

Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania

Comprehensive Annual Financial Report For the Year Ended December 31, 2020

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INTRODUCTORY SECTION

MUNICIPALITY OF BETHEL PARK, PENNSYLVANIA COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

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August 3, 2021

To Bethel Park Municipal Council, Mayor, and Citizens of the Municipality of Bethel Park:

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (Annual Report) of the Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania (Municipality) for the year ended December 31, 2020 is hereby submitted.

This report consists of management's representations concerning the finances of the Municipality. Consequently, management assumes full responsibility for the completeness and reliability of the information contained in this report. To provide a reasonable basis for making these representations, management has established a comprehensive framework of internal control designed both to protect the Municipality's assets from loss, theft, or misuse, and to compile sufficient reliable information for the presentation of the Municipality's financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Because the cost of internal control should not exceed anticipated benefits, the objective is to provide reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance that the financial statements are free of any material misstatements. As management, we believe that this financial report is complete and reliable in all material respects.

The Municipality's financial statements have been audited by Maher Duessel, a firm of licensed certified public accountants. The goal of the independent audit was to provide reasonable assurance that the financial statements of the Municipality for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2020, are free of material misstatement. The independent audit involved examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures of the financial statements; assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management; and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. The independent auditor concluded, based upon the audit, that there was a reasonable basis for rendering an unmodified opinion that the Municipality's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2020 are fairly presented, in all material respects, in conformity with GAAP. The independent auditor's report is presented at the beginning of the financial section of this report.

Immediately following the independent auditor's report is the Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A). The MD&A provides a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements. This letter of transmittal is designed to complement the MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it.

PROFILE OF THE GOVERNMENT

The Municipality was founded in 1886 and incorporated as a Borough in 1949. In 1978, the Municipality became a Home Rule Municipality pursuant to its Home Rule Charter dated November 18, 1975. The Municipality continues to operate today under the Charter (as amended).

The Municipality's Charter provides for the Council-Manager form of government. Municipal Council is comprised of nine members. Each of the nine members is elected by ward to serve a four-year term. The terms are staggered so that the Council members representing the odd-numbered wards are elected two years apart from the members representing the even-numbered wards. The Charter also calls for a Mayor to be elected at large. The Mayor votes only in the event of a tie.

The daily operations of the Municipality are directed by an appointed Municipal Manager and a full-time professional staff. The Municipality's operations include services such as police protection, infrastructure maintenance and construction (e.g., roads and sewers), recreation and leisure, public access television, zoning regulation, building inspection, wastewater treatment, and refuse collection.

LOCAL ECONOMY

The Municipality is located approximately ten miles south of downtown Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania. The Municipality is 12 square miles in size with approximately 114 miles of road. According to the 2010 U.S. Census, the Municipality's population of 32,313 ranks fourth out of Allegheny County's 130 municipalities. Approximately, 83% of the Municipality is presently developed, 90% of which is residential and devoted almost exclusively to single-family housing.

Industrial activity in the Municipality is concentrated in light manufacturing and some service-related areas. The business districts in the Municipality are found along Library Road, South Park Road, Bethel Church Road, Brightwood Road, Washington Road, Oxford Drive, and Fort Couch Road. The Municipality is also home to the largest industrial park in the South Hills of Pittsburgh. The Industrial Park is comprised of 117 acres of land and houses approximately 100 businesses. More than 1,300 people work in the Industrial Park, and less than 20 acres presently remain available for future development.

Light manufacturing, storage, and some heavy industry occupy slightly more than 100 acres of the Municipality. However, the Municipality is primarily residential in nature, with its residents commuting to various employment concerns in the Pittsburgh metropolitan area. Given the efficient road network and public transportation system, and the close proximity to the City of Pittsburgh, the residents are subject to reasonable commuting time to the industries and businesses of the area.

Commercial land use is geared to neighborhood convenience. Located in the Municipality is approximately half of the South Hills Village Shopping Mall, an enclosed shopping center which

includes approximately 100 stores. Also situated in the Municipality is Village Square Mall, which houses a number of retail department stores and other businesses.

Throughout the nation's recent economic troubles, unemployment rates in the region have remained below the state and national rates. This has helped insulate the Municipality's largest revenue source — Earned Income Tax — from the drops experienced by many state and local governments across the country. As presented in the Statistical Section, the Municipality's two major tax revenues — Real Estate Tax and Earned Income Tax — continue to trend upward.

FINANCIAL OPERATIONS

Budget

The Municipality uses the following procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements as prescribed in the Home Rule Charter. On or before September 1st, the Municipal Manager submits an operating budget and an accompanying message to Council. At least two months prior to the date for submission of the proposed budget, the Municipal Manager submits to Council a five-year capital program. A general summary of the preliminary budget and capital program must be published in one or more newspapers of general circulation in the Municipality, including a notice that the preliminary budget or capital program is available for public inspection. Advertisement of the preliminary budget or capital program must include times and places where copies of the preliminary budget and capital program are available for viewing by the public and when hearings will be held. After adequate public hearing, Council must adopt the final balanced budget by ordinance prior to the beginning of the fiscal year for which the budget has been prepared.

Policy

The finance department continually reviews established policies and procedures and considers the implementation of new policies and procedures when necessary. We believe that the Municipality's internal accounting controls adequately safeguard assets and provide reasonable assurance of proper recording of financial transactions.

LONG-TERM FINANCIAL PLANNING

The Annual Report reflects the sound fiscal policies our elected officials have established to achieve their annual priorities for programs, services, and capital improvements. These policies have resulted in the Municipality's strong financial position, which is demonstrated by the second highest credit rating available in national bond markets. Growth of the Municipality's economic base as well as realistic long-range planning, productive management of revenue and cash resources, and prudent use of debt continue to produce favorable operating results. Unassigned General Fund fund balance represents 35.3% of the 2020 budgeted expenditures, while total General Fund fund balance was 36% of the 2020 budgeted expenditures.

The Municipality annually adopts a five-year Capital Plan for the scheduling and appropriation of funds for major projects that represent significant contributions to the Municipality's overall inventory of physical assets. Municipal Council approval of the Capital Plan commits the Municipality to the first year of capital projects with conditional approval for those projects

listed in four future planning years. The five-year Capital Plan, from fiscal year 2018 through fiscal year 2022, includes capital appropriations totaling \$26.8 million and includes projects funded by General Fund resources, general obligation bonds, state grants, and capital reserves.

AWARDS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Certificate of Achievement

In 2020, the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the Municipality for its Annual Report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2019. This represents the ninth consecutive year the Municipality has achieved this award.

In order to be awarded a GFOA Certificate of Achievement, a government unit must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized Annual Report, whose contents conform to program standards. Such reports must satisfy both accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and applicable legal requirements.

A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe our current report continues to conform to Certificate of Achievement requirements, and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate.

Acknowledgements

Without the responsiveness and cooperation of all Municipal departments, production of this Annual Report would not have been possible. I sincerely appreciate the time and effort contributed by Municipal staff throughout the year, particularly that of Accounting Supervisor Pamela Inglis. Appreciation is also extended to Municipal Manager Laurence Christian. Finally, I also wish to express my thanks to Bethel Park Municipal Council and the Mayor for their cooperation and interest in the professional management of the Municipality's finances.

Respectfully submitted,

Isa Lapaglia

Lisa Lapaglia

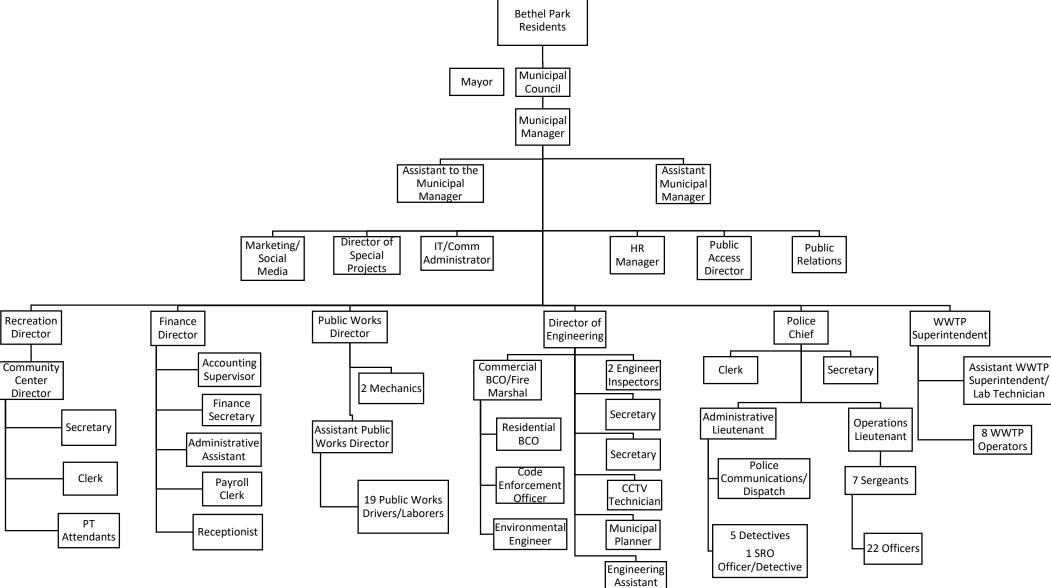
Finance Director

August 3, 2021

Municipality of Bethel Park

Organizational Chart





MUNICIPALITY OF BETHEL PARK, PENNSYLVANIA PRINCIPAL OFFICIALS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2020

ELECTED OFFICIALS

Council, Ward 1 Joe Consolmagno

Council, Ward 2 Dr. Timothy Campbell

Council, Ward 3 James Hannan (Vice President)

Council, Ward 4 Paul Dixon

Council, Ward 5 Donald Harrison

Council, Ward 6 Mark O'Brien

Council, Ward 7 James McLean

Council, Ward 8 Timothy Moury (President)

Council, Ward 9 Lorrie Gibbons

Mayor Jack Allen

CHIEF APPOINTED OFFICIALS

Municipal Manager Laurence Christian

Assistant Municipal Manager Empty

Finance Director Lisa Lapaglia

Police Chief Timothy O'Connor

Municipal Engineer Stacey Graf

Code Enforcement Officer Robert Hicks

Recreation Director Charles Stover

Public Access Director Dave Cable

Sewage Plant Superintendent Scott Dunn

Municipal Solicitor Robert McTiernan



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December 31, 2019

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Executive Director/CEO



FINANCIAL SECTION



Independent Auditor's Report

Members of Council Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania (Municipality),

as of and for the year ended December 31, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Municipality's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

Members of Council Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania Independent Auditor's Report

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Municipality, as of December 31, 2020, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and the pension and OPEB information on pages 11 through 24 and pages 87 through 93, respectively, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Municipality's basic financial statements. The introductory section, supplementary information section, and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

Members of Council Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania Independent Auditor's Report

The schedules contained in the supplementary information section are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The introductory and statistical sections have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Maher Duessel

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania August 3, 2021

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

As management of the Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania (Municipality), we offer readers of the Municipality's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the Municipality for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The Municipality's total net position decreased \$1,748,047 in 2020, or 5.45%.
- Total unrestricted net position was \$11,850,964 at December 31, 2020.
- The Municipality's real property tax rate totaling 2.78 mills includes a mandated .34 mills in real estate tax dedicated as an annual source of revenue for the Bethel Park Volunteer Fire Company. This revenue was primarily used to pay for the debt service associated with the construction of a new fire station on Brightwood Road, as well as operating expenses, such as building utilities and maintenance.
- The Municipality's earned income tax rate remained at 0.9% in 2020.
- At December 31, 2020, the Municipality had \$89,001,000 of outstanding debt (bonds and notes), which represents an increase of \$33,400,391, or 60% from the previous year.
- The total fund balance of the General Fund at December 31, 2020 was \$9,311,025. The unassigned portion of the fund balance was \$9,152,087, which is approximately 47.5% of General Fund expenditures for fiscal year 2020.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

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

The statement of net position presents information on all of the Municipality's assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, with the difference between the two 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 Municipality is

improving or deteriorating.

The statement of activities presents information showing how the Municipality's net position changed during fiscal year 2020. 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 only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., uncollected taxes and earned but unused vacation leave).

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the Municipality that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees or charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the Municipality include general government, public safety, public works, culture and recreation, and conservation and development. The business-type activities of the Municipality include the Municipality's sewer services.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 25 and 26 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 Municipality, like other local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the Municipality can be divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds.

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

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

The Municipality maintains four individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund statement of

revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance for the General Fund and the Capital Reserve Fund, which are major funds. Data from the other two governmental funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each of these non-major governmental funds is provided in the form of combining statements in the supplementary information section of this report.

The Municipality adopts an annual budget for all governmental funds. Budgetary comparison statements for all governmental funds are provided in this report, either in the basic financial statements or as supplementary information, to demonstrate compliance with this budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 27-32 of this report.

Proprietary funds. The Municipality maintains one type of proprietary fund. An Enterprise Fund is used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. The Municipality uses an Enterprise Fund to account for its sewer system.

Proprietary funds provide the same type of information as the government-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The proprietary fund financial statements provide separate information for the sewer system, which is considered to be a major fund of the Municipality.

The basic proprietary fund financial statements can be found on pages 33-35 of this report.

Fiduciary funds. Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the Municipality. The Municipality is the trustee, or fiduciary, for two single-employer pension plans: non-uniformed employees and police. These plans cover essentially all full-time employees. The Municipality is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes. All of the Municipality's fiduciary activities are reported in a separate statement of fiduciary net position and a statement of changes in fiduciary net position. These activities are excluded from the Municipality's government-wide financial statements because the Municipality cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

The Municipality also maintains two escrow accounts to hold assets held by the Municipality on behalf of others as agents for escrows and engineers' inspections. The Municipality maintains control of the assets; however, since they are for the benefit of organizations outside the government, they are reported as custodial funds in the financial statements. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds.

The basic fiduciary fund financial statements can be found on pages 36-37 of this report.

Notes to 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 financial statements can be found on pages 38-86 of this report.

Required supplementary information. In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning the Municipality's net pension liability, contributions, investment returns, and progress in funding its obligation to provide postemployment benefits other than pension benefits (OPEBs) to its employees. Required supplementary information can be found on pages 87-93 of this report.

Supplementary information. The combining statements referred to earlier in this report are presented in a section called supplementary information immediately following the required supplementary information on pensions and OPEBs. The supplementary information containing the combining and individual fund statements can be found on pages 94-103 of this report.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

As noted earlier, net position may serve as a useful indicator of the Municipality's financial position. In the case of the Municipality, assets and deferred outflows of resources exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$30,346,141 at the close of fiscal year 2020.

The Municipality's net position at December 31, 2020 and 2019 is presented below:

	Municipality of Bethel Park's Net Position									
	Government	al Activities	Business-t	ype Activities	Total					
	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019				
Current and other assets	\$12,140,126	\$12,166,357	\$41,546,606	\$ 10,186,343	\$ 53,686,732	\$ 22,352,700				
Capital assets	34,121,582	33,732,656	40,337,900	41,187,184	74,459,482	74,919,840				
Net pension asset	396,855	-	170,081	=	566,936	-				
Total assets	\$ 46,658,563	\$45,899,013	\$ 82,054,587	\$ 51,373,527	\$ 128,713,150	\$ 97,272,540				
Deferred outflows of resources	\$ 3,270,475	\$ 3,394,958	\$ 181,205	\$ 230,867	\$ 3,451,680	\$ 3,625,825				
Current and other liabilities	\$ 754,030	\$ 1,056,638	\$ 1,563,934	\$ 2,670,442	\$ 2,317,964	\$ 3,727,080				
Non-current liabilities	26,263,296	26,892,470	68,407,267	33,901,067	94,670,563	60,793,537				
Total liabilities	\$27,017,326	\$27,949,108	\$69,971,201	\$ 36,571,509	\$ 96,988,527	\$ 64,520,617				
Deferred inflows of resources	\$ 4,161,239	\$ 3,639,884	\$ 668,923	\$ 643,676	\$ 4,830,162	\$ 4,283,560				
Net investment in capital assets	\$14,462,992	\$14,326,781	\$ 2,689,785	\$ 6,347,023	\$ 17,152,777	\$ 20,673,804				
Restricted	1,172,319	775,290	170,081	<u>-</u>	1,342,400	775,290				
Unrestricted	3,115,162	2,602,908	8,735,802	8,042,186	11,850,964	10,645,094				
Total net position	\$ 18,750,473	\$17,704,979	\$ 11,595,668	\$ 14,389,209	\$ 30,346,141	\$ 32,094,188				

Net Position

One portion of the Municipality's net position (56.52%) reflects its investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery, and equipment), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. The Municipality uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the Municipality's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other funding sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

An additional portion of the Municipality's net position (4.42%) represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net position (39.06%, or \$11,850,964) may be used to meet the Municipality's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.

At the end of 2020, the Municipality reported positive balances in all three categories of net position, both for the Municipality as a whole, as well as for its separate governmental and business-type activities. The same situation held true for the prior fiscal year.

For 2020, total net position decreased by \$1,748,047, or 5.45%, to \$30,346,141.

The governmental activities portion of net position increased by \$1,045,494 or 5.9%, which is largely due to an overall decrease in operational expenses experienced throughout the Municipality.

The business-type activities portion of net position decreased by \$2,793,541 or 19.41%, which is a result of increased expenses related to bond refundings.

The following presents the Municipality's change in net position for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019:

	Municipa	ality o	f Bethel Park's	Char	nges in Net Pos	ition					
	 Governmental Activities			Business-type Activities				Total			
	2020		2019		2020		2019		2020		2019
Revenues:											
Program revenues:											
Charges for services	\$ 1,124,635	\$	1,723,678	\$	10,255,051	\$	10,094,461	\$	11,379,686	\$	11,818,139
Grants and contributions:											
Operating	1,016,876		1,792,865		-		-		1,016,876		1,792,865
Capital	295,350		24,992		117,601		56,679		412,951		81,671
General revenues:											
Property taxes	6,937,754		6,922,642		-		-		6,937,754		6,922,642
Earned income taxes	9,632,127		9,479,467		-		-		9,632,127		9,479,467
Other taxes	2,575,018		2,215,005		-		-		2,575,018		2,215,005
Grants and contributions not											
restricted to specific programs	1,839,742		1,018,567		-		-		1,839,742		1,018,567
Other	1,198,077		1,622,319		(221,370)		177,887		976,707		1,800,206
Total revenues	\$ 24,619,579	\$	24,799,535	\$	10,151,282	\$	10,329,027	\$	34,770,861	\$	35,128,562
Expenses:											
Program expenses:											
General government	\$ 3,862,951	\$	3,422,888	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,862,951	\$	3,422,888
Public safety	8,467,509		9,547,173		-		-		8,467,509		9,547,173
Public works	8,212,688		7,082,162		-		-		8,212,688		7,082,162
Culture and recreation	2,197,645		2,238,029		-		-		2,197,645		2,238,029
Conservation and development	190,153		147,182		-		-		190,153		147,182
Interest on long-term debt	643,139		687,257		-		-		643,139		687,257
Sewer services	-		-		12,944,823		9,544,333		12,944,823		9,544,333
Total expenses	\$ 23,574,085	\$	23,124,691	\$	12,944,823	\$	9,544,333	\$	36,518,908	\$	32,669,024
Change in net position	1,045,494		1,674,844		(2,793,541)		784,694		(1,748,047)		2,459,538
Net position - beginning	17,704,979		16,030,135		14,389,209		13,604,515		32,094,188		29,634,650
Net position - ending	\$ 18,750,473	\$	17,704,979	\$	11,595,668	\$	14,389,209	\$	30,346,141	\$	32,094,188

GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Revenue Sources

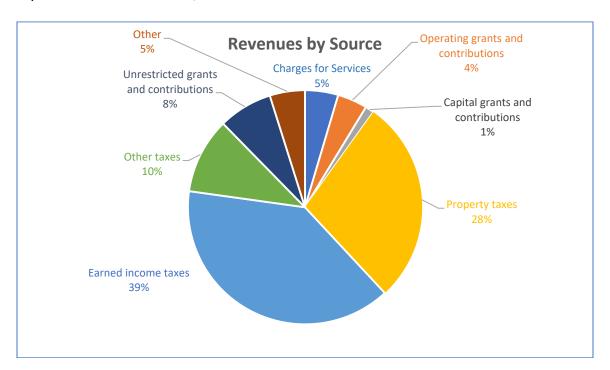
Total governmental activities revenues of \$24,619,579 were derived primarily from Earned Income Taxes and Property Taxes. These taxes increased by \$167,722 or 1.02% from 2019, primarily as a result of higher wages earned by taxpayers.

Grants and contributions are provided to the Municipality through a variety of sources, including liquid fuels, pension state aid, and other operating and capital grants. Program revenue operating and capital grants decreased by \$505,631 or 27.81% from 2019, primarily due to a

decrease in the number of intergovernmental grants received by the Municipality for capital improvements throughout the Municipality.

All other revenue sources increased by \$756,946 or 15.59% from 2019.

The following chart graphically depicts the governmental activities revenues by source for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020:



Program Expenses

Total governmental activities expenses for all programs in 2020 were \$23,574,085. The expenses cover a range of services, with the largest being Public Safety at 35.92%. Public safety expenses decreased \$1,079,664 or 11.31% over the prior year due to decreases in pension and OPEB related expenses.

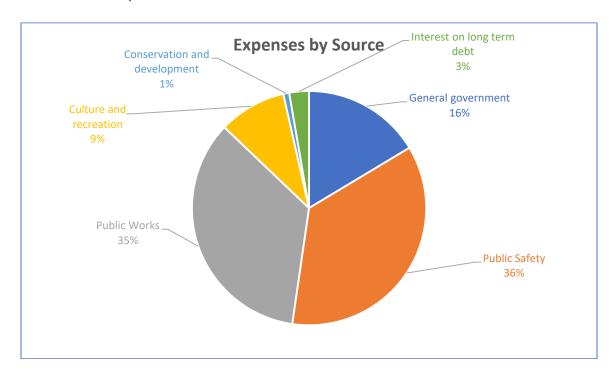
General government expenses increased by \$440,063 or 12.86%, primarily due to transitional personnel costs related to staff hiring and pension expenses. Approximately \$122,000 was spent on IT equipment and infrastructure for remote working capabilities.

Public works expenses increased by \$1,130,526, or 15.96%, primarily due to increased sanitation costs and costs associated with ongoing stormwater treatment.

Culture and recreation and conservation and development expenses remained relatively consistent with the prior year, increasing \$2,587 or less than 1%.

Interest on long-term debt was consistent with the prior year, decreasing \$44,118 or less than 6.42% due to the refunding of the 2015 Bonds.

The following chart graphically depicts the governmental activities expenses for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020:

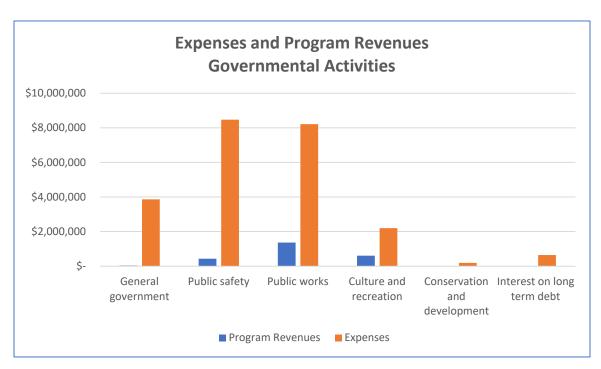


GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Net Program Expenses/Revenues

Net program expenses/revenues indicate the amount of support required from taxes and other general revenues for the year. Public Safety expenses required the most general revenue for support, needing \$8,035,955 in 2020. Public Works required \$6,848,743 general revenues for support, General Government required \$3,829,179, Culture and Recreation required \$1,590,055, Interest on long-term debt required \$643,139, and Conservation and Development required \$190,153.

The following chart graphically depicts the net program expenses/revenues by function/program of governmental activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020:



FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE MUNICIPALITY'S FUNDS

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

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

As of the end of 2020, the Municipality's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$11,092,209, a decrease of \$458,102, or 3.97% in comparison with the prior year. Of this combined fund balance total, \$9,152,087, or 82.51%, represents unassigned fund balance, meaning it is available to meet the Municipality's current and future needs. In addition, \$973,682 is assigned for specific capital projects, \$5,827 is assigned for the cable television facility, and \$24,275 is assigned for recreation improvements. There is \$713,971 restricted for Volunteer Fire Department operations, and \$61,493 restricted for the liquid fuels program. The remaining \$160,874 represents nonspendable prepaid expenditures.

The General Fund is the chief operating fund of the Municipality. At the end of 2020, unassigned fund balance of the General Fund was \$9,152,087, while total fund balance reached \$9,311,025. This represents an increase of \$933,759 or 11.15% from the prior fiscal year's total fund balance. This increase is due to the minimal disruption to revenue collections and decreased expenses during the COVID-19 worldwide pandemic. The primary sources of revenue, real estate and earned income taxes, showed a slight increase of \$167,772 over previous year collections. Also, with the closure of schools and recreation centers, expenses of \$137,500 and \$273,000, respectively, were not incurred as were other expenses related to the lockdown. As a measure of the General Fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare both unassigned fund balance and total fund balance to total fund expenditures. Unassigned fund balance represents 47.49% of total General Fund expenditures, while total fund balance represents 48.32% of the same.

The Capital Reserve Fund accounts for funds provided by the Municipality, most frequently from General Fund transfers, for use on capital projects. At the end of 2020, total fund balance of the Capital Reserve Fund was \$973,682, all of which is assigned for capital projects in 2021. The total fund balance decreased by \$1,388,583 or 58.78% from the prior fiscal year as a result of the Muncipality transferring from the General Fund to fund projects. Transfers from the General Fund to the Capital Reserve Fund totaled \$3,784,063 in 2020 to match the planned level of capital projects.

Proprietary funds. The Municipality's proprietary funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide financial statements, but in more detail.

The Sewer Fund accounts for a customer service charge and water usage charge assessed to properties in the Municipality. Also included in the Sewer Fund is money received by and paid to neighboring communities for sewage treatment service. Expenses from this fund include those necessary for the operation of the sanitary sewer treatment plant, all costs associated with the maintenance of the sanitary sewer infrastructure, and the Municipality's payments to the Allegheny County Sanitary Authority (ALCOSAN). In 2020, Sewer Fund revenues were comprised of: charges for services totaling \$10,224,056, and license and permit fees totaling \$30,995. In 2020, Sewer Fund expenses were comprised of: administration totaling \$346,630, operations totaling \$4,448,513, maintenance totaling \$1,418,596, and depreciation totaling \$1,589,648. Non-operating revenues (expenses) were comprised of: investment loss of \$221,370, capital grants and contributions of \$117,601, bond issuance costs of \$972,384, and interest expense totaling \$4,169,052. Total net position of the Sewer Fund at the end of 2020 amounted to \$11,595,668. This represents a decrease of \$2,793,541 or 19.41% over the prior fiscal year's total net position. The primary reason for this decrease is due to increased expenses related to costs to refund bonds.

GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

During 2020, actual revenues and other financing sources were \$1,881,446 over budget and actual expenditures and other financing uses were \$2,985,107 under budget, resulting in a \$4,866,553 budget-to-actual variance overall.

The major reasons for the high revenues were real estate transfer tax, which exceeded budget by \$837,378, and earned income tax revenue, which exceeded budget by \$495,127. The Municipality has consistently been over budget on income tax revenue since the implementation of Act 32.

The most notable expenditure variance includes Public Works, whose savings came mostly from a mild winter.

It is important to note that actual 2020 expenditures and revenues also reflect a \$192,068 pass-through grant to the Bethel Park Volunteer Firefighters' Relief Association. The Municipality does not budget for this grant because it simply serves as a pass-through and has no control over the amount or use of the grant. As a result, the budget-to-actual comparison is skewed by this amount in both Intergovernmental revenues and Volunteer Fire Department expenditures.

CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital assets. The Municipality's investment in capital assets for its governmental and business-type activities as of December 31, 2020 amounts to \$74,459,482 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, construction in progress, buildings, machinery and equipment, vehicles, infrastructure, and the sewage system. The total decrease in the Municipality's investment in capital assets for 2020 was less than 1% (a 1.15% increase for

governmental activities and a 2.06% decrease for business-type activities).

In 2020, the most significant capital expenditures were continued road improvements as part of the road program along with vehicle purchases. Within business-type activities, capital expenditures included upgrades at the sewage treatment plant and ongoing upgrades of the Municipality's sanitary sewer system.

The following is a summary of the Municipality's capital assets at December 31, 2020 and 2019:

Municipality of Bethel Park's Capital Assets (net of depreciation)												
		Governmen	tal A	ctivities		Business-typ	oe A	ctivities		То	tal	
		2020		2019		2020		2019		2020		2019
Land	\$	2,781,979	\$	2,781,979	\$	766,000	\$	766,000	\$	3,547,979	\$	3,547,979
Construction in progress		1,681		-		551,199		551,199		552,880		551,199
Buildings		27,447,742		27,307,468		9,929,338		9,929,338		37,377,080		37,236,806
Machinery and equipment		6,751,518		6,640,183		10,728,325		10,630,504		17,479,843		17,270,687
Vehicles		5,492,549		5,086,390		-		-		5,492,549		5,086,390
Infrastructure		46,218,606		44,414,937		-		-		46,218,606		44,414,937
Sewer system		-		-		65,261,807		64,619,264		65,261,807		64,619,264
Total capital assets	\$	88,694,075	\$	86,230,957	\$	87,236,669	\$	86,496,305	\$	175,930,744	\$	172,727,262
Less: accumulated depreciation		(54,572,493)		(52,498,301)		(46,898,769)		(45,309,121)		(101,471,262)		(97,807,422)
Net capital assets	\$	34,121,582	\$	33,732,656	\$	40,337,900	\$	41,187,184	\$	74,459,482	\$	74,919,840

More detailed information about the Muncipality's capital assets can be found in Note 4 of the notes to financial statements.

Long-term debt. At the end of 2020, the Municipality had total outstanding debt of \$94,103,627. Of this amount, \$85,819,639 comprises debt backed by the full faith and credit of the government, \$3,181,361 is for two bank notes (\$2,316,210 for the 2007 gymnasium addition to the Community Center and \$865,151 for certain capital improvements), \$552,254 is for compensated absences to be paid out if employees leave, \$3,528,330 is for the Municipality's OPEB obligation, and \$1,192,124 is for the Municipality's net pension liability. The Municipality's total debt increased by \$31,376,290 during 2020.

The following is a summary of the Municipality's outstanding debt at December 31, 2020 and 2019:

Municipality of Bethel Park's Outstanding Debt										
	Governmen	tal Activities	Business-ty	pe Activities	Total					
	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019				
General obligation bonds	\$ 17,520,000	\$ 17,955,000	\$ 68,299,639	\$ 35,025,000	\$ 85,819,639	\$ 52,980,000				
Notes payable	3,181,361	2,620,609	-	-	3,181,361	2,620,609				
Compensated absences	444,626	437,315	107,628	104,329	552,254	541,644				
OPEB obligation	3,528,330	2,705,050	-	-	3,528,330	2,705,050				
Net pension liability	1,192,124	3,773,296	(170,081)	106,738	1,022,043	3,880,034				
Total outstanding debt	\$ 25,866,441	\$ 27,491,270	\$ 68,237,186	\$ 35,236,067	\$ 94,103,627	\$ 62,727,337				

More detailed information about the Muncipality's outstanding debt can be found in Note 6 of the notes to financial statements.

The Municipality has maintained its bond rating of AA Stable from Standard & Poor's (S&P).

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET AND RATES

The factors below were considered when preparing the budget and setting rates for the 2021 fiscal year:

- The 2021 real estate tax rate of 2.78 mills remains unchanged from 2020.
- The 2021 earned income tax rate of 0.9% remains unchanged from 2020.
- The budget will remain relatively the same for 2021. The total General Fund revenues for 2021 will be \$22,042,199, compared to \$22,107,776, which is a decrease of \$65,577 or .3% from the prior year budget. The total General Fund expenditures for 2021 will be \$26,687,506, compared to \$25,887,517 for 2020, which is an increase of \$799,989, or 3.1% over the prior year budget.
- The Municipality believes that a well-organized capital improvements program will avoid the necessary delay in the vital maintenance and/or replacement of equipment and facilities, ensure responsible fiscal planning, provide advance information to the public regarding anticipated capital projects, and assist Municipality staff in planning for application for federal and/or state funded grants. The capital improvements program is incorporated and adopted as part of the overall 2021 Municipality budget. The majority of the capital improvements program is funded through transfers from the Municipality's General Fund into the Municipality's Capital Reserve Fund. The Municipality has projects totaling \$8,310,489 under consideration for 2021.

• While the COVID-19 worldwide pandemic created many challenges, the Municipality remained relatively unscathed. Even though overall revenues were down \$500,000 due to the cancellation of recreational programs and services, the Municipality was able to maintain allowable services to residents and increase the fund balance through fiscal responsibility and management oversight. The decrease in recreational programs and services also created a decrease in expenses. Along with a milder than normal winter season, this created a decrease in overtime and commodity costs. Accountability and responsibility throughout staff expenditures also allowed the Municipality to produce positive results during this year.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Municipality's finances for all of those with an interest in the government's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or request for additional information should be addressed to the Municipal Manager, 5100 West Library Avenue, Bethel Park, PA 15102.

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Governmental Activities		Bu	siness-Type Activities		Total
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	9,518,238	\$	8,358,450	\$	17,876,688
Investments - restricted	Y	-	Y	30,667,771	7	30,667,771
Receivables, net; for sewer allowance:				30,007,772		00,007,772
Taxes		2,138,789		-		2,138,789
Sewer charges		-,,		2,329,970		2,329,970
Other		264,918		224,943		489,861
Internal balances		57,307		(51,417)		5,890
Prepaid expenses		160,874		16,889		177,763
Capital assets:		,		•		•
Non-depreciable		2,783,660		1,317,199		4,100,859
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation		31,337,922		39,020,701		70,358,623
Net pension asset		396,855		170,081		566,936
Total Assets		46,658,563		82,054,587		128,713,150
Deferred Outflows of Resources						
Deferred outflows of resources for pension		1 504 720		101 205		1 765 024
Deferred outflows of resources for OPEBs		1,584,729		181,205		1,765,934
		545,427		-		545,427
Deferred charge on refunding		1,140,319		<u> </u>		1,140,319
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources		3,270,475		181,205		3,451,680
Liabilities						
Accounts payable		508,455		897,168		1,405,623
Accrued liabilities		152,534		17,386		169,920
Due to other governmental units		-		169,672		169,672
Accrued interest payable		43,484		479,708		523,192
Unearned revenue		49,557		-		49,557
Long-term liabilities - due within one year:						
Bonds payable		440,000		1,630,000		2,070,000
Notes payable		155,138		-		155,138
Compensated absences		13,489		-		13,489
Long-term liabilities - due in more than one year:						
Bonds payable		17,080,000		66,669,639		83,749,639
Notes payable		3,026,223		-		3,026,223
Compensated absences		431,137		107,628		538,765
Net pension liability		1,588,979		-		1,588,979
Total OPEB liability		3,528,330				3,528,330
Total Liabilities		27,017,326		69,971,201		96,988,527
Deferred Inflows of Resources						
Deferred inflows of resources for pension		4,161,239		668,923		4,830,162
Net Position						
Net investment in capital assets		14,462,992		2,689,785		17,152,777
Restricted for:		. ,		• •		
Pension		396,855		170,081		566,936
Liquid fuels program		61,493		-		61,493
Volunteer fire department operations		713,971		-		713,971
Unrestricted		3,115,162		8,735,802		11,850,964
Total Net Position	\$	18,750,473	\$	11,595,668	\$	30,346,141

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

			Program Revenues		Net (Expense) Revenue and Change in Net Position				
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total		
Governmental Activities:									
General government Public safety Public works Culture and recreation Conservation and development Interest on long-term debt	\$ 3,862,951 8,467,509 8,212,688 2,197,645 190,153 643,139	\$ - 431,554 351,536 341,545 - -	\$ 33,772 - 983,059 45 - -	\$ - - 29,350 266,000 - -	\$ (3,829,179) (8,035,955) (6,848,743) (1,590,055) (190,153) (643,139)	\$ - - - - -	\$ (3,829,179) (8,035,955) (6,848,743) (1,590,055) (190,153) (643,139)		
Total governmental activities	23,574,085	1,124,635	1,016,876	295,350	(21,137,224)		(21,137,224)		
Business-Type Activities:									
Sewer services	12,944,823	10,255,051		117,601		(2,572,171)	(2,572,171)		
Total	\$ 36,518,908	\$ 11,379,686	\$ 1,016,876	\$ 412,951	(21,137,224)	(2,572,171)	(23,709,395)		
	General revenues: Taxes: Property taxes Earned income t Real estate trans Local services ta Other taxes Grants, subsidies, Investment earnir Franchise fees Miscellaneous inc	sfer taxes xes and contributions no	ot restricted to specifi	c programs	6,937,754 9,632,127 1,972,580 576,764 25,674 1,839,742 109,159 793,067 295,851	- - - - - (221,370) - -	6,937,754 9,632,127 1,972,580 576,764 25,674 1,839,742 (112,211) 793,067 295,851		
	Total general	revenues			22,182,718	(221,370)	21,961,348		
	C	Change in Net Positio	on		1,045,494	(2,793,541)	(1,748,047)		
	r	Net Position: Beginning of year			17,704,979	14,389,209	32,094,188		
		End of year			\$ 18,750,473	\$ 11,595,668	\$ 30,346,141		

BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

DECEMBER 31, 2020

Assets	General Fund		Capital Reserve		Other Governmental Funds		 Total
Cash and cash equivalents Receivables (net, where applicable, of allowance for uncollectibles):	\$	7,489,128	\$	1,189,223	\$	839,887	\$ 9,518,238
Taxes Other		2,100,392 264,918				38,397 -	2,138,789 264,918
Other funds Prepaid expenditures		63,765 128,836		-		33,493 32,038	97,258 160,874
Total Assets	\$	10,047,039	\$	1,189,223	\$	943,815	\$ 12,180,077
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balance	·						
Liabilities:							
Accounts payable Accrued liabilities	\$	234,949 152,534	\$	175,958 -	\$	97,548 -	\$ 508,455 152,534
Due to other funds Unearned revenue		- 49,557		39,583 -		368 -	 39,951 49,557
Total Liabilities		437,040	_	215,541		97,916	 750,497
Deferred Inflows of Resources:							
Unavailable revenue	· 	298,974		<u>-</u>		38,397	 337,371
Fund Balance:	_						
Nonspendable - prepaid expenditures Restricted for:	•	128,836		-		32,038	160,874
Liquid fuels program		-		-		61,493	61,493
Volunteer fire department operations Assigned to:		-		-		713,971	713,971
Cable television		5,827		-		-	5,827
Recreation improvements		24,275		072 692		-	24,275
Capital projects Unassigned		9,152,087		973,682 -		<u>-</u>	 973,682 9,152,087
Total Fund Balance		9,311,025		973,682		807,502	11,092,209
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balance	\$	10,047,039	\$	1,189,223	\$	943,815	\$ 12,180,077

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

DECEMBER 31, 2020

Total Fund Balance - Governmental Funds		\$ 11,092,209	
Amounts reported for governmental activities in because:			
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not reported as assets in governmental fur the accumulated depreciation is \$54,572,493.		34,121,582	
Property taxes and earned income taxes receit considered available soon enough to pay therefore, are unavailable in the funds.	•	337,371	
Deferred outflows and inflows of resources fo refunding are recorded and amortized in the items are not recorded on the fund financial st	_	(890,764)	
Long-term liabilities, including accrued interest and payable in the current period and, ther funds. Long-term liabilities at year-end consist	refore, are not reported as		
	Bonds payable Notes payable Accrued interest payable Compensated absences Net pension liability (asset) Total OPEB liability	\$ (17,520,000) (3,181,361) (43,484) (444,626) (1,192,124) (3,528,330)	(25,909,925)
Total Net Position - Governmental Activities	\$ 18,750,473		

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

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

Davanasa		General		Capital Reserve	Gov	Other vernmental Funds		Total
Revenues:	\$	18,179,032	\$		\$	920 950	Ļ	10 000 003
Taxes Licenses and permits	Ş	1,137,024	Ş	-	Ş	830,850	\$	19,009,882 1,137,024
Fines and forfeits		76,538		-		-		76,538
		1,877,736		202.762		002.150		
Intergovernmental Charges for services				292,762		982,159		3,152,657 597,771
Interest and rent		597,771		16 427		10.059		
		191,581		16,437		10,058		218,076
Miscellaneous		270,575			-	22,000		292,575
Total revenues		22,330,257		309,199		1,845,067		24,484,523
Expenditures:								
Current:								
General government		2,928,618		-		-		2,928,618
Public safety		8,587,479		-		393,817		8,981,296
Public works		5,245,907		-		-		5,245,907
Culture and recreation		1,651,263		-		-		1,651,263
Conservation and development		169,896		-		-		169,896
Capital outlay		-		5,481,845		-		5,481,845
Debt service:								
Principal		340,311		-		245,000		585,311
Interest		347,924				261,628		609,552
Total expenditures		19,271,398		5,481,845		900,445		25,653,688
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over								
Expenditures		3,058,859		(5,172,646)		944,622		(1,169,165)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):								
Issuance of note payable		711,063		-		-		711,063
Transfers in		947,900		3,784,063		-		4,731,963
Transfers out		(3,784,063)		-		(947,900)		(4,731,963)
Total other financing sources (uses)		(2,125,100)		3,784,063		(947,900)		711,063
Net Change in Fund Balance		933,759		(1,388,583)		(3,278)		(458,102)
Fund Balance:								
Beginning of year		8,377,266		2,362,265		810,780		11,550,311
End of year	\$	9,311,025	\$	973,682	\$	807,502	\$	11,092,209

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

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds	\$ (458,102)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:	
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This amount represents the difference between depreciation and capital outlays in the current period.	
Capital outlays \$ 2,791,950 Less: depreciation expense (2,403,024)	388,926
Some taxes will not be collected until after the year-end; they are not considered "available" revenues in the governmental funds. Unavailable revenues changed by this amount during the year.	135,017
The issuance of long-term obligations provides financial resources to the governmental funds. Likewise, the repayment of the principal of long-term obligations consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has an effect on net position. Long-term obligations changed by this amount during the year.	(125,752)
Interest on long-term obligations in the statement of activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recognized as an expenditure in the funds when it is due, and thus requires the use of current financial resources. In the statement of activities, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due. The difference in interest accrued in the	
statement of activities versus the amount due is shown here.	(32,971)
Certain long-term payroll-related liabilities (and their related deferred inflows and outflows of resources, as applicable) are not recorded on the fund financial statements. The value of these items changed by this amount during the year:	
Compensated absences (7,311) Net pension liability 1,423,540 Total OPEB liability (277,853)	 1,138,376
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$ 1,045,494

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

		Bud	dget			Va	Variance with		
		Original		Final	 Actual	Fi	Final Budget		
Revenues:	_	_			·		_		
Taxes:									
Real estate:									
Current	\$	5,879,220	\$	5,879,220	\$ 5,873,849	\$	(5,371)		
Delinquent and liened		151,033		151,033	98,038		(52,995)		
Real estate transfer		1,135,202		1,135,202	1,972,580		837,378		
Earned income tax		9,137,000		9,137,000	9,632,127		495,127		
Amusement tax		11,864		11,864	6,879		(4,985)		
Mechanical device tax		8,800		8,800	9,300		500		
Local services tax		610,020		610,020	576,764		(33,256)		
Parking tax		36,726		36,726	 9,495		(27,231)		
Total taxes		16,969,865		16,969,865	 18,179,032		1,209,167		
Licenses and permits		1,126,698		1,126,698	1,137,024		10,326		
Fines and forfeits		110,000		110,000	76,538		(33,462)		
Intergovernmental		1,536,896		1,536,896	1,877,736		340,840		
Charges for services		982,166		982,166	597,771		(384,395)		
Interest and rent		231,101		231,101	191,581		(39,520)		
Miscellaneous		189,722		189,722	 270,575		80,853		
Total revenues		21,146,448		21,146,448	 22,330,257		1,183,809		
Expenditures:									
General government:									
Administration		727,904		727,904	850,310		(122,406)		
Tax collection		132,679		132,679	122,471		10,208		
Buildings and grounds		410,734		410,734	331,224		79,510		
Legislative		396,343		396,343	371,889		24,454		
Engineering, inspection, and code		626,669		626,669	575,252		51,417		
Finance department		542,395		542,395	420,454		121,941		
Community Center		352,527		352,527	 257,018		95,509		
Total general government		3,189,251		3,189,251	 2,928,618		260,633		
Public safety:									
Volunteer fire department		140,000		140,000	322,372		(182,372)		
Police department		6,292,989		6,292,989	5,934,151		358,838		
Juvenile and investigations		1,167,158		1,167,158	1,149,446		17,712		
Animal control		113,479		113,479	139,750		(26,271)		
Police-radio communications		473,160		473,160	406,494		66,666		
School guards		360,008		360,008	242,121		117,887		
Traffic safety department		428,973		428,973	 393,145		35,828		
Total public safety		8,975,767		8,975,767	 8,587,479		388,288		

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STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 (Continued)

	Bud	dget		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual	Final Budget
Public works:				
Sanitation	2,212,978	2,212,978	2,102,195	110,783
Highways	813,297	813,297	655,813	157,484
Snow and ice control	1,004,518	1,004,518	500,022	504,496
Traffic signals and signs department	351,605	351,605	278,099	73,506
Street lighting	356,000	356,000	299,720	56,280
Environmental	1,234,774	1,234,774	1,031,444	203,330
Parks	589,226	589,226	378,614	210,612
Total public works	6,562,398	6,562,398	5,245,907	1,316,491
Culture and recreation:				
Cable access	105,167	105,167	102,936	2,231
Library	809,400	809,400	809,401	(1)
Recreation	1,169,257	1,169,257	738,926	430,331
Total culture and recreation	2,083,824	2,083,824	1,651,263	432,561
Conservation and development:				
Community development	151,240	151,240	169,896	(18,656)
Debt service	741,912	741,912	688,235	53,677
Total expenditures	21,704,392	21,704,392	19,271,398	2,432,994
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues				
Over Expenditures	(557,944)	(557,944)	3,058,859	3,616,803
Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
Issuance of note payable	-	-	711,063	711,063
Transfers in	961,326	961,326	947,900	(13,426)
Transfers out	(4,336,176)	(4,336,176)	(3,784,063)	552,113
Total other financing sources (uses)	(3,374,850)	(3,374,850)	(2,125,100)	1,249,750
Net Change in Fund Balance	\$ (3,932,794)	\$ (3,932,794)	\$ 933,759	\$ 4,866,553

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STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND

DECEMBER 31, 2020

Assets	Enterprise Fund Sewer System
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Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 8,358,450
Investments - restricted per indenture of trust	30,667,771
Receivables (net, where applicable,	55,551,11
of allowance for uncollectibles):	
Sewer charges	2,329,970
Other	224,943
Prepaid expenses	16,889
Total current assets	41,598,023
Non-current assets:	
Capital assets:	
Non-depreciable	1,317,199
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation	39,020,701
Net pension asset	170,081
Total non-current assets	40,507,981
Total Assets	82,106,004
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Deferred outflows of resources for pension	181,205
Liabilities	
Current liabilities:	
Accounts payable	897,168
Accrued liabilities	17,386
Due to other governmental units	169,672
Due to other funds	51,417
Accrued interest payable	479,708
Bonds payable due within one year	1,630,000
Total current liabilities	3,245,351
Non-current liabilities:	
Bonds payable	66,669,639
Compensated absences	107,628
Net pension liability	
Total non-current liabilities	66,777,267
Total Liabilities	70,022,618
Deferred Inflows of Resources	668.022
Deferred inflows of resources for pension	668,923
Net Position	2 222
Net investment in capital assets	2,689,785
Restricted for pension	170,081
Unrestricted	8,735,802
Total Net Position	\$ 11,595,668

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION - PROPRIETARY FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Enterprise Fund Sewer System		
Operating Revenues:			
Charges for services	\$	10,224,056	
Licenses and permits		30,995	
Total operating revenues		10,255,051	
Operating Expenses:			
Administration		346,630	
Operations		4,448,513	
Maintenance		1,418,596	
Depreciation		1,589,648	
Total operating expenses		7,803,387	
Operating Income (Loss)		2,451,664	
Non-operating Revenues (Expenses):			
Investment income (loss)		(221,370)	
Capital grants and contributions		117,601	
Bond issuance costs		(972,384)	
Interest expense		(4,169,052)	
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)		(5,245,205)	
Change in Net Position		(2,793,541)	
Net Position:			
Beginning of year		14,389,209	
End of year	\$	11,595,668	

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	terprise Fund ewer System
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:	
Receipts from customers	\$ 10,405,104
Payments to employees	(1,498,141)
Payments to suppliers	 (4,707,909)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	 4,199,054
Cash Flows From Capital and Related Financing Activities:	
Principal paid on debt	(36,510,000)
Interest paid on debt	(4,090,407)
Issuance of debt	68,812,255
Capital grants and other contributions	117,601
Sewage capital asset purchases	 (740,364)
Net cash provided by (used in) capital and related financing activities	 27,589,085
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:	
Purchase of investments	(31,988,637)
Sale of investments	1,518,078
Interest income (loss)	 (221,370)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	 (30,691,929)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,096,210
Cash and Cash Equivalents:	
Beginning of year	 7,262,240
End of year	\$ 8,358,450
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash	
Provided by (Used in) Operating Activities:	
Operating income (loss)	\$ 2,451,664
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash	
provided by (used in) operating activities:	
Depreciation	1,589,648
Change in assets and liabilities:	
Sewer charges receivable	(25,004)
Other receivables	175,057
Prepaid expenses	5,036
Accounts payable	149,847
Due from other funds	51,417
Compensated absences	 3,299
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ 4,199,054

STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FIDUCIARY FUNDS

DECEMBER 31, 2020

		Pension Trust Funds	Custodial Funds			
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	700,819	\$	361,835		
Receivables:						
Accrued interest receivable		135,382		-		
Contributions in transit		10,908				
Total receivables		146,290				
Investments:						
Mutual funds - fixed income		15,180,084		_		
Mutual funds - equity		3,142,152		_		
Mutual funds - balanced		1,599,093		_		
Exchange traded funds - equity		1,420,851		-		
Corporate debt		2,409,995		_		
Equities		28,495,181		-		
Total investments		52,247,356		-		
Total Assets		53,094,465		361,835		
Liabilities						
Benefits payable		1,589		_		
Refund of member contributions payable	1	8,428		5,890		
Total Liabilities		10,017		5,890		
Net Position						
Restricted for pension benefits Restricted for deposits		52,922,154 -		- 355,945		
	\$	52,922,154	\$	355,945		

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FIDUCIARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

A data-		Pension Trust Funds	Custodial Funds		
Additions: Contributions:					
Commonwealth	\$	679,062	\$		
Municipality	Ş	1,384,103	Ş	-	
Employee		468,187		-	
Other		408,187		23,015	
other				23,013	
Total contributions		2,531,352		23,015	
Investment income:					
Net appreciation in fair value of investments		4,771,101		-	
Interest and dividends		749,341		-	
Total investment income		5,520,442		-	
Less investment expense		(221,571)		-	
Net investment income		5,298,871		-	
Total additions		7,830,223		23,015	
Deductions:					
Benefits		2,474,256		-	
Administrative expense		21,150		-	
Refund of deposits		162,294		22,114	
Total deductions		2,819,994		22,114	
Change in Net Position		5,010,229		901	
Net Position:					
Beginning of year		47,911,925		355,044	
End of year	\$	52,922,154	\$	355,945	

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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Reporting Entity

The Municipality of Bethel Park, Pennsylvania (Municipality) was incorporated April 20, 1949, and implemented a home rule charter on January 2, 1978. The Municipality is governed by an elected Council who appoints a manager and provides the following services as authorized by its charter: public safety, highways and streets, sanitation, culture and recreation, and general administrative services.

In evaluating the Municipality as a primary government, management has evaluated all potential component units and determined that the Municipality has no discretely presented component units that will be included.

The criteria used by the Municipality to evaluate the possible inclusion of related entities as blended component units within its reporting entity are financial accountability and the nature and significance of the relationship. In determining financial accountability in a given case, the Municipality reviews the applicability of the following criteria:

The Municipality is financially accountable for:

- 1. Organizations that make up its legal entity.
- 2. Legally separate organizations if the Municipality Council appoint a voting majority of the organization's governing body and the Municipality is able to impose its will on the organization or if there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on the Municipality as defined below:
 - a. Impose its Will If the Municipality can significantly influence the programs, projects, or activities of, or the level of services performed or provided by, the organization.
 - b. Financial Benefit or Burden If the Municipality (1) is entitled to the organization's resources, (2) is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed obligation to finance the deficits of, or provide support to, the organization, or (3) is obligated in some manner for the debt of the organization.

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3. Organizations that are fiscally dependent on the Municipality and a financial benefit or burden relationship is present. Fiscal dependency is established if the organization is unable to adopt its own budget, levy taxes or set rates or charges, or issue bonded debt without approval of the Municipality.

Bethel Park Municipal Authority (Authority)

The Authority owns the sewage treatment plant and conveyance system (Sewer System) which principally serves the residents of the Municipality. The Municipality leases the Sewer System from the Authority under an agreement initially dated November 15, 1962, with the most recent amendment signed November 12, 2020.

The Authority is a component unit of the Municipality because the Municipality appoints its Board, and a financial benefit or burden exists. The Municipality guarantees the Authority's debt, and the Authority receives 100% of its funding from the Municipality. The Authority provides services entirely, or almost entirely, to the Municipality, and the Authority's total debt outstanding is expected to be repaid entirely with the resources of the Municipality. The Authority is therefore blended in the Sewer System Fund. Separate audited financial statements for the Authority are available through the Authority's offices.

Bethel Park Public Library (Library)

The Library receives approximately 50% of its financial support from the Municipality (approximately \$702,000 in 2020). The Municipality also provides the Library with space in the municipal building free of charge. The Municipality does not participate in governing the Library, nor does Council appoint any voting members to the Board. As such, it has been determined that the Library is not a component unit of the Municipality.

Joint Venture

The Municipality is a member of a joint venture with two other local government units. The joint venture, Tri-Community South Emergency Medical Services (TCS), provides emergency and non-emergency transport and first-aid services to the residents of the three communities. TCS is administered by a three-member Board, composed of members of all three participating governments. Neither the Municipality, nor the other two local governments, exercise specific control over the fiscal policies or operations of TCS. TCS's operating budget is funded by annual subscriptions, non-subscriber medical charges, third-party billings, and non-emergency transport fees. The Municipality had no equity interest in TCS as of December 31, 2020. Complete financial statements for TCS can be obtained from

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the administrative offices of TCS at 5490 Progress Boulevard, Bethel Park, Pennsylvania 15102.

Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The 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 Municipality. For the most part, the effect of inter-fund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment is 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, franchise fees based on gross receipts, and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

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

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide, proprietary fund, and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. 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.

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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 collected within 60 days to pay liabilities of the current period. Major revenues that are susceptible to accrual in governmental funds are taxes, grants from other governments, and interest on investments. The Municipality does not consider revenues from fines, forfeits, and penalties to be available until received.

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, pension and OPEBs, and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

The Municipality reports the following major governmental funds:

- The General Fund is the Municipality's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources except those accounted for in another fund.
- The Capital Reserve Fund accounts for financial resources and expenditures related to the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by the proprietary fund).

The Municipality reports the following major proprietary fund:

• The Sewer System Fund accounts for the operations of the Municipality's public sewer system. Under the provisions of the Lease with the Authority defined above, the Municipality is responsible for operation and maintenance of the Sewer System until the Lease expires. Operations include providing sewage conveyance and treatment services to residents of the Municipality and a portion of South Park Township. The Authority, the Allegheny County Sanitary Authority, and the Pleasant Hills Authority provide sewage treatment.

Other governmental funds are comprised of the following funds:

- The State Highway Aid Fund is a special revenue fund that accounts for monies received that are legally restricted for specific purposes.
- The Volunteer Fire Department Fund, a special revenue fund, accounts for financial resources and expenditures related to the operations of the Bethel Park Volunteer

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Fire Company building. A portion of the real estate tax millage is dedicated to this fund each year.

Additionally, the Municipality reports the following fiduciary funds:

- The Pension Trust Funds account for assets held by the Municipality in a trustee capacity for its Non-Uniformed Employees and Police pension plans.
- The Custodial Funds account for assets held by the Municipality on behalf of others as agent for escrows and engineers' inspections.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the Municipality's enterprise fund are charges to customers for services relating to the sewer system. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

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

Deposits and Investments

The Municipality's cash and cash equivalents include all highly liquid investments with maturity of twelve months or less when purchased. Investments are recorded at fair value. Accordingly, the change in fair value of investments is recognized as an increase or decrease to investment assets and investment income.

Fair Value Measurement

The Municipality categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

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Restricted Assets

Restricted investments are maintained in separate bank accounts and their use is limited for satisfying debt service requirements for previously issued bonds or for specific sewer projects.

Receivables

Activity between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as "due to/from other funds." Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities, fiduciary funds, and business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

As a general rule, the effect of inter-fund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Inter-fund services provided and used are not eliminated in the process of consolidation.

Property taxes are levied as of July 1 on property values assessed as of the same date. The billings are considered past due on November 1, and penalties and interest are assessed. No provision has been made for uncollectible taxes, as the Municipality has the ability to assess liens on properties for any unpaid balances.

All unbilled and billed but unpaid sewer charges are reflected on the statement of net position as sewer charges receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$20,000. Unbilled sewer charges at December 31, 2020 approximate \$384,000.

Prepaid Expenses/Expenditures

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond the date of this report are recorded as prepaid expenses/expenditures and are accounted for on the consumption method.

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items), are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the Municipality as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than

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\$500 and an estimated useful life in excess of five years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation.

The Municipality reports infrastructure assets on a network and subsystem basis. Accordingly, the amounts spent for the construction or acquisition of infrastructure assets are capitalized and reported in the government-wide financial statements regardless of their amount.

In the case of the initial capitalization of general infrastructure assets (i.e., those reported by governmental activities), the Municipality chose to include all such items regardless of their acquisition date or amount. For the initial reporting of these assets, the Municipality was able to use actual historical cost or estimated historical cost through backtrending. As the Municipality constructs or acquires additional capital assets each period, including infrastructure assets, they are capitalized and recorded at historical cost.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized. Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

Property, plant, and equipment of the Municipality are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	40
Site improvements	10-25
Vehicles	5-15
Office equipment	8-10
Computer equipment	5
Infrastructure	10-50
Sewage system	15-40
Sewage equipment	5-10

Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets of business-type activities is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed. In 2020, there was no interest included as part of the cost of capitalized assets under construction in connection with business-type activities.

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Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position and the governmental funds balance sheet 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 future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The Municipality has one item that qualifies for reporting in this category:

 In conjunction with pension accounting requirements, the difference between expected and actual experience, and the effect of the changes in assumptions are recorded as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions on the governmentwide and proprietary fund financial statements. These amounts are determined based on actuarial valuations performed for the plans. Note 7 presents additional information about the pension plans.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position and the governmental funds balance sheet 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 future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The Municipality has two items that qualify for reporting in this category:

- Unavailable revenue is reported only on the balance sheet and represents property taxes which will not be collected within the available period. This amount will be recognized as an inflow of resources in the period the amounts become available.
- In conjunction with pension accounting requirements, the difference between expected and actual experience and the net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments is recorded as deferred inflows of resources related to pensions on the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. This amount is determined based on the actuarial valuations performed for the pension plans.

Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as refunding adjustments, where

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applicable and to the extent material, are amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount.

In the fund financial statements, the face amount of debt issued is reported as an other financing source. Premiums received on debt issuances are also reported as other financing sources, while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses.

Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures in both the government-wide and fund financial statements.

It is expected that the Sewer Fund will continue to provide funds for the debt service payments of the Municipal Authority debt and the General Fund will fund the Public Works and Community Center bonds and note. Debt service payments of the Volunteer Fire Company bonds are paid via a dedicated real estate tax.

Compensated Absences

The Municipality accrues for certain accumulated employee benefits, such as unpaid vacation and sick pay. The amount of the accrual is based on the vacation and sick payments that are expected to be paid to employees upon their termination or retirement from the Municipality. Compensated absences are accrued when incurred in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only if they have matured, for example, as a result of employee resignations and retirements. It is expected that the General Fund and Sewer Fund will continue to provide funds for the payment of their respective compensated absences.

Employees earn vacation based upon their anniversary date for use during the current calendar year. The number of days earned each month varies depending upon length of service and union contracts. If an employee leaves the Municipality, the portion of vacation days earned and not taken through the last day of work is paid.

Employees earn one sick day per month up to a maximum of 100 days. The total number of days accumulated is reviewed at the end of November each year. For those days in excess of 100, payment is made in December of each year at 50% of the employee's current pay rate. Only employees who retire are eligible to receive payment of the 100 days of accumulated sick days which is paid at 50%, 60%, or 70% of the employee's current pay rate

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depending upon the length of service and union contract. All sick days earned but not used as of December 31, 2020 have been accrued at 50% of the employee's current pay rate.

Fund Balance

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report fund balance in categories based on the level of constraint placed upon the funds. These levels are as follows:

- Nonspendable This category represents funds that are not in spendable form and includes prepaid expenditures.
- Restricted This category represents funds that are limited in use due to constraints on purpose and circumstances of spending that are legally enforceable by outside parties. This category includes:
 - Restricted for liquid fuels program to fund eligible costs such as salt purchases or street lighting
 - Restricted for volunteer fire department operations to fund the costs of the Bethel Park Volunteer Fire Department
- Committed This category represents funds that are limited in use due to constraints on purpose and circumstances of spending imposed by Council. Such commitment is made via majority vote by Council. Council action to commit fund balance must occur within the fiscal reporting period, no later than December 31st; however, the amount of the commitment can be determined subsequent to the close of the fiscal period. The Municipality currently does not have any committed funds.
- Assigned This category represents intentions of the Municipality to use the funds for specific purposes. In accordance with the Municipality's adopted fund balance policy on December 12, 2011, Council delegates the authority to assign amounts to be used for specific purposes to the Finance Director. This authority is granted solely for the purpose of reporting these amounts in the annual financial statements, and such authority does not extend to the expenditure of assigned fund balance. In the absence of the Finance Director, this authority is delegated to the Municipal Manager or Assistant Municipal Manager.

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- Assigned to cable television to fund capital purchases for the Bethel Park Cable Access program
- Assigned to recreation improvements represents revenue received from the sale of banner advertisements in certain Municipal parks that is reserved for future recreation field improvements
- Assigned to capital projects to fund future capital projects in accordance with the capital budget
- Unassigned This category represents all other funds not otherwise defined. The General Fund is the only fund that reports a positive unassigned fund balance. In other governmental funds, it is not appropriate to report a positive unassigned fund balance amount. However, in governmental funds other than the General Fund, if expenditures incurred for specific purposes exceed the amounts that are restricted, committed, or assigned to those purposes, it may be necessary to report a negative unassigned fund balance in that fund.

The Municipality's policy is to use funds in the order of the most restrictive to the least restrictive.

Net Position

The government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements are required to report three components of net position:

• Net investment in capital assets – This component of net position consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. Deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets or related debt are also included in this component of net position. If there are significant unspent related debt proceeds or deferred inflows of resources at the end of the reporting period, the portion of the debt or deferred inflows of resources attributable to the unspent amount is not included in the calculation of net investment in capital assets. Instead, that portion of the debt or deferred inflow of resources is included in the same net position component (restricted or unrestricted) as the unspent amount.

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- Restricted This component of net position consists of restricted assets reduced by liabilities and deferred inflows of resources related to those assets. Generally, a liability relates to restricted assets if the asset results from a resource flow that also results in the recognition of a liability or if the liability will be liquidated with restricted assets.
- Unrestricted This component of net position is the net amount of the assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources that are not included in the determination of net investment in capital assets or the restricted components of net position.

Budgetary Information

Annual appropriated budgets are adopted on a modified accrual basis of accounting for all funds except the Enterprise, Pension Trust, and Custodial Funds. The Enterprise Fund adopted a flexible budget, and budgetary control for the Pension Trust Funds is maintained through the provisions of the plans as implemented by the Municipality.

The Municipality uses the following procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements as prescribed in the Home Rule Charter:

- On or before September 1, the manager submits an operating budget and an accompanying message to Council.
- At least two (2) months prior to the date for submission of the proposed budget, the manager submits to Council a five (5) year capital program, including the following:
 - A concise, general summary of the program contents.
 - A summary of pending and proposed projects for the period, with estimated cost and proposed financing for each.
 - The estimated cost of operating and maintaining any facilities to be constructed or acquired.
- Council must publish the preliminary capital program by September 1. A general summary of the preliminary budget and capital program must be published immediately upon adoption in one or more newspapers of general circulation in the

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Municipality, including a notice that the preliminary budget or capital program is available for public inspection.

- Advertisement of the preliminary budget or capital program must include times and places where copies of the preliminary budget and capital program are available for viewing by the public and when hearings will be held.
- After adequate public hearing, Council must adopt the final balanced budget by ordinance prior to the beginning of the fiscal year for which the budget has been prepared.

Appropriations may be transferred between departments only if approved by Council ordinance. In addition, Council must approve all supplemental and emergency appropriations. Every unexpended appropriation lapses at the end of the fiscal year. The legal level of control over expenditures for each fund is exercised by department. A detailed report of the budget at the legal level of control is maintained in the municipal finance office and is available for public inspection. There were instances where the actual expenditures exceeded budgeted amounts at the legal level of control. However, in all instances, sufficient revenues and/or fund equity were available to cover the excess.

Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

Pending Pronouncements

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has issued statements that will become effective in future years, including Statement Nos. 87 (Leases), 89 (Accounting for Interest Cost Incurred before the End of a Construction Period), 91 (Conduit Debt Obligations), 92 (Omnibus 2020), 93 (Interbank Offered Rates), 94 (Public-Private and Public-Public Partnerships), 96 (information Technology Arrangements), and 97 (Deferred Compensation Plans). Management has not yet determined the impact of these statements on the financial statements.

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2. Deposits and Investments

The Municipality's investment authority for all funds, except Fiduciary Funds, is set by State statute to include: U.S. Treasury Bills, other short-term U.S. Government obligations, short-term commercial paper issued by a public corporation, banker's acceptances, insured or collateralized time deposits, and certificates of deposit. The statutes allow pooling of governmental funds for investment purposes. Fiduciary fund investments may also be made in corporate stocks and bonds, real estate, and other investments consistent with sound business practice.

In addition, the Municipality is permitted to invest with the Pennsylvania School District Liquid Asset Fund (PSDLAF) and other cash management account deposits. PSDLAF was established as a common law trust organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Shares of the fund are offered to certain Pennsylvania school districts, intermediate units, area vocational-technical schools, and municipalities. The purpose of this fund is to enable such governmental units to pool their available funds for investment in authorized instruments. The fair value of the Municipality's position in the external investment pool is the same as the value of the pool shares. All investments in an external investment pool that is not SEC-registered are subject to oversight by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Pooled investments are short term in nature and are included in cash and cash equivalents on the statement of net position. The Municipality can withdraw funds from the external investment pools without limitations or fees upon adequate notice. Otherwise, breakage fees may be charged.

Throughout the year ended December 31, 2020, the Municipality invested its funds only in one or more of the above-authorized investments.

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At December 31, 2020, the Municipality's deposits and investments were as follows:

		(Carryi	ng Value at De	cemb	er 31, 2020		
	Governmental		Business-Type		Pension		С	ustodial
		Activities		Activities		Trust Funds		Funds
Deposits:								
Cash and cash equivalents	_ \$	4,989,740	\$	3,396,587	\$	=	\$	361,835
Certificates of deposit		1,446,000		1,441,000		_		-
Total deposits		6,435,740		4,837,587		_		361,835
Investments:	_							
PSDLAF		823,280		103,425		-		-
Money market funds		98,814		9,217,980		700,819		-
U.S. Government agency obligations		-		10,696,394		-		-
Local Government obligations		-		10,753,397		-		-
Mutual funds - fixed income		2,160,404		3,417,438	1	.5,180,084		-
Mutual funds - equity		-		_		3,142,152		-
Mutual funds - balanced		-		-		1,599,093		-
Exchange traded funds - equity		-		-		1,420,851		-
Corporate debt		-		-		2,409,995		-
Equities		-			2	8,495,181		
Total investments		3,082,498		34,188,634	5	2,948,175		
Total deposits and investments	\$	9,518,238	\$	39,026,221	\$ 5	2,948,175	\$	361,835
Reconciliation to Financial Statements:	_							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	9,518,238	\$	8,358,450	\$	700,819	\$	361,835
Investments				30,667,771	5	2,247,356		
Total deposits and investments	\$	9,518,238	\$	39,026,221	\$ 5	2,948,175	\$	361,835
Total deposits and investments -								
bank balance	\$	10,274,255	\$	39,050,528	\$ 5	2,948,175	\$	361,835

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Governmental and Business-Type Activities

The following is a description of the Municipality's deposit risks:

Custodial Credit Risk – Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Municipality's deposits may not be returned to it. The Municipality does not have a formal deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2020, \$3,263,749 of the Municipality's \$11,829,260 bank balance was covered by federal depository insurance. All deposits were collateralized in accordance with Act 72 of the Pennsylvania State Legislature, which requires financial institutions to pool collateral for all governmental deposits and have the collateral held by an approved custodian in the financial institution's name.

The following is a description of the Municipality's investment risks:

- Credit Risk The risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not
 fulfill its obligations is called credit risk. The Municipality has no formal investment
 policy that would limit its investment choices based on credit ratings by nationally
 recognized statistical rating organizations. As of December 31, 2020, investments in
 PSDLAF (described above) have received an AAAm rating from Standard & Poor's.
 The Municipality's money market funds are rated AAAm by Standard & Poor's.
- Interest Rate Risk The Municipality does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates. All of the Municipality's investments in PSDLAF and money market funds have a maturity of less than one year.

At December 31, 2020, the Municipality's governmental and business-type activities investments in mutual funds – fixed income totaling \$5,577,842 were measured using fair value Level 2 inputs.

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The Municipality's business-type activities held the following investments measured using fair value Level 2 inputs:

December 31, 2020	Investment Maturities from December 31, 2020									
Cash or Investment Type		Fair Market Value		Less than 1-5 1 year Years					More than 10 years	
U.S. Government agency obligations Local Government obligations	\$	10,696,394 10,753,397	\$	-	\$	1,004,226	\$	- 7,238,707	\$	9,692,168 3,514,690
Total investments		21,449,791	\$	-	\$	1,004,226	\$	7,238,707	\$	13,206,858
Cash and cash equivalents		9,217,980								
Total restricted investments reported on statement of net position	\$	30,667,771								

For Level 2 items, fair value estimates include (1) the market approach, (2) the income approach, and (3) cost for a period of time after an acquisition. These valuation methodologies involve significant degree of judgment. Due to the absence of readily determinable fair values and the inherent uncertainty of valuations, the estimated fair values for private investments may differ significantly from values that would have been used had a ready market for the securities existed.

Custodial Funds

Deposits

As noted above, the Municipality does not have a formal deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2020, \$250,000 of the Municipality's \$361,835 bank balance was covered by federal depository insurance. All deposits were collateralized in accordance with Act 72 of the Pennsylvania State legislature.

Pension Trust Funds

Investments

The Pension Trust Funds are used to account for assets held by the Municipality in a trustee capacity for future payment of retirement benefits to employees or former employees. The Pension Trust Funds have formal investment policies as described below. Pension Trust Fund investments are held separately from those of other municipal funds. Municipal Council determines the investment managers of the Pension Trusts. Trust agreements have

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been signed with financial organizations that invest the assets of the Pension Trusts and pay benefits.

The Municipality's pension trust funds categorize its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles.

The pension trust funds have the following recurring fair value measurements at December 31, 2020:

			Fair Value Measurements Using					
Investments by Fair Value Level:	Decen	nber 31, 2020	in Act	oted Prices tive Markets Identical Assets Level 1)	Othe	gnificant r Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Signif Unobse Inp (Lev	ervable uts
Cash and cash equivalents: Taxable money market funds	¢	700,819	<u>د</u>	700,819	ċ		خ	
Taxable money market funds	\$	700,819	\$	700,819	\$	-	\$	-
Mutual funds - fixed income:								
Bond funds		15,180,084		-		15,180,084		-
Mutual funds - equity:								
Domestic equity mutual funds		185,060		185,060		-		-
Global funds		2,957,092		2,957,092				-
Total mutual funds - equity		3,142,152		3,142,152		-		-
Mutual funds - balanced		1,599,093		1,599,093		-		-
Exchange traded funds - equity: Closed end equity mutual funds		1,420,851		1,420,851		-		-
Corporate debt:						_		_
U.S. corporate bonds & notes		2,409,995				2,409,995		-
Equities:								
Materials		635,244		635,244		-		-
Industrials		2,577,261		2,577,261		-		-
Telecommunications		3,408,739		3,408,739		-		-
Consumer discretionary		2,820,437		2,820,437		-		-
Consumer staples		1,380,884		1,380,884		-		-
Energy		419,584		419,584		-		-
Financials		4,623,580		4,623,580		-		-
Health care		3,385,331		3,385,331		-		-
Information technology		7,597,432		7,597,432		-		-
Utilities		761,412		761,412		-		-
Real estate		885,277		885,277				-
		28,495,181		28,495,181		-		-
Total investments by fair value level	\$	52,948,175	\$	35,358,096	\$	17,590,079	\$	

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Deposit and Investment Risks

The following is a description of the Pension Trust Funds' investment risks:

- Credit Risk The risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not
 fulfill its obligations is called credit risk. The Pension Trust Funds' investment
 policies require the average quality of the fixed income portfolios to be maintained
 at a rating of "A" or better. As of December 31, 2020, the U.S. corporate bonds and
 notes are rated AA by Standard & Poor's. All other investments are unrated.
- Concentration of Credit Risk The investment policies of the Pension Trust Funds limits the range of allocation of the investment portfolio as follows:

	% Range of Allocation				
Investment Type	Minimum	Maximum			
Equities	50%	70%			
Fixed income	20%	50%			
Cash equivalents	0%	20%			
Alternative investments	0%	5%			

At December 31, 2020, no investments exceed 5% with any one issuer.

• Interest Rate Risk - The Pension Trust Funds do not have formal investment policies that limit investment maturities as a means of managing their exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates. The following is a description of the maturities for the Pension Trust Funds' investments:

	Ca	rrying Value	Less than 1 year	Ma	turity in Years 1 - 5 years	6-10 years
Mutual funds - fixed income Mutual funds - equity	\$	15,180,084 3,142,152	\$ 112,595	\$	15,067,489 -	\$ -
Mutual funds - balanced		1,599,093			-	-
Exchange traded funds - equity		1,420,851			-	-
Corporate debt		2,409,995	 2,408,978		-	1,018
Total	\$	23,752,175	\$ 2,521,573	\$	15,067,489	\$ 1,018

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3. Property Taxes

The Municipality is permitted by the Home Rule Charter Law of the State of Pennsylvania to levy property taxes at the Municipality's discretion as considered necessary for general governmental services or payment of principal and interest on long-term debt. The tax rate imposed for the year ended December 31, 2020 was \$2.78 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. Total assessed value was \$2,583,463,248 (approximates 100% of fair value).

Property liens on delinquent taxpayers do not attach on a specified schedule. The lien date and the period to which it applies are determined by the tax collector and must be approved by the Municipal Council. All unpaid taxes for 2020 will be liened in February 2021.

The property tax calendar for 2020 was as follows:

2020 Millage rate adopted	November 12, 2019
2020 Bills dated	July 1, 2020
2020 Two percent discount period ended	August 31, 2020
2020 Penalty period begun	December 31, 2020*

^{*}The penalty period was delayed in 2020 as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The individual components of the 2020 tax levy were as follows:

General purposes	2.44 mills
Volunteer fire department	0.34 mills
Total	2.78 mills

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4. Capital Assets

A summary of changes in capital assets during fiscal year 2020 is as follows:

	Balance at January 1, 2020	Additions	Deletions/ Transfers	Balance at December 31, 2020	
Governmental Activities:					
Non-depreciable assets:					
Land	\$ 2,781,979	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,781,979	
Construction in progress		1,681		1,681	
Total non-depreciable assets	2,781,979	1,681		2,783,660	
Depreciable assets:					
Buildings	27,307,468	140,274	-	27,447,742	
Equipment	6,640,183	111,335	-	6,751,518	
Vehicles	5,086,390	734,991	(328,832)	5,492,549	
Infrastructure	44,414,937	1,803,669		46,218,606	
	83,448,978	2,790,269	(328,832)	85,910,415	
Less: accumulated depreciation:					
Buildings	(6,077,082)	(435,349)	-	(6,512,431)	
Equipment	(4,812,188)	(387,046)	-	(5,199,234)	
Vehicles	(3,672,111)	(477,070)	328,832	(3,820,349)	
Infrastructure	(37,936,920)	(1,103,559)		(39,040,479)	
	(52,498,301)	(2,403,024)	328,832	(54,572,493)	
Total depreciable assets	30,950,677	387,245		31,337,922	
Governmental activities					
capital assets, net	\$ 33,732,656	\$ 388,926	\$ -	\$ 34,121,582	

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	Balance at January 1, 2020		Additions		Deletions/ Transfers		Balance at December 31, 2020	
	Jan	uary 1, 2020		duitions	- ITali.	51013	Dece	111001 31, 2020
Business-Type Activities:								
Non-depreciable assets:								
Land	\$	766,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$	766,000
Construction in progress		551,199		-		-		551,199
Total non-depreciable assets		1,317,199						1,317,199
Depreciable assets:								
Buildings		9,929,338		-		-		9,929,338
Machinery and equipment		10,630,504		97,821		-		10,728,325
Sewer system		64,619,264		642,543				65,261,807
		85,179,106		740,364				85,919,470
Less: accumulated depreciation:								
Buildings		(5,030,920)		(146,406)		-		(5,177,326)
Machinery and equipment		(9,009,996)		(300,138)		-		(9,310,134)
Sewer system		(31,268,205)		(1,143,104)				(32,411,309)
		(45,309,121)		(1,589,648)				(46,898,769)
Total depreciable assets		39,869,985		(849,284)				39,020,701
Business-type activities								
capital assets, net	\$	41,187,184	\$	(849,284)	\$		\$	40,337,900

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of the Municipality as follows:

Governmental Activities:

General government	\$ 327,361
Public safety	911,414
Public works	950,288
Culture and recreation	196,957
Conservation and development	 17,004
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	\$ 2,403,024
Business-Type Activities:	
Sewer	\$ 1,589,648

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5. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

Interfund receivables and payables at December 31, 2020 are summarized below:

	Interfund		I	nterfund	
Fund	Red	ceivables	Payables		
Major Funds:					
General	\$	63,765	\$	-	
Capital Reserve		=		39,583	
Other Governmental Funds		33,493		368	
Proprietary Fund		=		51,417	
Custodial Funds				5,890	
Total	\$	97,258	\$	97,258	

The outstanding balances between funds result from the time lag between the dates that reimbursable expenditures occur and payment is made between the funds.

Interfund transfers at December 31, 2020 are summarized below:

Fund		ransfers In	Transfers Out		
Major Funds:					
General	\$	947,900	\$	3,784,063	
Capital Reserve		3,784,063		-	
Other Governmental Funds		=		947,900	
Total	\$	4,731,963	\$	4,731,963	

Transactions between funds which are not expected to be repaid are accounted for as transfers. In those cases when repayment is expected within the next fiscal year, the transactions are accounted for through the various due from and due to accounts.

Transfers are made between the General Fund and the Liquid Fuels fund in accordance with the liquid fuels program. Transfers are made between the General Fund and the Capital Reserve fund in accordance with the planned capital projects budget.

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6. Long-Term Liabilities

Changes in the Municipality's long-term liabilities during fiscal year 2020 were as follows:

Governmental Activities:

	Balance at			Balance at	
	January 1,			December 31,	Due Within
	2020	Additions	Reductions	2020	One Year
G.O. Bonds	\$ 17,955,000	\$ -	\$ (435,000)	\$ 17,520,000	\$ 440,000
Notes payable					
direct borrowings	2,620,609	711,063	(150,311)	3,181,361	155,138
Compensated					
absences	437,315	50,467	(43,156)	444,626	13,489
Net pension liability (asset)	3,773,296	-	(2,581,172)	1,192,124	-
Total OPEB liability	2,705,050	823,280		3,528,330	
	\$ 27,491,270	\$ 1,584,810	\$ (3,209,639)	\$ 25,866,441	\$ 608,627
Business-Type Activities:					
	Balance at			Balance at	
	January 1,			December 31,	Due Within
	2020	Additions	Reductions	2020	One Year
		_			
G.O. Bonds	\$ 35,025,000	\$ 68,565,000	\$ (36,510,000)	\$ 67,080,000	\$ 1,630,000
Compensated					
absences	104,329	3,299	-	107,628	-
Net pension liability (asset)	106,738		(276,819)	(170,081)	
	\$ 35,236,067	\$ 68,568,299	\$ (36,786,819)	\$ 67,017,547	\$ 1,630,000

Long-term debt on the statement of net position as of December 31, 2020 for business-type activities includes unamortized bond premiums totaling \$1,219,639.

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Governmental Activities

General Obligation Bonds

During December 2013, the Municipality issued \$8,680,000 of General Obligation Bonds, Series of 2013 (2013 Bonds) to be used for the construction of a new building for the Municipality of Bethel Park Volunteer Fire Company. The 2013 Bonds bear interest at rates ranging from 2.00% to 4.00%. During 2017, \$6,900,000 of the 2013 Bonds were advance refunded with the General Obligation Bonds, Series of 2017. At December 31, 2020, \$585,000 of the 2013 Bonds remain outstanding and \$6,545,000 of the defeased 2013 Bonds remain outstanding.

During December 2015, the Municipality issued \$9,105,000 of General Obligation Bonds, Series of 2015 (2015 Bonds) to be used for the acquisition, development, construction, and equipping of a public works building, and for capital improvements at the community center. As noted below, the 2015 Bonds were refunded during 2019, and \$0 is outstanding at December 31, 2020.

During November 2017, the Municipality issued \$8,115,000 of General Obligation Bonds, Series of 2017 (2017 Bonds) for the advance refunding of the 2013 Bonds. The 2017 Bonds bear interest at rates ranging from 1.20% and 3.30% and mature semi-annually on June 1 and December 1 through 2044. At December 31, 2020, principal outstanding on the 2017 Bonds was \$7,920,000.

During November 2019, the Municipality issued \$9,175,000 of General Obligation Bonds, Series of 2019 (2019 Bonds) for the advance refunding of a portion of the Series 2015 Bonds, to fund various capital improvement projects, and to pay the costs of issuing the Bonds. The bonds bear interest at rates ranging from 1.20% to 3.30% and mature semi-annually on June 1 and December 1 through 2045. At December 31, 2020, \$9,015,000 of the 2019 Bonds remain outstanding.

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Future debt service requirements of the Municipality's governmental activities bonds payable as of December 31, 2020 are as follows:

	Principal		Interest	Total		
2021	\$ 440,000	\$	521,834	\$ 961,834		
2022	450,000		410,761	860,761		
2023	470,000		499,446	969,446		
2024	475,000		486,346	961,346		
2025	490,000		488,069	978,069		
2026-2030	2,600,000		2,092,888	4,692,888		
2031-2035	2,980,000		1,994,674	4,974,674		
2036-2040	4,135,000		1,334,975	5,469,975		
2041-2045	 5,480,000		555,060	 6,035,060		
	\$ 17,520,000	\$	8,384,053	\$ 25,904,053		

Notes Payable

In April 2007, the Municipality issued loan financing of \$3,747,184 to finance the Community Center Phase 2 construction project. \$3,046,439 of this amount was drawn down in 2007 and \$700,745 was drawn down in 2008. The loan bears interest at 3.99% and matures in 2033. At December 31, 2020, \$2,316,210 is outstanding. The Community Center is pledged as collateral on this loan and in the event of default, outstanding amounts are due immediately.

In 2019, the Municipality issued loan financing of \$1,049,834 to finance certain capital improvements. As of December 31, 2020, \$865,151 was drawn on this loan. The loan bears interest at 1.452% as of December 31, 2020, and no principal payments are due until the note is fully drawn. The note is secured by a pledge of its taxing authority loan and in the event of default, outstanding amounts are due immediately.

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Future debt service requirements of the Municipality's notes payable as of December 31, 2020 are as follows:

Year	Principal		Interest		Total	
2021	\$ 155,138	\$	67,663	\$	222,801	
2022	159,907		62,894		222,801	
2023	164,823		57,978		222,801	
2024	169,737		53,064		222,801	
2025	175,107		47,694		222,801	
2026-2030	959,537		154,469		1,114,006	
2031-2033	1,397,112		19,894		1,417,006	
	\$ 3,181,361	\$	463,656	\$	3,645,017	

Business-Type Activities

Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series of 2012

On May 17, 2012, the Authority issued Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series of 2012 (2012 Bonds), in the amount of \$9,975,000 to advance refund \$8,750,000 of the 2004 Bonds. As noted below, the 2012 Bonds were refunded during the year, and \$0 is outstanding at December 31, 2020.

Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series of 2013

On May 23, 2013, the Authority issued Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series of 2013 (2013 Bonds), in the amount of \$33,500,000 to advance refund the outstanding Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series of 2004 (2004 Bonds) and to be used for various capital projects.

The 2013 Bonds bear interest semi-annually at rates ranging from 2.00% to 4.00% and mature in 2039. Interest payments are required semi-annually on March 1 and September 1. The 2013 Bonds are due annually on September 1. The Municipality has guaranteed payment pursuant to the lease agreement described in Note 1 and has pledged its full faith, credit, and taxing power to the repayment of these 2013 Bonds. At December 31, 2020, \$215,000 is outstanding.

Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series of 2020

On January 22, 2020, the Authority issued Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series of 2012 (2020 Bonds), in the amount of \$6,510,000 to currently refund \$6,655,000 of

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the 2012 Bonds. The refunding was completed to reduce the Authority's debt services payments over the next four years by approximately \$640 and to obtain an economic gain (difference of present values of old debt and new debt service payments) of approximately \$118,000.

The 2020 Bonds bear interest semi-annually at 4.0% and mature in 2024. Interest payments are required semi-annually on March 1 and September 1. The 2020 Bonds are due annually on September 1. The Municipality has guaranteed payment pursuant to the lease agreement described in Note 1 and has pledged its full faith, credit, and taxing power to the repayment of these 2020 Bonds. At December 31, 2020, \$5,230,000 is outstanding.

Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2020A

On July 16, 2020, the Authority issued Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series of 2013 (2020A Bonds), in the amount of \$32,485,000 to advance refund \$28,090,000 of the 2013 Bonds. The refunding was completed to reduce the Authority's debt services payments over the next 20 years by approximately \$3,600 and to obtain an economic gain (difference of present values of old debt and new debt service payments) of approximately \$639,000.

The 2020A Bonds bear interest semi-annually at rates ranging from 0.779% to 2.879% and mature in 2039. Interest payments are required semi-annually on March 1 and September 1. The 2020A Bonds are due annually on September 1. The Municipality has guaranteed payment pursuant to the lease agreement described in Note 1 and has pledged its full faith, credit, and taxing power to the repayment of these 2020A Bonds. At December 31, 2020, \$32,065,000 is outstanding.

Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 2020B

On November 12, 2020, the Authority issued Guaranteed Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series B of 2020 (2020B Bonds), in the amount of \$29,570,000 for various capital projects to upgrade the Authority's Sewer System, and to pay the costs of issuing bonds. The bonds bear interest at 3.00% and mature in 2049. Interest payments are required semi-annually on March 1 and September 1. The 2020B Bonds are due annually on September 1, beginning in 2039. The Municipality has guaranteed payment pursuant to the lease agreement described in Note 1 and has pledged its full faith, credit, and taxing power to the repayment of these 2020A Bonds. At December 31, 2020, \$29,570,000 is outstanding.

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Future debt service requirements of the Municipality's business-type activities bonds payable as of December 31, 2020 are as follows:

	 Principal	Interest		Total
2021	\$ 1,630,000	\$ 1,610,809	\$	3,240,809
2022	1,680,000	1,728,975		3,408,975
2023	1,740,000	1,673,058		3,413,058
2024	1,795,000	1,614,552		3,409,552
2025	1,855,000	1,554,552		3,409,552
2026-2030	9,700,000	7,333,812		17,033,812
2031-2035	10,720,000	6,320,170		17,040,170
2036-2040	12,155,000	4,878,900		17,033,900
2041-2045	14,050,000	2,969,925		17,019,925
2046-2049	11,755,000	790,515		12,545,515
Total	\$ 67,080,000	\$ 30,475,268	\$	97,555,268

Employee Benefits

Refer to Notes 1, 7, and 8, respectively, for a description of the Municipality's long-term obligations relating to compensated absences, pension plans, and postemployment benefits other than pension benefits (OPEBs).

7. Pension Plans

<u>Summary of Significant Accounting Policies</u>

Financial information of the Municipality's pension plans is presented on the accrual basis of accounting. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the plans. Employer contributions to the plans are recognized when due as required by applicable law. Investments of the plans are reported at fair value.

Plan Descriptions

The Municipality's Non-Uniformed Employee pension plan is a single-employer defined benefit pension plan. The plan was established effective November 1, 1964 (adopted pursuant to Act 600 of 1956). The pension plan was amended and restated effective January 1, 2007. The pension plan is governed by the Council of the Municipality, which

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may amend plan provisions, and which is responsible for the management of pension plan assets. The Municipality's Council has delegated the authority to manage certain pension plan assets to U.S. Asset Management. The pension plan is required to file Form PC-203C biennially with the Pennsylvania Department of the Auditor General's Municipal Pension Reporting Program (MPRP).

The Municipality's Police pension plan is a single-employer defined benefit pension plan. The pension plan was established effective May 29, 1955 (adopted pursuant to Act 600 of 1956). The pension plan was amended and restated effective January 1, 2004. The pension plan is governed by the Council of the Municipality, which may amend plan provisions, and which is responsible for the management of pension plan assets. The Municipality's Council has delegated the authority to manage certain pension plan assets to U.S. Asset Management. The pension plan is required to file Form PC-201C biennially with the MPRP.

The activity of the Plans is reported as the Pension Trust Funds in the accompanying financial statements. Separate plan financial statements are not available.

Non Uniformed

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At December 31, 2020, pension plan membership consisted of the following:

Non-omiormed	Police
59	30
44	42
10	1
113	73
	59 44 10

Benefits Provided - Non-Uniformed Employees Plan

Retirement Benefit - A participant is entitled to begin receiving retirement benefits after completing five years of service and attaining age 65 for employment that began prior to January 1, 1993. Those employees hired after January 1, 1993 are entitled to receive benefits after completing 15 years of service and attaining age 65. A participant is entitled to begin receiving early retirement benefits after completing 15 years of service and attaining the age of 55. The early retirement may be elected immediately, but will be reduced by 1/180 for each of the first 60 months early and by 1/360 for each of the next 60 months early. Participants are 100% vested after the completion of 10 years of service. The scheduled monthly retirement benefit is 45% (50% for participants retiring with 16 to 20 years of service; 55% for participants retiring with 21 to 25 years of service; and 60% for participants retiring with at least 26 years of service) of compensation averaged over the

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final 36 months of employment times the ratio of completed years of service from the date of hire through the retirement date to 15 years (ratio not to exceed 1.0).

Death Benefit - If a participant's death occurs before retirement eligibility and before 10 years of service, the participant's estate receives a refund of contributions made by the participant, plus interest. If a participant's death occurs before retirement eligibility and after 10 years of service, the participant's spouse will receive the participant's portion of the accrued benefit actuarially converted to a joint and 50% survivor annuity, reduced for early commencement. If a participant's death occurs after retirement, the normal form of payment is a life annuity, with payments guaranteed to be not less than the participant's contributions plus interest. An optional form of benefit payment may be selected by the participant at retirement that is actuarially equivalent to the normal form.

Benefits Provided – Police Plan

Retirement Benefit - A participant is entitled to begin receiving retirement benefits after completing 25 years of service and attaining age 50 for employment that began prior to January 1, 2001. Those employees hired after January 1, 2001 are entitled to receive benefits after completing 25 years of service and attaining age 55. Participants are 100% vested after the completion of 12 years of service. The scheduled monthly retirement benefit is 60% of final monthly average salary (averaged over the last 36 months of employment), plus an additional monthly benefit of \$100 for service in excess of 26 years. For participants hired after January 1, 2001, the monthly benefit is equal to 50% of final monthly average salary (averaged over the last 36 months of employment), plus service increment, if any.

Disability Benefit — For participants hired on or after January 1, 2001, 50% of salary at service-related disablement offset by any Social Security disability benefits recurred for the same condition.

Deferred Retirement Option Program (DROP) Benefit – The normal retirement benefit is deposited into a separate account and credited with interest during the period of DROP participation, for a maximum of three years. At December 31, 2020, there were two employees participating in the DROP plan. At December 31, 2020, DROP balances amounting to \$576,692 are included in net position restricted for pension benefits.

Death Benefit — Upon an active participant's death after normal retirement eligibility, the surviving spouse will automatically receive 50% of the participant's normal retirement benefit until death. For participants hired before January 1, 2001, who die prior to normal

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retirement eligibility, a survivor's benefit equal to 25% (30% if after normal retirement eligibility) of base monthly salary, up to a maximum of \$800 per month, is payable until death or remarriage.

Cost-of-Living Adjustments — Participants who retire on or after January 1, 2000 under the normal or late provisions of the pension plan will be eligible on each anniversary of benefit commencement to an increase in their monthly benefit equal to the percentage change in the CPI-W during the last year times the pension benefits, less service increments, if any. The total increase shall not exceed 5% of final monthly average salary.

Contributions

The pension plans are funded by the Municipality on an annual basis pursuant to the provisions of Act 205 of 1984 of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Act). The Act requires that annual contributions be based upon the calculation of the Minimum Municipal Obligation (MMO). Employees are not required to contribute under the Act; such contributions are subject to collective bargaining. For the year ended December 31, 2020, participating employees in the Non-Uniformed Employees and Police pension plans were required to contribute 4.0% and 8.0% of their compensation, respectively. Certain pension information and calculations are based upon an actuarial valuation performed as of January 1, 2017; however, this valuation is not used for funding purposes. The January 1, 2017 valuation was used in the calculation of the Municipality's 2020 MMO.

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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania allocates certain funds to assist in pension funding. Any financial requirement established by the MMO which exceeds the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania allocation must be funded by the Municipality. Payments made to the plans were sufficient to meet the MMOs in 2020. The following table reflects contribution information for 2020:

	Non	Non-Uniformed Pol		Police		Total
ММО	\$	671,238	\$	\$ 1,391,927		2,063,165
Contributions:						
Municipality	\$	671,238	\$	712,865	\$	1,384,103
Allocation of state aid		<u>-</u> _		679,062		679,062
Total		671,238		1,391,927		2,063,165
Employee		147,809		320,378		468,187
Total contributions	\$	819,047	\$	1,712,305	\$	2,531,352

Administrative costs, including investment, custodial trustee, and actuarial services are charged to the appropriate plan and funded from investment earnings.

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Net Pension Liability (Asset)

The components of the net pension liability (asset) of the pension plans at December 31, 2020 were as follows:

	No	Non-Uniformed		Police	Total		
Total pension liability Plan fiduciary net position	\$	19,061,963 (19,628,899)	\$	35,044,528 (33,455,549)	\$	54,106,491 (53,084,448)	
Net pension liability (asset)	\$	(566,936)	\$	1,588,979	\$	1,022,043	
Governmental activities Business-type activities	\$	(396,855) (170,081)	\$	1,588,979 -	\$	1,192,124 (170,081)	
Net pension liability (asset)	\$	(566,936)	\$	1,588,979	\$	1,022,043	

Changes in the Net Pension Liability (Asset)

The changes in the net pension liability (asset) of the Municipality for the non-uniformed pension plan for the year ended December 31, 2020 were as follows:

	Increases / Decreases					
	To	otal Pension	Pl	an Fiduciary	N	et Pension
		Liability	N	let Position	Liability (Asset)	
Balances at December 31, 2019	\$	18,157,184	\$	17,801,390	\$	355,794
Changes for the year:						
Service cost		536,844		-		536,844
Interest		1,321,360		-		1,321,360
Differences between expected and actual experience		_		_		_
Changes of assumptions		-		-		-
Contributions - employer		-		671,238		(671,238)
Contributions - employee		-		147,809		(147,809)
Net investment income		-		2,056,913		(2,056,913)
Benefit payments, including refunds		(953,425)		(953,425)		-
Administrative expense		=		(95,026)		95,026
Net changes		904,779		1,827,509		(922,730)
Balances at December 31, 2020	\$	19,061,963	\$	19,628,899	\$	(566,936)
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage	-					
of the total pension liability						102.97%

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The changes in the net pension liability of the Municipality for the police pension plan for the year ended December 31, 2020 were as follows:

	Increases / Decreases							
		otal Pension	P	an Fiduciary	N	et Pension		
		Liability		let Position		Liability		
Balances at December 31, 2019	\$	33,634,775	\$	30,110,535	\$	3,524,240		
Changes for the year:								
Service cost		666,016		-		666,016		
Interest		2,426,862		-		2,426,862		
Differences between expected and actual								
experience		-		-		-		
Changes of assumptions		-		-		-		
Contributions - employer		-		1,391,927		(1,391,927)		
Contributions - employee		-		320,378		(320,378)		
Net investment income		-		3,463,529		(3,463,529)		
Benefit payments, including refunds		(1,683,125)		(1,683,125)		-		
Administrative expense				(147,695)		147,695		
Net changes		1,409,753		3,345,014		(1,935,261)		
Balances at December 31, 20120	\$	35,044,528	\$	33,455,549	\$	1,588,979		
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage								
of the total pension liability						95.47%		

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Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation performed on January 1, 2019, and rolled forward to December 31, 2020, using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

	Police	
Actuarial cost method	Entry Age Normal	Entry Age Normal
Actuarial assumptions: Investment rate of return Projected salary increases Underlying inflation rate	7.25% 4.75%, including inflation 2.75%	7.25% 5%, including inflation* 2.75%
Cost-of-living adjustments	Not Applicable	5.0%

Mortality:

Non-Uniformed: RP-2014 Mortality Table. Mortality improvement based on the Long-Range Demographic Assumptions for the 2015 Social Security Administration's (SSA) Trustee Report

Police: RP-2014 Mortality Table with 50% Blue Collar Adjustment, with rates set forward 5 years for disabled lives. Mortality improvement based on the Long-Range Demographic Assumptions for the 2015 SSA's Trustee Report.

* For the Police, projected salary increases include an additional 20% in the final year to account for lump sum payments such as unused sick days

Actuarial assumptions based on actuarial experience study for the period January 1, 2017 to

December 31, 2018.
Changes in Actuarial Assumptions
None.
Changes in Benefits
None.

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Investment Policy

The pension plans' policies in regard to the allocation of invested assets is established and may be amended by the Municipality's Investment Committee by a majority vote of its members. It is the policy of the Municipality's Investment Committee to pursue an investment strategy that reduces risk through the prudent diversification of the portfolio across a broad selection of distinct asset classes. The pension plan's investment policy discourages the use of cash equivalents, except for liquidity purposes, and aims to refrain from dramatically shifting asset class allocations over short time spans.

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of inflation and investment expenses not funded through the MMO) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation.

The following was the asset allocation policy and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the Plans' target asset allocation as of December 31, 2020:

		Long-Term Expected				
	Target Allo	Real Rate of	Return			
Asset Class	Non-Uniformed	Police	Non-Uniformed	Police		
Equity	50-70%	50-70%	5.0-7.0%	5.0-7.0%		
Fixed income	20-50%	20-50%	1.0-3.0%	1.0-3.0%		
Cash equivalents	0-20%	0-20%	0.0-1.0%	0.0-1.0%		
Alternative investments	0-5%	0-5%	0.0%	0.0%		

Rate of Return

The money-weighted rate of return expresses investment performance, net of investment expense, adjusted for the changing amounts actually invested. For the year ended December 31, 2020, the annual money-weighted rate of return on the Non-Uniformed Employees and Police pension plan investments, net of investment expense, was 11.72% and 11.65%, respectively.

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Concentrations

The pension plans place no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer. At December 31, 2020, the pension plans had no investments (other than U.S. Government and U.S. Government guaranteed obligations, mutual funds, or other pooled investments) in any one issuer that represents 5% or more of fiduciary net position.

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability for the Non-Uniformed Employees and Police pension plans was 7.25%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that the Municipality's contributions will be made based on the yearly MMO calculation. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the net pension liability (asset) of the pension plans calculated using the discount rates described above, as well as what the pension plan's net pension liabilities (assets) would be if they were calculated using a discount rate that is one-percentage-point lower or one-percentage-point higher than the current rates:

	1% Decrease (6.25%)		ent Discount ite (7.25%)	1% Increase (8.25%)		
Non-Uniformed Employees	\$ 1,578,037	\$	(566,936)	\$	(2,401,287)	
	 1% Decrease (6.25%)	Current Discount Rate (7.25%)			1% Increase (8.25%)	
Police	\$ 5,546,785	\$	1,588,979	\$	(1,733,060)	

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<u>Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions</u>

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the Municipality recognized pension expense of \$(1,736) for the non-uniformed plan and \$439,510 for the police plan, for a total pension expense of \$437,774. \$437,253 was recorded as a governmental activity; \$(521) was recorded as a business-type activity.

At December 31, 2020, the Municipality reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Non-				
Uniformed			Police		Total
	_		_		
\$	-	\$	315,568	\$	315,568
	422,810		846,351		1,269,161
	181,205				181,205
\$	604,015	\$	1,161,919	\$	1,765,934
_	Non- Uniformed		Police		Total
	\$ 507,489	\$	88,737	\$	596,226
	217,495	i	-		217,495
	1 052 220	,	2 511 605		2 565 012
			- 2,311,003		3,565,013 451,428
_			2,600,422	\$	4,830,162
	\$	\$ 422,810 181,205 \$ 604,015 Non- Uniformed \$ 507,489 217,495 1,053,328 451,428	\$ - \$ 422,810 181,205 \$ 604,015 \$ Non- Uniformed \$ 507,489 217,495 1,053,328 451,428	\$ - \$ 315,568 422,810 846,351 181,205 \$ 604,015 \$ 1,161,919 Non-Uniformed Police \$ 507,489 \$ 88,737 217,495 1,053,328 2,511,685 451,428	\$ - \$ 315,568 \$ 422,810

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

Non-Uniformed:	Governmental		Business-type fovernmental Activities/		
Year ending December 31,		Activities	Prop	rietary Fund	Total
2020	\$	(335,925)	\$	(143,968)	\$ (479,893)
2021		(219,071)		(93,888)	(312,959)
2022		(445,763)		(191,042)	(636,805)
2023		(123,682)		(53,006)	(176,688)
2024		(13,566)		(5,814)	(19,380)
Thereafter					
Total	\$	(1,138,007)	\$	(487,718)	\$ (1,625,725)
Police:	Governmental			siness-type Activities/	
Year ending December 31,		Activities	ties Proprietary Fund		Total
2021	\$	(351,976)	\$	-	\$ (351,976)
2022		(86,518)		-	(86,518)
2023					
		(884,196)		-	(884,196)
2024		(884,196) (149,540)		-	(884,196) (149,540)
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2024		(149,540)		- - -	(149,540)

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Pension Trust Fund Financial Information as of December 31, 2020

Plan Net Position

	_	-Uniformed				
	<u>Employees</u>			Police		Total
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	297,711	\$	403,108	\$	700,819
Accrued interest receivable		50,308		85,074		135,382
Member contributions in transit				10,908		10,908
Total receviables		50,308		95,982		146,290
Investments at fair value:				/		
Mutual funds - fixed income		5,595,708		9,584,376	1	15,180,084
Mutual funds - equity		1,148,442		1,993,710		3,142,152
Mutual funds - balanced		451,857		1,147,236		1,599,093
Exchange traded funds - equity		528,746		892,105		1,420,851
Corporate debt		897,072		1,512,923		2,409,995
Equities	1	.0,669,072		17,826,109	2	28,495,181
Total investments	1	.9,290,897	3	32,956,459	5	52,247,356
Total Assets	1	9,638,916		33,455,549	5	53,094,465
Liabilities						
Benefits payable		1,589		-		1,589
Refund of member contributions payable		8,428		-		8,428
Total Liabilities		10,017				10,017
Net Position						
Restricted for pension benefits	\$ 1	.9,628,899	\$ 3	33,455,549	Ś ¤	53,084,448
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Changes in Plan Net Position

	Non-Uniformed Employees	Police	Total
Additions:			
Contributions:			
Commonwealth	\$ -	\$ 679,062	\$ 679,062
Municipality	671,238	712,865	1,384,103
Employee	147,809	320,378	468,187
Total contributions	819,047	1,712,305	2,531,352
Investment income:			
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	1,779,091	2,992,010	4,771,101
Interest and dividends	277,822	471,519	749,341
Total investment income	2,056,913	3,463,529	5,520,442
Less investment expense	(83,236)	(138,335)	(221,571)
Net investment income	1,973,677	3,325,194	5,298,871
Total additions	2,792,724	5,037,499	7,830,223
Deductions:			
Benefits	907,267	1,566,989	2,474,256
Administrative expenses	11,790	9,360	21,150
Refund of member contributions	46,158	116,136	162,294
Total deductions	965,215	1,692,485	2,657,700
Change in Plan Net Position	1,827,509	3,345,014	5,172,523
Net Position Restricted			
for Pension Benefits:			
Beginning of year	17,801,390	30,110,535	47,911,925
End of year	\$ 19,628,899	\$ 33,455,549	\$ 53,084,448

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Net Appreciation (Depreciation) in Fair Value of Investments

The composition of net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments reported on the statement of changes in plan net position is as follows:

	No	n-Uniformed		Police	Total
Realized gain (loss) Unrealized gain (loss)	\$	\$ 8,645 1,770,446		31,675 2,960,335	\$ 40,320 4,730,781
	\$	\$ 1,779,091		2,992,010	\$ 4,771,101

The calculation of realized gains and losses is independent of the calculation of the net change in the fair value of investments.

Realized gains and losses on investments that have been held in more than one fiscal year and sold in the current year were included as part of the change in the fair value of investments reported in the prior year(s) and the current year.

8. Postemployment Benefits Other than Pension Benefits (OPEBs)

<u>Plan Description</u>

In addition to the pension benefits previously described, the Municipality provides a post-retirement death benefit to non-uniformed retirees and post-retirement life insurance benefits and medical, dental, and vision coverage to police retirees through a single employer defined benefit plan. The benefit limits and employee and employer contributions are established through union contracts and past practices. The plan is not accounted for as a trust fund, an irrevocable trust has not been established, the plan does not issue a separate report, and activity of the plan is reported in the Municipality's General Fund.

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At December 31, 2020, OPEB plan membership consisted of the following:

	Non-Uniformed	Police
Active employees	60	38
Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	32	32
Terminated employees entitled to benefits but not yet receiving them	0	0
Total plan members	92	70

Benefits Provided

Police

The Municipality provides post-retirement life insurance benefits to all eligible police retirees in accordance with the requirements set forth by the union contract. Retired members are provided a term life insurance policy ranging from \$6,000 to \$10,000, depending on date of retirement, as outlined in the union contract.

The Municipality provides post-retirement medical, dental, and vision coverage to all eligible police retirees in accordance with the requirements set forth by the union contract. The Municipality pays 60% of the total premium for medical, dental, and vision coverage of the retiree's choice until Medicare eligibility.

Non-Uniformed

The Municipality provides a \$5,000 post-retirement death benefit to all eligible non-uniformed retirees in accordance with the requirements set forth by the union contract.

Funding Policy

These benefits are expensed when incurred and are financed on a pay-as-you-go basis. For fiscal year 2020, the Municipality incurred \$163,844 for post-employment benefits other than pension benefits which includes an implicit rate subsidy of \$41,325. Retirees receiving benefits contributed \$48,070 through their deductions.

Total OPEB Liability

The total OPEB liability of the Plan at December 31, 2020 was \$3,528,330.

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Changes in the Total OPEB Liability

The changes in the total OPEB liability of the plan for the year ended December 31, 2020 were as follows:

Balance at December 31, 2019	\$ 2,705,050
Changes for the year:	
Service cost	178,364
Interest	104,065
Differences between expected and actual	523,119
Changes of assumptions	106,220
Contributions - employer	-
Benefits paid	(88,488)
Net changes	 823,280
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$ 3,528,330

Actuarial Assumptions

The total OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation performed on January 1, 2019, and rolled forward to December 31, 2020, using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

- Actuarial cost method entry age normal cost;
- Amortization method level dollar;
- Amortization period 30-year open;
- Inflation rate 2.75%
- Discount rate 3.00% compounded annually;
- Mortality:
 - Police: RP-2014 Mortality Table with 50% Blue Collar Adjustment and rates set forward 5 years for disabled lives
 - Non-uniformed: RP-2014 Mortality Table;
- Health care cost trend rates (1.40%) in 2018, increasing to 6.25% in 2019, and decreasing .25% per year until 2024
- Dental cost trend rates 0.0% in 2018, increasing to 3.0% in 2019 through 2024
- Vision care cost trend rates 10.0% in 2018, decreasing to 3.0% in 2019 through 2024

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Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The discount rate was reduced from 3.25% to 3.0%, and the inflation rate was decreased from 3.0% to 2.75%.

Changes in Benefits

None.

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability was 3.00%. The discount rate was based on the index rate for 20-year tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher.

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following represents the total OPEB liability calculated using the stated discount rate, as well as what the total OPEB liability would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is one-percentage-point lower or one-percentage-point higher than the current rate:

19	% Decrease	Curr	ent Discount	1% Increase				
	(2.00%)	Ra	ate (3.00%)	(4.00%)				
\$	3,867,499	\$	3,528,330	\$	3,225,282			

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Medical Trend Rate

The following presents the total OPEB liability calculated using the stated medical trend assumption, as well as what the total OPEB liability would be if it was calculated using a medical trend rate that is one-percentage-point lower or one-percentage-point higher than the current rate:

19	% Decrease	Current	1% Increase			
	-2.40%	-1.40%	-0.40%			
\$	3,183,085	\$ 3,528,330	\$ 3,932,589			

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OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources Related to OPEBs

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the recognized OPEB expense is \$366,351.

At December 31, 2020, the Municipality reported the following deferred outflows of resources in relation to the OPEBs:

Deferred Outflows of Resources:	_	
Differences between expected and actual experience:	\$	453,370
Changes in assumption:		92,057
Total deferred outflows of resources	\$	545,427

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

Year ending December 31,		Total			
2021	\$	83,912			
2022	Y	83,912			
2023		83,912			
2024		83,912			
2025		83,912			
Thereafter		125,867			
Total	\$	545,427			

9. Intergovernmental Agreement

The Municipality, the Authority, and the Township of South Park (Township) entered into an agreement in June 1990, and updated in April 2007, which requires the Township and the Municipality to share the annual maintenance and operating costs of sewer system assets that serve both communities (Agreement). This includes the cost of financing and constructing such assets, as well as related administration expenses. Under the Agreement, costs are allocated between the Municipality and the Township using a ratio of the water

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consumption of customers within each community. In accordance with this Agreement, the Municipality received approximately \$660,000 from the Township in 2020.

10. Commitments and Contingencies

Various claims and lawsuits are pending against the Municipality. The ultimate outcome of these claims and lawsuits cannot presently be determined and, accordingly, no provision for amounts arising from settlements has been made in these financial statements. In the opinion of management and legal counsel, the effect on the financial statements of potential losses on any claim and/or lawsuit should not be material.

During 1995, the Authority entered into a consent order and agreement with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources (Pennsylvania DER), which requires the Authority to implement various improvements to its sewage conveyance and treatment system to eliminate alleged violations of the Clean Streams Law and the Pennsylvania Sewage Facilities Act. In order to provide the funds necessary for the projects required by the consent order and other sewer system improvements, the Authority issued sewer revenue bonds, as discussed in Note 6, which are guaranteed by the Municipality. Under the terms of a lease agreement with the Authority, the Municipality is responsible for additional lease rental payments sufficient for the Authority to meet debt service obligations on its debt. In addition, the Municipality could be subject to fines related to the alleged violations. The ultimate amount of such fines, if any, is not known. However, for required projects that have been completed, management does not believe fines will be levied.

As of December 31, 2020, the Municipality had approximately \$990,000 in outstanding construction commitments related to various capital purchases and projects.

11. Risk Management

The Municipality is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the Municipality carries commercial insurance. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage for the past three years. There have been no significant changes in insurance coverage since the prior year.

For its worker's compensation insurance coverage, the Municipality participates in the Municipal Risk Management Worker's Compensation Pooled Trust (Trust), a public entity

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risk pool operated for the benefit of approximately 200 cities, municipalities, boroughs, townships, and municipal authorities. Trust underwriting and rate-setting policies are established after consultation with an independent actuary and certain approvals of the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry as mandated by Act 44 of 1993 (Act 44). All Trust participants may be subject to a supplemental assessment/dividend based on the overall experience of the participants, pursuant to Act 44. Each participant of the Trust agrees to jointly and severally assume and discharges the liabilities arising under the Worker's Compensation Act and Occupational Disease Act of each and every participant of the Trust. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage for the past three years. The Trust purchases excess insurance coverage with statutory limits. The retention for this excess coverage is \$750,000 per occurrence. There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage from coverage in the prior year. Political subdivisions joining the Trust must remain members for a minimum of four years; a member may withdraw from the Trust after that time by giving ninety days' notice, subject to approval by the Trust actuary under specified circumstances related to the continued fiscal stability of the pool. At the time of withdrawal, the participant is responsible for their share of assessments but has no claim on any other assets of the Trust. Estimates of any additional assessments are unknown.

12. COVID-19

In early 2020, an outbreak of a novel strain of coronavirus was identified and infections have been found in a number of countries around the world, including the United States. The coronavirus and its associated impacts on supply chains, travel, employee productivity, and other economic activities has had, and may continue to have, a material effect on financial markets and economic activity. The extent of the impact of the coronavirus on the Municipality's operational and financial performance is currently uncertain and cannot be predicted.



REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE MUNICIPALITY'S NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

NON-UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN

LAST TEN YEARS* ENDED DECEMBER 31

		2020	 2019	2018		2017		2016		2015		2014
Total Pension Liability:	_											
Service cost	\$	536,844	\$ 512,500	\$	396,056	\$	397,115	\$	350,461	\$	336,566	\$ 348,162
Interest		1,321,360	1,257,815		1,244,435		1,190,575		1,139,298		1,084,681	1,037,820
Differences between expected and actual experience		-	(582,697)		-		(728,724)		-		(95,791)	-
Changes of assumptions		-	447,043		-		691,414		-		-	-
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions		(953,425)	 (884,208)		(845,063)		(891,088)		(742,435)		(672,678)	 (635,549)
Net Changes in Total Pension Liability		904,779	750,453		795,428		659,292		747,324		652,778	750,433
Total Pension Liability - Beginning		18,157,184	 17,406,731		16,611,303		15,952,011		15,204,687		14,551,909	 13,801,476
Total Pension Liability - Ending (a)	\$	19,061,963	\$ 18,157,184	\$	17,406,731	\$	16,611,303	\$	15,952,011	\$	15,204,687	\$ 14,551,909
Plan Fiduciary Net Position:	_											
Contributions - employer	\$	671,238	\$ 668,627	\$	605,465	\$	578,845	\$	659,431	\$	653,896	\$ 566,305
Contributions - member		147,809	149,845		150,166		140,984		136,666		138,109	131,903
Investment income		2,056,913	3,321,903		(494,927)		1,802,201		1,186,444		18,263	1,071,812
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions		(953,425)	(884,208)		(845,063)		(891,088)		(742,435)		(672,679)	(635,549)
Investment and administrative expenses		(95,026)	 (84,333)		(85,384)		(78,268)		(78,734)		(86,659)	 (68,080)
Net Change in Plan Fiduciary Net Position		1,827,509	3,171,834		(669,743)		1,552,674		1,161,372		50,930	1,066,391
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning		17,801,390	 14,629,556		15,299,299		13,746,625		12,585,253		12,534,323	 11,467,932
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Ending (b)	\$	19,628,899	\$ 17,801,390	\$	14,629,556	\$	15,299,299	\$	13,746,625	\$	12,585,253	\$ 12,534,323
Net Pension Liability (Asset) - Ending (a-b)	\$	(566,936)	\$ 355,794	\$	2,777,175	\$	1,312,004	\$	2,205,386	\$	2,619,434	\$ 2,017,586
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability		102.97%	 98.04%		84.05%		92.10%		86.17%		82.77%	 86.14%
Covered Payroll	\$	3,597,481	\$ 3,680,228	\$	3,742,743	\$	3,568,229	\$	3,291,788	\$	3,389,482	\$ 3,218,217
Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		-15.76%	9.67%		74.20%		36.77%		67.00%		77.28%	62.69%

^{*} Until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the required information for the plan is presented for as many years as are available.

See accompanying notes to required supplementary information - pension trust funds.

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE MUNICIPALITY'S NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

POLICE PENSION PLAN

LAST TEN YEARS* ENDED DECEMBER 31

	 2020	 2019	 2018	 2017	2016	 2015	2014
Total Pension Liability:							
Service cost	\$ 666,016	\$ 634,301	\$ 606,362	\$ 577,488	\$ 490,037	\$ 466,702	\$ 489,143
Interest	2,426,862	2,327,531	2,264,013	2,193,487	1,988,115	1,907,841	1,765,497
Differences between expected and actual experience	-	(130,011)	-	916,648	-	333,605	-
Changes of assumptions	-	838,186	-	796,651	-	660,222	-
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	 (1,683,125)	 (1,565,860)	 (1,807,769)	(1,909,396)	 (1,184,921)	 (1,465,130)	 (1,195,967)
Net Changes in Total Pension Liability	1,409,753	2,104,147	1,062,606	2,574,878	1,293,231	1,903,240	1,058,673
Total Pension Liability - Beginning	 33,634,775	 31,530,628	 30,468,022	 27,893,144	 26,599,913	 24,696,673	23,638,000
Total Pension Liability - Ending (a)	\$ 35,044,528	\$ 33,634,775	\$ 31,530,628	\$ 30,468,022	\$ 27,893,144	\$ 26,599,913	\$ 24,696,673
Plan Fiduciary Net Position:							
Contributions - employer	\$ 1,391,927	\$ 1,413,059	\$ 1,287,777	\$ 1,246,748	\$ 1,195,187	\$ 1,202,402	\$ 1,054,563
Contributions - member	320,378	324,729	309,784	302,152	305,263	262,098	254,863
Investment income	3,463,529	5,566,306	(834,771)	3,022,345	1,965,843	30,021	1,808,047
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	(1,683,125)	(1,565,860)	(1,807,769)	(1,909,396)	(1,184,921)	(1,465,129)	(1,195,967)
Investment and administrative expenses	 (147,695)	 (132,121)	 (134,752)	 (126,237)	 (115,209)	 (138,764)	 (120,413)
Net Change in Plan Fiduciary Net Position	3,345,014	5,606,113	(1,179,731)	2,535,612	2,166,163	(109,372)	1,801,093
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning	 30,110,535	 24,504,422	 25,684,153	 23,148,541	 20,982,378	 21,091,750	19,290,657
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Ending (b)	\$ 33,455,549	\$ 30,110,535	\$ 24,504,422	\$ 25,684,153	\$ 23,148,541	\$ 20,982,378	\$ 21,091,750
Net Pension Liability - Ending (a-b)	\$ 1,588,979	\$ 3,524,240	\$ 7,026,206	\$ 4,783,869	\$ 4,744,603	\$ 5,617,535	\$ 3,604,923
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage							
of the Total Pension Liability	 95.47%	 89.52%	 77.72%	 84.30%	 82.99%	 78.88%	 85.40%
Covered Payroll	\$ 3,427,007	\$ 4,026,564	\$ 3,630,474	\$ 3,949,426	\$ 3,444,552	\$ 3,343,281	\$ 2,741,667
Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	46.37%	87.52%	193.53%	121.13%	137.74%	168.02%	131.49%

^{*} Until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the required information for the plan is presented for as many years as are available.

See accompanying notes to required supplementary information - pension trust funds.

SCHEDULES OF MUNICIPALITY CONTRIBUTIONS AND INVESTMENT RETURNS

PENSION PLANS

LAST TEN YEARS* ENDED DECEMBER 31

NON-UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES PLAN:	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Schedule of Municipality Contributions										
Actuarially determined contribution	\$ 671,238	\$ 668,626	\$ 605,465	\$ 578,845	\$ 659,431	\$ 653,896	\$ 563,349	\$ 567,175	\$ 483,473	\$ 482,195
Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	671,238	668,627	605,465	578,845	659,431	653,896	566,305	567,175	483,473	423,513
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ (1)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (2,956)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 58,682
Covered payroll	\$ 3,597,481	\$ 3,680,228	\$ 3,742,743	\$ 3,568,229	\$ 3,291,788	\$ 3,389,482	\$ 3,218,217	\$ -	\$ 3,098,894	\$ -
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	18.66%	18.17%	16.18%	16.22%	20.03%	19.29%	17.60%	n/a	15.60%	n/a
Investment Returns										
Annual money-weighted rate of return, net of investment expense	11.72%	23.13%	-3.29%	13.38%	9.54%	0.15%	9.47%	n/a	n/a	n/a
POLICE PLAN:										
Schedule of Municipality Contributions										
Actuarially determined contribution Contributions in relation to the actuarially	\$ 1,391,927	\$ 1,413,057	\$ 1,287,777	\$ 1,246,748	\$ 1,195,187	\$ 1,202,402	\$ 1,054,563	\$ 1,036,045	\$ 831,536	\$ 813,038
determined contribution	1,391,927	1,413,059	1,287,777	1,246,748	1,195,187	1,202,402	1,054,563	1,036,045	831,536	689,935
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ (2)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 123,103
Covered payroll	\$ 3,427,007	\$ 4,026,564	\$ 3,630,474	\$ 3,949,426	\$ 3,444,552	\$ 3,343,281	\$ 2,741,667	\$ -	\$ 2,972,690	\$ -
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	40.62%	35.09%	35.47%	31.57%	34.70%	35.96%	38.46%	n/a	27.97%	n/a
Investment Returns										
Annual money-weighted rate of return, net of investment expense	11.65%	23.10%	-3.31%	13.24%	9.47%	0.15%	9.30%	n/a	n/a	n/a

^{*} Until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the required information for the plan is presented for as many years as are available.

See accompanying notes to required supplementary information - pension trust funds.

NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION PENSION TRUST FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

1. Actuarial Methods and Assumptions Used in Determining the Contribution Rate (MMO)

The information presented in the required supplementary pension schedules was determined as part of the actuarial valuations at the dates indicated. Additional information as of the latest actuarial valuation follows:

	Police	Non-Uniformed						
Actuarial valuation date	1/1/2017	1/1/2017						
Actuarial cost method	Entry Age Normal	Entry Age Normal						
Amortization method	Level Dollar Closed	Level Dollar Closed						
Amortization period	8 years aggregate	12 years aggregate						
Asset valuation method	4-Year Smoothing	4-Year Smoothing						
Actuarial assumptions: Inflation	3.0%	3.0%						
Projected salary increases	5.0% including inflation, plus an additional 20% in final year to account for lump sum payments such as unused sick davs	5.0% including inflation						
Investment rate of return	7.5% net of investment expenses not funded through the MMO, and including inflation	7.5% net of investment expenses not funded through the MMO, and including inflation						
Mortality	RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table with Blue Collar Adjustment, set forward 5 years for disabled members. Rates projected to improve using 75% of scale AA.	RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table. Rates projected with 75% scale of AA.						

2. Benefit Changes

Police Plan

No benefit terms were modified.

Non-Uniformed Plan

No benefit terms were modified.

NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION PENSION TRUST FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

3. Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

Police Plan

Effective January 1, 2009, the mortality table was updated to the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table projected to 2005.

Effective January 1, 2013, the Blue Collar Adjustment was applied to mortality and rates projected to improve using 75% of Scale AA.

Effective January 1, 2015, an additional 20% salary projection was added to final year of pay.

Non-Uniformed Plan

Effective January 1, 2009, the mortality table was updated from the 1983 Group Annuity Table (with male rates set back six years for females) to the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table (static) projected to 2005, and the pre-retirement death benefit was changed to be valued directly rather than by a 5.5% load of retirement liabilities for participants who have not attained assumed retirement age.

Effective January 1, 2013, the mortality table was updated from the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table and rates projected to 2005 using Scale AA to the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table and rates projected to improve using 75% of Scale AA.

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE MUNICIPALITY'S TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

LAST TEN YEARS* ENDED DECEMBER 31

	2020		2019		2018	
Total OPEB Liability:						
Service cost	\$	178,364	\$	140,153	\$	136,071
Interest		104,065		86,278		81,228
Changes of benefit terms		-		-		-
Differences between expected and actual experience		523,119		-		-
Changes of assumptions		106,220		-		-
Benefit payments		(88,488)		(71,286)		(60,802)
Employer reimbursement for healthcare expenses		-		-		-
				_		_
Net Changes in Total OPEB Liability		823,280		155,145		156,497
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning		2,705,050		2,549,905		2,393,408
Total OPEB Liability - Ending (a)	\$	3,528,330	\$	2,705,050	\$	2,549,905
Covered Payroll	\$	7,649,100	\$	7,701,956	\$	7,701,956
Net OPEB Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		46.13%		35.12%		33.11%

^{*} Until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the required information for the plan is presented for as many years as are available.

See accompanying note to required supplementary information - OPEBs.

NOTE TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEBS)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

1. Actuarial Methods and Assumptions Used

The information presented in the required supplementary postemployment benefits other than pension benefits (OPEBs) schedules was determined as part of the actuarial valuations at the dates indicated. Additional information as of the latest actuarial valuation follows:

Actuarial valuation date January 1, 2019

Actuarial cost method Entry Age Normal

Amortization method Level Dollar Closed

Amortization period 30 years

Asset valuation method n/a - the plan is unfunded

Actuarial assumptions:

Interest rate 3.00% Inflation rate 2.75%

Mortality Police: RP-2014 Mortality Table with 50% Blue

Collar Adjustment and rates set forward for 5

years for disabled lives

Non-Uniformed: RP-2014 Mortality Table

Annual trend rates for OPEB

Medical/Rx: 6.00% for 2020, decreasing .25%

costs

until 5.00% in 2024 and later

<u>Dental</u>: 3.0% in 2020 though 2024 and later <u>Vision</u>: 3.0% in 2020 through 2024 and later

Changes in Assumptions:

On January 1, 2020, the interest rate was reduced from 3.25% to 3.0% and the inflation rate was reduced from 3.0% to 2.75%.



SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION



MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

GENERAL FUND: The General Fund accounts for all transactions of the Municipality which are not properly accounted for in other funds. The General Fund is used to account for the ordinary operations of the Municipality which are financed from taxes and other general revenues.

CAPITAL RESERVE FUND: The Capital Reserve Fund accounts for financial resources and expenditures related to the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by the proprietary fund).

GENERAL FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES RECREATION DEPARTMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

Revenues:	
Program fees	\$ 234,223
Expenditures:	
Program:	
Program costs	61,032
Salaries and benefits	613,310
Contractual/maintenance	22,881
Supplies	7,655
Capital expenses	 14,524
Total program	 719,402
Administration:	
General expenses	11,925
Utilities	3,172
Insurance	 4,427
Total administration	 19,524
Total expenditures	 738,926
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$ (504,703)

CAPITAL RESERVE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Budget				
	Original and		Variance with		
	Final	Actual	Final Budget		
Revenues:					
Intergovernmental	\$ 1,709,934	\$ 292,762	\$ (1,417,172)		
Interest and rent	12,000	16,437	4,437		
Total revenues	1,721,934	309,199	(1,412,735)		
Expenditures:					
Capital outlay	6,928,084	5,481,845	1,446,239		
Total expenditures	6,928,084	5,481,845	1,446,239		
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
Over Expenditures	(5,206,150)	(5,172,646)	33,504		
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Transfers in	4,336,176	3,784,063	(552,113)		
Net Change in Fund Balance	(869,974)	(1,388,583)	(518,609)		
Fund Balance:					
Beginning of year	2,362,265	2,362,265			
End of year	\$ 1,492,291	\$ 973,682	\$ (518,609)		



OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

STATE HIGHWAY AID FUND: The State Highway Aid Fund is a special revenue fund that accounts for monies received that are legally restricted for specific purposes, such as salt purchases and street lighting.

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND: The Volunteer Fire Department Fund, a special revenue fund, accounts for financial resources and expenditures related to the construction of a new building for the Bethel Park Volunteer Fire Company, and for the operations of the Bethel Park Volunteer Fire Company. A portion of the real estate tax millage is dedicated to this fund each year.

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

DECEMBER 31, 2020

	 Special Revenue State Highway Aid		Special Revenue Volunteer Fire Department		Total Other Governmental Funds	
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents Receivables:	\$ 61,861	\$	778,026	\$	839,887	
Taxes	-		38,397		38,397	
Other funds	-		33,493		33,493	
Prepaid expenditures	 -		32,038		32,038	
Total Assets	\$ 61,861	\$	881,954	\$	943,815	
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balance						
Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$	97,548	\$	97,548	
Due to other funds	 368				368	
Total Liabilities	 368		97,548		97,916	
Deferred Inflows of Resources:						
Unavailable revenue	 		38,397		38,397	
Fund Balance:						
Nonspendable - prepaid expenditures	-		32,038		32,038	
Restricted for liquid fuels program	61,493		-		61,493	
Restricted for volunteer fire department operations	 		713,971		713,971	
Total Fund Balance	 61,493		746,009		807,502	
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of						
Resources, and Fund Balance	\$ 61,861	\$	881,954	\$	943,815	

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Spec	Special Revenue		al Revenue	Total Other			
		State		Volunteer		Governmental		
	Hi	Highway Aid		Fire Department		Funds		
Revenues:								
Real estate taxes	\$	-	\$	830,850	\$	830,850		
Intergovernmental		982,159		-		982,159		
Interest and rent		3,223		6,835		10,058		
Miscellaneous		22,000				22,000		
Total revenues		1,007,382		837,685		1,845,067		
Expenditures:								
Public Safety		-		393,817		393,817		
Debt service				506,628		506,628		
Total expenditures		_		900,445		900,445		
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over								
Expenditures		1,007,382		(62,760)		944,622		
Other Financing Sources (Uses):								
Transfers out		(947,900)				(947,900)		
Net Change in Fund Balance		59,482		(62,760)		(3,278)		
Fund Balance:								
Beginning of year		2,011		808,769		810,780		
End of year	\$	61,493	\$	746,009	\$	807,502		

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL STATE HIGHWAY AID FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Budget						
	Original and				Var	iance with	
		Final		Actual		Final Budget	
Revenues:							
Intergovernmental	\$	961,326	\$	982,159	\$	20,833	
Interest and rent		15,000		3,223		(11,777)	
Miscellaneous				22,000		22,000	
Total revenues		976,326		1,007,382		31,056	
Expenditures				-			
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues							
Over Expenditures		976,326		1,007,382		31,056	
Other Financing Sources (Uses):							
Transfers out		(976,326)		(947,900)		28,426	
Net Change in Fund Balance		-		59,482		59,482	
Fund Balance:							
Beginning of year		2,011		2,011			
End of year	\$	2,011	\$	61,493	\$	59,482	



MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND

SEWER SYSTEM FUND: The Sewer System Fund accounts for the operations of the Municipality's public sewer system.

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Budget						
	Or	iginal and			Va	riance with	
		Final		Actual	Final Budget		
Revenues:							
Real estate taxes	\$	834,236	\$	830,850	\$	(3,386)	
Interest and rent		13,000		6,835		(6,165)	
Total revenues		847,236		837,685		(9,551)	
Expenditures:							
Public safety		277,000		393,817		(116,817)	
Debt service		506,739		506,628		111	
Total expenditures		783,739		900,445		(116,706)	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues							
Over Expenditures		63,497		(62,760)		(126,257)	
Net Change in Fund Balance		63,497		(62,760)		(126,257)	
Fund Balance:							
Beginning of year		808,769		808,769			
End of year	\$	872,266	\$	746,009	\$	(126,257)	

Note: The Municipality's adopted budget for the Volunteer Fire Department Fund includes only those expenditures related to the operation of the Bethel Park Volunteer Fire Company, and for the required debt service expenditures related to the General Obligation Bonds.

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND

DECEMBER 31, 2020

Assets	Municipality Sewer Fund	Municipal Authority	Combining Entries	Totals
Current assets:	_			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 8,232,151	\$ 126,299	\$ -	\$ 8,358,450
Investments - restricted per indenture of trust	y 0,232,131 -	30,667,771	· ·	30,667,771
Receivables (net, where applicable,		30,007,771		30,007,771
of allowance for uncollectibles):				
Sewer charges	2,329,970	_	_	2,329,970
Lease rental	2,323,370	68,777,313	(68,777,313)	2,323,310
Other	224,943	00,777,313	(00,777,313)	224,943
Prepaid expenses	16,889	-	-	16,889
Total current assets	10,803,953	99,571,383	(68,777,313)	41,598,023
Comital access (not of accomplated degree sisting)				
Capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation) Net pension asset	170,081		40,337,900	40,337,900 170,081
Total Assets	10,974,034	99,571,383	(28,439,413)	82,106,004
Deferred Outflows of Resources	_			
Deferred outflows of resources for pension	181,205			181,205
Liabilities	_			
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	880,951	16,217	-	897,168
Accrued liabilities	17,386	-	-	17,386
Due to other governmental units	169,672	-	-	169,672
Due to other funds	51,417	-	-	51,417
Accrued interest payable	-	479,708	-	479,708
Bonds payable due within one year		1,630,000		1,630,000
Total current liabilities	1,119,426	2,125,925		3,245,351
Non-current liabilities:				
Bonds payable	-	66,669,639	-	66,669,639
Compensated absences	107,628			107,628
Total non-current liabilities	107,628	66,669,639		66,777,267
Total Liabilities	1,227,054	68,795,564	-	70,022,618
Deferred Inflows of Resources	_			
Deferred inflows of resources for pension	668,923			668,923
Net Position	_			
Net investment in capital assets	-	-	2,689,785	2,689,785
Restricted for construction	-	30,665,737	(30,665,737)	-
Restricted for pension	170,081	-	-	170,081
Unrestricted	9,089,181	110,082	(463,461)	8,735,802
Total Net Position	\$ 9,259,262	\$ 30,775,819	\$ (28,439,413)	\$ 11,595,668



FIDUCIARY FUNDS

NON-UNIFORMED EMPLOYEES PENSION FUND: The Non-Uniformed Employees Pension Fund was established to account for assets held in a trustee capacity for the Municipality's pension plan for eligible general employees.

POLICE PENSION FUND: The Police Pension Fund was established to account for assets held in a trustee capacity for the Municipality's pension plan for eligible police officers.

CUSTODIAL FUND: The Custodial Fund is used to hold assets held by the Municipality on behalf of others as agents for the escrows and engineer's inspections.

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	Ν	1unicipality			
		Sewer	Municipal	Combining	
		Fund	 Authority	Entries	 Totals
Operating Revenues:					
Charges for services	\$	10,224,056	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,224,056
Intergovernmental		-	35,878,809	(35,878,809)	-
Licenses and permits		30,995	 -		 30,995
Total operating revenues		10,255,051	 35,878,809	(35,878,809)	 10,255,051
Operating Expenses:					
Administration	=	115,245	231,385	-	346,630
Operations		4,546,334	-	(97,821)	4,448,513
Maintenance		1,980,214	-	(561,618)	1,418,596
Depreciation		-	-	1,589,648	1,589,648
Intergovernmental		2,747,027	 	(2,747,027)	
Total operating expenses		9,388,820	 231,385	(1,816,818)	 7,803,387
Operating Income (Loss)		866,231	 35,647,424	(34,061,991)	 2,451,664
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses):					
Intergovernmental transfer	-	-	214,679	(214,679)	-
Investment income (loss)		74,830	(296,200)	-	(221,370)
Capital grants and contributions		-	117,601	-	117,601
Bond issuance costs		-	(972,384)	-	(972,384)
Interest expense		-	(4,169,052)	-	(4,169,052)
Capital outlay			 (74,055)	74,055	
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)		74,830	 (5,179,411)	(140,624)	 (5,245,205)
Change in Net Position		941,061	30,468,013	(34,202,615)	(2,793,541)
Net Position:					
Beginning of year		8,318,201	 307,806	5,763,202	 14,389,209
End of year	\$	9,259,262	\$ 30,775,819	\$ (28,439,413)	\$ 11,595,668

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION PENSION TRUST FUNDS

DECEMBER 31, 2020

Assets	Non-Uniformed Employees Pension Fund		Police Pension Fund			otal Pension Frust Funds
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 297	7,711	\$	403,108	\$	700,819
Receivables:						
Accrued interest receivable	50),308		85,074		135,382
Member contribution in transit				10,908		10,908
Total receivables	50),308		95,982		146,290
Investments:						
Mutual funds - fixed income	5,595	5,708		9,584,376		15,180,084
Mutual funds - equity	1,148	3,442		1,993,710		3,142,152
Mutual funds - balanced	451	L,857		1,147,236		1,599,093
Exchange traded funds - equity		3,746		892,105		1,420,851
Corporate debt		7,072		1,512,923		2,409,995
Equities	10,669	9,072		17,826,109		28,495,181
Total investments	19,290),897		32,956,459		52,247,356
Total Assets	19,638	3,916		33,455,549		53,094,465
Liabilities						
Benefits payable	:	L,589		-		1,589
Refund of member contributions payable	8	3,428				8,428
Total Liabilities	10),017			10,017	
Net Position Restricted for Pension Benefits	\$ 19,628	3,899	\$	33,455,549	\$	53,084,448

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION PENSION TRUST FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

		Non-Uniformed Employees Police				Total Pension		
	Pe	ension Fund	P	ension Fund	-	Trust Funds		
Additions:								
Contributions:								
Commonwealth	\$	-	\$	679,062	\$	679,062		
Municipality		671,238		712,865		1,384,103		
Employee		147,809		320,378		468,187		
Total contributions		819,047		1,712,305		2,531,352		
Investment income:								
Net appreciation in fair value of investments		1,779,091		2,992,010		4,771,101		
Interest and dividends		277,822		471,519		749,341		
Total investment income		2,056,913		3,463,529		5,520,442		
Less investment expense		(83,236)		(138,335)		(221,571)		
Net investment income		1,973,677		3,325,194		5,298,871		
Total additions		2,792,724		5,037,499		7,830,223		
Deductions:								
Benefits		907,267		1,566,989		2,474,256		
Administrative expenses		11,790		9,360		21,150		
Refund of member contributions		46,158		116,136		162,294		
Total deductions		965,215		1,692,485		2,657,700		
Change in Net Position		1,827,509		3,345,014		5,172,523		
Net Position:								
Beginning of year		17,801,390		30,110,535		47,911,925		
End of year	\$	19,628,899	\$	33,455,549	\$	53,084,448		



STATISTICAL SECTION

STATISTICAL SECTION

This part of the Municipality of Bethel Park's (Municipality) comprehensive annual financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and required supplementary information says about the Municipality's overall financial health.

FINANCIAL TRENDS 105-109

These schedules contain trend information to help the reader understand how the Municipality's financial performance and well-being have changed over time.

REVENUE CAPACITY 110-117

These schedules contain information to help the reader assess the factors affecting the Municipality's ability to generate its property and earned income taxes.

DEBT CAPACITY 118-120

These schedules present information to help the reader assess the affordability of the Municipality's current levels of outstanding debt and the Municipality's ability to issue additional debt in the future.

DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC INFORMATION

121-122

These schedules offer demographic and economic indicators to help the reader understand the environment within which the Municipality's financial activities take place and to help make comparisons over time and with other governments.

OPERATING INFORMATION

123-125

These schedules contain information about the Municipality's operations and resources to help the reader understand how the Municipality's financial information relates to the services the Municipality provides and the activities it performs.

NET POSITION BY COMPONENT LAST TEN YEARS ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

	2020	2019	2018 (1)	2017	2016	2015	2014 (2)	2013	2012	2011
Governmental activities: Net investment in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$ 14,462,992 1,172,319 3,115,162	\$ 14,326,781 775,290 2,602,908	\$ 13,877,943 598,457 1,553,735	\$ 13,793,612 773,055 4,381,324	\$ 14,875,580 612,232 4,514,051	\$ 14,119,506 564,751 3,647,654	\$ 13,899,420 143,861 3,073,644	\$ 14,784,843 136,106 8,181,666	\$ 15,620,226 128,553 7,345,334	\$ 16,678,614 117,271 6,613,748
Total governmental activities net position	\$ 18,750,473	\$ 17,704,979	\$ 16,030,135	\$ 18,947,991	\$ 20,001,863	\$ 18,331,911	\$ 17,116,925	\$ 23,102,615	\$ 23,094,113	\$ 23,409,633
Business-type activities: Net investment in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$ 2,689,785 170,081 8,735,802	\$ 6,347,023	\$ 5,309,308	\$ 4,181,972	\$ 2,543,375 - 5,777,918	\$ 2,543,218 - 4,074,943	\$ 3,742,506	\$ 5,472,252 1,922,022 2,369,380	\$ 5,592,564 1,765,125 2,458,117	\$ 7,213,412 2,504,378 1,730,768
Total business-type activities net position	\$ 11,595,668	\$ 14,389,209	\$ 13,604,515	\$ 10,994,693	\$ 8,321,293	\$ 6,618,161	\$ 6,514,479	\$ 9,763,654	9,815,806	\$ 11,448,558
Primary government: Net investment in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$ 17,152,777 1,342,400 11,850,964	\$ 20,673,804 775,290 10,645,094	\$ 19,187,251 598,457 9,848,942	\$ 17,975,584 773,055 11,194,045	\$ 17,418,955 612,232 10,291,969	\$ 16,662,724 564,751 7,722,597	\$ 17,641,926 143,861 5,845,617	\$ 20,257,095 2,058,128 10,551,046	\$ 21,212,790 1,893,678 9,803,451	\$ 23,892,026 2,621,649 8,344,516
Total primary government net position	\$ 30,346,141	\$ 32,094,188	\$ 29,634,650	\$ 29,942,684	\$ 28,323,156	\$ 24,950,072	\$ 23,631,404	\$ 32,866,269	\$ 32,909,919	\$ 34,858,191

⁽¹⁾ A restatement in 2018 was made to record the total Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB) liability. The restatement resulted in a decrease to the governmental net position of \$425,270 and had no effect on the business-type net position.

⁽²⁾ A restatement in 2014 was made to record the net pension liability and related components. The restatement resulted in a decrease to the governmental net position of \$4,975,509 and a decrease to the business-type net position of \$605,276.

MUNICIPALITY OF BETHEL PARK, PENNSYLVANIA CHANGES IN NET POSITION

CHANGES IN NET POSITION
LAST TEN YEARS
ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Program Revenues:										
Governmental Activities:	•									
Charges for services:										
General government	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,650	\$ 23,350	\$ 22,792	\$ 14,147	\$ 8,843	\$ 7,375	\$ 8,422
Public safety	431,554	549,709	530,783	600,987	429,585	375,966	330,285	367,649	394,154	480,364
Public works	351,536	350,372	202,283	427,568	717,788	634,672	466,923	311,287	205,622	233,410
Culture and recreation	341,545	823,597	751,006	701,170	707,286	691,929	627,447	638,661	584,384	586,468
Conservation and development	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest on long-term debt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Operating grants and contributions	1,016,876	1,792,865	1,638,364	1,559,317	1,479,293	1,337,636	1,486,583	1,446,664	1,411,107	1,836,220
Capital grants and contributions	295,350	24,992	740,489	258,588	730,817	54,864	492,974	3,685	17,856	333,204
Total Governmental Activities Program Revenues	2,436,861	3,541,535	3,862,925	3,564,280	4,088,119	3,117,859	3,418,359	2,776,789	2,620,498	3,478,088
Business-Type Activities:										
Charges for services - sewer services	10,255,051	10,094,461	10,246,766	10,439,806	10,314,066	9,187,995	8,946,605	7,799,542	6,769,752	7,008,814
Operating grants and contributions - sewer services	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capital grants and contributions - sewer services	117,601	56,679	49,429	997		277	86	726	68	158
Total Business-type Activities Program Revenues	10,372,652	10,151,140	10,296,195	10,440,853	10,314,066	9,188,272	8,946,691	7,800,268	6,769,820	7,008,972
Total Primary Government Program Revenues	\$ 12,809,513	\$ 13,692,675	\$ 14,159,120	\$ 14,005,133	\$ 14,402,185	\$ 12,306,131	\$ 12,365,050	\$ 10,577,057	\$ 9,390,318	\$ 10,487,060
Expenses:										
Governmental Activities:										
General government	\$ 3,862,951	\$ 3,422,888	\$ 4,231,120	\$ 3,545,933	\$ 2,247,392	\$ 2,497,242	\$ 2,747,093	\$ 2,467,227	\$ 2,635,995	\$ 3,084,237
Public safety	8,467,509	9,547,173	9,552,231	9,297,521	8,367,907	8,542,147	8,121,090	8,073,485	7,424,701	7,380,882
Public works	8,212,688	7,082,162	8,542,538	7,534,704	7,015,165	6,456,964	7,741,073	6,322,571	6,039,794	5,458,149
Culture and recreation	2,197,645	2,238,029	3,224,641	2,009,597	2,250,979	1,691,236	1,788,040	1,796,436	1,831,592	1,680,296
Conservation and development	190,153	147,182	131,495	132,539	117,869	221,721	178,454	160,103	157,389	152,615
Interest on long-term debt	643,139	687,257	681,571	1,002,414	770,176	678,253	323,553	354,242	184,456	221,790
Total Governmental Activities Expenses	23,574,085	23,124,691	26,363,596	23,522,708	20,769,488	20,087,563	20,899,303	19,174,064	18,273,927	17,977,969
Business-Type Activities:										
Sewer services	12,944,823	9,544,333	7,781,664	8,089,527	8,580,920	9,274,093	11,598,092	7,857,364	8,412,783	8,121,588
Total Business-Type Activities Expenses	12,944,823	9,544,333	7,781,664	8,089,527	8,580,920	9,274,093	11,598,092	7,857,364	8,412,783	8,121,588
Total Primary Government Expenses	\$ 36,518,908	\$ 32,669,024	\$ 34,145,260	\$ 31,612,235	\$ 29,350,408	\$ 29,361,656	\$ 32,497,395	\$ 27,031,428	\$ 26,686,710	\$ 26,099,557
Net (Expense)/Revenue:										
Governmental Activities	\$ (21,137,224)	\$ (19,583,156)	\$ (22,500,671)	\$ (19,958,428)	\$ (16,681,369)	\$ (16,969,704)	\$ (17,480,944)	\$ (16,397,275)	\$ (15,653,429)	\$ (14,499,881)
Business-Type Activities	(2,572,171)	606,807	2,514,531	2,351,326	1,733,146	(85,821)	(2,651,401)	(57,096)	(1,642,963)	(1,112,616)
Total Primary Government Net (Expense)/Revenue	\$ (23,709,395)	\$ (18,976,349)	\$ (19,986,140)	\$ (17,607,102)	\$ (14,948,223)	\$ (17,055,525)	\$ (20,132,345)	\$ (16,454,371)	\$ (17,296,392)	\$ (15,612,497)

MUNICIPALITY OF BETHEL PARK, PENNSYLVANIA CHANGES IN NET POSITION

CHANGES IN NET POSITION
LAST TEN YEARS
ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
General Revenues and Other Changes in Net Position: Governmental Activities: Taxes:										
Property taxes Earned income taxes Other taxes Grants, subsidies, and contributions Investment earnings Franchise fees Miscellaneous income	\$ 6,937,754 9,632,127 2,575,018 1,839,742 109,159 793,067 295,851	\$ 6,922,642 9,479,467 2,215,005 1,018,567 224,616 798,871 598,832	\$ 6,264,914 9,001,586 1,840,272 967,072 188,435 808,521 512,015	\$ 6,109,540 8,872,836 2,148,450 927,496 207,236 838,939 225,329	\$ 5,931,507 8,592,482 1,858,004 918,327 92,793 830,773 127,435	\$ 5,530,903 8,854,334 1,714,005 952,078 165,583 808,283 159,504	\$ 5,462,811 7,414,508 1,510,306 704,048 141,331 779,851 457,908	\$ 4,708,595 8,448,037 1,686,993 600,506 17,075 778,584 165,987	\$ 4,749,860 7,715,896 1,448,867 544,804 16,008 678,417 184,057	\$ 4,234,480 7,786,668 1,312,420 553,176 15,344 670,988 191,240
Total Governmental Activities General Revenues	22,182,718	21,258,000	19,582,815	19,329,826	18,351,321	18,184,690	16,470,763	16,405,777	15,337,909	14,764,316
Business-Type Activities: Sewer services	(221,370)	177,887	95,291	322,074	(30,014)	189,503	7,502	4,944	10,211	7,180
Total Business-Type Activities General Revenues Total Primary Government General Revenues	\$ 21,961,348	\$ 21,435,887	95,291 \$ 19,678,106	\$ 19,651,900	\$ 18,321,307	\$ 18,374,193	7,502 \$ 16,478,265	\$ 16,410,721	\$ 15,348,120	7,180 \$ 14,771,496
Change in Net Position: Governmental Activities Business-Type Activities	\$ 1,045,494 (2,793,541)	\$ 1,674,844 784,694	\$ (2,917,856) 2,609,822	\$ (628,602) 2,673,400	\$ 1,669,952 1,703,132	\$ 1,214,986 103,682	\$ (1,010,181) (2,643,899)	\$ 8,502 (52,152)	\$ (315,520) (1,632,752)	\$ 264,435 (1,105,436)
Total Primary Government Change in Net Position	\$ (1,748,047)	\$ 2,459,538	\$ (308,034)	\$ 2,044,798	\$ 3,373,084	\$ 1,318,668	\$ (3,654,080)	\$ (43,650)	\$ (1,948,272)	\$ (841,001)

FUND BALANCES, GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

LAST TEN YEARS

MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011 (1)
General Fund:	_									
Reserved	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Unreserved:										
Designated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undesignated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nonspendable	128,836	127,477	29,659	267,590	187,732	171,322	52,067	257,154	160,606	81,759
Restricted	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Committed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assigned	30,102	51,680	48,540	30,102	40,981	40,981	40,981	40,981	72,641	465,961
Unassigned	9,152,087	8,198,109	7,918,751	9,019,883	9,143,027	8,670,674	8,087,057	7,153,798	6,504,257	3,383,377
Total General Fund	9,311,025	8,377,266	7,996,950	9,317,575	9,371,740	8,882,977	8,180,105	7,451,933	6,737,504	3,931,097
All Other Governmental Funds:	_									
Unreserved, Reported in:										
Designated, Capital Projects Fund	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undesignated, Capital Projects Fund	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undesignated, Special Revenue Fund	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nonspendable	32,038	35,490	47,588	76,050	56,459	44,579	-	-	-	-
Restricted	775,464	775,290	775,372	2,205,749	8,521,360	11,617,801	7,705,833	8,423,039	128,553	117,271
Committed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assigned	973,682	2,362,265	798,078	1,483,687	1,636,213	1,124,956	860,321	666,636	550,168	400,710
Unassigned					(153)	(354)				
Total all other governmental funds	1,781,184	3,173,045	1,621,038	3,765,486	10,213,879	12,786,982	8,566,154	9,089,675	678,721	517,981
Total governmental funds	\$ 11,092,209	\$ 11,550,311	\$ 9,617,988	\$ 13,083,061	\$ 19,585,619	\$ 21,669,959	\$ 16,746,259	\$ 16,541,608	\$ 7,416,225	\$ 4,449,078

⁽¹⁾ The Municipality implemented GASB Statement No. 54 in 2011, creating new fund balance categories of Nonspendable, Restricted, Committed, Assigned, and Unassigned.

MUNICIPALITY OF BETHEL PARK, PENNSYLVANIA CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES, GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST TEN YEARS MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Revenues:										
Real estate taxes	\$ 6,802,737	\$ 6,972,203	\$ 6,264,472	\$ 6,059,746	\$ 5,961,578	\$ 5,495,141	\$ 5,462,811	\$ 4,708,595	\$ 4,749,860	\$ 4,234,480
Earned income taxes	9,632,127	9,479,467	9,001,586	8,872,836	8,592,482	8,854,334	8,609,544	8,151,792	9,658,402	7,441,390
Other taxes	2,575,018	2,215,005	1,840,272	2,148,450	1,858,004	1,714,005	1,510,306	1,686,993	1,448,867	1,312,420
Licenses and permits	1,137,024	1,126,594	1,175,962	1,363,235	1,516,525	1,390,524	1,192,564	1,037,645	842,368	841,012
Fines and forfeits	76,538	109,938	90,774	104,236	90,654	92,599	90,827	99,530	112,554	138,701
Intergovernmental	3,152,657	2,837,009	3,346,150	2,729,321	3,126,712	2,341,882	2,675,517	2,047,170	1,952,639	2,686,396
Charges for services	597,771	1,175,087	1,108,049	1,103,606	927,664	876,716	784,890	818,231	760,494	840,070
Interest and rent	218,076	333,320	298,540	344,803	236,636	296,652	263,437	133,427	132,278	131,947
Miscellaneous	292,575	600,433	315,183	376,599	285,799	314,934	599,262	302,938	338,451	360,710
Total revenues	24,484,523	24,849,056	23,440,988	23,102,832	22,596,054	21,376,787	21,189,158	18,986,321	19,995,913	17,987,126
Expenditures:										
Current:										
General government	2,928,618	2,471,176	2,662,458	2,579,717	2,293,238	2,253,875	2,289,968	2,174,421	2,153,519	2,237,229
Public safety	8,981,296	8,640,579	8,272,640	8,283,879	7,558,397	7,540,346	7,169,495	6,957,111	6,627,213	6,567,003
Public works	5,245,907	5,136,318	6,037,377	5,013,630	4,895,642	5,270,304	5,115,946	5,116,605	4,687,308	4,909,859
Culture and recreation	1,651,263	1,896,315	1,815,533	1,798,838	1,732,748	1,682,498	1,606,336	1,584,873	1,566,300	1,525,719
Conservation and development	169,896	131,779	120,012	122,903	108,720	100,553	160,251	146,666	141,732	136,866
Capital outlay	5,481,845	3,934,925	6,804,902	10,512,217	6,842,086	7,660,203	3,976,194	1,804,630	1,391,387	1,726,952
Debt service:										
Principal	585,311	671,630	546,674	552,448	481,291	399,715	437,618	287,618	287,618	746,993
Interest	609,552	519,507	646,465	746,697	768,272	496,275	228,699	176,919	173,689	176,231
Bond issuance costs		134,116		268,316		105,377		141,218		
Total expenditures	25,653,688	23,536,345	26,906,061	29,878,645	24,680,394	25,509,146	20,984,507	18,390,061	17,028,766	18,026,852
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over										
(Under) Expenditures	(1,169,165)	1,312,711	(3,465,073)	(6,775,813)	(2,084,340)	(4,132,359)	204,651	596,260	2,967,147	(39,726)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):										
Issuance of general obligation bonds	-	9,175,000	-	8,115,000	-	9,105,000	-	8,680,000	-	-
Payment to refunding bond escrow	-	(8,709,476)	-	(7,841,745)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Issuance of note payable	711,063	154,088	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bond discount	-	-	-	-	-	(48,941)	-	(150,877)	-	-
Transfers in	4,731,963	6,331,370	5,076,814	4,485,349	4,250,367	3,398,324	3,203,901	2,464,129	2,181,652	2,119,016
Transfers out	(4,731,963)	(6,331,370)	(5,076,814)	(4,485,349)	(4,250,367)	(3,398,324)	(3,203,901)	(2,464,129)	(2,181,652)	(2,119,016)
Total other financing sources (uses)	711,063	619,612		273,255		9,056,059		8,529,123		
Net Change in Fund Balance	\$ (458,102)	\$ 1,932,323	\$ (3,465,073)	\$ (6,502,558)	\$ (2,084,340)	\$ 4,923,700	\$ 204,651	\$ 9,125,383	\$ 2,967,147	\$ (39,726)
Debt service as a percentage of non-capital expenditures	5.23%	6.24%	5.04%	5.89%	6.52%	4.81%	3.54%	2.66%	2.95%	5.66%
Debt service as a percentage of total expenditures	4.66%	5.63%	4.43%	5.25%	5.06%	3.93%	3.18%	3.29%	2.71%	5.12%

PROGRAM REVENUES BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM
LAST TEN YEARS
ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Function/Program:										
Governmental activities:										
General government	\$ 33,772	\$ 353,984	\$ 260,165	\$ 234,330	\$ 236,122	\$ 219,140	\$ 198,469	\$ 280,915	\$ 183,851	\$ 390,912
Public safety	431,554	926,649	908,715	1,058,439	1,079,146	707,671	906,986	862,728	944,921	1,266,458
Public works	1,363,945	1,377,201	1,268,185	1,432,280	1,615,035	1,405,331	1,165,660	963,162	882,425	937,250
Culture and recreation	607,590	883,701	1,425,860	839,231	1,157,816	785,717	1,147,244	669,984	609,301	883,468
Conservation and development	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest on long-term debt										
Total governmental activities	2,436,861	3,541,535	3,862,925	3,564,280	4,088,119	3,117,859	3,418,359	2,776,789	2,620,498	3,478,088
Business-type activities:										
Sewer services	10,372,652	10,151,140	10,296,195	10,440,853	10,314,066	9,188,272	8,946,691	7,800,268	6,769,820	7,008,972
Total business-type activities	10,372,652	10,151,140	10,296,195	10,440,853	10,314,066	9,188,272	8,946,691	7,800,268	6,769,820	7,008,972
Total primary government	\$ 12,809,513	\$ 13,692,675	\$ 14,159,120	\$ 14,005,133	\$ 14,402,185	\$ 12,306,131	\$ 12,365,050	\$ 10,577,057	\$ 9,390,318	\$ 10,487,060

TAX REVENUES BY SOURCE, GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

LAST TEN YEARS

MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Year	Real Estate	Real Estate Transfer	Earned Income	Amusement	Mechanical Device	Local Services	Parking	Total
2020	\$ 6,802,737	\$ 1,972,580	\$ 9,632,127	\$ 6,879	\$ 9,300	\$ 576,764	\$ 9,495	\$ 19,009,882
2019 (1)	6,972,203	1,541,598	9,479,467	10,178	8,800	617,806	36,623	18,666,675
2018	6,264,472	1,190,495	9,001,586	11,024	11,800	601,160	26,793	17,107,330
2017	6,059,746	1,469,351	8,872,836	12,703	13,800	618,879	33,717	17,081,032
2016 ⁽²⁾	5,961,578	1,190,387	8,592,482	14,138	10,800	611,523	31,156	16,412,064
2015	5,495,141	1,065,266	8,854,334	11,128	12,800	596,271	28,540	16,063,480
2014 ⁽³⁾	5,462,811	863,351	8,609,544	6,751	15,800	595,291	29,113	15,582,661
2013 (4)	4,708,595	887,749	8,151,792	150,480	18,200	603,959	26,605	14,547,380
2012 (5)	4,749,860	769,256	9,658,402	59,005	19,700	566,060	34,846	15,857,129
2011	4,234,480	656,810	7,441,390	20,493	24,407	570,427	40,283	12,988,290
Change								
2011-2019	60.7%	200.3%	29.4%	-66.4%	-61.9%	1.1%	-76.4%	46.4%

⁽¹⁾ In 2019, the following tax rate was increased: Real Estate Tax (from 2.53 mills to 2.78 mills)

⁽²⁾ In 2016, the following tax rate was increased: Real Estate Tax (from 2.32 mills to 2.53 mills)

⁽³⁾ In 2014, the following tax rate was increased: Real Estate Tax (from 1.98 mills to 2.32 mills)

⁽⁴⁾ In 2013, the following tax rate was decreased: Real Estate Tax (from 2.43 mills to 1.98 mills)

⁽⁵⁾ In 2012, the Real Estate Tax rate was increased from 2.18 mills to 2.43 mills. Also in 2012, Pennsylvania Law changed the way that Earned Income Tax is collected for all political subdivisions within the state. The change in collection procedures altered the timing of Earned Income Tax receipts which led to an increase in 2012 revenue.

PROPERTY TAX RATES - DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTS LAST TEN YEARS

Tax Year	Municipality of Bethel Park			Bethel Park School District	Allegheny County	Total
	General Millage	VFD Millage	<u>Total</u>			
2020	2.44	0.34	2.78	21.77	4.73	29.28
2019	2.44	0.34	2.78	21.00	4.73	28.51
2018	2.19	0.34	2.53	22.88	4.73	30.14
2017	2.19	0.34	2.53	22.88	4.73	30.14
2016	2.19	0.34	2.53	22.88	4.73	30.14
2015	1.98	0.34	2.32	22.88	4.73	29.93
2014	1.98	0.34	2.32	22.43	4.73	29.48
2013	1.98	0.00	1.98	21.86	4.73	28.57
2012	2.43	0.00	2.43	25.49	5.69	33.61
2011	2.18	0.00	2.18	24.97	4.69	31.84

Note: A mill is one one-thousandth of a dollar used to calculate a tax levied on real estate.

(One mill= \$.001)

Sources: Municipality of Bethel Park

Bethel Park School District

Allegheny County

ASSESSED VALUATION AND ESTIMATED ACTUAL VALUES OF TAXABLE PROPERTY LAST TEN YEARS

Year	Taxable Property Values ⁽¹⁾	Exempt Property Values	Total Property Values	Estimated Actual Values of Real Property ⁽²⁾	Ratio of Total Assessed to Estimated Actual Value	Bethel Park Municipality Millage Rate
2020	\$ 2,585,676,248	\$ 313,620,150	\$ 2,899,296,398	\$ 2,899,296,398	100%	2.78
2019	2,508,867,448	299,123,150	2,807,990,598	2,807,990,598	100%	2.78
2018	2,517,936,948	296,796,050	2,814,732,998	2,814,732,998	100%	2.53
2017	2,442,680,158	315,459,050	2,758,139,208	2,758,139,208	100%	2.53
2016	2,416,654,458	307,260,950	2,723,915,408	2,723,915,408	100%	2.53
2015	2,405,756,168	309,100,450	2,714,856,618	2,714,856,618	100%	2.32
2014	2,375,592,133	309,100,450	2,684,692,583	2,684,692,583	100%	2.32
2013	2,376,436,198	307,568,550	2,684,004,748	2,684,004,748	100%	1.98
2012	1,990,678,017	183,033,200	2,173,711,217	2,173,711,217	100%	2.43
2011	1,986,610,267	183,320,300	2,169,930,567	2,169,930,567	100%	2.18

⁽¹⁾ A court-ordered reassessment of all real estate within Allegheny County was completed in early 2012, resulting in a significant increase in taxable property values.

⁽²⁾ Estimated actual value is computed based on the assessed value and the assessment ratio as determined by the Allegheny County Office of Property Assessments.

PRINCIPAL REAL ESTATE TAXPAYERS CURRENT YEAR AND TEN YEARS AGO

December 31, 2020

December 31, 2011

Taxpayer	Estimated Actual Values of Real Property		Rank	Percentage of Total Assessed Valuation	 Estimated Actual Values of Real Property		Percentage of Total Assessed Valuation
South Hills Village Associates	\$	74,668,150	1	2.98%	\$ 74,304,200	1	3.74%
4000 Oxford Drive Associates		45,018,400	2	1.79%	30,046,300	2	1.51%
Dawson-Suncap SHV LLC		28,683,300	3	1.14%	13,715,900	5	0.69%
HCG Pittsurgh LLC (formerly Lincoln Pointe)		24,567,000	5	0.98%	18,726,800	3	0.94%
CPF Living Communities II		18,964,000	4	0.76%			
Jefferson Regional Medical		16,724,600	6	0.67%	10,377,800	7	0.52%
L&M Associates		16,129,600	7	0.64%	9,100,000	10	0.46%
Centro NP Bethel Park LLC		15,600,000	8	0.62%	14,214,700	4	0.72%
35th Strouss Associates		14,311,200	9	0.57%	-		0.00%
University of Pittsburgh Medical Center		13,516,900	10	0.54%	9,200,000	9	0.46%
Joseph Horne Co Inc		-		0.00%	13,500,000	6	0.68%
Sagecrest Bethel LLC				0.00%	 9,394,000	8	0.47%
	\$	268,183,150		10.69%	\$ 202,579,700		10.19%
Total Taxable Assessed Valuation	\$	2,508,867,448			\$ 1,986,610,267		

Sources: Allegheny County Office of Property Assessments
Jordan Tax Service

PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS

LAST TEN YEARS

Collected within Fiscal Year of Levy Total Collections to Date Percent of **Collections in Adjusted Total Face Value Adjusted Total** Year Tax Levy of Collections Tax Levy **Subsequent Years** Amount Percent of Levy 2020 \$ \$ 6,797,295 \$ \$ 7,111,738 95.58% 138,331 6,797,295 95.58% 2019 6,986,356 6,847,541 98.01% 19,810 6,847,541 98.01% 2018 6,261,377 6,080,881 97.12% 23,820 6,080,881 97.12% 2017 6,121,517 5,969,618 97.52% 5,969,618 97.52% 2016 6,044,056 5,918,844 97.93% 81,393 6,000,237 99.28% 2015 97.96% 88,583 99.56% 5,515,574 5,402,933 5,491,516 2014⁽¹⁾ 5,511,374 5,405,247 98.07% 84,904 5,490,151 99.61% 2013 4,705,344 97.59% 98.98% 4,591,754 65,728 4,657,482 2012 97.76% 43,502 98.67% 4,774,860 4,668,060 4,711,562 2011 4,274,751 4,184,807 97.90% 64,315 4,249,122 99.40%

Source: Municipality of Bethel Park Tax Records

⁽¹⁾ Beginning in 2014, the Municipality began levying an additional fire tax. The tax information presented for 2014 and later includes the portion related to the fire tax.

MUNICIPAL EARNED INCOME TAX REVENUE BASE AND COLLECTIONS LAST TEN YEARS MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Fiscal Year	Tax Rate	 Earned Income x Collected	Refunds	arned Income x Collected
2020	0.90%	\$ 9,849,092	\$ (124,685)	\$ 9,724,407
2019	0.90%	9,614,889	(135,422)	9,479,467
2018	0.90%	9,117,079	(115,493)	9,001,586
2017	0.90%	8,977,952	(105,116)	8,872,836
2016	0.90%	8,694,365	(101,883)	8,592,482
2015	0.90%	8,970,185	(115,851)	8,854,334
2014	0.90%	8,726,966	(117,422)	8,609,544
2013	0.90%	8,254,803	(103,011)	8,151,792
2012	0.90%	9,933,961	(275,559)	9,658,402
2011	0.90%	7,642,967	(201,577)	7,441,390

Note: Earned income tax rate and collection amounts represent only the municipal share. Bethel Park School

District levies a separate earned income tax at a rate of 0.50% for a 2017 combined rate of 1.40%.

Sources: Municipality of Bethel Park Tax Records

Municipality of Bethel Park Annual Financial Reports

EARNED INCOME TAX RATES - DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTS LAST TEN YEARS

Tax Year	Municipality of Bethel Park	Bethel Park School District	Direct & Overlapping Rate Total
2020	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2019	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2018	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2017	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2016	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2015	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2014	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2013	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2012	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%
2011	0.90%	0.50%	1.40%

Sources: Municipality of Bethel Park
Bethel Park School District

RATIOS OF GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING LAST TEN YEARS

General Bonded Debt

Year	Activities General Obligation Bonds	Business-type Activities General Obligation Bonds	Total Primary Government	% of Taxable Assessed Valuation	Debt pe Capita ⁽¹		Notes Payable	Total Primary Government Debt	Total % of Personal Income ⁽¹⁾	Deb	otal ot per opita
2020	\$ 17,520,000	\$ 68,299,639	\$ 85,819,639	3.32%	\$ 2,	656	\$ 3,181,361	\$ 89,001,000	8.12%	\$	2,754
2019	17,955,000	35,025,000	52,980,000	2.11%	1,	640	2,620,609	55,600,609	5.07%		1,721
2018	17,715,000	36,335,000	54,050,000	2.15%	1,	673	2,612,550	56,662,550	5.17%		1,754
2017	18,120,000	37,610,000	55,730,000	2.28%	1,	725	2,754,224	58,484,224	5.33%		1,810
2016	17,320,000	38,855,000	56,175,000	2.32%	1,	738	2,891,672	59,066,672	5.39%		1,828
2015	17,680,000	40,055,000	57,735,000	2.40%	1,	787	3,012,963	60,747,963	5.54%		1,880
2014	8,850,000	41,220,000	50,070,000	2.11%	1,	550	3,129,605	53,199,605	4.85%		1,646
2013	9,105,000	44,310,000	53,415,000	2.25%	1,	653	3,213,450	56,628,450	5.17%		1,752
2012	690,000	18,250,000	18,940,000	0.95%		586	3,735,862	22,675,862	2.07%		702
2011	940,000	19,045,000	19,985,000	1.01%		618	3,810,236	23,795,236	2.17%		736

Note: Details regarding the Municipality's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

⁽¹⁾ See the Schedule of Demographic and Economic Statistics on page 121 for earned income and population data.

LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION LAST TEN YEARS

Year	Three year average revenue (borrowing base) ⁽¹⁾	Legal debt limit	Debt applicable to limit ⁽³⁾	Legal debt margin	Legal debt margin %
2020	\$ 34,577,004	\$ 86,442,510	\$ 20,701,361	\$ 65,741,149	76.05%
2019	34,205,728	85,514,320	20,575,609	64,938,711	75.94%
2018	33,404,038	83,510,095	20,327,550	63,182,545	75.66%
2017	32,353,616	80,884,040	20,874,224	60,009,816	74.19%
2016	26,854,937	67,137,343	20,211,672	46,925,671	69.90%
2015	24,986,516	62,466,290	20,692,963	41,773,327	66.87%
2014	23,793,047	59,482,618	11,659,605	47,823,013	80.40%
2013	21,883,505	54,708,763	11,893,450	42,815,313	78.26%
2012	20,931,669	52,329,173	3,900,862	48,428,311	92.55%
2011	19,776,218	49,440,545	4,130,237	45,310,308	91.65%

⁽¹⁾ The local Governmental Unit Debt Act (Act 52 of 1978), reenacted and amending Act 185 of 1972 prescribes debt limits, net revenues, and the calculation of the borrowing base for all local units in Pennsylvania. The "Debt Act' is administered by the Pennsylvania Department of Economic Development.

^{(2) 250%} of borrowing base

⁽³⁾ Includes non-electoral debt less self-liquidating debt. All business-type activity debt is excluded because it is all considered lease rental debt, which is not counted against the legal debt limit reported above.

COMPUTATION OF DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING DEBT DECEMBER 31, 2020

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<u>Jurisdiction</u>		Net Debt Dutstanding	Percentage Applicable to Municipality of Bethel Park	Amount Applicable to Municipality of Bethel Park	
Direct Municipality of Bethel Park (1)	_\$	20,701,361	100.00%	\$	20,701,361
Total Direct Debt		20,701,361			20,701,361
Overlapping					
Bethel Park School District (2)		79,110,000	100.00%		79,110,000
County of Allegheny (3)		1,016,158,007	2.98%		30,281,509
Total Overlapping Debt		1,095,268,007			109,391,509
Total Debt	\$	1,115,969,368		\$	130,092,870

⁽¹⁾ The local Governmental Unit Debt Act (Act 52 of 1978), reenacted and amending Act 185 of 1972 prescribes debt limits, net revenues, and the calculation of the borrowing base for all local units in Pennsylvania. The "Debt Act" is administered by the Pennsylvania Department of Economic Development. The calculation of direct net outstanding debt excludes \$35,025,000 of debt related to business type activities of the Municipality.

⁽²⁾ Source: Pennsylvania Department of Education (figures are for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018)

⁽³⁾ Proportional share of Allegheny County's existing debt as of December 31, 2018 based on the ratio of the Municipality of Bethel Park's assessed valuation to Allegheny County's 2018 assessed valuation.

DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS LAST TEN YEARS

Year	Population ⁽¹⁾	Total Personal Income ⁽²⁾	Per Capita Personal Income ⁽³⁾	Median Age ⁽³⁾	Educational Attainment: Bechelor's Degree or Higher ⁽⁴⁾	Unemployment Rate ⁽⁵⁾	Average Sales Price of Residential Property (6)
2020	32,313 (a)	\$ 1,096,315,464	\$ 33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	7.1%	\$ 220,000
2019	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	6.0%	161,000
2018	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	4.0%	177,100
2017	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	4.1%	173,000
2016	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	4.7%	184,515
2015	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	4.3%	179,620
2014	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	4.1%	175,478
2013	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	5.9%	124,153
2012	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	6.8%	122,426
2011	32,313 (a)	1,096,315,464	33,928 (a)	46.1 (a)	40.8% (a)	6.2%	153,692

⁽¹⁾ Source: 2010 U.S. Census (a)

⁽²⁾ Source: Computation of per capita personal income multiplied by population

⁽³⁾ Source: 2010 U.S. Census (a) (4) Source: 2010 U.S. Census (a)

⁽⁵⁾ Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics Local Area Unemployment Statistics for Allegheny County

⁽⁶⁾ Source: RealSTATs, Inc.

PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS CURRENT YEAR AND TEN YEARS AGO

		2020	2011 (2)			
Employer:	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Municipal Employment	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Municipal Employment
Bethel Park School District	657	1	7.64 %	878	1	7.92 %
Giant Eagle Markets, Inc.	546	2	3.92	667	2	6.01
Walmart Associates, Inc.	174	3	1.35	181	5	1.63
Lowes Homecenters, Inc.	172	4	1.39	138	10	1.24
Home Depot USA Inc	151	5	1.27	-		-
Macy's Retail Holding, Inc.	147	6	1.79	351	3	3.16
St. Clair Memorial Hospital	146	7	1.18	-		-
PBS of America LLC	138	8	0.01			
Eat'N Park Restaurants	134	9	1.43	236	4	2.13
Port Authority of Allegheny County	133	10	0.01	159	7	1.43
Greater PGH Homecare Services		0	1.22	-		-
Southwest Human Services	-	0	-	167	6	1.51
South Hills Movers	-	0	-	152	8	1.37
Heartland Employment Services LLC	-	0	-	143	9	1.29
Total	2,398		21.21 %	3,072		27.69 %
Total Employees	11,092			8,775		

⁽¹⁾ Source: Municipality of Bethel Park Local Services Tax records

⁽²⁾ Source: Jordan Tax Services

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM LAST TEN YEARS

Function/Program:	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
General government:										
Administration	4.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Finance	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.75
Public safety:										
Police officers	37.00	38.00	40.00	42.00	36.00	36.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	36.00
Dispatch	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.00	4.50	4.00	4.00	4.00
Other department personnel	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00
Public works:										
Administration	11.00	8.50	8.50	8.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	8.75
Labor force	20.00	23.00	23.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	23.00
Sewage treatment	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Culture and recreation:										
Administration	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
Community Center staff	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	4.82	5.07
Public Access Television	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Conservation and development:										
Administration	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Total	102.82	106.32	107.32	108.32	101.32	100.57	100.07	99.57	99.57	102.82

Note: Part-time employees' FTE was calculated by dividing each employee's total annual hours by 2,080.

Source: Municipality of Bethel Park finance and personnel records.

OPERATING INDICATORS BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM
LAST TEN YEARS

Function/program:	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
General Government:										
Dye tests certified	500	613	525	467	478	452	442	456	402	347
Conservation and Development:										
Building permits issued	443	366	395	354	322	301	284	347	375	390
Estimated value of construction	\$16,238,013	\$17,365,510	\$27,593,320	\$52,593,062	\$54,846,125	\$61,738,695	\$24,782,198	\$14,291,342	\$12,240,151	\$18,830,156
Public Works:										
Roads resurfaced/reconstructed (linear feet)	23,503	28,497	36,351	20,567	23,963	20,567	31,599	27,372	19,373	21,010
Snow storm call-outs (1)	19	26	36	24	35	52	52	43	23	23
Salt used (in tons) (1)	7,095	5,457	3,375	3,219	8,025	10,000	13,501	13,059	7,474	4,517
Public Works (Sewer):										
Sanitary sewers rehabilitated (linear feet) (2)	795	225	225	36,351	24,901	53,409	46,092	658	199	9,085
Average daily sewage treatment	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.5	4.1
(in millions of gallons)										
Culture and Recreation:										
Number of seasonal programs	95	155	177	168	129	140	167	163	150	153
Community Center memberships sold	383	860	865	997	990	1,168	1,111	1,443	1,184	1,586
Hours of broadcasting aired on BPTV	7,644	6,552	5,824	8,760	9,125	5,824	6,552	5,460	4,380	4,380
Public Safety:										
Calls for service	12,880	14,609	14,661	16,951	14,632	14,442	14,359	14,880	14,914	16,090
Total arrests	400	520	600	737	452	533	458	509	663	662
Part I offenses reported (major offenses)	261	380	364	404	402	387	357	357	447	401
Part I offenses cleared	200	206	243	253	254	235	204	229	284	223
Part II offenses reported (other crimes)	513	545	622	748	707	564	575	588	679	605
Part II offenses cleared	239	270	361	399	316	244	241	281	391	317
DUI arrests	70	54	90	90	66	39	35	39	55	34

⁽¹⁾ Figures for snow storm call-outs and salt used are reported on a snow season basis, which overlaps years. The season is typically October through April. The reporting year used above represents the year in which the season began. For example, the figures reported in the 2017 column correspond to the snow season that began in October 2017.

Source: Municipality of Bethel Park records

⁽²⁾ The large figures in 2014-2017 are the result of the Bethel Park Municpal Authority spending down Guaranteed Sewer Reveune Bonds, Series of 2013 proceeds for various improvements to the Municpality's sewer system.

CAPITAL ASSET STATISTICS BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM LAST TEN YEARS

Function/program:	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
General Government:										
Square footage occupied (1)	14,179	14,179	14,645	16,132	14,645	14,645	14,645	14,645	14,645	14,645
Conservation and Development:										
Square footage occupied (1)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
Public Works:										
Municipal street (lane miles)	112	112	112	112	112	112	112	112	112	112
Sanitary sewers (miles)	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	193
Storm sewers (miles)	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
Square footage occupied - Municipal Building (1)	505	505	505	3,312	3,312	3,312	3,312	3,312	3,312	3,312
Square footage occupied - Public Works Complex	43,718	43,718	43,718	30,525	25,625	25,625	25,625	25,625	25,625	25,625
Culture and Recreation:										
Number of parks	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14
Acreage of park land and open space	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137
Recreation centers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Recreation center square footage	40,495	40,495	40,495	40,495	40,495	40,495	40,495	40,495	40,495	40,495
Public Safety:										
Square footage occupied (1)	11,807	11,807	11,807	7,047	7,047	7,047	7,047	7,047	7,047	7,047

⁽¹⁾ The reported square footage occupied is within the Bethel Park Municipal Building. In addition to the functions listed above, the Bethel Park Municipal Building is also partially occupied by the Bethel Park Library (16,931 sq. feet). The total square footage of the Bethel Park Municipal Building is 43,622.

Source: Municipality of Bethel Park