
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
9b	46-5-134(j)	State (UCOA Revenue Source 33.4000) Identify each funding agency individually. Attach list, if necessary. <hr/> <hr/>
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
9c	46-5-134(j)	Local (UCOA Revenue Source 33.6000) Identify each unit of local government individually. Attach list, if necessary. <u>City of Eastman</u> \$ <u>25,960</u> <hr/> <u>Wilcox County</u> \$ <u>97,545</u> <hr/>
9d	46-5-134(j)	Private (UCOA Revenue Source 37.1000) Identify each private source individually. Attach list, if necessary. <hr/> <hr/>
		\$ <u>4,290</u>
		\$ _____

Dodge County, Georgia

Annual Report of 9-1-1 Collections and Expenditures

For the Year Ended
December 31, 2011

Line No.	O.C.G.A. Reference.	
10		Investment Income (UCOA Revenue Source 36.1000 through 36.3000) \$ _____
11		Other revenue sources not included above. Identify each source individually. Transfers from other funds of the local government should be reported on Line 25 and not included here.
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
12		Total Revenues (total of all amounts reported on Lines 8 through 11) \$ <u>428,841</u>
		Expenditures (UCOA Activity 3800)
13	46-5-134(e)	Wireless service supplier cost recovery charges (identify each supplier individually on lines below - attach list, if necessary)
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
		_____ \$ _____
14		Emergency telephone equipment, including necessary computer hardware, software, and data base provisioning, addressing, and nonrecurring costs of establishing a 9-1-1 system:
14a	46-5-134(f)(1)	Lease costs \$ _____
14b	46-5-134(f)(1)	Purchase costs \$ _____
14c	46-5-134(f)(1)	Maintenance costs \$ <u>10,223</u>
15	46-5-134(f)(2)	Rates associated with the service suppliers 9-1-1 service and other service suppliers recurring charges \$ _____
16		Employees hired by the local government solely for the operation and maintenance of the emergency 9-1-1 system: Number of employees classified as: Full time <u>12</u> Part time _____
16a	46-5-134(f)(3)	Salaries and wages \$ <u>264,136</u>
16b	46-5-134(f)(3)	Employee benefits \$ <u>98,500</u>

Dodge County, Georgia

Annual Report of 9-1-1 Collections and Expenditures

For the Year Ended
December 31, 2011

Line No.	O.C.G.A. Reference	
17	46-5-134(f)(3)	\$ _____
18	46-5-134(f)(4)	\$ <u>12,096</u>
19a	Building used as a public safety answering point:	
19a1	46-5-134(f)(5)	\$ _____
19a2	46-5-134(f)(5)	\$ _____
19b	46-5-134(f)(5)	\$ _____
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
20	Computer hardware and software used at a public safety answering point, including computer assisted dispatch systems:	
20a	46-5-134(f)(6)	\$ _____
20b	46-5-134(f)(6)	\$ <u>0</u>
20c	46-5-134(f)(6)	\$ <u>16,095</u>
21	46-5-134(f)(7)	\$ <u>1,707</u>
22	Logging recorders used at a public safety answering point to record telephone and radio traffic:	
22a	46-5-134(f)(8)	\$ _____
22b	46-5-134(f)(8)	\$ _____
22c	46-5-134(f)(8)	\$ _____
23	Other expenditures not included in Lines 13 through 22 above. Identify by object and purpose. Transfers to other funds of the local government should be reported on Line 26 and not included here.	
	Utilities	\$ <u>79,945</u>
	Cable service	\$ <u>1,416</u>
	Property Insurance	\$ <u>9,782</u>
	Vehicle repairs & insurance	\$ <u>2,412</u>
	Uniforms	\$ <u>1,041</u>
	Drug & alcohol testing	\$ <u>786</u>
	Travel	\$ <u>2,036</u>
	Equipment Purchase	\$ <u>196</u>
24	Total Expenditures (total of all amounts reported on Lines 13 through 23 above)	\$ <u><u>500,371</u></u>

Dodge County, Georgia

Annual Report of 9-1-1 Collections and Expenditures

For the Year Ended
December 31, 2011

Line No.	O.C.G.A. Reference	
25		Transfers From Other Funds (identify by fund)
		General Fund
		\$ 68,813
		\$ _____
26		Transfers To Other Funds (identify by fund)
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
27		Proceeds from Capital Lease (identify by asset class and, if equipment, purpose)
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
28		Net Change in Fund Balance (Line 12 - Line 24 + Line 25 - Line 26 + Line 27)
		\$ (2,717)
29		Fund Balance - Beginning of Year
		\$ 5,396
30		Fund Balance - End of Year
		\$ 2,679
31a		Do amounts on Lines 12, 24, 28, 29, and 30 agree to amounts reported in the government's audited financial statements submitted to the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts?
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
31b		If the answer to Line 31a is "no", provide explanation (including amounts) to reconcile each line item specified in Line 31a above to government's audited financial statements. Reconciliation should be attached to this report.

Certification of Local Government Officials

I have reviewed the information presented in this report and certify that it is accurate and correct. I further certify that the 9-1-1 funds were expended in compliance with the expenditure requirements specified in the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA), Section 46-5-134. I understand that, in accordance with OCGA Section 46-5-134(m)(2), any local government which makes expenditures not in compliance with this Code section may be held liable for pro rata reimbursement to telephone and wireless telecommunications subscribers of amounts improperly expended. Further, the noncompliant local government shall be solely financially responsible for the reimbursement and for any costs associated with the reimbursement. Such reimbursement shall be accomplished by service providers abating the imposition of the 9-1-1 charges and 9-1-1 wireless enhanced charges until such abatement equals the total amount of the rebate.

Signature of Chief Elected Official *Dan McCranie* Date *June 29, 2012*

Print Name of Chief Elected Official Dan McCranie

Title of Chief Elected Official Chairman

Signature of Chief Financial Officer *Bobby Peacock* Date *June 29, 2012*

Print Name of Chief Financial Officer Bobby Peacock

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

To the Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenue
Dodge County, Georgia

I have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Dodge County, Georgia, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2011, which collectively comprises Dodge County, Georgia's basic financial statements and have issued my report thereon dated June 29, 2012. I conducted my 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.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

Management of Dodge County, Georgia, is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting. In planning and performing my audit, I considered Dodge County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Dodge County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Dodge County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting.

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.

My consideration of internal control over financial reporting 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 financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. I did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that I consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, I identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting, described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs that I consider to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting as item 11-1. 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.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Dodge County, Georgia's financial statements are free of material misstatement, I 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 my audit, and accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The results of my tests disclosed instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and

questioned costs as items 11-2 and 11-3.

I noted certain matters that I reported to management of Dodge County, Georgia, in a separate letter dated June 29, 2012.

Dodge County, Georgia's response to the findings identified in my audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. I did not audit Dodge County, Georgia's response and, accordingly, I express no opinion on it.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, Board of Commissioners, others within the entity, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



Eastman, Georgia
June 29, 2012

FEDERAL COMPLIANCE SECTION

Dodge County, Georgia
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For The Year Ended December 31, 2011

Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDC Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures
US Department of Transportation Pass-Through Programs From:			
State Department of Transportation -			
Section 5311 Rural Public Transportation	20.509	T003505	\$ 42,804
Section 5311 Rural Public Transportation	20.509	T003824	37,695
ARRA - Section 5311 Rural Public Transportation	20.509	T002822	<u>608</u>
Total - U.S. Department of Transportation			<u>\$ 81,107</u>
US Department of Justice Pass-Through Programs From:			
Criminal Justice Coordinating Council -			
Multi-Jurisdictional Task Force	16.738	B09-8-025	\$ 27,825
Multi-Jurisdictional Task Force	16.738	B10-8-004	78,198
Multi-Jurisdictional Task Force	16.738	B11-8-007	<u>116,888</u>
Total - U.S. Department of Transportation			<u>\$ 222,911</u>
US Department of Housing & Urban Development Pass-Through Programs From:			
Georgia Department of Community Affairs -			
Community Development Block Grant	14.225	07p-y-045-1-3350	<u>\$ 178,463</u>
Total - US Department of Agriculture			<u>\$ 178,463</u>
US Department of Energy Pass-Through Programs From:			
Georgia Environmental Finance Authority -			
ARRA - EECBG	81.128	DE-EE0000806	<u>\$ 482,366</u>
Total - US Department of Agriculture			<u>\$ 482,366</u>
US Department of Agriculture Direct Award			
Environmental Quality Incentive Program	10.912	65-4310-10-445	<u>\$ 14,900</u>
Total - US Department of Agriculture			<u>\$ 14,900</u>
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			<u><u>\$ 979,747</u></u>

See accompanying notes to schedule of expenditures of federal awards.

Dodge County, Georgia
Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For The Year Ended December 31, 2011

Note A. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the Schedule) includes the federal grant activity of Dodge County, Georgia under programs of the federal government for the year ended December 31, 2011. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of Dodge County, Georgia, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of Dodge County, Georgia.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS
THAT COULD HAVE A DIRECT AND MATERIAL EFFECT ON EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND
ON INTERNAL CONTROL
OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

To the Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenue
Dodge County, Georgia

Compliance

I have audited Dodge County, Georgia's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Dodge County, Georgia's major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2011. Dodge County, Georgia's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of Dodge County, Georgia's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on Dodge County, Georgia's compliance based on my audit.

I conducted my 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 OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that I 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 Dodge County, Georgia's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as I consider necessary in the circumstances. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion. My audit does not provide a legal determination of Dodge County, Georgia's compliance with those requirements.

In my opinion, Dodge County, Georgia complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2011.

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Dodge County, Georgia
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Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of Dodge County, Georgia is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing my audit, I considered Dodge County, Georgia's internal control over compliance with the requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program to determine the auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Dodge County, Georgia'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.

My 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 deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. I did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that I consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, Board of Commissioners, others within the entity, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



Eastman, Georgia
June 29, 2012

DODGE COUNTY, GEORGIA
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
Year Ended December 31, 2011

SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

- (i) The auditor's report expresses an unqualified opinion on the financial statements of Dodge County, Georgia.
- (ii) One significant deficiency disclosed during the audit of the financial statements is reported in the 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*. No material weaknesses are reported.
- (iii) One instance of noncompliance material to the financial statements of Dodge County was disclosed during the audit.
- (iv) No significant deficiency in internal control over major federal award programs disclosed during the audit.
- (v) The auditor's report on compliance for the major federal award programs for Dodge County, Georgia expresses an unqualified opinion on all major federal programs.
- (vi) Audit findings that are required to be reported in accordance with Section 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133 are reported in this Schedule.
- (vii) The programs tested as major programs included: Community Development Block Grant CFDA # 14.225 and ARRA-EECBG CFDA # 81.128.
- (viii) The threshold for distinguishing Types A and B programs was \$300,000.
- (ix) Dodge County, Georgia was determined to be a high-risk auditee.

FINDINGS - FINANCAL STATEMENTS AUDIT

11-1 Segregation of Duties

Condition: Due to the limited number of personnel, overlapping of duties exists in the County's operations, primarily in the areas of cash receipts and disbursements. This overlapping of duties presents a situation where unauthorized use of assets could occur and not be detected within a timely period.

Recommendation: I recommend that management and the Board of Commissioners continually exercise alert supervision of employees in order to protect the assets of the

DODGE COUNTY, GEORGIA
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
Year Ended December 31, 2011

County. I further recommend the County implement an internal audit review to be performed on a quarterly basis. This internal audit would serve to further mitigate the lack of segregation of duties.

Views of Responsible Officials And Planned Corrective Action: The Board of Commissioners will continue to demonstrate alert supervision in regards to the County's financial affairs.

11-2 Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax

Special purpose local option sales tax proceeds shall be used exclusively for the purpose or purposes specified in the resolution or ordinance calling for imposition of the tax. Such proceeds shall be kept in a separate account from other funds of such county and each qualified municipality receiving proceeds of the sales and use tax and shall not in any manner be commingled with other funds of such county and each qualified municipality receiving proceeds of the sales and use tax prior to the expenditure.

11-3 Budgets

Condition: Local governmental entities are required to adopt annual budgets for Special Revenue Funds. Dodge County did not adopt budgets for all of its Special Revenue Funds.

Recommendation: The Board of Commissioners should adopt annual budgets for all Special Revenue Funds prior to January 1 of each year.

Views of Responsible Officials And Planned Corrective Action: The Board of Commissioners will adopt annual budgets for all Special Revenue Funds prior to January 1 of each year.

**FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS-MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS
AUDIT**

None to report.

DODGE COUNTY, GEORGIA
Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings
Year Ended December 31, 2011

No prior year audit findings relative to federal award programs to be reported.