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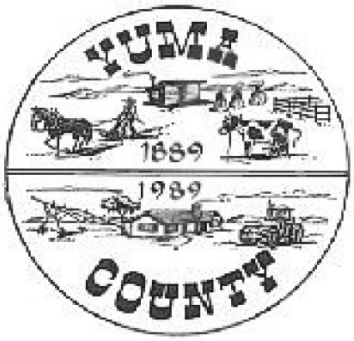

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of County Commissioners
Yuma County, Colorado

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Yuma County, Colorado, Colorado (the "County"), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our 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 units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Yuma County, Colorado, Colorado as of December 31, 2023, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP").

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAS") and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards,* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the County and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with U.S. GAAP; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the County's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that the financial statements are issued.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with U.S. GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with U.S. GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the County's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control–related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
To the Board of County Commissioners
Yuma County, Colorado

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements. The combining fund financial statements, individual fund budgetary information, local highway fiancé report, and the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards as required by *Title 2, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* included in the Single Audit Section listed in the accompanying table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining fund financial statements, individual fund budgetary information, the Local Highway Finance Report, and the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards included in the Single Audit Section listed in the accompanying table of contents is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with U.S. GAAS. In our opinion, combining fund financial statements, individual fund budgetary information, the Local Highway Finance Report, and the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards included in the Single Audit Section listed in the accompanying table of contents is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards,* we have also issued our report dated **September 28, 2024** on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on 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* in considering the County's internal control over financial reporting and on compliance.

McMahan and Associates, L.L.C.

McMahan and Associates, L.L.C.
September 28, 2024

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Yuma County, Colorado
Management's Discussion and Analysis
December 31, 2023

As management of Yuma County, Colorado (the "County"), we offer readers of the County's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the County for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023.

Financial Highlights

- The assets and deferred outflows of resources of the County exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows of resources at the close of the most recent fiscal year by $50,029,692 (net position). Of this amount, $19,821,253 (unrestricted net position) may be used to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.
- The County's total net position increased by $3,308,879 from 2022. A large portion of this is due to an increase in grants and contributions and property taxes.
- As of the close of the current fiscal year, the County governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of $23,811,364, an increase of $1,938,279. The change came from an increase in the general fund..

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the County's basic financial statements. The County's basic financial statements are comprised of three components: 1) government-wide financial statements; 2) fund financial statements; and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also provides other supplementary information in addition to the financial statements themselves.

Government-wide Financial Statements: The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the County's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all of the County's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources with the difference is reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the County is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the government's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

The government-wide financial statements include not only the County itself (known as the primary government), but also two legally separate districts for which the County is financially accountable. The Yuma County Water Authority Public Improvement District is reported as a blended component unit of the County (as a special revenue fund) and the Yuma County Water Authority is reported as a discretely presented component unit. Financial information for the Yuma County Water Authority is reported separately from the financial information presented for the County.

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the County that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities). The governmental activities of the County include general government, judicial, public safety, health and human services, community auxiliary services, culture and recreation, public works (roads and bridges), and landfill.

The government-wide fund financial statements can be found on pages C1 and C2 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements: A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The County, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the County can be divided into two categories: 1) governmental funds; and 2) fiduciary funds.

Governmental Funds: Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements. The County's major governmental funds include the General Fund, Road and Bridge Fund, Human Services Fund, Grant Fund, and the Water Authority Public Improvement District, a blended component unit. The County also reports a number of non-major governmental funds. Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. The Balance Sheet and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

General Fund: Administration of general County operations is accomplished through various departments within the General Fund. At the beginning of 2023, the fund balance was $11,004,136; at the end of 2023, the fund balance was $13,076,843. The following is a listing of the General Fund departments listed by function.

Administrative Operations:

- The Commissioners' Office coordinates County operations, financial reporting and accounting, budget preparation and GIS mapping.
- The Commissioners' Attorney works under direction of the Commissioners.
- The Planning and Zoning Office monitors the change of land use within the County.
- The Assessor's Office appraises and assesses taxes for all property within the County.
- The Treasurer's Office collects taxes, fees, and handles all County banking needs.
- The Clerk & Recorder's Office operates motor vehicle, recordings, runs all elections, and operates the driver's license department.
- The custodial staff under direction of the County Administrator oversees maintenance of the Courthouse and of the Health and Human Services building.

Judicial:

- The District Attorney's Office provides judicial services jointly with other counties within the district.

Public Safety:

- The Sheriff's Department, County Jail, Coroner's Office, Emergency Communication Center, and the Emergency Preparedness provide public safety.

Health

Health service agencies are:

- Wray, Yuma, Idalia, and South Y-W are the four ambulance services within the county licensed by the Board of County Commissioners. The Yuma and Wray Ambulance Agencies are operating on their own revenue. When needed the County assists with purchases and maintains the ambulances for two agencies: Idalia and South Y-W. The agencies provide personnel, supplies and general operating costs for their ambulance agency.
- NE Colorado Health Department (NCHD) provides health care in Yuma County and five other regional counties.

Community Auxiliary Services:

- Yuma County Fair is held during the month of August each year, under direction of the County Commissioners through the Yuma County Fair Board.
- The County is providing financial assistance to the Irrigation Research Foundation to support agriculture research.
- Economic Development provides assistance to retain current businesses and assists in attracting new business into the County.
- The Veterans' Office assists veterans living in the County.
- The Yuma County Water Authority Public Improvement District, which is reported as a blended component unit of the County, was created to address an imminent threat to the economic viability of a significant area within Yuma County and to assist in the State of Colorado's compliance with its obligations under a compact by purchasing surface water rights in the North Fork of the Republican River basin.

Intergovernmental Co-Operations:

- The County, in partnership with other counties of the region, supports the Extension Service, NE Colorado Association of Local Governments, NE Colorado Bookmobile, and NE Colorado Transportation Authority.
- The W-Y Communications Center dispatches E911 calls from Yuma and Washington Counties. Its operational revenues come from Washington County, Yuma County, and the Authority Board, which handles the telephone surcharge.

The County supports the Landfill along with the City of Yuma, City of Wray, and the Town of Eckley.

Governmental Funds - Special Revenue Funds: The County's special revenue funds account for specific revenues that are legally restricted to expenditures for particular purposes. The County's special revenue funds include the Road and Bridge Fund, Landfill Fund, Landfill Closure Fund, Human Services Fund, Recreation Fund, Conservation Trust Fund, Self-Insurance Fund, Capital Acquisition Fund, Useful Public Service Fund, Sheriff's Victim Assistance and Grant Fund, Water Authority Public Improvement District Fund, and Separation of Employment Fund.

Fiduciary Funds - Agency Funds: The County has assets held as an agent for other governments and/or other funds. The County Treasurer holds agency funds on behalf of other governments. The Employees' Section 125 Plan, Sheriff's, Public Trustee, Payroll Clearing, Golden Plains Extension Service, Greg Wise Scholarship and High Plains Highway also had funds at year end. Sheriff's funds consist of the Sheriff's Inmate and Commissary account. The Fair funds include proceeds for disbursement from the Junior Livestock Sale and gate funds from the County Fair. Information regarding the agency funds is available on page C7, C8, F12, and F13.

Notes and Schedules to the Financial Statements:

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The Notes to the Financial Statements can be found in Section D of this report.

Schedules:

- The combining statements referred to earlier in connection with non-major governmental funds are presented immediately following the required supplementary information. Combining individual fund statements and schedules can be found in Section F.
- The Annual *Schedule of Revenues and Expenditures for Roads, Bridges and Streets* is part of the Local Highway Finance Report sent to the State of Colorado (the "State").

The County uses fund accounting to ensure compliance with finance-related legal requirements. The County adopts annual appropriated budgets for all its funds in accordance with the requirements of the State of Colorado Budget Law. Budgetary comparison schedules have been provided to demonstrate compliance and can be found in sections E and F of this report.

Government-wide Financial Analysis:

As previously mentioned, the government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview and long-term analysis of the County's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business. The following graph shows the County's net position for 2023 and 2022:

Yuma County's Net Position:

	Governmental Activities	
	2023	**2022**
Assets:		
Current and other assets	$ 33,965,322	$ 31,189,719
Capital assets, net	31,400,820	31,697,919
Total Assets	65,366,142	62,887,638
Deferred Outflows of Resources:		
Deferred charges	-	36,345
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	-	36,345
Liabilities:		
Other liabilities	2,568,560	2,974,352
Long-term liabilities	3,889,962	5,336,408
Total Liabilities	6,458,522	8,310,760
Deferred Inflows of Resources:		
Unavailable revenue	8,877,928	7,892,410
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	8,877,928	7,892,410
Net Position:		
Net investment in capital assets	28,160,455	27,487,520
Restricted	2,047,984	2,210,021
Unrestricted	19,821,253	17,023,272
Total Net Position	$ 50,029,692	$ 46,720,813

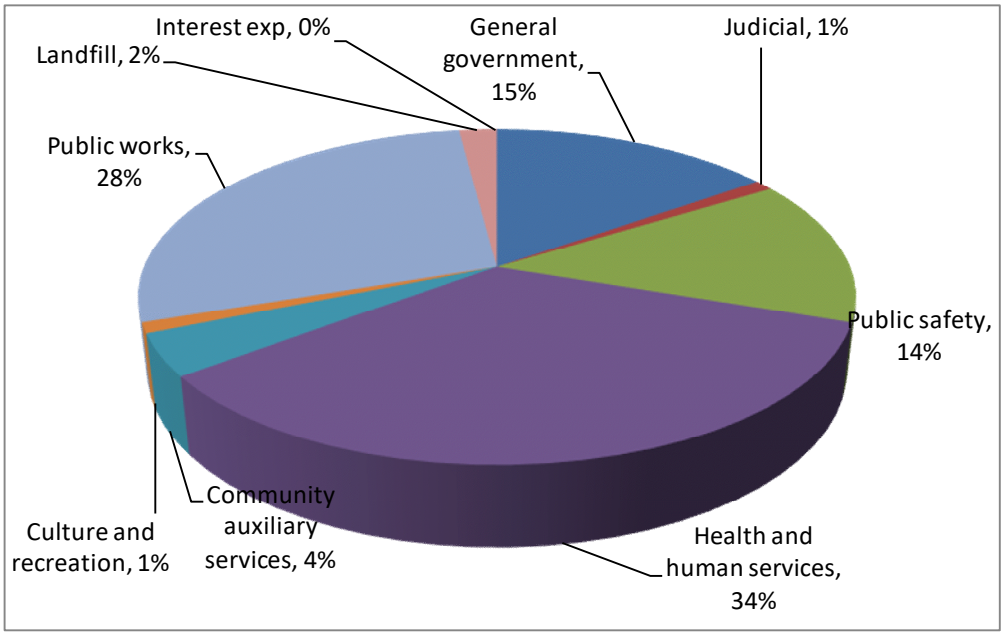
Traditionally, the largest portion of any county investments is in its capital assets: land, water rights, buildings and improvements, equipment, machinery, and specialized tools necessary to deliver and/or provide services to the residents. Capital assets of the County account for 48% of its total assets; these assets are not an available source of payment of future spending.

The County's net position increased $3,308,879 during the current fiscal year. A large portion of this is due to an increase in grants and contributions, property taxes, highway users' taxes, charges for services, and interest and other revenue while expenses decreased.

Yuma County's Governmental Activities

	Governmental Activities	
	2023	**2022**
Revenues:		
Program revenues:		
Charges for services	$ 2,235,525	$ 1,872,594
Grants and contributions	5,042,566	8,194,803
General revenues:		
Property taxes	7,880,482	7,431,008
Specific ownership taxes	711,050	674,063
Highway users tax	3,180,891	3,140,068
Interest & other revenue	970,834	(92,108)
Total Revenues	20,021,348	21,220,428
Expenses:		
General government	3,132,653	2,954,856
Judicial	261,985	261,985
Public safety	2,488,416	2,799,077
Health and human services	4,892,621	6,814,553
Community auxiliary services	845,620	812,347
Culture and recreation	128,015	176,389
Public works	4,439,694	5,657,151
Landfill	488,497	431,640
Interest expense	34,968	42,756
Total Expenses	16,712,469	19,950,754
Change in Net Position	3,308,879	1,269,674
Net Position - Beginning of Year	46,720,813	45,451,139
Net Position - End of Year	$ 50,029,692	$ 46,720,813

The following graph depicts the County's 2022 expenses:



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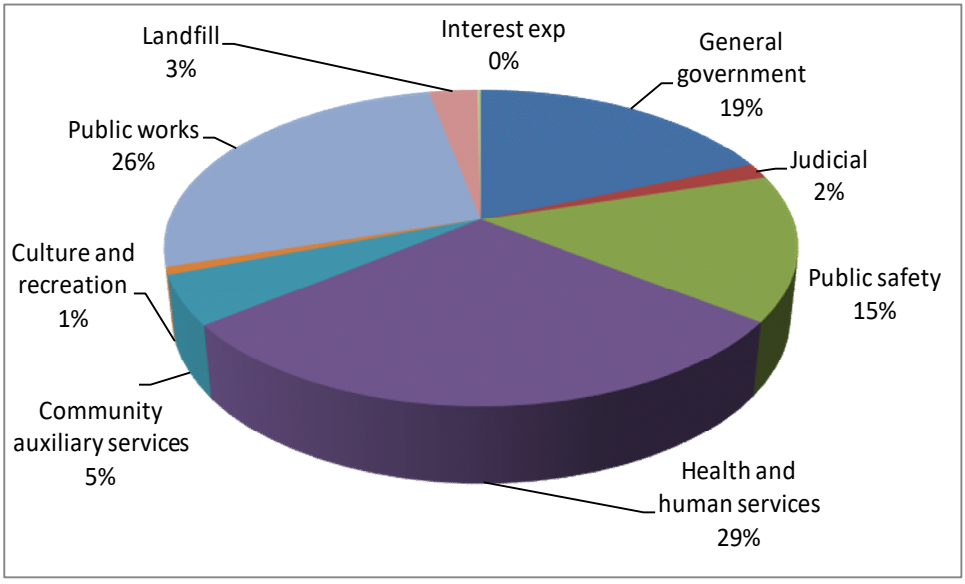

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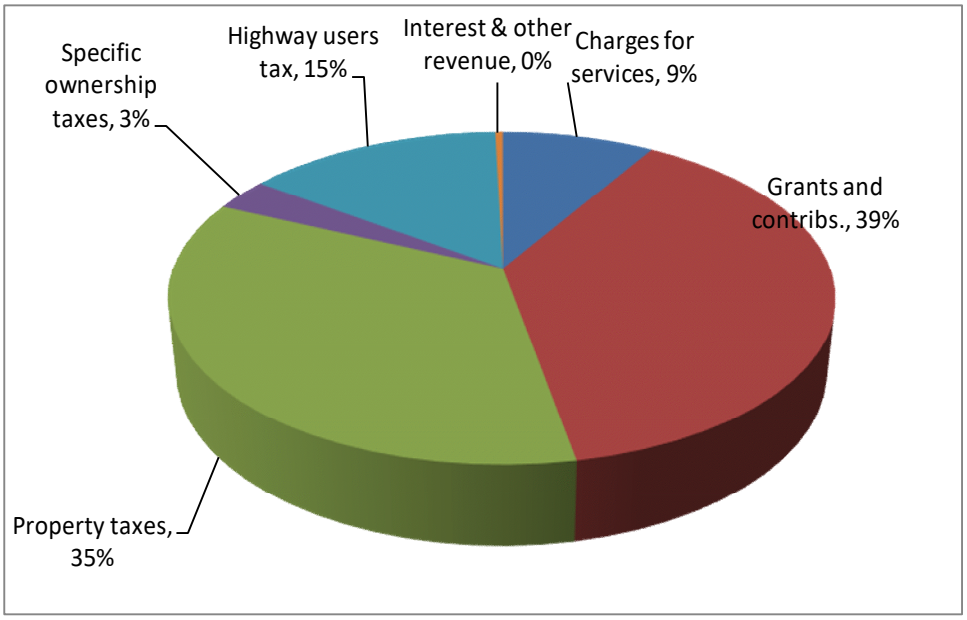

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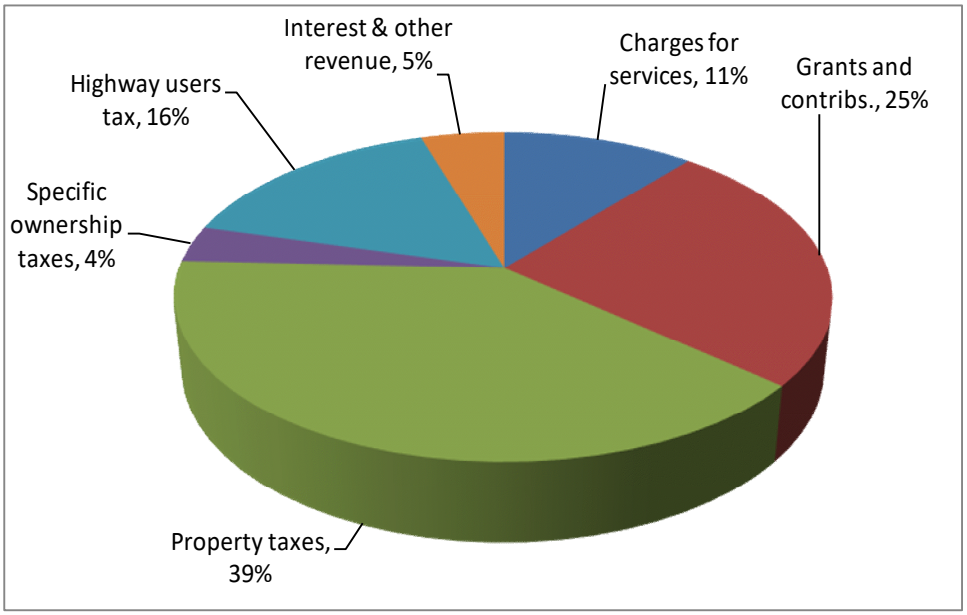

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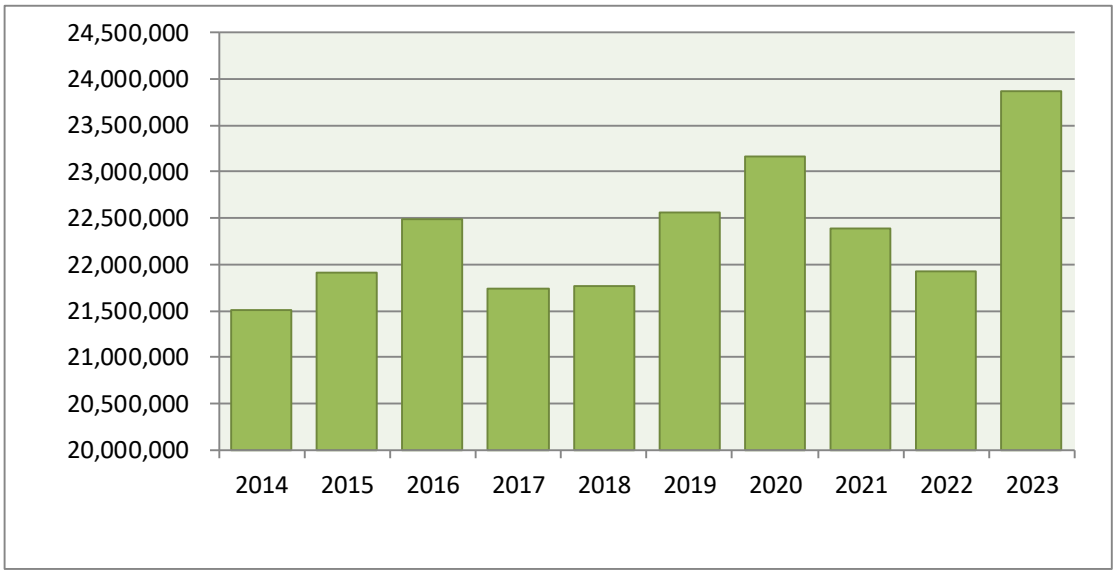

Next Year's Budget and Rates:

The County's General Fund balance at the end of fiscal year 2023 was $13,076,843. A reserve is necessary to start the year and provide basic services to the residents and visitors of the County. A minimum reserve at the year-end on which to operate a minimum of three months or 25% is considered necessary, for the majority of the property tax revenue is received in April of each year. Because the county relies on several significant taxpayers, Yuma keeps a higher reserve than the minimum. The County had a General Fund balance of 203% of 2023 expenditures of $6,445,026.

Budget Variances:

The County was not required to amend the budgets of any funds for the current fiscal year.

The details of the individual departments of the General Fund and other fund budgets can be found in Sections E and F of this report.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration:

During the current fiscal year, the County purchased heavy equipment, made improvements to various buildings and County infrastructure. A detailed description of this and other capital assets additions, capital asset disposals, and depreciation expense is included in the Notes to the Financial Statements. During 2023, net capital assets of the County decreased by a net of $297,099.

As of the end of the current fiscal year, the County's total long-term liabilities decreased by $1,446,446; this decrease was mainly the result of principal payments on General Obligation debt and a note payable offset by an increase to the landfill post closure liability. A detailed description of the County's long-term liabilities is included in the Notes to the Financial Statements.

Next Year's Budget:

During the current fiscal year, fund balance in the General Fund increased to $13,076,843 and the special revenue funds decreased to $9,588,769. In 2024, the County anticipates $22,464,418 in revenue and $22,464,418 in expenditures.

Request for Information:

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the County's finances for all those with an interest. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Yuma County Administrative Office, 310 Ash Street, Suite A, Wray, Colorado 80758.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Yuma County, Colorado
Statement of Net Position
December 31, 2023

	Primary Government	Component Unit
	Governmental Activities	Yuma County Water Authority
Assets:		
Cash and investments	23,881,057	556,952
Receivables, net:		
Taxes	8,827,928	-
Accounts	526,903	29,330
Due from other governments	287,965	61,778
Inventory	441,469	-
Capital assets not being depreciated:		
Land	563,654	-
Construction in progress	37,692	-
Water rights	20,139,000	739,564
Depreciable capital assets	42,938,478	-
Accumulated depreciation	(32,278,004)	-
Total Assets	65,366,142	1,387,624
Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	715,316	-
Accrued compensation	277,736	-
Accrued interest payable	42,530	-
Advanced Water Lease Revenue	1,250,000	-
Unavailable revenue - other	282,978	-
Compensated absences:		
Due in more than one year	14,131	-
Notes payable:		
Due within one year	534,108	-
Due in more than one year	2,706,257	-
Landfill post closure liability	635,466	-
Total Liabilities	6,458,522	-
Deferred Inflow of Resources:		
Unavailable revenue - property taxes	8,877,928	-
Total Deferred Inflow of Resources	8,877,928	-
Net Position:		
Net investment in capital assets	28,160,455	739,564
Restricted for:		
Emergencies	493,000	-
Other purposes	1,554,984	-
Unrestricted	19,821,253	648,060
Total Net Position	50,029,692	1,387,624

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

Yuma County, Colorado
Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Functions/Programs:	Expenses	Program Revenues: Charges for Services	Program Revenues: Operating Grants and Contributions	Program Revenues: Capital Grants and Contributions	Primary Government: Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position: Governmental Activities	Component Units: Yuma County Water Authority
Governmental activities:						
General government	3,132,654	1,226,674	68,637	-	(1,837,343)	
Judicial	261,985	-	-	-	(261,985)	
Public safety	2,488,416	38,349	344,285	26,188	(2,079,594)	
Health and human services	4,892,621	-	4,406,032	-	(486,589)	
Community auxiliary services	845,620	422,011	13,730	-	(409,879)	
Culture and recreation	128,015	-	55,236	-	(72,779)	
Public works	4,439,694	150,203	60,983	37,475	(4,191,033)	
Landfill	488,496	398,288	-	30,000	(60,208)	
Interest expense	34,968	-	-	-	(34,968)	
Total Primary Government	16,712,469	2,235,525	4,948,903	93,663	(9,434,378)	
Component Units:						
Yuma County Water Authority	67,564	29,413	90,471	-		52,320
Total Component Units	67,564	29,413	90,471	-		52,320
General Revenues:						
Taxes:						
Property tax, levied for general purposes					6,752,126	-
Property tax, levied for debt service					1,128,356	-
Specific ownership tax					711,050	-
Highway user tax					3,180,891	-
Other taxes					279,338	-
Investment earnings (loss), including unrealized					812,149	-
Gain on sale of assets					(276,899)	-
Grants and contributions not restricted by programs					156,246	-
Total General Revenues					12,743,257	-
Change in Net Position					3,308,879	52,320
Net Position - Beginning of Year					46,720,813	1,335,304
Net Position - End of Year					50,029,692	1,387,624

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

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Yuma County, Colorado
Balance Sheets
Governmental Funds
December 31, 2023

	General	Road and Bridge	Human Services	Grant	Water Authority Public Imp. District	Non-major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Assets:							
Cash and investments	13,218,964	4,614,618	746,977	983,726	1,120,807	3,195,965	23,881,057
Taxes receivable	5,850,571	886,790	350,649	-	1,213,945	525,973	8,827,928
Accounts receivable	352,359	-	114,355	-	-	60,189	526,903
Due from other governments	-	277,807	-	23,608	-	753	302,168
Due from other funds	-	-	-	33,348	265	254	33,867
Inventory	-	441,469	-	-	-	-	441,469
Total Assets	19,421,894	6,220,684	1,211,981	1,040,682	2,335,017	3,783,134	34,013,392
Liabilities:							
Accounts payable	356,716	223,669	99	1,438	-	133,391	715,313
Accrued compensation	116,090	64,763	89,877	-	-	7,006	277,736
Due to other governments	-	-	14,204	-	-	-	14,204
Due to other funds	21,674	11,410	-	-	-	783	33,867
Unavailable revenue - other	-	-	196,061	36,919	-	50,000	282,980
Total Liabilities	494,480	299,842	300,241	38,357	-	191,180	1,324,100
Deferred Inflows of Resources:							
Unavailable revenue - property taxes	5,850,571	936,790	350,649	-	1,213,945	525,973	8,877,928
Total Deferred Inflow of Resources	5,850,571	936,790	350,649	-	1,213,945	525,973	8,877,928
Fund Balances:							
Nonspendable	-	441,469	-	-	-	-	441,469
Restricted	493,000	-	-	1,002,325	-	552,659	2,047,984
Committed	-	4,542,583	561,091	-	1,121,072	2,513,322	8,738,068
Unassigned	12,583,843	-	-	-	-	-	12,583,843
Total Fund Balances	13,076,843	4,984,052	561,091	1,002,325	1,121,072	3,065,981	23,811,364
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances	19,421,894	6,220,684	1,211,981	1,040,682	2,335,017	3,783,134	34,013,392

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Yuma County, Colorado
Reconciliation of Fund Balance to Statement of Net Position
Governmental Funds
December 31, 2023

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:		
Total Fund Balance on Governmental Funds		23,811,364
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore, are not reported in the funds. This represents the County's capital assets at cost.		63,678,824
Accumulated depreciation on capital assets are recorded on the government wide financial statements to charge the cost of the asset over its estimated useful life.		(32,278,004)
Rent revenue for governmental funds is recognized when measurable and available. However, in the Statement of Activities, rent revenue is recognized over the term of the lease. This represents the amount of advanced water lease revenue.		(1,250,000)
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore, are not reported in the funds. This represents the County's compensated absences at year end.		
Compensated absences	(14,131)	
Accrued interest	(42,530)	
Notes payable	(3,240,365)	
Landfill closure and post-closure	(635,466)	(3,932,492)
Net Position of Governmental Activities		50,029,692

Yuma County, Colorado
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Governmental Funds
December 31, 2023

	General	Road and Bridge	Human Services	Grant	Water Authority Public Imp. District	Non-major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:							
Taxes	5,861,723	823,988	311,077	-	1,241,933	466,388	8,705,109
Intergovernmental revenue	347,710	3,402,976	4,405,240	78,867	-	159,717	8,394,510
Charges for services	1,400,461	45,440	-	-	-	419,540	1,865,441
Permits and licenses	2,645	37,475	-	-	-	-	40,120
Investment inc.(loss), including unrealized	812,149	-	-	-	-	-	812,149
Miscellaneous	93,045	7,782	-	-	544	35,952	137,323
Total Revenues	8,517,733	4,317,661	4,716,317	78,867	1,242,477	1,081,597	19,954,652
Expenditures:							
General government	2,675,474	-	-	32,220	-	518,785	3,226,479
Judicial	261,985	-	-	-	-	-	261,985
Public safety	2,396,469	-	-	180	-	223,933	2,620,582
Culture and recreation	-	-	-	11,959	-	103,296	115,255
Public works	-	4,891,907	-	-	-	-	4,891,907
Health and human services	110,744	-	4,672,132	253,920	-	-	5,036,796
Community auxiliary services	787,149	-	-	-	34,280	-	821,429
Landfill	-	-	-	-	-	358,792	358,792
Debt service:							
Principal	-	-	-	-	967,355	-	967,355
Interest	-	-	-	-	93,561	-	93,561
Total Expenditures	6,231,821	4,891,907	4,672,132	298,279	1,095,196	1,204,806	18,394,141
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	2,285,912	(574,246)	44,185	(219,412)	147,281	(123,209)	1,560,511
Other Financing Sources (Uses):							
Transfers in	-	-	-	-	-	283,735	283,735
Transfers (out)	(213,205)	-	-	-	-	(70,530)	(283,735)
Insurance recoveries	-	104,762	-	-	-	-	104,762
Sale of assets	-	273,006	-	-	-	-	273,006
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(213,205)	377,768	-	-	-	213,205	377,768
Net Change in Fund Balance	2,072,707	(196,478)	44,185	(219,412)	147,281	89,996	1,938,279
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year	11,004,136	5,180,530	516,906	1,221,737	973,791	2,975,985	21,873,085
Fund Balances - End of Year	13,076,843	4,984,052	561,091	1,002,325	1,121,072	3,065,981	23,811,364

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Yuma County, Colorado
Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities
December 31, 2023

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

Net Change in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds		1,938,279
Governmental funds report the effect of premiums and discounts when the debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities. The following amounts represent the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items:		
Premium on bonds issued		2,679
Rent revenue for governmental funds is recognized when measurable and available. However, in the Statement of Activities, rent revenue is recognized over the term of the lease. This represents the net effect of the difference in the treatment of this lease revenue.		250,000
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense.		
Donated assets	-	
Capital outlay	1,324,526	
Depreciation expense	(1,071,720)	252,806
Governmental funds report asset sales if proceeds are received. The government wide financial statements report the sale of capital assets at the proceeds less the book value of the assets. Thus, the change in net position differs from the change in fund balance by the cost of the capital assets sold.		(549,905)
Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.		
Change in landfill closure and post closure liability	(75,084)	
Change in accrued interest payable	7,598	
Amortization	(36,345)	
Change in unaccreted interest	-	
Change in accrued compensated absences	551,496	447,665
Repayment of debt obligations are expenditures in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Position. This is the amount of repayments.		967,355
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities		3,308,879

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Yuma County, Colorado
Statement of Fiduciary Net Position
Fiduciary Funds
December 31, 2023

	Custodial Fund
Assets:	
Cash and investments	2,404,485
Accounts receivable	41,144
Total Assets	2,445,629
Liabilities:	
Due to others	29,282
Accounts payable	104,384
Total Liabilities	133,666
Net Position:	
Restricted for:	
Individuals, organizations and other governments	2,311,963
Total Net Position	2,311,963

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Yuma County, Colorado
Combining Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position
Custodial Funds
December 31, 2023

	Total
Additions:	
Taxes collected for other governments	44,283,331
Funds held for others	1,021,550
Total Additions	45,304,881
Deductions:	
Taxes disbursed to other governments	44,105,565
Public trustee disbursements	124,898
Funds held for others	784,342
Total Deductions	45,014,805
Net Increase (Decrease) in Fiduciary Net Position	290,076
Net Position - Beginning of the Year	2,688,541
Net Position - End of the Year	2,978,617

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Yuma County (the "County") was formed in 1889 and is a statutory county located in eastern Colorado. An elected Board of Commissioners is responsible for setting policy, appointing administrative personnel, and adopting an annual budget in accordance with state statutes. The County's major operations include administration, health and human services, police protection, road maintenance, and landfill operations.

The County's financial statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is responsible for establishing GAPP for state and local governments through its pronouncements (Statements and Interpretations).

A. Reporting Entity

The reporting entity consists of (a) the primary government, i.e., the County, and (b) organizations for which the County is financially accountable. The County is considered financially accountable for legally separate organizations if it is able to appoint a voting majority of an organization's governing body and is either able to impose its will on that organization or there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or to impose specific financial burdens on, the County. Consideration is also given to other organizations which are fiscally dependent, i.e., unable to adopt a budget, levy taxes, or issue debt without approval by the County. Organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the County are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete are also included in the reporting entity.

The Yuma County Water Authority Public Improvement District (the "Water Authority Public Improvement District") serves all of the citizens of the County and is governed by a board comprised of the County Commissioners. The Water Authority Public Improvement District was created to address an imminent threat to the economic viability of a significant area within Yuma County and to assist in the State of Colorado's compliance with its obligations under a compact by purchasing surface water rights in the North Fork of the Republican River basin. The Water Authority Public Improvement District, a blended component unit, is reported as a special revenue fund.

The Yuma County Water Authority (the "Water Authority") serves all of the citizens of the County and is governed by a board appointed by member jurisdictions, which include Yuma County, the City of Wray, the City of Yuma, and the Town of Eckley. The Water Authority was created to develop water resources, systems, and facilities for the benefit of member jurisdictions. The Water Authority is reported as a discretely presented component unit.

Resource flows (except those that affect the statement of net position/balance sheet only, such as loans and repayments) between a primary government and its discretely presented component units are reported as external transactions—that is, as revenues and expenses. Resource flows between the primary government and blended component units are classified as interfund transactions in the financial statements.

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The County's basic financial statements include both government-wide (reporting the County as a whole) and fund financial statements (reporting the County's major funds and aggregate non-major funds). Government-wide financial statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the County. Both of the government-wide financial statements categorize primary activities as either governmental or business-type. Governmental activities are normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues. Business-type activities rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. The County does not have any business-type activities.

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

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

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting*, as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be *available* when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation (continued)

Property taxes, sales taxes, franchise taxes, licenses, other government revenues and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

The *General Fund* is the County's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the County, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The *Road and Bridge Fund* accounts for the County's share of state revenues that are legally restricted for the maintenance of highways and roads within the County's boundaries and to account for property taxes and other revenues restricted for highway and road purposes.

The *Human Services Fund* administers the County's state and federal revenues that are restricted for the provision of health and human services to the residents of the County.

The *Grant Fund* is used to account for major grants received from state and federal sources.

The *Water Authority Public Improvement District Fund* accounts for the activities of this district, a blended component unit.

The County Reports the following additional fund type:

Fiduciary funds account for monies held on behalf of other governments in the Treasurer's and Clerk's offices; the Employee's Section 125 Plan Fund is held for County employees' health and welfare reimbursements; the Sheriff's Funds are held for inmates; the Public Trustee is a state statutorily mandated position whose financial transactions are independent of the County; and Payroll Clearing funds are held for other entities for which the County provides payroll services. The Fair is held for the Fair Board for transaction related to the annual Yuma County Fair. The Golden Plains Extension Service is held for the Colorado State University Extension. High Plains Highway funds are for use by a coalition of communities to advocate for positive economic impacts for their communities. These agency funds are combined on the fiduciary fund financial statement.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Financial Statement Accounts

1. Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Investments

The County Treasurer is responsible for central cash management for all funds, as well as other entities falling under its jurisdiction. Except for departmental petty cash, cash held for third parties (i.e., DHS Child Welfare), and cash held by separate legal entities which are included in the reporting entity, all cash is deposited with the Treasurer. The Treasurer invests this cash to achieve the best possible return on the investments. Interest revenue is allocated to funds as designated by the Board of County Commissioners.

Cash and cash equivalents include amounts in demand deposits as well as short-term investments with a maturity date within 3 months of the date acquired by the County.

Investments are stated at fair value, net asset value or amortized cost. The change in fair value of investments is recognized as an increase or decrease to investment assets and investment income.

The County's investment policy permits investments in the following type of obligations which corresponds with state statutes:

- U.S. Treasury Obligations (maximum maturity of 60 months)
- U.S. Agencies (maximum maturity of 60 months)
- Money Market Accounts
- Certificates of Deposit (maximum maturity of 60 months)
- Local Government Investment Pools

2. Receivables

Receivables are reported net of an allowance for uncollectible accounts.

3. Property Taxes

Property taxes are assessed in one year as a lien on the property, but not collected by the governmental unit until the subsequent year. In accordance with GAAP, the assessed but uncollected property taxes have been recorded as a receivable and as deferred inflow of resources.

4. Inventory

All inventories are valued at cost using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method.

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Financial Statement Accounts (continued)

5. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include land, water rights, buildings, building improvements, equipment, vehicles, and infrastructure assets, are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets, other than infrastructure assets, are defined by the County as assets with an initial cost of $5,000 or more and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Infrastructure assets are capitalized when the asset has an initial cost of $10,000 or more. Such assets are recorded at cost where historical records are available and at estimated historical costs where no historical records exist. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Improvements are capitalized and depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related fixed assets, as applicable. Capital outlay for projects is capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during the construction phase is expensed as incurred.

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Assets	Years
Land improvements	15
Buildings, improvements & infrastructu	10-40
Machinery, equipment and software	3-10
Vehicles	5-7

6. Unavailable Revenue

For governmental funds, unavailable revenue arise when potential revenue does not meet both the “measurable” and “available” criteria for recognition in the current period.

7. Interfund Receivables and Payables

Balances at year-end between funds are reported as “due to/from other funds” in the fund financial statements. Residual balances are eliminated in the government-wide financial statements.

8. Compensated Absences

Vested or accumulated leave that is expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources is reported as an expenditure and a fund liability of the governmental fund that will pay it. Amounts of vested or accumulated personal leave that are not expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources are reported in the government-wide financial statements. In accordance with provisions of GASB No.16 *Accounting for Compensated Absences,* no liability is recorded for non-vesting accumulating rights.

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Financial Statement Accounts (continued)

9. Long-term Debt

In the government-wide financial statements long-term debt is reported as a liability. Bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the bonds outstanding method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount.

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

10. Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The County's deferred charge on refunding is reported in this category.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The County has only one type of items that qualify for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, unavailable property tax revenue is deferred and recognized as inflows of resources in the period that the amounts become available.

11. Interfund Transactions

Quasi-external transactions are accounted for as revenues, expenditures, or expenses. Transactions that constitute reimbursements to a fund for expenditures or expenses initially made from it that are properly applicable to another fund, are recorded as expenditures or expenses in the reimbursing fund as a reduction of expenditures or expenses in the fund that is reimbursed. All other interfund transactions, except for quasi-external transactions and reimbursements, are reported as transfers.

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Financial Statement Accounts (continued)

12. Categories and Classification of Fund Balance

Governmental accounting standards establish fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds. Fund balance classifications include Non-spendable, Restricted, Committed, Assigned, and Unassigned. These classifications reflect not only the nature of funds, but also provide clarity to the level of restriction placed upon fund balance. Fund Balance can have different levels of restraint, such as external versus internal compliance requirements. Unassigned fund balance is a residual classification within the General Fund. The General Fund should be the only fund that reports a positive unassigned balance. In all other funds, unassigned is limited to negative residual fund balance. For further details of the various fund balance classifications refer to Note III.G.

E. Significant Accounting Policies

1. Restricted and Unrestricted Resources

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

2. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires the County's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amount of revenues and expenditures or expenses during the reported period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

II. Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability

A. Budgetary Information

Budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles, and Colorado statues which require that all funds of the County be budgeted. Annual appropriations are adopted for all funds. Expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations at the fund level. All appropriations lapse at year-end.

As required by Colorado Statutes, the County followed the required timetable noted below in preparing, approving, and enacting its budget for 2023.

1. For the 2023 budget year, prior to August 25, 2022, the County Assessor was to have sent to the County a certified assessed valuation of all taxable property within the County's boundaries. The County Assessor may change the assessed valuation on or before December 10, 2022 only once by a single notification.

II. Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability (continued)

A. Budgetary Information (continued)

2. On or before October 15, 2022, the County Administrator submitted to the County Commissioners a recommended budget which detailed the necessary property taxes needed along with other available revenues to meet the County's operating requirements.

3. Prior to December 15, 2022, the County computed and certified to the County Commissioners a rate of levy that derived the necessary property taxes as computed in the proposed budget.

4. After a required publication of "Notice of Proposed Budget" and a public hearing, the County adopted the proposed budget and an appropriating resolution, which legally appropriated expenditures for the upcoming year.

5. After adoption of the budget resolution, the County may make the following changes: a) it may transfer appropriated money between funds; b) it may approve supplemental appropriations to the extent of revenues in excess of estimated revenues in the budget; c) it may approve emergency appropriations; and d) it may reduce appropriations for which originally estimated revenues are insufficient.

Taxes levied in one year are collected in the succeeding year. Thus, taxes certified in 2022 were collected in 2023 and taxes certified in 2023 will be collected in 2024. Taxes are due on January 1st in the year of collection; however, they may be paid in either one installment (no later than April 30th) or two equal installments (not later than February 28th and June 15th) without interest or penalty. Taxes that are not paid within the prescribed time bear interest at the rate of one percent (1%) per month until paid. Unpaid amounts and the accrued interest thereon become delinquent on June 16th.

During the year, the County's Grant Fund expenditures exceeded appropriations. This may be a violation of Colorado State Statutes.

B. TABOR Amendment

In November 1992, Colorado voters amended Article X of the Colorado Constitution by adding Section 20, commonly known as the Taxpayer's Bill of Rights ("TABOR"). TABOR contains revenue, spending, tax, and debt limitations that apply to the State of Colorado and local governments. TABOR requires, with certain exceptions, advance voter approval for any new tax, tax rate increase, mill levy above that for the prior year, extension of any expiring tax, or tax policy change directly causing a net tax revenue gain to any local government.

Except for refinancing bonded debt at a lower interest rate or adding new employees to existing pension plans, TABOR requires advance voter approval for the creation of any multiple-fiscal year debt or other financial obligation unless adequate present cash reserves are pledged irrevocably and held for payments in all future fiscal years.

II. Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability (continued)

B. TABOR Amendment (continued)

TABOR also requires local governments to establish an emergency reserve to be used for declared emergencies only. Emergencies, as defined by TABOR, exclude economic conditions, revenue shortfalls, or salary or fringe benefit increases. These reserves are required to be 3% or more of fiscal year spending for fiscal years ending after December 31, 1995. Fiscal year spending excludes bonded debt service. The County has reserved a portion of the December 31, 2023 year-end fund balance in the General Fund for this purpose, in the amount $493,000 which is the approximate required reserve.

On November 2, 2004, The County's electorate approved the following ballot question:

"*Shall Yuma County be authorized to collect, retain, and spend all revenues and other funds collected from any sources, effective for taxes that are due January 1, 2005 and continuing thereafter, provided that Yuma County's property tax mill levy rate shall not be increased without voter approval; and shall the revenues be spent for County purposes as a voter approved revenue change and exception to the limits which would otherwise apply in Article X, Section 20 and including the limitations of C.R.S. 29-1-301."*

The County's management believes it is in compliance with the financial provisions of TABOR. However, TABOR is complex and subject to interpretation. Many of its provisions, including the interpretation of how to calculate fiscal year spending limits, will require judicial interpretation.

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds

A. Deposits and Investments

The County's deposits are entirely covered by federal depository insurance ("FDIC") or by collateral held under Colorado's Public Deposit Protection Act ("PDPA"). The FDIC insures the first $250,000 of the County's deposits at each financial institution. Deposit balances over $250,000 are collateralized as required by PDPA. The carrying amount of the County's demand deposits was at year end.

Fair Value of Investments

The County measures and records its investments using fair value measurement guidelines established by generally accepted accounting principles. These guidelines recognize a three-tiered fair value hierarchy, as follows:

- *Level 1:* Quoted prices for identical investments in active markets.
- *Level 2:* Observable inputs other than quoted market prices; and,
- *Level 3:* Unobservable inputs.

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

A. Deposits and Investments (continued)

At December 31, 2023 the County had the following recurring fair value measurements:

		Fair Value Measurements Using		
Investments Measured at Fair Value		**Level 1**	**Level 2**	**Level 3**
US agencies	$ 5,364,190	$ 5,364,190	$ -	$ -
Negotiable certificates of deposit	9,646,037	9,646,037	-	-
Investments Measured at Amortized Cost				
C-Safe	$ 125,910			
Investments Measured at Net Asset Value				
Colotrust	$ 7,046,747			

Debt and equity securities and negotiable certificates of deposit are classified in Level 1 are valued using prices quoted in active markets for those securities.

The Investment Pool represents investments in COLOTRUST and C-SAFE. The fair value of the pool is determined by the pool's share price. The County has no regulatory oversight for the pool. At December 31, 2023, the County's investments in COLOTRUST and C-SAFE were 27% of the County's investment portfolio.

Interest Rate Risk. As a means of limiting its exposure to interest rate risk, the County diversifies its investments by security type and institution, and limits holdings in any one type of investment with any one issuer. The County coordinates its investment maturities to closely match cash flow needs and restricts the maximum investment term to less than five years from the purchase date. As a result of the limited length of maturities the County has limited its interest rate risk.

Credit Risk. State law and County policy limit investments to those authorized by State statutes including U.S. agencies and 2a7-like pools. The County's general investment policy is to apply the prudent-person rule: Investments are made as prudent person would be expected to act, with discretion and intelligence, to seek reasonable income, preserve capital, and, in general, avoid speculative investments

Concentration of Credit Risk. The County diversifies its investments by security type and institution. Investments may only be made in those financial institutions which are insured or issued by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporations, the Federal Home Mortgage Association, the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, and Congressional authorized mortgage lenders and investments that are federally guaranteed. Financial institutions holding County funds must provide the County a copy of the certificate from the Banking Authority that states that the institution is an eligible public depository. At December 31, 2023, the County's investments in Fannie Mae, Federal Home Loan Bank, and Federal Farm Credit Bank, 17%, 6%, and 22% of the County's investment portfolio, respectively.

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

A. Deposits and Investments (continued)

At December 31, 2023, unrealized gains or (losses) were ($162,012) which reflects changes in the fair market value of investments. The County had the following cash and investments with the following maturities:

	Standard & Poors Rating	Carrying Amounts	Less than one year	Less than five years
Deposits:				
Cash on hand	*Not Rated*	5,645	5,645	$ -
Checking	*Not Rated*	3,554,928	3,554,928	-
Savings	*Not Rated*	1,099,037	1,099,037	-
Investments:			-	-
Pools	*AAAm*	7,172,657	7,172,657	-
Agencies	*AA+*	5,364,190	5,364,190	-
Certificates of deposit**	*Not Rated*	9,646,037	2,364,889	7,281,148
Total		$ 26,842,494	$ 19,561,346	$ 7,281,148

**Non-negotiable*
**Negotiable

Financial statement captions:

Cash and investments:	
Governmental funds	$ 23,881,057
Fiduciary funds	2,404,485
Yuma County Water Authority	556,952
Total	$ 26,842,494

B. Receivables

Receivables as of year-end for the County's funds are as follows. The County considers all receivables collectible and therefore, has not provided a reserve for uncollectible accounts receivable.

	General	Road and Bridge	Human Services	Grant	Water Authority Public Imp. District	Non-Major Funds	Grand Total
Receivables:							
Taxes	$ 5,850,571	$ 886,790	$ 350,649	$ -	$ 1,213,945	$ 525,973	$ 8,827,928
Accounts	352,360	-	114,355	-	-	60,189	526,904
Intergovernment	-	277,807	-	23,608	-	753	302,168
Net receivable	$ 6,202,931	$ 1,164,597	$ 465,004	$ 23,608	$ 1,213,945	$ 586,915	$ 9,657,000

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

C. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2023 was as follows for the County:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Transfers	Ending Balance
Governmental activities:					
Capital assets, not being depreciated:					
Land	$ 563,654	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 563,654
Construction in progress	-	37,692	-	-	37,692
Water rights	20,139,000	-	-	-	20,139,000
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	20,702,654	37,692	-	-	20,740,346
Capital assets, being depreciated:					
Buildings and other improvements	9,229,262	39,181	(78,709)	-	9,189,734
Equipment	15,821,821	1,247,653	(1,064,015)	-	16,005,459
Infrastructure - Roads and bridges	17,743,285	-	-	-	17,743,285
Total capital assets being depreciated	42,794,368	1,286,834	(1,142,724)	-	42,938,478
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Buildings and other improvements	(4,950,596)	(268,986)	46,395	-	(5,173,187)
Equipment	(11,188,470)	(691,281)	546,424	-	(11,333,327)
Infrastructure - Roads and bridges	(15,660,037)	(111,453)	-	-	(15,771,490)
Total accumulated depreciation	(31,799,103)	(1,071,720)	592,819	-	(32,278,004)
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	10,995,265	215,114	(549,905)	-	10,660,474
Governmental activities capital assets, net	$ 31,697,919	$ 252,806	$ (549,905)	$ -	$ 31,400,820

Capital asset activity for the past year was as follows for the Water Authority:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Governmental Activities - Component unit:				
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Water rights	$ 739,564	$ -	$ -	$ 739,564
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	739,564	-	-	739,564
Governmental activities capital assets - Component unit	$ 739,564	$ -	$ -	$ 739,564

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

C. Capital Assets (continued)

Depreciation expense was charged to functions of the primary government as follows:

Governmental activities:	Depreciation Expense
General government	$ 136,962
Public safety	131,785
Health and human services	131,874
Culture and recreation	42,351
Community auxiliary services	23,195
Public works	494,467
Landfill	111,086
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	$ 1,071,720

D. Interfund Receivables, Payables and Transfers

Transfers for 2023 were as follows:

Transferred from	Transferred to	Amount	Reason
General Fund	Landfill Fund	$ 130,205	Fund landfill operations
General Fund	Sheriff's Victim Assistance	13,000	Fund grant costs
General Fund	Separation of employment	70,000	Fund retirement costs
General Fund	Capital Acquisition Fund	65,530	Fund capital outlay
Landfill Fund	Landfill Closure Fund	5,000	Fund closure costs
General Fund	Emergency Reserve Fund	-	Fund emergency reserve
Total		$ 283,735	

E. Operating Leases

The County is committed to leases for office equipment, computer systems and equipment and gravel. These leases are considered, for accounting purposes, to be operating leases, and therefore, the liability and the related assets have not been recorded on these financial statements

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

F. Long-term Liabilities

1. General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2016

The Water Authority Public Improvement District, a blended component unit of the County, issued $2,725,000 of general obligations bonds in 2016, the proceeds of which were used to partially refund the Series 2008 general obligation bonds issued to acquire water rights. These bonds bear interest at an annual rate of 2%. Starting in 2017, principal payments ranging from $55,000 to $560,000 are due annually on December 1, through 2023 with interest payments due June 1 and December 1, through 2023.

These bonds constitute general obligations of the Water Authority Public Improvement District and are not refundable.

2. Colorado Water Conservation Board ("CWCB") Note Payable

The Water Authority Public Improvement District entered into a loan agreement with the CWCB in 2008 in the amount of $9,595,000, the proceeds of which were used to acquire water rights. This note bears interest at an annual rate of 2.25%. Starting in 2010, aggregate principal and interest payments of $607,016 are due June 1, through 2029.

The loan constitutes a general obligation of the Water Authority Public Improvement District.

3. Compensated Absences

The County has a policy for the accumulation of personal leave payouts, subject to certain maximum limits. In accordance with GAAP, the County's approximate liability for personal leave and compensation time pay earned by employees at December 31, 2023 has been reflected in the government-wide financial statements. This liability is generally liquidated by the Separation of Employment Fund.

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

F. Long-term Liabilities (continued)

5. Landfill Closure Costs – Contingent Liability

State and federal laws and regulations require that the County place a final cover on its landfill when closed and perform certain maintenance and monitoring functions at the landfill site for thirty years after closure. In addition to operating expenses relating to current activities of the landfill, a liability provision is being recognized based on the future closure and post closure care. Closure and post closure care costs are recognized based on the amount of the landfill used during the year.

The estimated liability for landfill closure and post closure care costs has a balance of $635,466 at December 31, 2023, which is based upon 54% usage (estimated percentage filled) of the landfill. It is estimated that an additional $549,502 will be recognized as closure and post closure care expenses between the date of the balance sheet and 2080; the date the landfill is expected to be filled to capacity. The estimated total current cost of the landfill closure and post closure costs of $1,184,968 is based on the amount that would be paid if all equipment, facilities, and services required to close, monitor, and maintain the landfill were acquired as of December 31, 2023. Closure and post closure costs are estimated to be $682,583 and $502,385, respectively. However, the actual costs of closure and post closure may be higher due to inflation, changes in technology, or changes in landfill laws and regulations.

The County is required by state and federal laws and regulations to provide adequate financial resources to pay for all closure and post closure care. The remaining portion of anticipated future inflation costs and additional costs that might arise from changes in post closure requirements (due to changes in technology or more rigorous environmental regulations, for example) may need to be covered by charges to future landfill users, taxpayers, or both.

6. Activity and Debt Service Schedules

Long-term liability activity for the year ended December 31, 2023, was as follows:

	Balance January 1, 2023	Additions	(Reductions)	Balance December 31, 2023	Due Within One Year
G.O. Bonds:					
Series 2016	$ 445,000	$ -	$ (445,000)	$ -	$ -
Premium	2,679	-	(2,679)	-	-
Notes payable	3,762,720	-	(522,355)	3,240,365	534,108
Accrued comp. absences	565,628	(551,497)	-	14,131	-
Landfill closure	560,382	75,084	-	635,466	-
Total	$ 5,336,409	$ (476,413)	$ (970,034)	$ 3,889,962	$ 534,108

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

F. Long-term Liabilities (continued)

6. Activity and Debt Service Schedules (continued)

Aggregate annual debt service requirements at December 31, 2023, are as follows:

	Principal	Interest	Total
2024	534,108	72,908	607,016
2025	546,125	60,891	607,016
2026	558,413	48,603	607,016
2027	570,977	36,039	607,016
2028	583,824	23,192	607,016
2029	446,918	10,056	456,974
	3,240,365	$ 251,689	$ 3,492,054

7. Reporting Requirements

The County is compliant in ongoing disclosure requirements to the secondary bond market in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Commission's Rule 215c2-12.

G. Fund Balance

The County classifies governmental fund balances as follows:

Non-spendable - includes fund balance amounts that cannot be spent either because it is not in spendable form or because of legal or contractual requirements.

Spendable Fund Balance:

Restricted – includes fund balance amounts that are constrained for specific purposes which are externally imposed by providers, such as creditors or amounts constrained due to constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed – includes fund balance amounts that are constrained for specific purposes that are internally imposed by the government through formal action of the highest level of decision-making authority which is the County Commissioners. The County's original budget legislation begins with combining historical data, assessment of needs for the upcoming year and the County Commissioners' platform to review, and/or make changes to each department's budget. Before year end, a budgetary committee will meet again with each department for final review and approval of preliminary budget. The Budget is then formally presented to the County Commissioners via an advertised public process for their review, revisions, and final approval by year end. All subsequent budget requests made during the year, after the County Commissioners approval, must be presented via a public process and again approval by the County Commissioners.

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

G. Fund Balance (continued)

Assigned – includes spendable fund balance amounts that are intended to be used for specific purposes that are neither considered restricted or committed. Fund Balance may be assigned by the County Commissioners or its management designee.

Unassigned - includes residual positive fund balance within a general fund which has not been classified within the other above mentioned categories. Unassigned fund balance may also include negative balances for any governmental fund if expenditures exceed amounts restricted, committed, or assigned for those specific purposes.

The County uses restricted amounts to be spent first when both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available unless there are legal documents/contracts that prohibit doing this, such as in grant agreements requiring dollar for dollar spending. Additionally, the County would first use committed, then assigned, and lastly unassigned amounts when expenditures are made. The County does not have a formal minimum fund balance policy.

Fund balance classifications are reported in the aggregate on the face of the balance sheet. The components of each classification are as follows:

	General	Road and Bridge	Human Services	Grant	Water Authority Public Imp. District	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Nonspendable:							
Inventory	$ -	$ 441,469	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 441,469
Restricted:							
Constitutionally required emergency reserv	493,000	-	-	-	-	-	493,000
Capital projects and purchases	-	-	-	1,002,325	-	-	1,002,325
Landfill closure costs	-	-	-	-	-	136,534	136,534
Culture and recreati	-	-	-	-	-	291,471	291,471
Public safety	-	-	-	-	-	117,001	117,001
Sheriff's Victim assist and grants	-	-	-	-	-	7,653	7,653
Committed:							
Accrued compensat	-	-	-	-	-	16,174	16,174
Water Purchases	-	-	-	-	1,121,072	-	1,121,072
Maintenance and monitoring	-	4,542,584	-	-	-	-	4,542,584
Human services	-	-	561,091	-	-	-	561,091
Landfill costs	-	-	-	-	-	827,190	827,190
Culture and recreati	-	-	-	-	-	1,244,659	1,244,659
County insurance	-	-	-	-	-	400,618	400,618
Capital projects	-	-	-	-	-	24,680	24,680
Total	$ 493,000	$ 4,984,053	$ 561,091	$ 1,002,325	$ 1,121,072	$ 3,065,980	$ 11,227,521

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds (continued)

H. Comparative Information

Certain amounts in the prior period presented have been reclassified to conform to the current period financial statement presentation. These reclassifications have no effect on the previously reported fund balance.

IV. Other Information

A. Employee Retirement Plans

1. Defined Contribution Pension Plan (401a)

Under a defined contribution pension plan, the benefits a participant will receive depend solely on the amount contributed to the participant's account plus the returns earned on investments of those contributions.

Participation is mandatory for all employees after one year of employment. Eligible employees contribute 5% of their base pay, and the County contributes 5% of their base pay. The plan has a five (5) year vesting period and is distributed upon an employee's separation from service, disability, or death. Forfeitures are used to fund employer contributions. Forfeitures for the fiscal year 2023 were $839.

The contribution requirements of the retirement plan participants and the County are established, and may be amended, by the County Commissioners. During 2023, the County matched the employees' required employer contributions, which amounted to $208,232 . The County's total payroll for 2023 was $4,887,065 and covered payroll was $4,164,640. The plan is administered by the Colorado Retirement Association ("CRA").

As the County is not the trustee and does not administer the plan, the plan is not included in the financial statements. The County has no liability for losses under the plan but does have the duty of due care that would be required of an ordinary prudent investor.

2. Deferred Compensation Plan (Section 457)

The County offers its employees a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. The plan, available to all County employees, permits them to defer a portion of their salary until future years. The deferred compensation is not available to employees until separation from service or death.

The County has no liability for losses under the plan, does not administer the plan and is not the trustee of the plan; therefore, the plan is not included in the financial statements.

The plans deferral limit was $22,500 in 2023 with a catchup provision of an additional $7,500 for participants over 50.

IV. Other Information (continued)

B. Cafeteria Plan

The County offers a cafeteria plan organized under Internal Revenue Code Section 125 that includes the following benefits: accident and/or term life insurance, health insurance premiums, unreimbursed health expense, and dependent day care reimbursement. No cost to the County is recognized, as the plan is a salary reduction plan.

C. Post-Employment Health Care Benefits

All County employees covered by COBRA insurance may continue their health insurance following a reduction in work hours or termination of employment. Employees who elect continued coverage must pay for premiums from the termination date of coverage and monthly thereafter. No cost to the County is recognized as participants make payments directly to the CTSI – County Health Pool for their premium cost.

D. Commitments and Contingencies

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the County expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

During the normal course of business, the County incurs claims and other assertions against it from various agencies and individuals. Management of the County believes that none of these claims or assertions is significant enough that they would materially affect the fairness of the presentation of the financial statements at December 31, 2023.

E. Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to workers' compensation; general liability; unemployment; torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; and errors and omissions. The County has acquired commercial coverage for these risks and claims, if any, are not expected to exceed the commercial insurance coverage. The County has also joined the following self-insurance pools to obtain insurance coverage. The pools are groups of other Colorado counties that have associated to obtain various types of insurance.

IV. Other Information (continued)

E. Risk Management (continued)

The County is a member of the Colorado Counties Casualty and Property Pool ("CAPP") and the County Worker's Compensation Pool ("CWCP"). CAPP and CWCP have a legal obligation for claims against its members to the extent that funds are available in their annually established loss funds; amounts are available from insurance providers under excess specific and aggregate insurance contracts. Losses incurred in excess of loss funds are direct liabilities of the participating members. CAPP and CWCP have indicated that the amount of any excess losses would be billed to members in proportion to their contributions in the year such excess occurs, although they are not legally required to do so. The ultimate liability, if any, to the County resulting from claims not covered by CAPP and CWCP is not presently determinable. Management is of the opinion that the final outcome of such claims, if any, will not have a materially adverse effect on the County's financial statements.

1. Colorado Counties Casualty and Property Pool

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to property and casualty losses. The County joined together with other counties in the State of Colorado to form the Colorado Counties Casualty and Property Pool ("CAAP"), a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for member counties. The County pays an annual contribution to CAPP for its property and casualty insurance coverage. The intergovernmental agreement of formation of CAPP provides that the Pool will be financially self-sustaining through member contributions and additional assessments, if necessary, and the Pool will purchase excess insurance through commercial companies for members' claims in excess of a specified self-insured retention, which is determined each policy year.

2. County Workers' Compensation Pool

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to injuries of employees while on the job. As previously explained, the County joined together with other counties in the State of Colorado to form the CWCP, a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for member counties.

The County pays an annual contribution to CWCP for its workers' compensation insurance coverage. The intergovernmental agreement of formation of CWCP provides that the Pool will be financially self-sustaining through member contributions and additional assessments, if necessary, and the Pool will purchase excess insurance through commercial companies for members' claims in excess of a specified self-insured retention, which is determined each policy year.

IV. Other Information (continued)

F. Other Employee Benefits

The County utilizes the CTSI – County Health Pool to provide health insurance benefits. The County provides basic, major medical, life, voluntary dental and vision coverage to all full-time employees and their eligible dependents. The plan is funded by the County and employee contributions, and benefits are administered through the CTSI – County Health Pool.

G. Intergovernmental Agreements

1. Washington Yuma Combined Communications Center and E911 Authority

The Washington Yuma Combined Communications Center & 911 Authority (the "Authority") was formed by intergovernmental agreement to provide emergency and dispatch services to the public safety providers in the Washington and Yuma County area. During 2023, the following entities provided the financial support to the Center:

Yuma County	$	572,000
Washington County		286,000
Washington-Yuma Counties E911 Authority		40,000
RETAC Coordinator		114,500
Total	$	1,012,500

IV. Other Information (continued)

H. Intergovernmental Agreements (continued)

1. Washington Yuma Combined Communications Center and E911 Authority

The following are the condensed, audited financial statements of the Center at December 31, 2023:

Statement of Net Position		
Assets:		
Current other assets	$	363,852
Capital assets, net		-
Total Assets		363,852
Deferred Outflows of Resources:		
Pension and OPEB related deferred outflows		350,968
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources		350,968
Liabilities:		
Other liabilities		111,688
Long-term liabilities		732,211
Total Liabilities		843,899
Deferred Inflows of Resources:		
Pension and OPEB related deferred inflows		52,328
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources		52,328
Net Position:		
Net investment in capital assets		-
Unrestricted		(181,407)
Total Net Position	$	(181,407)
Statement of Activities:		
Revenues:		
Allocation governments	$	1,012,500
Other		24,601
Total Revenues		1,037,101
Expenditures:		
Salaries and benefits		765,753
Other		105,475
Total Expenditures		871,228
Change in Net Position		165,873
Net Position - Beginning of Year		(347,280)
Net Position - End of Year	$	(181,407)

Complete separate financial statements of the Center may be obtained from the County.

IV. Other Information (continued)

H. Intergovernmental Agreements (continued)

2. Republican River Water Conservation District

The Yuma County Water Authority Public Improvement District, a blended component unit of the County, entered into an agreement with the Republican River Water Conservation District (the "Conservation District) in 2008 whereby the Water Authority Public Improvement District is leasing certain water rights to the Conservation District for $5,000,000. The lease term is for twenty years and expires December 31, 2028. The related revenue was received by the Water Authority Public Improvement District in 2008. This revenue was recognized on the fund financial statements in 2008. However, for the government-wide financial statements, the revenue is recognized evenly over the twenty-year lease term. For the year ended December 31, 2023 the government-wide financial statements include earned revenue of $250,000 and advanced water lease revenue of $1,250,000.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Yuma County, Colorado
General Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Taxes:					
General property taxes	5,197,863	5,197,863	5,173,670	(24,193)	4,706,534
Interest and delinquent taxes	7,000	7,000	14,666	7,666	19,500
Specific ownership taxes	560,000	560,000	673,388	113,388	630,874
Intergovernmental revenue:					
State sources	186,906	186,906	226,121	39,215	153,710
Federal sources	28,500	28,500	121,589	93,089	110,955
Charges for services	1,217,716	1,217,716	1,400,461	182,745	1,219,395
Licenses and permits	3,000	3,000	2,645	(355)	3,199
Investment income	125,000	125,000	812,149	687,149	(687,001)
Miscellaneous	11,000	11,000	93,045	82,045	199,773
Total Revenues	7,336,985	7,336,985	8,517,734	1,180,749	6,356,939
Expenditures:					
General government:					
Administrative	150,000	150,000	178,847	(28,847)	156,126
Commissioners	641,830	641,830	641,271	559	658,237
Attorney	50,000	50,000	19,507	30,493	18,898
Planning and zoning	51,061	51,061	46,424	4,637	25,274
County Clerk	434,948	434,948	358,085	76,863	351,521
County Treasurer	269,395	269,395	214,848	54,547	221,929
County Assessor	435,051	435,051	426,711	8,340	384,887
GIS mapping	33,660	33,660	30,856	2,804	31,132
Elections	74,874	74,874	63,600	11,274	124,050
Building maintenance	456,866	456,866	421,298	35,568	345,820
Drivers license	64,886	64,886	70,146	(5,260)	62,930
Information Technology	225,489	225,489	130,680	94,809	30,793
CDL testing unit	68,462	68,462	71,399	(2,937)	64,496
Assessor maps	2,500	2,500	-	2,500	297
Telephone	4,100	4,100	1,802	2,298	1,911
Judicial:					
District Attorney	261,985	261,985	261,985	-	261,985
Public Safety:					
Sheriff	1,044,667	1,044,667	1,002,773	41,894	965,888
Jail	1,189,725	1,189,725	678,343	511,382	942,005
Coroner	66,871	66,871	72,602	(5,731)	60,203
E-911 communications	572,000	572,000	572,000	-	520,000
Emergency preparedness	86,823	86,823	70,751	16,072	21,943
Health and Human Services:					
Northeast Colorado Health Department	97,010	97,010	97,010	-	97,010
Emergency medical services	51,500	51,500	13,734	37,766	10,079
Community Auxiliary Services:					
W-Y Communications tower	1,000	1,000	804	196	750
Irrigation research	4,000	4,000	4,000	-	4,000
Golden Plains Extension	269,770	269,770	243,356	26,414	197,184
Veterans' Officer	30,470	30,470	31,370	(900)	14,928
County fair	389,392	389,392	328,324	61,068	310,543
County express	69,539	69,539	40,599	28,940	25,195
County economic development	45,000	45,000	45,000	-	45,000
Northeastern Colorado Association of Local Governments	17,086	17,086	17,086	-	-
Eastern CO Services for Developmentally Disabled	26,395	26,395	26,395	-	26,511
Water expenditures	50,215	50,215	50,215	-	50,215
Total Expenditures	7,236,570	7,236,570	6,231,821	1,004,749	6,031,740
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	100,415	100,415	2,285,913	2,185,498	325,199
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Transfers in	29,413	29,413	-	(29,413)	-
Transfers (out)	(891,410)	(891,410)	(213,206)	678,204	(187,006)
Sale of assets	-	-	-	-	1,650
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(861,997)	(861,997)	(213,206)	648,791	(185,356)
Net Change in Fund Balance	(761,582)	(761,582)	2,072,707	2,834,289	139,843
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			11,004,136		10,864,293
Fund Balances - End of Year			13,076,843		11,004,136

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

Yuma County, Colorado
Road and Bridge Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Taxes:					
General property taxes	787,621	787,621	784,184	(3,437)	713,171
Specific ownership taxes	35,000	35,000	37,662	2,662	43,190
Interest and delinquent taxes	-	-	2,142	2,142	2,768
Total Local Sources	822,621	822,621	823,988	1,367	759,129
Intergovernmental revenues:					
Federal sources	20,000	20,000	60,841	40,841	136,796
State sources	3,181,552	3,181,552	3,342,135	160,583	3,303,898
Total Intergovernmental revenues	3,201,552	3,201,552	3,402,976	201,424	3,440,694
Charges for services	41,000	41,000	45,440	4,440	21,881
Permits and licenses	31,225	31,225	37,475	6,250	31,225
Miscellaneous	-	-	7,782	7,782	5,968
Total Revenues	4,096,398	4,096,398	4,317,661	221,263	4,258,897
Expenditures:					
Public Works:					
Maintenance of condition	79,000	79,000	89,163	(10,163)	40,192
Administration and general	3,082,726	3,082,726	2,478,149	604,577	2,833,176
Construction and capital outlay	2,504,154	2,504,154	2,313,671	190,483	2,840,831
Reclamation	36,000	36,000	10,423	25,577	13,923
Grants and other	425,000	425,000	500	424,500	-
Total Expenditures	6,126,880	6,126,880	4,891,906	1,234,974	5,728,122
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(2,030,482)	(2,030,482)	(574,245)	1,456,237	(1,469,225)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Sale of assets	-	-	273,006	273,006	157,050
Insurance recoveries	-	-	104,762	104,762	6,435
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	377,768	377,768	163,485
Net Change in Fund Balance	(2,030,482)	(2,030,482)	(196,477)	1,834,005	(1,305,740)
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			5,180,529		6,486,269
Fund Balances - End of Year			4,984,052		5,180,529

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Yuma County, Colorado
Human Services Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Taxes:					
General property taxes	311,436	311,436	311,077	(359)	292,451
Total local sources	311,436	311,436	311,077	(359)	292,451
Intergovernmental:					
Federal and State	7,823,576	7,823,576	4,405,240	(3,418,336)	5,932,374
Total Revenues	8,135,012	8,135,012	4,716,317	(3,418,695)	6,224,825
Expenditures:					
Health and human services:					
Colorado works	273,002	273,002	233,903	39,099	229,849
Child care	352,741	352,741	123,124	229,617	128,802
Child care grants	49,000	49,000	70,598	(21,598)	65,029
Administration & medical exams	466,402	466,402	422,596	43,806	379,642
Child welfare	763,141	763,141	644,466	118,675	648,143
Core services	218,681	218,681	34,885	183,796	44,882
Child support	82,000	82,000	77,017	4,983	58,285
Employment first	-	-	-	-	-
LEAP - Low Energy Assistance Program	342,300	342,300	167,858	174,442	245,166
AND - Aid for Needy Disabled	42,000	42,000	38,890	3,110	37,998
OAP - Old Age Pension	200,000	200,000	173,584	26,416	153,069
HCA (Home Care Allowance)	10,000	10,000	-	10,000	471
Food stamps	4,500,000	4,500,000	2,618,070	1,881,930	4,093,258
Non-Allocated Programs	2,500	2,500	1,501	999	1,396
Other programs	58,728	58,728	61,757	(3,029)	89,417
IV-E and parental fees	1,000	1,000	82	918	-
IV-D retained collections	(10,000)	(10,000)	(4,585)	(5,415)	(5,749)
TANF collections	(2,000)	(2,000)	8,386	(10,386)	4,401
Total Expenditures	7,349,495	7,349,495	4,672,132	2,677,363	6,174,059
Net Change in Fund Balance	785,517	785,517	44,185	(741,332)	50,766
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			516,906		466,140
Fund Balances - End of Year			561,091		516,906

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Grant Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Intergovernmental	678,000	678,000	78,867	(599,133)	1,692,838
Miscellaneous	17,777	17,777	-	(17,777)	2,276
Total Revenues	695,777	695,777	78,867	(616,910)	1,695,114
Expenditures:					
General government	295,777	295,777	32,221	263,556	27,648
Public safety	-	-	180	(180)	-
Culture and recreation	400,000	400,000	11,959	388,041	46,518
Health and human services	773,037	773,037	253,920	519,117	480,713
Total Expenditures	1,468,814	1,468,814	298,280	1,170,534	554,879
Net Change in Fund Balance	(773,037)	(773,037)	(219,413)	553,624	1,140,235
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			1,221,738		81,503
Fund Balances - End of Year			1,002,325		1,221,738

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Water Authority Public Improvement District
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Taxes:					
General property taxes	1,129,889	1,129,889	1,126,491	(3,398)	1,269,009
Specific ownership taxes	92,227	92,227	113,577	21,350	130,676
Interest and delinquent taxes	-	-	1,864	1,864	2,935
Miscellaneous	-	-	544	544	-
Total Revenues	1,222,116	1,222,116	1,242,476	20,360	1,402,620
Expenditures:					
Community Auxiliary Services:					
Administration and general	35,000	35,000	34,279	721	42,680
Debt Service:					
Principal	1,093,555	1,093,555	967,355	126,200	1,070,860
Interest	93,561	93,561	93,561	-	116,256
Total Expenditures	1,222,116	1,222,116	1,095,195	126,921	1,229,796
Net Change in Fund Balance	-	-	147,281	147,281	172,824
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			973,791		800,967
Fund Balances - End of Year			1,121,072		973,791

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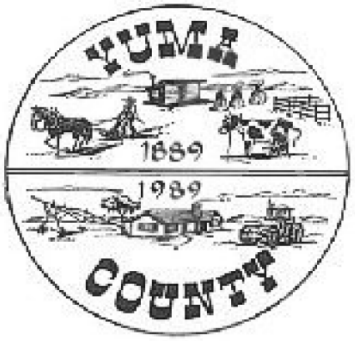
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION



Yuma County, Colorado
Combining Balance Sheet
Non-Major Governmental Funds
December 31, 2023

	Special Revenue									
	Capital Acquisitions Fund	Landfill Fund	Landfill Closure Fund	Recreation Fund	Conservation Trust Fund	Useful Public Service	Sheriff's Victim Assistance and Grant Fund	Separation of Employment Fund	Self Insurance Fund	Total Non-major Governmental Funds
Assets:										
Cash and investments	15,242	948,145	136,535	1,244,729	291,471	7,799	134,457	16,458	401,129	3,195,965
Taxes receivable	-	-	-	87,662	-	-	-	-	438,311	525,973
Accounts receivable	59,530	-	-	-	-	659	-	-	-	60,189
Due from other governments	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	753
Due from other funds	-	254	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	254
Total Assets	74,772	949,152	136,535	1,332,391	291,471	8,458	134,457	16,458	839,440	3,783,134
Liabilities:										
Accounts payable	92	118,112	-	70	-	140	14,977	-	-	133,391
Accrued compensation	-	3,848	-	-	-	489	2,384	285	-	7,006
Due to other funds	-	-	-	-	-	176	96	-	511	783
Deferred revenue	50,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50,000
Total Liabilities	50,092	121,960	-	70	-	805	17,457	285	511	191,180
Deferred Inflows of Resources:										
Unavailable revenue - property taxes	-	-	-	87,662	-	-	-	-	438,311	525,973
Total Deferred Inflow of Resources	-	-	-	87,662	-	-	-	-	438,311	525,973
Fund Balances:										
Restricted	-	-	136,535	-	291,471	7,653	117,000	-	-	552,659
Committed	24,680	827,192	-	1,244,659	-	-	-	16,173	400,618	2,513,322
Total Fund Balances	24,680	827,192	136,535	1,244,659	291,471	7,653	117,000	16,173	400,618	3,065,981
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances	74,772	949,152	136,535	1,332,391	291,471	8,458	134,457	16,458	839,440	3,783,134

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Yuma County, Colorado
Combining Statement of Revenues Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Non-Major Governmental Funds
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

		Special Revenue								
	Capital Acquisitions Fund	Landfill Fund	Landfill Closure Fund	Recreation Fund	Conservation Trust Fund	Useful Public Service Fund	Sheriff's Victim Assistance and Grant Fund	Separation of Employment Fund	Self Insurance Fund	Total Non-major Governmental Funds
Revenues:										
Taxes	-	-	-	310,924	-	-	-	-	155,464	466,388
Intergovernmental	-	30,000	-	150	55,133	-	74,359	-	75	159,717
Charges for services	-	398,288	-	-	-	6,944	14,308	-	-	419,540
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-	-	10	9,000	-	26,942	35,952
Total Revenues	-	428,288	-	311,074	55,133	6,954	97,667	-	182,481	1,081,597
Expenditures:										
General government	29,346	-	-	-	-	-	-	76,524	412,915	518,785
Public safety	103,555	-	-	-	-	7,344	113,034	-	-	223,933
Culture and recreation	-	-	-	103,296	-	-	-	-	-	103,296
Landfill	-	358,792	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	358,792
Total Expenditures	132,901	358,792	-	103,296	-	7,344	113,034	76,524	412,915	1,204,806
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(132,901)	69,496	-	207,778	55,133	(390)	(15,367)	(76,524)	(230,434)	(123,209)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):										
Transfers in	65,530	130,205	5,000	-	-	-	13,000	70,000	-	283,735
Transfers (out)	-	(70,530)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(70,530)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	65,530	59,675	5,000	-	-	-	13,000	70,000	-	213,205
Net Change in Fund Balance	(67,371)	129,171	5,000	207,778	55,133	(390)	(2,367)	(6,524)	(230,434)	89,996
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year	92,051	698,021	131,535	1,036,881	236,338	8,043	119,367	22,697	631,052	2,975,985
Fund Balances - End of Year	24,680	827,192	136,535	1,244,659	291,471	7,653	117,000	16,173	400,618	3,065,981

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Yuma County, Colorado
Capital Acquisitions Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Expenditures:					
General government	325,000	325,000	29,346	295,654	528,204
Public safety	150,000	150,000	103,555	46,445	131,184
Community auxiliary Services	200,000	200,000	-	200,000	5,384
Total Expenditures	675,000	675,000	132,901	542,099	664,772
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(675,000)	(675,000)	(132,901)	542,099	(664,772)
Other Financing Sources:					
Transfers in	156,000	156,000	65,530	(90,470)	6,000
Sale of assets	519,000	519,000	-	(519,000)	6,001
Total Other Financing Sources	675,000	675,000	65,530	(609,470)	12,001
Net Change in Fund Balance	-	-	(67,371)	(67,371)	(652,771)
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			92,051		744,822
Fund Balances - End of Year			24,680		92,051

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Landfill Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Charges for services:					
Local governmental contributions	153,737	153,737	146,883	(6,854)	153,573
Intergovernmental - State sources	200	200	30,000	29,800	-
Charges for services	212,631	212,631	251,191	38,560	254,068
Other	-	-	214	214	214
Total Revenues	366,568	366,568	428,288	61,720	407,855
Expenditures:					
Landfill:					
Operations	401,243	401,243	336,135	65,108	294,177
Capital outlay	25,000	25,000	22,657	2,343	11,073
Total Expenditures	426,243	426,243	358,792	67,451	305,250
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(59,675)	(59,675)	69,496	129,171	102,605
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Transfers in	130,205	130,205	130,205	-	124,006
Transfers (out)	(70,530)	(70,530)	(70,530)	-	(6,000)
Total Other Financing Sources	59,675	59,675	59,675	-	118,006
Net Change in Fund Balance	-	-	129,171	129,171	220,611
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			698,021		477,410
Fund Balances - End of Year			827,192		698,021

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Landfill Closure Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Expenditures:					
Landfill:					
Closure costs	120,000	120,000	-	120,000	-
Total Expenditures	120,000	120,000	-	120,000	-
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(120,000)	(120,000)	-	120,000	-
Other Financing Sources:					
Transfers in	5,000	5,000	5,000	-	-
Total Other Financing Sources	5,000	5,000	5,000	-	-
Net Change in Fund Balance	(115,000)	(115,000)	5,000	120,000	-
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			131,535		131,535
Fund Balances - End of Year			136,535		131,535

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Recreation Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Taxes:					
General property taxes	311,436	311,436	310,077	(1,359)	281,997
Delinquent taxes and interest	600	600	847	247	1,095
Intergovernmental	90	90	150	60	243
Other	-	-	-	-	1
Total Revenues	312,126	312,126	311,074	(1,052)	283,336
Expenditures:					
Culture and recreation	500,000	500,000	103,296	396,704	351,697
Total Expenditures	500,000	500,000	103,296	396,704	351,697
Net Change in Fund Balance	(187,874)	(187,874)	207,778	395,652	(68,361)
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			1,036,881		1,105,242
Fund Balances - End of Year			1,244,659		1,036,881

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Conservation Trust Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Intergovernmental:					
Conservation Trust lottery revenue	35,000	35,000	55,133	20,133	50,570
Interest	200	200	-	(200)	-
Total Revenues	35,200	35,200	55,133	19,933	50,570
Expenditures:					
Culture and recreation	100,000	100,000	-	100,000	47,587
Total Expenditures	100,000	100,000	-	100,000	47,587
Net Change in Fund Balance	(64,800)	(64,800)	55,133	119,933	2,983
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			236,338		233,355
Fund Balances - End of Year			291,471		236,338

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Useful Public Service Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Charges for services	3,000	3,000	6,944	3,944	4,623
Miscellaneous	-	-	10	10	-
Total Revenues	3,000	3,000	6,954	3,954	4,623
Expenditures:					
Public Safety:					
Programs	8,668	8,668	7,344	1,324	7,054
Total Expenditures	8,668	8,668	7,344	1,324	7,054
Net Change in Fund Balance	(5,668)	(5,668)	(390)	5,278	(2,431)
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			8,043		10,474
Fund Balances - End of Year			7,653		8,043

Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Sheriff's Victim Assistance and Grant Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Intergovernmental:					
Federal grants	59,043	59,043	39,153	(19,890)	41,535
State grants	50,000	50,000	35,206	(14,794)	28,369
Other sources	10,933	10,933	9,000	(1,933)	8,486
Charges for services	10,618	10,618	14,308	3,690	9,652
Total Revenues	130,594	130,594	97,667	(32,927)	88,042
Expenditures:					
Public safety	143,594	143,594	113,034	30,560	79,646
Total Expenditures	143,594	143,594	113,034	30,560	79,646
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(13,000)	(13,000)	(15,367)	(2,367)	8,396
Other Financing Sources:					
Transfers in	13,000	13,000	13,000	-	13,000
Total Other Financing Sources	13,000	13,000	13,000	-	13,000
Net Change in Fund Balance	-	-	(2,367)	(2,367)	21,396
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			119,367		97,971
Fund Balances - End of Year			117,000		119,367

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Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Separation of Employment Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Expenditures:					
General government:					
Personal leave	100,000	100,000	76,524	23,476	54,885
Total Expenditures	100,000	100,000	76,524	23,476	54,885
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(100,000)	(100,000)	(76,524)	23,476	(54,885)
Other Financing Sources:					
Transfers in	87,204	87,204	70,000	(17,204)	50,000
Total Other Financing Sources	87,204	87,204	70,000	(17,204)	50,000
Net Change in Fund Balance	(12,796)	(12,796)	(6,524)	6,272	(4,885)
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			22,697		27,582
Fund Balances - End of Year			16,173		22,697

Yuma County, Colorado
Special Revenue Funds
Self-Insurance Fund
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP) Basis and Actual
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(With Comparative Actual Amounts for 2022)

	2023				2022
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Final Budget Variance Positive (Negative)	Actual
Revenues:					
Taxes:					
General property taxes	155,718	155,718	155,026	(692)	141,001
Delinquent taxes and interest	200	200	438	238	547
Total Taxes	155,918	155,918	155,464	(454)	141,548
Miscellaneous:					
Intergovernmental	50	50	75	25	122
Other	25,000	25,000	26,942	1,942	10,997
Total Miscellaneous	25,050	25,050	27,017	1,967	11,119
Total Revenues	180,968	180,968	182,481	1,513	152,667
Expenditures:					
General government:					
Insurance premiums and claims	347,000	347,000	412,915	(65,915)	324,018
Total Expenditures	347,000	347,000	412,915	(65,915)	324,018
Net Change in Fund Balance	(166,032)	(166,032)	(230,434)	(64,402)	(171,351)
Fund Balances - Beginning of Year			631,052		802,403
Fund Balances - End of Year			400,618		631,052

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

Yuma County, Colorado
Combining Statement of Fiduciary Net Position
Custodial Funds
December 31, 2023

	County Treasurer	Public Trustee	Sheriff's Commissary and Trust	Payroll Clearing	Junior Livestock and Fair	Fiscal Agency	Golden Plains Extension Service	Greg Wise Scholarship	High Plains Highway	Total
Assets:										
Cash and investments	1,250,551	3,949	58,263	47,651	2,381	967,982	58,760	3,808	11,140	2,404,485
Accounts receivable	-	-	-	41,140	-	4	-	-	-	41,144
Total Assets	1,250,551	3,949	58,263	88,791	2,381	967,986	58,760	3,808	11,140	2,445,629
Liabilities:										
Due to others	-	-	-	29,282	-	-	-	-	-	29,282
Accounts payable	-	-	-	-	-	104,384	-	-	-	104,384
Total Liabilities	-	-	-	29,282	-	104,384	-	-	-	133,666
Net Position:										
Restricted for:										
Individuals, organizations and other governments	1,250,551	3,949	58,263	59,509	2,381	863,602	58,760	3,808	11,140	2,311,963
Total Net Position	1,250,551	3,949	58,263	59,509	2,381	863,602	58,760	3,808	11,140	2,311,963

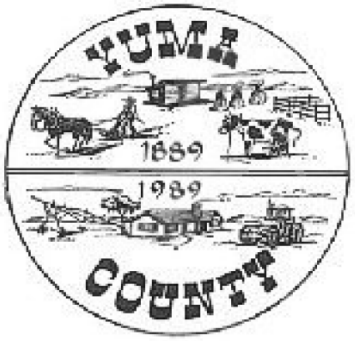
The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Yuma County, Colorado
Combining Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position
Custodial Funds
December 31, 2023

	County Treasurer	Public Trustee	Sheriff's Commissary and Trust	Payroll Clearing	Junior Livestock and Fair	Fiscal Agency	Golden Plains Extension Service	Greg Wise Scholarship	High Plains Highway	Total
Additions:										
Taxes collected	44,283,331	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44,283,331
Public trustee collections	-	115,718	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115,718
Funds held for others	-	-	9,616	581,947	2,150	376,878	50,928	31	-	1,021,550
Total Additions	44,283,331	115,718	9,616	581,947	2,150	376,878	50,928	31	-	45,420,599
Deductions:										
Taxes disbursed	44,105,565	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44,105,565
Public trustee disbursements	-	124,898	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	124,898
Funds held for others	-	-	9,896	581,065	2,637	151,098	39,393	233	20	784,342
Total Deductions	44,105,565	124,898	9,896	581,065	2,637	151,098	39,393	233	20	45,014,805
Net Increase (Decrease) in Fiduciary Net Position	177,766	(9,180)	(280)	882	(487)	225,780	11,535	(202)	(20)	405,794
Net Position - Beginning of the Year	1,072,785	13,129	58,543	58,627	2,868	637,822	47,225	4,010	11,160	1,906,169
Net Position - End of the Year	1,250,551	3,949	58,263	59,509	2,381	863,602	58,760	3,808	11,140	2,311,963

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

ANNUAL SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR ROADS, BRIDGES AND STREETS



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Annual Highway Finance Report - CY23

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Receipts, Disbursements & Costs

II - Receipts for Road & Street Purposes

A. Receipts from local sources

2. General Fund Appropriations:	$	0.00
3. Other local imposts: *from A.3. 'Total' below)*	$	822,694.17
4. Miscellaneous local receipts: *from A.4. 'Total' below)*	$	479,010.88
5. Transfers from toll facilities	$	0.00
6. Proceeds of sale of bonds and notes		
a. Bonds - Original Issues:	$	0.00
b. Bonds - Refunding Issues:	$	0.00
c. Notes:	$	0.00
SubTotal:	$	1,301,705.05

B. Private Contributions $ 0.00

Receipts, Disbursements & Costs

II - Receipts for Road & Street Purposes (Detail)

A.3.¦ Other local imposts

a. Property Taxes &and Assessments	$	786,444.17
b. Other Local Imposts		
1. Sales Taxes:	$	0.00
2. Infrastructure and Impact Fees:	$	36,250.00
3. Liens:	$	0.00
4. Licenses:	$	0.00
5. Specific Ownership and/or Other:	$	0.00
Total: *(a + b) carried to 'Other local imposts' above)*	$	822,694.17

A.4.¦ Miscellaneous local receipts

a. Interest on Investments:	$	0.00
b. Traffic fines and Penalities:	$	0.00
c. Parking Garage Fees:	$	0.00
d. Parking Meter Fees:	$	0.00
e. Sale of Surplus Property:	$	280,787.67
f. Charges for Services:	$	29,847.47
g. Other Misc. Receipts:	$	168,375.74
h. Other:	$	0.00
Total: *(a through h) carried to 'Misc local receipts' above)*	$	479,010.88

C. Receipts from State Government

1. Highway User Taxes:	$	2,923,082.90
3. Other State funds:		
c. Motor Vehicle Registrations:	$	35,614.16
d. Other (Specify): Comments: mineral/severance tax/wildlife	$	221,966.67
e. Other (Specify): Comments: undefined	$	0.00
Total: *(1+3c,d,e)*	$	3,180,663.73

D. Receipts from Federal Government

2. Other Federal Agencies		
a. Forest Service:	$	0.00

b. FEMA:	$	0.00
c. HUD:	$	0.00
d. Federal Transit Administration:	$	0.00
e. U.S. Corp of Engineers	$	0.00
f. Other Federal:	$	0.00
Total: *(2a-f)*	$	0.00

Receipts, Disbursements & Costs

III - Disbursements for Road & Street Purposes

A. Local highway disbursements

1. Capital outlay: *(from A.1.d. 'Total Capital Outlay' below)*	$	2,208,908.98
2. Maintenance:	$	2,566,660.88
3. Road and street services		
a. Traffic control operations:	$	0.00
b. Snow and ice removal:	$	0.00
c. Other:	$	0.00
4. General administration and miscellaneous	$	0.00
5. Highway law enforcement and safety	$	0.00
Total: *(A.1-5)*	$	4,775,569.86

B. Debt service on local obligations

1. Bonds		
a. Interest	$	0.00
b. Redemption	$	0.00
2. Notes		
a. Interest	$	0.00
b. Redemption	$	0.00
SubTotal: *(1+2)*	$	0.00

C. Payments to State for Highways:	$	0.00
D. Payments to Toll Facilities:	$	0.00

Total Disbursements: *(A+B+C+D)*	$	4,775,569.86

Receipts, Disbursements & Costs

III - Disbursements for Road & Street Purposes - (Detail)

	A. ON NATIONAL HIGHWAY SYSTEM	B. OFF NATIONAL HIGHWAY SYSTEM	C. TOTAL
A.1. Capital Outlay			
a. Right-Of-Way Costs:	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
b. Engineering Costs:	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
c. Construction			
1. New Facilities:	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
2. Capacity Improvements:	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
3. System Preservation:	$ 2,208,908.98	$ 0.00	$ 2,208,908.98
4. System Enhancement:	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
5. Total Construction:			$ 2,208,908.98
d. Total Capital Outlay: *(Lines A.1.a. + 1.b. + 1.c.5)*			$ 2,208,908.98

Receipts, Disbursements & Costs

IV. Local Highway Debt Status

	OPENING DEBT	AMOUNT ISSUED	REDEMPTIONS	CLOSING DEBT
A. Bonds (Total)	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
1. Bonds (Refunding Portion)		$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
B. Notes (Total):	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00	$ 0.00

Receipts, Disbursements & Costs

V - Local Road & Street Fund Balance

A. Beginning Balance	B. Total Receipts	C.Total Disbursements	D. Ending Balance	E. Reconciliation
$ 4,854,566.28	$ 4,482,368.78	$ 4,775,569.86	$ 4,561,365.20	$ 0.00

Notes and Comments:
undefined

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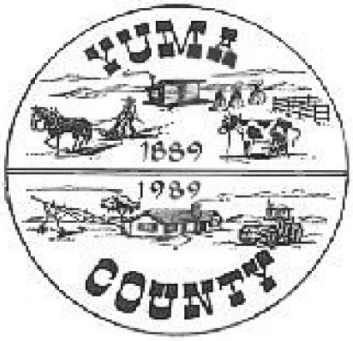

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REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH *GOVERNMENTAL AUDITING STANDARDS*

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of County Commissioners
Yuma County, Colorado

We have audited, in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Governmental Audit Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Yuma County, Colorado (the "County") as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 28, 2024.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

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

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

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

McMahan and Associates, L.L.C.

McMahan and Associates, L.L.C.
September 28, 2024

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

To the Board of County Commissioners
Yuma County, Colorado

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Yuma County, Colorado's (the "County") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the County's major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2023. The County's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the County complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the County and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the County's federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the County's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the County's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the County's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Report on 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 or on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charges with governance.

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

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

To the Board of County Commissioners
Yuma County, Colorado

The purpose of this report in internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

McMahan and Associates, L.L.C.

McMahan and Associates, L.L.C.
September 28, 2024

Yuma County, Colorado, Colorado
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Part I: Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued	Unmodified
Internal control over financial reporting:	
Material weakness identified	None noted
Significant deficiency identified	None noted
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted	None noted

Federal Awards

Internal control over major programs:	
Material weakness identified	None noted
Significant deficiency identified	None noted
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs	Unmodified
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200	None noted
Major program:	
Medicaid Assistance Program	CFDA #93.778
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	CFDA #93.558
Dollar threshold used to identify Type A from Type B programs	$750,000
Identified as low-risk auditee	Yes

Part II: Findings Related to Financial Statements

Findings related to financial statements as required by Government Auditing Standards	None noted
Auditor-assigned reference number	Not applicable

Part III: Findings Related to Federal Awards

Internal control findings	None noted
Compliance findings	None noted
Questioned costs	None noted
Auditor-assigned reference number	Not applicable

Yuma County, Colorado
SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023
(Continued)

Note: There were no findings for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022.

Yuma County, Colorado
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Program Title	Federal ALN Number	Pass through Entity Identifying Number	2023 Expenditures	
Passed through Colorado Department of Health and Human Services:				
Guardianship Assistance	93.090	DHS-FFA	6,491	
TANF CO Works	93.558	DHS-FFA	201,025	
Title IV-D - Admin	93.563	DHS-FFA	90,287	
Low income energy assistance program	93.568	DHS-FFA	195	
Child Care and Development Block Grant	93.575	DHS-FFA	118,670	***A***
Child Care Mandatory and Matching Funds of the Child Care and Development Fund	93.596	DHS-FFA	28,012	***A***
Stephanie Tubbs Jones Child Welfare Services	93.645	DHS-FFA	844	
Foster Care - Title IV-E	93.658	DHS-FFA	109,932	
Adoption Assistance - Title IV-E	93.659	DHS-FFA	31,012	
Social Services Block Grant	93.667	DHS-FFA	28,764	
Elder abuse - prevention intervention program-corona virus relief fund	93.747		10,000	
Subtotal Colorado Department of Health and Human Services			625,232	
Passed through Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing:				
Medical Assistance Program - Title XIX	93.778	DHS-FFA	154,275	***B***
Subtotal Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing			154,275	
Total Department of Health and Human Services			779,507	
Department of Agriculture:				
Passed through Colorado Department of Human Services:				
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Programs - administration	10.561	DHS-FFA	123,585	***C***
Total Department of Agriculture			123,585	
Department of Justice:				
State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP)	16.606	SCAAP	26,188	
Passed through the Colorado Division of Criminal Justice:				
Victims of Crime Act	16.575	VOCA	39,153	
Total Department of Justice			65,341	
US Elections Commission:				
Passed through the Colorado Department of State				
Help America Vote Act (HAVA Election Security Grants - COVID-19	90.404	N/A	9,996	
Total US Elections Commision			9,996	
Department of the Treasury:				
Passed through Colorado Department of Human Services:				
Coronavirus Relief Fund	21.027	DHS-FFA	10,121	
Total - Coronavirus Relief Fund			10,121	
Total Expenditures			988,550	

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

Yuma County, Colorado
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended December 31, 2023

Additional Information for Clusters:	**Amount**
A - Child Care Cluster	146,682
B - Medicaid Cluster	154,275
C - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Programs (SNAP) Cluster	123,585

Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended December 31, 2023.

Note 1. Basis of Presentation:
The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the federal grant activity of Yuma County and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and the Audit Requirement for Federal Awards ("Uniform Guidance"). Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in, or used in the preparation of the financial statements.

Note 2. Determining the Amount of Non-cash Awards Expended:
Fair market value of assistance at the time of disbursement to the recipient, or the assessed value provided by the state or federal agency.

Note 3. Indirect Facilities and Administration costs:
The County does not use the 10% de minimis cost rate allowed in §200.414, Indirect (F&A) Costs, of the Uniform Guidance. Instead, the County prepares an annual cost allocation plan to allocate indirect costs.