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INTRODUCTORY SECTION

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September 14, 2009

Members of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority Middlesex County, New Jersey

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority (the Authority) for the period ended May 31, 2009, is submitted herewith pursuant to the Service Agreement with the Township of Old Bridge, the Indenture of Trust on outstanding Revenue Bonds, and the provisions of Chapter 5A of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes Annotated, entitled "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law". Responsibility for the accuracy of the data and the completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the Authority. This Comprehensive Annual Financial Report was prepared by the staff of the Authority's Department of Finance. We believe the data, as presented, is accurate in all material respects, that it is presented in a manner designed to fairly set forth the financial position and results of operations of the Authority and that all disclosures necessary to enable the readers to gain the maximum understanding of the Authority's financial activity have been included.

The Authority's financial statements have been audited by Hodulik & Morrison, P.A., a firm of licensed certified public accountants and registered municipal accountants. The goal of the independent audit was to provide reasonable assurance that the financial statements of the Authority for the period ended May 31, 2009, are free of material misstatement. The independent audit involved examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in 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 unqualified opinion that the Authority's financial statements for the period ended May 31, 2009, are fairly presented in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP). The independent auditor's report is presented as the first component of the financial section of this report.

GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements in the form of Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A). This letter of transmittal is designed to complement the MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The Authority's MD&A can be found immediately following the report of the independent auditors.

The Authority implemented the Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 34, with the May 31, 2003 financial statements. GASB 34 is a dramatic change in governmental financial reporting. We believe this presentation will provide better information to the users of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report is presented in five sections: introductory, financial, statistical, single audit and general comments and recommendations.

Introductory Section

This letter of transmittal and such other material as maybe useful in understanding the reporting entity.

Financial Section

The auditor's report and financial statements of the Authority which present fairly the financial position, results of operations, and cash flows. Also included are schedules of budget comparisons, including comparisons by line of service. revenue bonds payable, insurance coverage's, and state financial assistance, including auditor reports required by New Jersey OMB Circular 04-04 (State Single Audit Mandate), as well as the auditor's General Comments and Recommendations, which are required by regulations of the Local Finance Board, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey.

Statistical Section

This unaudited section does contain substantial financial information, designed to assist the reader in understanding the Authority's service area and consumer base, and the Authority's historical growth and its future growth prospects. The tables presented in this section differ from the financial statements in that they may present certain nonaccounting data, cover more than two fiscal periods, and are designed to reflect demographic and economic trends as well as financial trends of the Authority.

Single Audit Section

Auditor's reports required by New Jersey OMB Circular 04-04 (State Single Audit Mandate) and the Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance, including the Notes thereto.

General Comments and

Additional auditor reporting on New Jersey statutory compliance as required by regulations of the Local Recommendations Finance Board, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey.

THE REPORTING UNIT

CREATION, POWERS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The Authority was created on November 4, 1985, by an ordinance of the Township of Old Bridge. The Authority resulted from consolidation of The Old Bridge Township Sewerage Authority ("OBTSA") and the former Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority ("OBMUA"), which was responsible for wastewater treatment and collection and water treatment and distribution, respectively. The combining of these operations has resulted in improved efficiency and cost-effectiveness of their operations under the Act, specifically N.J.S.A. 40:14-20, The Authority has certain powers, including but not limited to the ability:

To sue and to be sued;

To acquire, rent, uses and dispose of its service charges and other revenues and other monies;

To acquire, rent, hold, lease as lessor, use and dispose of personal property for the purpose of the Authority;

To acquire by purchase, gift, condemnation or otherwise, or lease as lessee, real property and easements therein, necessary or useful and convenient for the purposes of the authority;

To produce, develop, purchase, accumulate, distribute and sell water and water services, facilities and products within or without the Authority service area, provided that no water shall be sold at retail in any municipality outside the service area unless the governing body of such municipality shall have adopted a resolution requesting the authority to sell water at retail in such municipality, and the State Board of Public Utilities shall have approved such resolutions as necessary and proper for the public convenience;

To provide for and secure the payment of any bonds and the rights of the holders thereof, and to purchase, hold and dispose of any bonds;

To make and enforce by-laws or rules and regulations for the management and regulation of its business and affairs; and

To do and perform any acts and things authorized by the Act under, through or by means of its own officers, agents and employees, or by contract with any person.

COMPONENT UNIT STATUS

The Authority is considered to be a "Component Unit" of the Township of Old Bridge under GAAP, based upon the oversight responsibilities of the Township, which include:

- Appointment of the Members of the Authority
- · Approval of projects requiring the issuance of debt by the Authority, and
- Service Agreement provisions, which require the Township to finance any deficits of the Authority, effectively providing a guarantee of the Authority's debt service requirements.

The Township of Old Bridge follows a regulatory basis of accounting for financial statement preparation, which differs, significantly from GAAP. Of particular interest is the absence of reporting on component units based upon the separate legal status of these units. As such, the Township does not include the Authority as a component unit in its financial statements.

THE SYSTEM

The Water System Overview

The Authority is the only purveyor of water in the Township and provides, as of June 30, 2009, approximately 27,235 equivalent dwelling units in the Township with water service representing approximately 98% of users in the Township. The remainder of the residents of the Township obtains water from private wells. The Authority's water facilities (collectively, the "Water System") were principally constructed during the years 1955 through 1965 and 1983 through 2009. The overall condition of the facilities may be classified as good, and the Authority has an ongoing capital program for those of its facilities that are currently in need of rehabilitation.

Although the Authority has jurisdiction for supply of potable water to the residents of the Township, on June 17, 1988, the Authority also entered into an agreement with the Township of Aberdeen to sell that municipality up to 3.0 million gallons per day ("mgd") of finished water. The agreement provides for a minimum purchase of 0.8 mgd on a take-or-pay basis.

Water System Facilities

The Authority's present Water System facilities consist of eight wells, two water treatment plants (Browntown and Old Bridge), nine available storage tanks and four pressure booster stations. All water supply service areas, which cover approximately three-quarters of the area available for development in the Township, are interconnected via an extensive distribution system consisting primarily of six inch to twenty-inch water mains.

The rated capacities of the Authority's two water treatment plants are 5.0 mgd for the Browntown plant and 3.0 mgd for the Old Bridge plant. However, due to backwashing requirements, the maximum usable production from the two plants is approximately 7.5 mgd. On November 17, 1986, the Authority entered into an agreement with the Middlesex Water Company ("MWC") for the purchase of up to 9.0 mgd of finished water. Additionally, the Authority has emergency interconnections with Perth Amboy, Sayreville, Aberdeen and the Marlboro Municipal Utilities Authority. On June 17, 1988, the Authority entered into an agreement with the Township of Aberdeen to purchase finished water from time to time through the interconnection.

The treatment plants treat raw water withdrawn from the Authority's eight wells. The Authority's New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection ("NJDEP") permit allows it to withdraw up to 1,542.06 million gallons ("mg") per year, which corresponds to an average rate of 4.22 mgd. The maximum monthly allocation is limited to 222.5 mg, or an average rate of 7.3 mgd. In addition, the Authority currently purchases between 2.0 and 5.0 mgd from MWC.

Peak demands are met by the utilization of storage facilities. The Authority has 22.75 mg of storage capacity in nine elevated and/or ground storage tanks.

Water consumption in 2008 was 2.522 billion gallons, or an average of 6.91 mgd. Maximum water use occurs during the summer months as a result of increased demand for lawn watering, filling pools and other outdoor uses. In 2007 the maximum daily use occurred in July and for the month averaged 9.02 mgd. The maximum daily use in 2008 was 12.67mg on July 20, 2008. Withdrawals from storage are required during periods of maximum use.

In 2001 the Authority commenced installation of a radio read meter reading system to replace the time consuming practice of physically reading consumer water meters. Since the inception of this program to completion this year, the Authority connected all customer accounts to radio read meters using Authority force account employees. This completes our meter installation program where all 27,235 EDCU's are now radio reads.

A comparison of water use during calendar years 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008 is presented below:

<u>Year</u>	Yearly Average Flow, mgd	Maximum Monthly Flow, mgd
1999 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005	6.59 6.61 6.92 6.76 6.45 6.47 7.04	July (11.11) July (9.21) July (8.88) July (9.70) July (8.93) July (8.22)
2006 2007 2008	6.91 7.13 6.91	Aug (9.50) Aug (9.42) July (9.02) July (9.75)

Browntown Water Treatment Plant

The Browntown Water Treatment Plant is located at the intersection of Route 9 South and Throckmorton Lane. The plant has a rated capacity of 5.0 mgd. The plant is serviced by four wells, which pump groundwater to the two forced draft aerators. The aerators are used for iron conversion and hydrogen sulfide removal. Flow from the aerators enters a 78-foot diameter clarifier rated at 5.0-mgd capacity. Coagulating chemicals are added to the clarifier for removal of iron and turbidity via settling of the treated water. After clarification, the water is pumped to five pressure filters, which remove turbidity and small floc containing residual iron. A backwash holding tank is used to recover backwash water from the filters and also to remove the solids from the recycled backwash water. Iron sludge from the clarifier and backwash detention tank is discharged into the Authority's sanitary sewer system.

Five service pumps are used to distribute water to the distribution system. Prior to the filtration, the treated water is disinfected with chlorine and pumped to either the 0.5 million gallon clear well or directly to the distribution system.

Old Bridge Water Treatment Plant

The Old Bridge Water Treatment Plant has a rated capacity of 3.0 mgd and is served by four wells. The original plant pumped the water from the filters directly to the distribution system. In April 1996 the plant configuration was changed to encompass Oak Street Station as part of the Old Bridge Plant. The filters now pump the water to the two million-gallon tank on Oak Street, which water is then pumped out through the Oak Street Booster Station. A 2.5-mgd pump was also added to the Oak Street Station to give the station a total capacity of 6.0 mgd.

The reason for the plant improvement was to prevent the pressure from the pumps at the Old Bridge Plant from working against the pressures from the pumps in the Oak Street Station, and also to maintain a more consistent pressure in the South Old Bridge area.

Raw water is treated via forced draft aeration, clarification, filtration and disinfection prior to entering the 2.0 million-gallon tank on Oak Street. Two pressurized filters, each rated at 1.5 mgd, are installed at the plant.

Pressure Booster Stations

The Oak Street Booster Station contains four pumps, two each rated at 1,800 gallons per minute ("gpm"), one at 1,500 gpm and one at 900 gpm. The station is used in conjunction with the Oak Street Water Storage Tank to pump water into the Water System during periods of low pressure.

The Cheesequake Booster Station has four pumps that are capable of pumping 3,500 gpm to the Cheesequake area of the Township. Three pressure reducing valves, installed in early 1986, are used in conjunction with the Booster Station to provide adequate water pressure to the Cheesequake Section of the Township.

The Maple Avenue Booster Station contains two pumps rated at 1,500 gpm and 900 gpm. The Station is used in conjunction with the Maple Avenue Water Storage Tank to pump water into the system during periods of low pressure.

The Perrine Road Booster Station contains five pumps rated at 1,800 gpm, 1,600 gpm 1,600 gpm 1,500 gpm and 1,200 gpm. The station is used in conjunction with the Perrine Road Water Storage Tank and the Sayrewoods Elevated Water Storage Tank to supply water into the system to supplement the Authority's groundwater supplies.

Water Storage Tanks

The Authority has nine available water storage tanks with a total capacity of 22.75 mg.

Location	Capacity, (million gallons)	<u>Type</u>
Perrine Road	10.00	Ground
Higgins Road	3.00	Ground
Oak Street	2.00	Ground
Browntown Plant	0.50	Ground
Route 516	2.00	Ground
Maple Avenue	2.00	Ground
Sayrewoods	1.00	Elevated
Marlboro Road	2.00	Elevated
Route 35 (Laurence Harbor)	0.25	Elevated

Interconnection with Middlesex Water Company

In accordance with the conditions of the Authority's Water Supply Allocation Permit No. 5340 dated November 26, 2001, and the authority granted to NJDEP under the Water Supply Management Act of 1981 (N.J.S.A. 58:1A-1 et seq.), the Authority is under ongoing regulatory mandate to reduce its dependence on groundwater supplies.

The Old Bridge wells are in the State's Critical Area No. 1 and as such, must reduce withdrawals of groundwater by 40-50 percent based on actual use in 1983. In order to accomplish these groundwater supply reductions, the Authority entered into an agreement (the "MWC Agreement") for a term of twenty years with the MWC to supply up to 9.0 mgd of surface water. The MWC Agreement was signed on November 17, 1986, and the Township began taking water under such MWC Agreement in May 1988. The MWC Agreement was extended on May 7, 2003 for an additional ten (10) years.

In accordance with the Authority's NJDEP Permit (W.S. Permit No. 5340), the Authority was permitted to divert 222.5 million gallons per month (an average of 7.3 mgd) of groundwater from their supply wells at a maximum rate of 6,000 gallons per minute. Beginning in May 1988, the effective date of use of water from the MWC, the Authority's allocation was reduced to 1,428.58 million gallons annually or an average of 3.9 mgd.

These cutbacks, which were in accordance with the requirements for reduction of groundwater withdrawals imposed by NJDEP, required that groundwater withdrawals from all wells in Critical Area No. 1 (which includes the Township) be reduced by 40 to 50 percent of 1983 use.

In 1995 the Authority purchased Diversion Rights from South Amboy increasing the groundwater withdrawal amount up to the current 1,542.06 million gallons or an average of 4.2 mgd.

In accordance with the MWC Agreement, the Authority is obligated to take-or-pay a minimum of 2.0 mgd. This minimum commitment will increase as the average and peak use of MWC water by the Township increases.

Based upon its current water usage projections, the Authority anticipates that based on the conjunctive use of the Authority wells and MWC water, sufficient supply is available through the year 2025. The present rate of water purchased from MWC is \$1,938.49 per million gallons.

The Authority's 2008 average daily water supply demand was 6.91 mgd, and such demand is currently projected to be 8.4 mgd in 2014, increasing up to 10.9 mgd by 2025. In order to meet these projected demands, the Authority must increase its dependence on surface water supplies or supplies from non-critical areas. At the present time, it is contemplated that these supplies will be provided by MWC. The contract with MWC provides for up to 9.0 mgd of supply.

The Sewer System Overview

The Authority serves, as of June 30, 2009, was 26,380 equivalent dwelling units with sewage disposal services and provides such services throughout the Township. The majority of the pumping stations as well as much of the piping conveyance facilities (collectively, the "Sewer System") were constructed by private developers and subsequently accepted by the Authority. The Authority conducts an ongoing maintenance program on the Sewer System, including inspections, testing, flushing, repairs and replacements.

The Authority's Sewer Division has the responsibility for accomplishing, by all reasonable and economic means, the relief of the waters in and bordering the State from pollution arising from causes within the Township and the consequent improvement of conditions affecting the public health. The Authority has exclusive responsibility for sewage disposal development within the Township, and the establishment of competitive sewerage facilities is prohibited by the Act.

Sewage Disposal Facilities

The Sewer System consists of two major components: the piping conveyance facilities and pumping stations. The Sewer System serves the seven main drainage areas of the Township. The Iresick, Tennents Brook, Deep Run, Pricketts Brook and Matchaponix drainage areas represent approximately eighty percent (80%) of the area of the Township and are sewered by Authority trunk sewers tributary to the South River Interceptor of the Middlesex County Utilities Authority ("MCUA"). This sewage flow is metered by two metering/sampling chambers and is treated at the MCUA's secondary treatment plant.

The Lake Lefferts and Raritan Bay drainage areas represent approximately the remaining twenty- percent (20%) of the Township and are sewered by Authority trunk sewers tributary to the South Bay Interceptor. This sewage flow is metered by a metering/sampling chamber located in Cliffwood Beach and is treated at the MCUA's secondary treatment plant.

MCUA Treatment

Under an ongoing agreement between the Authority and MCUA ("MCUA Agreement"), the MCUA is responsible to treat sewage collected within the Township and discharged by the Authority to the MCUA. The MCUA imposes charges therefore at the same rates as for other customers for treatment services. Under the MCUA Agreement, the Authority discontinued treatment and conveys all sewage collected by it to the MCUA for treatment.

The Sewage Collection System

The Authority owns and maintains an extensive system of collector and trunk sewers comprising approximately 210 miles of pipe, which serves all seven drainage areas of the Township. The Authority has four major trunk sewers, which are fed by many smaller collector systems. Gravity sewers range in size from 6 to 42 inches in diameter and force mains range between 3 and 20 inches in diameter.

Four major trunk sewers, the Iresick, the Deep Run, the Runyon and the Laurence Harbor trunk sewers, serve the seven drainage basins. The Laurence Harbor trunk sewer line through the swamps by Margarets Creek was replaced within the last year and should save substantial sums due to the reduction on inflow from the swamps.

The Authority owns, operates and maintains thirty-five sewage pumping stations which includes one ejector station.

FACTORS AFFECTING FINANCIAL CONDITION

The information presented in the financial statements is perhaps best understood when considered from the broader perspective of the environment within which the Authority provides service.

Local Economy

With over 66,000 people and a land area of approximately 40 sq. miles, Old Bridge is the third largest community in Middlesex County. When you think Old Bridge Township, your thoughts can be as diverse as the community itself. From the tranquility of the 1,569 acre Cheesequake State Park to the quaint bay front communities of Laurence Harbor and Cliffwood Beach; from rural farmlands to modern suburban neighborhoods; from lazy winding country roads to the lively activity of the Route 9 shopping corridor; Old Bridge continues to be a place where people can live, work and play in a manner suitable to their own unique needs. Nestled in the southeast corner of Middlesex County, Old Bridge has experienced steady growth while maintaining its commitment to preserve open space. State, County and Municipal parks and recreation areas conveniently dot the community offering a respite from the everyday hustle and bustle of modern day life. Whether you prefer a stroll on a sandy beach, a lakeside picnic, boating or a jog on a nature trail, Old Bridge continues to provide the perfect destination for enjoying nature's many gifts.

The Township's location makes it one of Central New Jersey's premier economic growth areas and economic development is a priority in Old Bridge. Traversed by the Garden State Parkway, Route 18, 9, 34 and 35, Old Bridge is fast becoming a place to grow a business or an industry. Whether your business or industry is local, state, national or international, Old Bridge offers easy access to major markets, a diverse workforce and a built in consumer base. Its proximity to Newark International Airport, Port Elizabeth and the New Jersey Turnpike make getting your product to and from Old Bridge a "snap". Available sites zoned to welcome commercial, office and industrial uses together with a "business friendly" atmosphere make Old Bridge the right destination to develop, relocate or expand your business. Whether it's hi-tech, biotech, light industrial, pharmaceutical or professional office, you'll feel at home in Old Bridge.

New Business

The Authority continues to be customer and market driven. The FY 2009/10 budget includes funds and programs to focus on customer service and the upgrading and improvement of both our Water & Sewer Division's infrastructure, to accommodate an ever growing community.

Strategic Management Planning

The Authority's Strategic Plan continues to promote interdepartmental communication and cooperation, and encourages increased employee involvement in achieving company goals that support the Authority's Mission Statement. Staff updated the Board concerning key issues in a meeting in early March 2009 to determine future direction of the utility. That discussion is ongoing at this time.

The Authority's Key Result Areas as presented in the FY 2010 Strategic Plan are as follows:

Priority No. 1 - Customer Satisfaction and Expansion:

Customer Satisfaction, Ease of Acquiring Service, New or Rejuvenated Revenue Sources, Economic Development, Market Share, and New Opportunities.

Priority No. 2 - Corporate Culture:

Values, Performance Based Organization, Goals and Accountability, Training, Communications, and Safety Performance.

Priority No. 3 - Corporate Planning:

Facilities Master Planning and Long-Range Planning.

Priority No. 4 - Economic Decision Making:

Spending (Capital, Operations and Maintenance).

Priority No. 5 - Financial Performance:

Cost of Service

Long Term Capital Planning

The Authority's capital renewal, expansion, and improvements continue. The multiplicity of requirements by regulatory agencies also demands much capital. Renewals and replacements are necessary due to the aging infrastructure currently under way. Most replacements are the result of redevelopment efforts, which increase our costs and provide no additional revenue. In an effort to strategically expend the Authority's limited resources, Department Heads meet approximately twice annually to discuss and update capital plans. This allows for coordination between the numerous agencies the Authority's staff interacts with to accomplish its plans.

Major projects include:

- Laurence Harbor Trunk Sewer Relocation (\$6,000,000)
- LH Area Transmission Lines (\$4,500,000)
- Higgins Rd Tank Connection (\$2,750,000)
- Groundwater infiltration reduction and sewer main lining projects (Multi Year Plan) (\$1,800,000)
- Route 516 Maintenance Building (\$1,500,000)
- LH Water Main Reinforcements (\$1,500,000)
- Cheesequake Booster/OB WTP (\$1,500,000)
- Bulkhead at Laurence Harbor Offices (\$750,000)
- Arbors Force Main Replacement (\$600,000)
- NEW Groundwater Diversionary Rights (\$500,000)

Since many of the projects rehabilitate deteriorating lines in the older sections of town, the impact on operating and maintenance expenses related to that rehabilitation is expected to be favorable. Due to the increased usage of low flow devices there has been drop in the overall discharge of effluent to MCUA thereby saving the Authority additional fees in the treatment of our sewerage flow. The ongoing relining project has also had a huge impact on the reduction of infiltration and inflow to the Authority's lines, reducing operating costs on an ongoing basis. This has saved the authority approximately \$1.5 million per year in reduced processing fees. Current and future planned projects will increase this calculated savings.

Budgets

The Department of Finance prepares estimates for departmental review. Department Heads review and revise them where necessary and respective Directors sign off on these revised budgets.

The Budget Review Committee, consisting of the Executive Director, Chief Financial Officer and Internal Auditor, discusses the budgets with the respective Department Heads and revise as needed. The Authority's Board of Commissioners reviews and approves each of the two prefatory budgets (Operations Budget – Personnel and O&M combined, and Capital Budget).

With the implementation of SCADA (supervisory control and data acquisition) system, automating plant operations through consolidating control to the Browntown Plant, the upgrade of our meter reading system to radio reads, resulting in the elimination of meter reading positions, and the reassignment of responsibilities of the existing staff to cover the duties of employees who have resigned or retired to eliminate the need for replacement, there has been a reduction of 21 employees within the last 7 years.

The budget is prepared on the accrual basis, with modifications where required to comply with the governing regulations; accordingly, revenues and expenses are budgeted for specific periods of time and are recorded as incurred, along with acquired assets, without regard to the date of receipts or payment of cash.

The Authority is required by N.J.A.C. 5:31-2.1(j) and 5:31-2.3 to prepare, adopt, and provide an annual budget no later than 60 days prior to the beginning of its fiscal year. The annual budget and any amendments thereto shall not be in effect until approved by the Authority, and the Director of the Division of Local Government Services. Once approved, the Annual Budget becomes the basis for operating and for capital expenditures during the ensuing fiscal year. Budgetary control is provided by monthly revenue and expense reports. Monthly financial statements are provided to the Board of Commissioners for review in advance of a verbal presentation of financial activity at regularly scheduled Board meetings.

The statutory budget and the financial reporting thereon differ in certain respects from GAAP. A reconciliation of the reported results on the budgetary basis to GAAP is included as part of the other supplementary information schedules.

Due to available Retained Earnings in both the Water and Wastewater Divisions there were no increases in either Division for the Fiscal Year that started June 1, 2009.

<u>Internal Controls</u>

The Authority operates within a system of internal accounting controls established and continually reviewed by management to provide reasonable assurance that assets are adequately safeguarded and transactions are recorded in accordance with Authority policies and procedures. When establishing and reviewing controls, management must consider the cost of the control and the value of the benefit derived from its utilization.

Management normally maintains or implements only those controls for which its value adequately exceeds its costs. Recent audits have not noted any weaknesses in internal controls.

Cash Management

The Authority has a consolidated banking service agreement with a local depository bank, which provides that all funds earn interest through either certificates of deposit or investment securities. "Investment Securities" shall mean and include any of the following securities, if and to the extent the same are at the time legal for investment of Authority funds:

- (i) direct obligations of or obligations unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America;
- (ii) obligations issued or guaranteed by any agency or instrumentality of the United States of America, which obligations are fully secured as to the payment of both principal and interest by or entitled to the full faith and credit of the United States of America;
- (iii) general obligations issued or guaranteed by any state of the United States of America or any political subdivision of any such state; provided that such obligations of such state or political subdivision are rated in either of the two highest rating categories by Moody's Investors Service and Standard & Poor's Corporation, or upon the discontinuance of either or both such rating services, by at least one other nationally recognized rating service then providing such rating services:
- (iv) Interest-bearing demand or time deposits (including certificates of deposit) in banks (including the Trustee) and savings and loan associations, which banks or savings and loan associations or holding companies by which such banks or savings and loan associations are owned, have a consolidated capital, surplus and undivided profits of at least \$25,000,000 at the time of the investment and any renewal thereof and such deposits are secured at all times, in the manner and to the extent provided by law, by collateral security described in clauses (i) or (ii) of this definition and of a market value of no less than the amount of moneys so invested; provided, however, the requirements for consolidated capital, surplus and undivided profits and collateralization above shall not apply to investments in deposits of an issuer which at the tune of issue is certified by the New Jersey Department of Banking as eligible pursuant to the New Jersey Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act, or in interest bearing demand or time deposits to the extent such deposits are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation:
- (v) Repurchase agreements collateralized by securities described in (i) or (ii) above with (a) any registered broker/dealer subject to the Securities Investors' Protection Corporation jurisdiction, or (b) any commercial bank, if such broker/dealer or bank has an uninsured, unsecured and unguaranteed obligation rated "Prime-1" "Aa-3" or better by Moody's Investors Service and "A-1" or "AA-" or better by Standard & Poor's Corporation, provided (a) a specific written agreement governs the transaction; (b) the securities are held free and clear of any lien by the Trustee (unless the Trustee is obligated under the repurchase agreement) or an independent third party acting solely as agent for the Trustee, and such third party is (i) a Federal Reserve Bank (ii) a bank which is a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and

has combined capital, surplus and undivided profits of not less than \$25,000,000, or (iii) a bank approved in writing for such purpose by the Bond Insurer, and the Trustee shall have received written confirmation from said third party that it holds said securities, free and clear of any lien, as agent for the Trustee; (c) a perfected first security interest under the Uniform Commercial Code or the book entry procedures described in 31 C.F.R. 306.1 et seq. or 31 C.F.R. 350.0 et seq. in such securities is created for the benefit of the Trustee; (d) the repurchase agreement has a term to maturity of thirty days or less, or the Trustee will value the collateral securities no less frequently than monthly and will liquidate the collateral securities if any deficiency in the required collateral percentage is not restored within two business days of such valuation; (e) the repurchase agreement, if held in the Debt Service Fund, shall mature at least ten days (or other appropriate liquidation period) prior to an Interest Payment Date; and (f) the fair market value of the securities in relation to the amount of the repurchase obligation, including principal and interest, is equal to at least 100%; and

(vi) Money markets investing solely in obligations of (i) or (ii) of this definition

The passive cash management program involves a theory of keeping principal and earnings free from risk, maintaining reasonable liquidity to meet maturing obligations and maximizing return through the use of competitive rate comparisons from various investment sources. An average investment rate of 1.89% was earned on cash balances, down from the 4.17% from the previous year. The decrease in interest income is a direct result of the interest rate environment that has accompanied decreases in the discount rate set by the Federal Reserve Bank.

Risk Management

The Authority has a comprehensive risk management program. In addition, quarterly meetings are held with management, the risk management consultant and insurers to review coverage and risks. A schedule of insured risks and coverage amounts is included in the insurance coverage's Note 10 covers the risk related to the Authority's self-funded employee and retiree health plan and the reinsurance program in effect to limit both individual and aggregate losses.

Pension and Other Post Employment Benefits

The Authority participates in the Public Employees' Retirement System ("PERS"), a State of New Jersey administered, cost-sharing multi-employer defined benefit plan. Note 7 provides more specific information on the plan.

The Authority offers its employees a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code. Plan participation is optional to Authority employees, and the Authority has no fiduciary responsibility for the plan. Additional information relating to the deferred compensation plan can be found in Note 4.

In addition to providing pension benefits, the Authority provides health benefits to certain retirees and their spouses and dependent children. Eligibility is based upon the attainment of a specified age and/or years of eligible service. Note 9 provides details of the eligibility criteria.

Beginning this Fiscal Year the Authority implemented GASB 45 reporting in recording the ongoing liability of the Authorities future OPEB costs.

Debt Management

At May 31, 2009, the Authority had outstanding insured revenue bonds in the amount of \$48,802,207. Debt service schedules go out to 2028. Interest rates range from 0.0% on Bonds issued as part of the state sponsored New Jersey Wastewater Treatment Trust Fund and New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Fund (NJEITF) to 5.70% on the bonds. Use of the NJEITF as the financing vehicle for OBMUA capital projects results in both lower over-all interest costs and a reduction in the costs associated with the issuance of debt. All outstanding bonds are insured and rated AAA. Principal payments are due November 1 of each year. The principal for the bonds due November 1, 2009, is \$3,236,272. Management and the Authority's Financial Advisor constantly monitor market conditions to determine if interest rate declines present opportunities for savings through the refunding of outstanding debt. The Authority has taken comprehensive actions to limit the costs in the current debt service maturity schedule. Utilization of the NJEITF financing program for eligible capital projects over a fifteen-year period from 1993 through 2008 has resulted in interest savings to the Authority in excess of \$4.3 million. Current and advance refundings of existing debt in 2002, 2004, 2006 and 2009, based upon improving market conditions, resulted in additional aggregate savings to the Authority of \$4.26 million. Such refundings require the approval of the New Jersey Local Finance Board and generally must yield a net present value savings of at least 3% of debt service cash flows. Full details of the specific Bond Issues outstanding may be found in Note 5 and the Schedule 1 of the statistical section.

Service Agreement

SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH THE TOWNSHIP OF OLD BRIDGE

The Agreement establishes conditions under which the Authority shall operate the System and from time to time enlarge, alter, renew and replace the same. The following is an outline of certain provisions of the Agreement, with various comments thereon, and does not purport to be a full and complete statement of the provisions of the Agreement, which should be read in full for a complete understanding thereof.

Establishment of Rates

The Agreement provides that the Authority will charge Service Charges in accordance with the Act at least to the extent required by the Agreement and at the rates established in accordance with the Agreement. In order to finance deficits, as described below, the Authority will charge the Township Annual Charges computed in accordance with the Agreement. The Annual Charges made by the Authority to be paid by the Township for or with respect to any Fiscal Year shall include and make provisions for all of the amounts (not actually paid from Service Charges, bond proceeds, insurance proceeds, interest income, contributions received by or for account of the Authority until after the payment in full of all other obligations of the Authority including its bonds, original or refunding or both, or reserves available at the beginning of such year) necessary (1) to pay or provide for the expenses of operation and maintenance of the System, including (without limitation) sewerage treatment charges, water purchases, water charges, insurance, renewals, replacements, extensions, enlargements, alterations and betterments, but excluding depreciation, (2) to pay or provide for principal or redemption price of and interest on outstanding bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness of the Authority becoming due during such Fiscal Year, (3) to pay or provide for any deficits of the Authority resulting from failure to receive sums payable to the Authority by the Township, any other municipality, any county or any person, or from any other cause, and (4) to maintain such reserve or sinking fund to provide for expenses of operation and maintenance of the System or for any interest on or principal or redemption price of bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness of the Authority or for any such deficits as may be required by the terms of any contract, indenture or bond resolution of the Authority or be deemed necessary or desirable by the Authority.

Payment of Annual Charges by Township

For or in connection with the sale and supplying of water and the treatment and disposal of sewage or other wastes in the Township by means of the System during each Fiscal Year, the Township shall pay to the Authority Annual Charges made and charged by the Authority to and payable by the Township for such Fiscal Year computed by the Authority as provided in this Article. Within thirty (30) days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Authority shall notify the Township of the estimated Annual Charges for the preceding Fiscal Year. Within sixty (60) days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Authority will make and deliver to the Township its certificate stating the amount of the Annual Charges (if any) for such preceding Fiscal Year (the "Prior Annual Charges Deficiency Notice") computed in accordance with this Agreement accompanied by the written approval, signed by an Accountant, of the statements in such certificate. The Annual Charges for each Fiscal Year, to the extent that any part thereof shall not have been theretofore paid, shall in all events be due and payable within forty-five (45) days of receipt by the Township of the Prior Annual Charges Deficiency Notice, but current provision for and payment of part of such Annual Charges on an annualized basis shall be made by the Township in accordance with the following paragraphs of this Section.

By the first business day of each Fiscal Year, the Authority will make an estimate of the amount of the Annual Charges which will become payable by the Township for such Fiscal Year and thereafter within thirty (30) days of the commencement of such Fiscal Year. In the event that any part of any Annual Charges theretofore becoming payable by the Township shall not have been paid, the Authority will include in such certificate an additional provision separately stating the amount of such unpaid part (hereinafter called the "Prior Annual Charges Deficiency.

The Township will in each year make all budgetary and other provisions or appropriations necessary to provide for and authorize the payment by the Township to the Authority during each Fiscal Year of the estimated amount of the Annual Charges Deficiency (if any) stated in the certificate delivered in such Fiscal Year to it by the Authority as aforesaid.

Within forty-five (45) days of receipt of any Prior Annual Charges Deficiency Notice, the Township will pay to the Authority the amount of the Prior Annual Charges Deficiency stated in the certificate delivered in such Fiscal Year to it by the Authority as aforesaid. The Township will pay to the Authority that part of the estimated amount of the Annual Charges stated in the certificate delivered in such Fiscal Year to it by the Authority as aforesaid in three equal installments on the first day of August, November and February of each Fiscal Year (in a Fiscal Year ending May 31) or the equivalent of the first day of the month sixty (60) days, one hundred fifty (150) days and two hundred forty (240) days following the receipt of any Prior Annual Charges Deficiency Notice.

In the event that the amount of the Annual Charges made and charged by the Authority to and payable by the Township for any Fiscal Year computed as provided in this Article shall be less than the estimated amount of such Annual Charges (as aforesaid) stated in the certificate delivered in such Fiscal Year to it by the Authority, the Authority will credit the difference between said amounts to the Township against the amount of the next payment becoming due to the Authority from the Township.

The Authority has agreed to repay to the Township all moneys paid to the Authority under the Agreement, except for Service Charges on property owned by the Township itself, within five years after such payment by the Township, without interest only from Surplus Revenues of the Authority.

Rates of Service Charges

The Service Charges to be prescribed, fixed and charged by the Authority pursuant to the Agreement shall be computed in accordance with and at the rates shown on the schedule of such charges annexed to the Agreement, which is the Authority's rate schedule as presently in effect. The Authority shall not without the written consent of the Township adopt or make any amendment to said schedule if (a) with respect to any Fiscal Year after the end of the second Fiscal Year after the date of the Agreement, there has been an Annual Charge payable in either of the two Fiscal Years next preceding the adoption of such amendment, (b) with respect to any Fiscal Year, the Authority anticipates that an Annual Charge will be payable or (c) at the time of the adoption of such an amendment there remains any Annual Charges that have not been repaid to the Township by the Authority. However, the Authority may adopt or make any amendment to said schedule if such amendment (a) imposes or affects only a connection charge to be made to the Authority for or with respect to each making or discontinuing of a service connection to the System, or (b) is required by the terms of any final judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction or (c) is required by any of the terms or provisions of, or any of the covenants made for the benefit of holders of Bonds

Miscellaneous Provisions

In the Agreement the Township agrees not to construct or permit the construction of any water supply, distribution system, sewage disposal plant or sewers or other facilities for distribution of water within, or the collection, treatment or disposal of sewage originating in, the Township unless the Authority shall have given its written consent to such construction. The Agreement provides that Authority shall not construct or acquire any extension of any water main as an extension of the Water System or any extension of any sewer as an extension of the Sewerage System without a certificate of a consulting engineer stating the opinion that the estimated Service Charges to be collected with respect to the System, together with other available funds and revenues, other than Annual Charges, exceed the estimated operating expenses with respect to the System for a period of not less than three years after the time of placing in operation of such extension.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, the Authority shall not enlarge, alter or improve the Water System or the Sewer System or renew or replace any part thereof which requires the issuance of debt by the Authority, unless the Township first receives a written notice of the Authority's intent to issue debt and estimated total debt to be issued from the Authority's Executive Director at least thirty (30) days prior to the issuance of debt.

In the Agreement the Authority may assign or pledge for the benefit and security of the holders of Bonds all of its rights under the provisions of the Agreement to receive payments from the Township and thereafter the Agreement may not be terminated, modified or changed by either the Authority or the Township except in the manner (if any) and subject to the conditions (if any) permitted by the terms and provisions of such assignment or pledge. The Agreement may be terminated by either party after such time that Bonds are no longer outstanding, but only upon two years' prior written notice to the other party.

AWARDS and ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the District for its CAFR for the fiscal year ended May 31, 2008. The Certificate of Achievement is a prestigious national award recognizing conformance with the highest standards for preparation of state and local government financial reports.

In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, the Authority published an easily readable and efficiently organized CAFR that satisfied both generally accepted accounting principles and legal requirements. The Authority has received a Certificate of Achievement from the GFOA for the last five (5) consecutive fiscal years (fiscal years ended 2004-2008).

A Certificate of achievement is valid for one year only. We believe that our current CAFR continues to meet the Certificate of Achievement Program's requirements and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate. The preparation of this report on a timely basis could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of the entire staff of the Authority's Department of Finance. The Authority's Finance Department was honored to receive the "Award of Excellence in Financial Reporting" for the 2008 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. I would like to express my appreciation to all members of the Department who assisted and contributed to its preparation. I would also like to express my thanks to the to the Board of Commissioners, the Executive Director, our in house Engineer and the entire Authority staff for their interest and support in planning and conducting the financial operations in a responsible and progressive manner. The staff especially appreciates the invaluable guidance and encouragement of the Authority's external auditor, Hodulik & Morrison, P.A.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen A. Florek II, Chief Financial Officer

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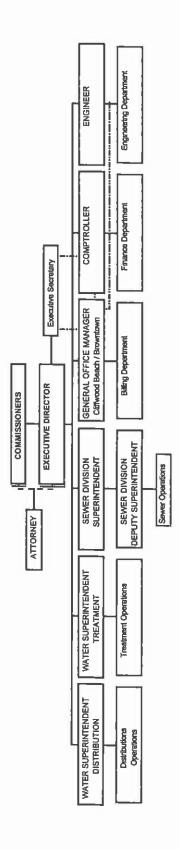
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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Chairman and Members of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority Middlesex County, New Jersey

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority ("Authority"), Middlesex County, New Jersey for the years ended May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008, and the related statements of revenues, expenses and change in net assets and cash flows for the periods then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Authority's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards for audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Authority as of May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008 and the changes in its net assets and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued our reports dated September 14, 2009 on our consideration of the Authority's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Governmental Auditing Standards</u> and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Management's Discussion and Analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 30 through 39 is not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it. The statistical section has not been subjected to the procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

Our audits were made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority, Middlesex County, New Jersey, taken as a whole. The accompanying schedules of expenditures of state awards are presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations" and New Jersey OMB Circular 04-04 and are not a required part of the financial statements. The other supplementary information and supplemental schedules, as listed in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

HODULIK & MORRISON, P.A. Certified Public Accountants Registered Municipal Accountants

Robert S. Morrison Registered Municipal Account No. 412

Highland Park, New Jersey September 14, 2009

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

This section of Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's (the Authority) annual financial report presents the analysis of the Authority's financial performance during the fiscal year that ended on May 31, 2009. Please read it in conjunction with the financial statements, which follow this section.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Net Increase of Investments by \$3.1 million or 53.2%.
The Authority's Total Assets increased by \$14.69 million or 10.9%.
Capital contributions of the Authority increased by \$5.5 million or 15.2% in the current year for a total aggregate of \$41.8 million.
Overall increase in customer base over the last eight years by 12.9% or 3,068 EDCU's in conjunction with a decrease by 23 employee's or 26.1%, helps to maintain and preserve our current rates.
Implementation of GASB 45 (Other Post Employment Benefits) into the financials during this past fiscal year.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Authority is a single enterprise fund even though it provides various utility services. The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report is presented in five sections: Introductory, Financial, Statistical, Single Audit and General Comments and Recommendations. The Introductory section includes a letter of transmittal, the Authority's Organizational Chart, and a System Overview. The Financial section includes Management's Discussion and Analysis, Financial Statements with accompanying notes, Supplementary Information, and the Independent Auditor's Report. The Statistical section includes selected financial, operational, and demographic information, generally presented on a multi-year basis. The Single Audit section includes additional financial information and Independent Auditor reporting required by New Jersey OMB Circular 04-04. The General Comments and Recommendations section presents required additional auditor reporting on New Jersey statutory compliance. The Authority adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 34 for the fiscal period ending May 31, 2003, and Other Post Employment Benefits (GASB) Statement 45 starting in fiscal year ended May 31, 2009.

REQUIRED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements report information about the Authority using accounting methods similar to those used by private sector companies. These statements offer short- and long-term financial information about its activities.

The **Statement of Net Assets** includes all of the Authority's assets and liabilities and provides information about the nature and amounts of investments in resources (assets) and the obligations to Authority creditors (liabilities). It also provides the basis for computing rate of return, evaluating the capital structure of the Authority and assessing the liquidity and financial flexibility of the Authority.

All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the **Statement of Revenues**, **Expenses**, **and Changes in Net Assets**. This statement measures the success of the Authority's operations over the past year and can be used to determine whether the Authority has successfully recovered all its costs through its user fees and other charges. This statement also measures the Authority's profitability and credit worthiness.

The other required financial statement is the *Statement of Cash Flows*. The primary purpose of this statement is to provide information about the Authority's cash receipts and cash payments during the reporting period. This statement reports cash receipts, cash payments, and net changes in cash resulting from operations, investing and financing activities, and provides answers to such questions as "where did cash come from, what was cash used for, and what was the change in cash balance during the reporting period?"

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE AUTHORITY AS A WHOLE

One of the most important questions asked about the Authority's finances is "Is the Authority, as a whole, better off or worse off as a result of the year's activities?" The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Net Assets report information about the Authority's activities in a way that will help answer this question. These two statements report the net assets of the Authority, and changes in them. You can think of the Authority's net assets – the difference between assets and liabilities – as one way to measure financial health or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the Authority's net assets are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. However, you will need to also consider other non-financial factors such as changes in economic conditions, customer growth, and legislative mandates.

Net Assets

The Authority's total net assets increased from last year by \$8.58 million or 10.6%. The analysis which follows focuses on the Authority's net assets (Table 1) and changes in net assets (Table 2) during the year.

Table 1 Net Assets (Dollars in Thousands)

	<u>May 31,</u>	May 31,	May 31,	2009-200 Increase/(Dec		2008-20 Increase/(De	
	2009	2008	2007	<u>\$</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>%</u>
Current and Other Assets	\$46,926	\$43,831	\$48,531	\$3,095	7.1%	-\$4,700	-9.7%
Capital Assets	102,381	90,786	84,473	11,595	12.8%	6,313	7.5%
Total Assets	<u>\$149,307</u>	<u>\$134,617</u>	\$133,004	\$14,690	10.9%	\$1,613	1.2%
Long-Term Liabilities	\$50,799	\$44,090	\$47,656	\$6,709	15.2%	-\$3,566	-7.5%
Other Liabilities	9,212	9,806	10,112	-594	-6.1%	- - 45,500	-7.3%
Total Liabilities	\$60,011	\$53,896	\$57,768	\$6,115	11.3%	<u>-\$3,872</u>	-5.0% -6.7%
Invested in Capital							3,7,0
Assets, Net of Debt	\$53,579	\$47,614	\$37,643	\$5,965	12.5%	\$9,971	26.5%
Restricted	11,925	15,172	16,221	-3,247	-21.4%	-1,049	-6.5%
Unrestricted _	2 3, 792	17,935	21,372	5,857	32.7%	-3,437	-16.1%
Total Net Assets _	\$8 9,296	<u>\$80,721</u>	\$75,236	\$8,575	10.6%	\$5,485	7.3%
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Changes in the Authority's net assets can be determined by reviewing the following condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets for the year.

Table 2
Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets
(Dollars in Thousands)

	FY 2009			2009-2008 Increase(Decrease)		2008-2007 Increase (Decrease)	
Operating Revenues	F Y 2009	FY 2008	FY 2007	\$	%	\$	%
Water Charges	\$40,400	242.422	***				
Sewer Charges	\$12,468	\$12,168	\$11,515	300	2.5%	\$653	5.7%
Connection Fees	11,454	11,025	10,304	429	3.9%	721	7.0%
	487	455	1,219	32	7.1%	-764	-62.7%
Other	505	655	1,069	-150	-22.9%	-414	-38.7%
Non Operating Revenues							
Interest Income	862	1,600	1,537	-738	-46.2%	63	4.1%
Miscellaneous	16		3	16	100.0%	-3	-100.0%
Total Revenues	25,792	25,903	2 5,647	-111	4%	256	1.0%
Operating Expenses							
Personnel Costs	8,737	7,580	6,988	1,157	15.3%	592	8.5%
Administrative & Office	1,475	1,538	1,446	-63	-4.1%	92	6.4%
Engineering	27	30	34	-3	-10.0%	-4	-11.8%
Operations & Maintenance	2,535	2,726	2,807	-191	-7.0%	-81	-2.9%
Contractual Services &	5 400						
Charges Depreciation	5,483	5,906	5,432	-423	-7.2%	474	8.7%
Interest and Amortization	2,103	1,836	1,626	267	14.6%	210	12.9%
Interest and Amortization	2,329	1,950	2,157	379_	19.5%	-207	-9.6%
Total Expenses Income (Loss) Before	22,689	21,566	20,490	1,123	5.2%	1,076	5.3%
Contributions & Transfers							
And Extraordinary Items	3,103	4,337	5,157	-1,234	-28.5%	000	45.007
Extraordinary Income	0,100	4,007	3,137	-1,234	-20.5%	-820	-15.9%
(Expenses)		-	-	-	_	-	-
Capital Contributions	5,472	1,148	794	4,324	376.7%	354	44.6%
Change in Net Assets	8,575	5,485	5,951	3,090	56.4%		
Beginning Net Assets	80,721	75,236	68,991	5,485	7.3%	-466 6 245	-7.8%
Special item of Revenue:	77,-1	, 0 ₁ 200	00,001	U ₁ 400	1.376	6,245	9.1%
Reclassification of Prior							
Period Expenses	-	-	294		-	294	-100.0%
Ending Net Assets	\$89,296	\$80,721	\$75,236	\$8,575	10.7%	5,485	7.3%

While the Balance Sheets show the change in financial position of net assets, the Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets, provide answers as to the nature and source of these changes. As can be seen in Table 2 above, the "Income Before Contribution" of \$3.10 million, and "Capital Contributions" of \$5.47 million, was the two sources of change in net assets of \$8.58 million in Fiscal 2009. A closer examination of the individual categories affecting the source of changes in net assets is discussed below.

Revenues:

Table 2 shows that "Total Revenues" decreased by \$.1 million or .4% to \$25.8 million in Fiscal 2009 down from \$25.9 million in Fiscal 2008. Upon closer review, you will notice "Operating Revenues" were up \$.6 million or 2.5 percent versus last year. A decrease in interest income of \$.7 million was offset by increases of \$.6 million in both water and sewer revenues. A rate increase in the Sewer Division was a direct pass through as a result of increased costs from Middlesex County Utilities Authority. Non operating revenues decreased due to the deterioration of interest rates from the prior year.

Expenses:

A further review of Table 2 reveals that "Total Expenses" increased by \$1.12 million or 5.2% in Fiscal 2009 vs. a revenue decrease of .4%. The increase in expenses was do largely to the implementation of GASB 45 which accounted for \$.89 million in expenses.

Operating Expenses:

In Reviewing "Total Expenses" in detail you notice that these expenses were \$22.68 million in Fiscal 2009, or an increase of only \$1.12 million compared to Fiscal Year 2008. Contractual services of the authority decreased by \$.42 million due to decreased water purchased from Middlesex Water Co., and decreased flow processing costs for sewerage sent to the Middlesex County Utilities Authority. Depreciation and interest costs increased by \$.65 million in this fiscal year. Personnel costs increased by \$1.16 million in the current fiscal year due primarily to the inclusion of \$.89 million for GASB 45 costs.

Income:

In reviewing "Income (Loss) before contributions and transfers" you will notice that income decreased to \$3.1 million for Fiscal 2009 VS. \$4.3 million for Fiscal 2008. This represents a decrease in income of \$1.2 million or 28.5% from Fiscal 2008. A major category for this was the \$.89 million for GASB 45 costs.

Capital Contributions:

Capital Contributions rose \$5.47 million to \$41.8 million in Fiscal 2009 from a \$1.15 million increase in Fiscal Year 2008. This represents an increase of 376.6%, and is a direct result of developments being built out and contributions increasing from the projects that have been completed.

STATUTORY OPERATING RESULTS

The State of New Jersey requires local authorities to prepare and adopt annual budgets in accordance with the Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law and regulations adopted by the Local Finance Board pursuant to this statute and codified as N.J.A.C. 5:31-1 et seq. The statutory budget was designed to demonstrate to the Bureau of Authority Regulation of the Division of Local Government Services that the cash flows of the Authority for the coming year will be sufficient to cover operating expenses, interest accruing on bonded indebtedness and cash payments of maturing bond and loan principal. Page 1 of Supplementary Schedule 1 shows that on a budgetary basis, the Authority as a whole realized a favorable variance of \$1.57 million on budgeted expenses of \$26.24 million for the fiscal period ended May 31, 2009. This was coupled with the fact that budgeted revenues were not realized, which led to budgetary basis net income of \$1.12 million. As shown by the reconciliation of the budgetary basis to GAAP on page 2 of the schedule, adjustments to the budgetary basis are required to:

- Eliminate Appropriated retained Earnings from Revenues
- Eliminate Maturing Bond Principal from Expenses
- Eliminate Fixed Capital Acquired through Budgeted Capital Outlay from Expenses
- Add Unrecorded Depreciation and Amortization Expenses
- Add Capital Contributions

Management meets at least monthly to review water consumption data and other significant revenue sources. In the event that current projected revenues lag behind budget amounts, adjustments to discretionary spending and/or rate impact analyses are performed. However, in order to present a true budgetary comparison, the statutory budget is amended only in instances wherein planned spending will exceed legal appropriation amounts.

The Authority was not required to increase its rates during the twelve-month period ending May 31, 2009 to balance its budget. Rate increases were adopted to recoup additional costs from rate increases charged by its outside water supplier (Middlesex Water) and sewer treatment authority (Middlesex County Utilities Authority).

Readers should be cautioned that the Statutory Operating Results presented in supplementary schedule 1 are not intended to present and do not present financial results in accordance with GAAP.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At May 31, 2009, the Authority had \$135,495,551 invested in a broad range of utility capital assets, including its water treatment plant, water storage facilities, water mains, sewer collection system; pump stations, and related lands, facilities, and equipment. This amount represents an increase (net of increases and decreases) of \$13,579,531 or 11.14% over the amounts reported at May 31, 2008.

The following tables summarize the Authority's capital assets and changes therein, for the year ended May 31, 2009. These changes are presented in detail in Note 3 to the financial statements.

Table 3
Gross Capital Assets
(Dollars in Thousands)

	May 31, 2009	May 31, 2008	May 31, 2007	2009-2008 Increase (Decrease)	2008-2007 Increase (Decrease)
Gross Utility Plant					(= 001 04BC)
Water	\$56,674	\$45,612	\$ 40,393	\$11,062	85 210
Wastewater	66,442	63,051	59,354	3,391	\$5,219 3,697
Construction In Progress	<u>12,380</u>	13,253	<u>14,019</u>	-873	-766
Total Utility Plant	<u>\$135,496</u>	<u>\$121,916</u>	<u>\$113,766</u>	<u>\$13,580</u>	\$8,150

Table 4
Gross Capital Assets
(Dollars in Thousands)

	May 21	M 21	16 04	2009- Incre (Decre	ease		20076 <u>ease</u> rease)
	May 31, 2009	May 31, 2008	May 31, 2007	\$	%	\$	%
Gross Utility Plant							
Land	\$1,126	\$1,126	\$1,102	\$ -	0.0%	\$24	2.2%
Transmission, Distribution		•	, ,	_	0.070	Ψ.4.1	2.270
& Collection Systems	106,910	94,903	86,126	12,007	12.7%	8,777	10.2%
Equipment	3,758	3,656	3,541	102	2.8%	115	3.2%
Structures & Improvements	11,322	8,978	8,978	2,344	26.1%	-	3.270
Construction In Progress	12,380	13,253	<u>14,019</u>	<u>-873</u>	-6.6%	<u>-766</u>	-5.5%
Total Utility Plant	<u>\$135,496</u>	<u>\$121,916</u>	<u>\$113,766</u>	<u>\$13,580</u>	11.1%	\$8,150	7.2%

Major additions funded through the operating budget during the fiscal period ending May 31, 2009 included:

Water System

Vehicles	\$196,232
Office Furniture	19,196
Building Equipment	9,633

Sewer System

Pump Stations	156,370
Collection System	80,216
Office Furniture	4,856

The Authority's FY 2009/10 capital budget plans for investing another \$16.9 million in capital expenditures and projects, which includes the following:

Water Division:

\$2,750,000
2,000,000
1,500,000
500,000
500,000
135,000
150,000
154,705
50,000
4,000
4,000
\$7,747,705

Sewer Division:

Various Pump Station Upgrades	\$ 5,000,000
Crossroads Regional Interceptor	4,500,000
SCADA & GIS Systems	2,000,000
Waterworks Rd Trunk Relining	1,500,000
Iresick Brook Trunk Relining	1,000,000
LH Presidents Section Relining	750,000
Arbors Force Main Replacement	650,000
Arbors PS Communator Upgrade	150,000
Trunk Sewer Easement Maintenance	150,000
Easement Rehab - Ram's Field	100,000

Sewer Division: continued

Pump Station Man Lifts	100,000
Vehicles	96,000
Pump Station Upgrades & Communications	83,000
Blacktop LH Plant	50,000
I & I Study LH Drainage	50,000
Maintenance Garage	30,500
Sub-total Sewer Division	\$16,209,500
Total Authority	\$23,957,205

The Authority plans on using existing cash and new Bond proceeds as well as the New Jersey Infrastructure Trust Loans to fund the capital budget for the upcoming years, assuming that budgetary projections are realized and no disasters or emergencies occur.

At May 31, 2009, the Authority had outstanding insured revenue bonds in the amount of \$48,802,207. Debt Service Schedules go out through fiscal year 2028. Interest rates range from 0.0% on Bonds issued as part of the state sponsored Wastewater Treatment Trust Fund and Environmental Infrastructure Trust Fund to 5.70% on regular bonds. All outstanding bonds are insured and rated AAA. Principal payments are due November 1 of each year. The principal for the bonds due November 1, 2009, is \$3,236,272. Management and the Authority's Financial Advisor constantly monitor market conditions to determine if interest rate declines present opportunities for savings through the refunding of outstanding debt. Such refunding requires the approval of the Local Finance Board and generally yields a net present value savings of at least 3% of debt service cash flows. Full details of the specific Bond Issues outstanding may be found in Note 5 and the supplementary schedules.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES

The Authority's FY 2009-10 Budget will cover the fiscal year ending May 31, 2010. Based upon historical consumption data and the existing rate structure, projected revenues and retained earnings were sufficient to support budgeted expenses (budgetary basis) of \$31.1 million. No rate increases were adopted as part of the FY 2009-10 Budget.

Subsequent to budget adoption, the central New Jersey area experienced a cooler and wetter late spring and early summer than has been the norm. This has adversely affected water consumption and estimated revenues, as well as increasing sewer flows and treatment expenses. However, as this became known early in the budget cycle, the Authority is confident that any necessary budget adjustments can be made to avoid or minimize the rate consequences of the adverse effects of the weather on operations.

CONTACTING THE AUTHORITY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide the Authority's rate payers, creditors and bond holders with a general overview of the Authority's finances and to demonstrate the Authority's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Stephen A. Florek II, the Authorities Chief Financial Officer at Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority, P.O. Box 1006, Laurence Harbor, NJ 08879-4006, or e-mail obmuasf@verizon.net

Exhibit - A Page 1 of 2		BALANCE BALANCE MAY MAY 31, 2009 31, 2008	\$ 773,614 \$	205,619 595,691 572,306 62,760 64,230	217,076 48,723	250,058 250,302 1,947,422 2,403,681	26,781 3,076,766 3	924,494 491,086 3,236,272 3,704,40 <u>3</u>	7,264,313 7,402,771	9,211,735 9,806,452	45,565,935 39,468,920 112,891 212,475 260,631 212,475 558,455 617,783	3	4,230,791 4,553,434 895,200 813,503 897,770	50,799,234 44,089,866
OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, NEW JERSEY	COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS <u>MAY</u> 31, 2009 AND <u>MAY</u> 31, 2008	LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	♂`	Accrued Wages Payable Uncarned Revenues Customer Overnavments	•	Su	σ	Accrue interest rayable on Kevenue Bonds Revenue Bonds Payable	Subtotal Current Liabilities Payable from Restricted Assets:	Total Current Liabilities	Noncurrent Liabilities: Long-Term Revenue Bonds Payable Bond Premium Payable Less: Unamortized Bond Discount Deferred Amount on Refunding		Provision for Cepilal Appreciation Bonds OPEB Accrued Sick and Vacation Pay	Total Noncurrent Liabilities
BRIDGE MUNICIPATION OF MIDE	MPARATIVE STAT MAY 31, 2009 A	BALANCE MAY 31, 2008	\$ 8,918,657	3,894,479 160 3,542,626	184,539	444,160 648,231	28,781	736 4,748,543	3,016,618 161,883	27,618,438	943 5,003,847	5,191 5,333,778	25,041 2,511,000 1,883,904	569
OLDE	CO	BALANCE MAY 31, 2009	\$ 7,258,597	7,026,740 160 4,030,845	601,437	369,508 369,508 618,319	26,781	729 4,838,693	2,917,167	29,871,191	669 5,469,181	4,839 4,855,163	40,958 1,295,000 3,722,518	987
		ASSETS	Current Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents Investmente	Petty Cash and Change Accounts Customer Accounts Receivable, Net of Allowance	for Uncollectible Accounts of \$766,980 in 2009 and \$530,571 in 2008 Miscellaneous Receivables Account Interest Reseivable	Inventory Prepaid Expenses	Restricted Assets: Customer Deposits: Cash and Cash Equivalents Deb Service Account:	Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments	Cash and Cash Equivalents Miscellancous Receivable	Total Current Assets	Noncurrent Assets: Restricted Assets: Operating Account: Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments	Doing service Account: Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments	Construction Account; Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments State Loans Receivable	Accrued Interest Receivable

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS MAY 31, 2009 AND MAY 31, 2008

ASSETS		BALANCE MAY 31, 2009	BALANCE MAY 31, 2008	LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	BALANCE MAY 31,2009	BALANCE MAY <u>31,2008</u>
Noncurrent Assets: Property, Plant and Equipment Less: Accumulated Depreciation	€9	135,495,551 \$ 33,114,463	121,916,020 31,129,308	Net Assets: Investment in Capital Assets, net of related debt	\$ 53,578,881 \$	47,613,389
Net Property, Plant and Equipment	ı	102,381,088	90,786,712	Restricted Operating	5,469,850	5,004,790
Other Assets: Unamortized Debt Issue Costs Diversionary Rights		1,365,354	1,147,870	Capital Projects Debt Service Unrestricted	1,335,958 5,119,003 23,792,287	4,274,668 5,892,759 17,935,369
Total Other Assets	1 1	1,665,354	1,447,870	Total Net Assets	89,295,979	80,720,975
Total Noncurrent Assets	ı	119,435,757	106,998,855			
Total Assets	₩9	149,306,948 \$ 134,617,293	134,617,293	Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 149,306,948 \$	134,617,293

Note: See Notes to Financial Statements

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEARS ENDED MAY 31, 2009 AND MAY 31, 2008

		YEAR ENDED ENDED MAY 31, 2009		YEAR ENDED ENDED MAY 31, 2008
Operating Revenues:				
Water Charges	\$	12,468,440	¢	12,167,856
Sewer Charges	•	11,453,889	φ	11,025,198
Connection Fees		487,470		454,822
Other		503,754		655,405
Total Operating Revenues		24.012.552	•	
Total Operating Revenues		24,913,553		24,303,281
Operating Expenses:				
Personnel Costs		8,736,264		7,580,384
Administrative Expenses		1,321,201		1,401,920
Office Expenses		153,035		136,320
Engineering Expenses		27,140		30,020
Operations and Maintenance		2,535,239		2,725,536
Contractual Services and Charges		5,483,229		5,905,687
Depreciation		2,103,160		1,835,991
Total Operating Expenses		20,359,268		19,615,858
Operating Income		4,554,285		4,687,423
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses):			-	
Interest Income		861,918		1,599,913
Interest Expense		(2,211,395)		(1,839,373)
Amortization of Debt Issue Costs		(117,496)		(1,839,373)
Miscellaneous		16,038		(110,344)
Total Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses)		(1,450,935)		(350,404)

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEARS ENDED MAY 31, 2009 AND MAY 31, 2008

		YEAR ENDED ENDED MAY 31, 2009	YEAR ENDED ENDED MAY 31, 2008
Net Income Before Contributions and Transfers	\$	3,103,350	\$ 4,337,019
Capital Contributions	_	5,471,654	1,148,374
Net Income		8,575,004	5,485,393
Net Assets, Beginning	_	80,720,975	 <u>7</u> 5,235,582
Net Assets, Ending	\$_	89,295,979	\$ 80,720,975

Note: See Notes to Financial Statements

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED MAY 31, 2009 AND MAY 31, 2008

		2009	2008
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:			
Cash Received from Customers Cash Payments for Goods & Supplies Cash Payments for Employee Expenses	\$	25,330,591 \$ (13,274,466)	25,073,467 (13,505,911)
Cash Received from Developer	_	(5,930,733) 12,144	(5,660,572) 26,576
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	_	6,137,536	5,933,560
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities:			
Principal Paid on Bond Maturities Interest Paid on Bond Maturities		(3,736,181) (1,707,489)	(3,656,958) (1,601,071)
Bond Issuance Disbursements Bond Proceeds		(327,486) 5,557,805	(31,342)
Proceeds from State Loans Receivable Acquisition and Construction of Capital Assets		1,755,164 (8,293,421)	5,855,587 (6,969,840)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital and Related	_		
Financing Activities	_	(6,751,608)	(6,403,624)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:			
Purchase/Redemption of Investments (net) Interest on Investments and Deposits	_	(2,004,824) <u>872,669</u>	(594,474) 1,610,150
Net Cash Provided (Used) in Investing Activities	_	(1,132,155)	1,015,676
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents		(1,746,227)	545,612
Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year	_	11,996,127	11,450,515
Cash and Cash Equivalents at End of Year	\$ _	10,249,900 \$	11,996,127

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED MAY 31, 2009 AND MAY 31, 2008

		2009	2008
Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:			
Operating Income Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:	\$	4,554,285 \$	4,687,423
Depreciation - Net		2,103,160	1,835,991
Bad Debt Expense Changes in Assets and Liabilities:		236,409	121,103
Decrease (Increase) in Customer Receivables		(724,627)	(143,906)
Decrease (Increase) in Miscellaneous Receivables		(416,898)	(18,648)
Decrease (Increase) in Escrow Receivables		2,284	(10,507)
Inventory		74,652	(67,053)
Prepaid Expenses		29,912	(97,683)
Accounts Payable/Other Liabilities	_	278,359	(373,160)
Total Adjustments		1,583,251	1,246,137
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$	6,137,536 \$	5,933,560

Noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:

The Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority accepted water and sewer infrastructure constructed by private developers. The fair value of this donated property was \$5,471,654.

The market value of the investments not reported as cash equivalents is \$30,219 less than the carrying amount.

Note: See Notes to Financial Statements

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY MIDDLESEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

COMPARATIVE NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority ("Authority") was created by an ordinance of the Township of Old Bridge, which was adopted on November 4, 1985. This ordinance provided for the consolidation of sewage and water services provided to the residents of the Township of Old Bridge. Prior to the creation of the consolidated Authority, sewage services were provided to residents by the Old Bridge Township Sewerage Authority, which was created by an ordinance of the Township adopted on May 17, 1954, and water services were provided by the former Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority, which was created by ordinance adopted on August 22, 1960. The Authority provides water service from ground water sources, to the extent permitted by law, and through contractual bulk purchases of surface water from a third party supplier. Wastewater is transmitted through its collector system to the Middlesex County Utilities Authority (MCUA) for treatment. The MCUA bills participants for its operations and maintenance costs and debt service costs based on a combination of flow and pollutant loading.

New Jersey Statutes provide for the creation, dissolution and operations of separate bodies corporate and politic for the purpose of fostering the provision and distribution of an adequate supply of water and the collection, treatment, disposal and recycling of waste water and sewage sludge. These statutes were enacted as the "Municipal and Counties Utilities Authorities Act", and are codified in New Jersey Statutes Annotated as NJSA 40:14B-1 et seq. Additional statutory requirements relating to the financial operations of independent local authorities were established as the "Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law", which is codified as NJSA 40A:5A-1 et seq. The provisions of the Local Authorities Fiscal Control Law established the Local Finance Board and the Division of Local Government Services, in the Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, as oversight agencies for the creation, project financing, budgeting and overall financial condition of local authorities.

The governing body of the Authority consists of five regular members and two alternates, who are appointed by the Municipal Council of the Township of Old Bridge and serve staggered five year terms. Alternate members may participate in discussions of proceedings but may not vote except in the absence or disqualification of a regular member. The Authority bills and collects its revenue from the users of the systems. The Authority has entered into a service agreement with the Township of Old Bridge which requires the Authority to receive written consent from the Township for any projects which will require the issuance of debt by the Authority, and obligates the Township to pay to the Authority such sum or sums of money as may be necessary to provide for deficits (if any) resulting from the failure or disability of the Authority to derive adequate revenues from the operation of the system.

The financial statements of the Authority have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the standard-setting body for governmental accounting and financial reporting. GASB pronouncements constitute GAAP for governmental units. In accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board, the Authority has elected to follow GASB statements issued after November 30, 1989, rather than the Financial Accounting Standards Board, in accounting for enterprise funds.

A. Reporting Entity

The Authority is considered to be a "Component Unit" of the Township of Old Bridge under GAAP however, the Township of Old Bridge does not follow GAAP for accounting and financial reporting purposes rather it follows a regulatory basis of accounting, utilizing accounting principles which differ, in some cases significantly, from GAAP. Of particular note is the exclusion from the Township's financial statements of potential component units, based on the separate legal status of these units. Accordingly, the financial statements of the Township do not include the Authority as a component unit.

B. Basis of Presentation

The financial statements of the Authority have been prepared in accordance with GAAP applicable to enterprise funds of state and local governments. Enterprise funds are used to account for operations (a) that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises - where the intent of the governing body is that the costs (expenses, including depreciation) of providing services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges; or (b) where the governing body has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, accountability or other purposes.

C. GASB Statement No. 34

The Authority adopted the provisions of GASB Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments during the eight months ended May 31, 2003. Statement 34 establishes standards for external financial reporting for all state and local governmental entities which includes a Management's Discussion and Analysis section, a Balance Sheet, a Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Change in Net Assets and a Statement of Cash Flows. It requires the classification of Net Assets into three components – Invested in Capital Assets, net of related debt; Restricted for Debt Service; and Unrestricted.

The adoption of Statement 34 had little effect on the basic financial statements except for the classification of net assets, the reflection of capital contributions as a change in net assets, presentation of the Statement of Cash Flows using the direct method, and the inclusion of Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) section providing an analysis of the Authority's overall financial position and results of operations.

D. Operating Revenues and Expenses

Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with the Authority's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the Authority are charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses 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 nonoperating revenues and expenses

E. Basis of Accounting

The Authority utilizes the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when earned and measurable, and expenses are recognized when incurred, if measurable.

F. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include interest bearing accounts and short term investments with a maturity of three months or less carried at cost, which approximates market.

G. <u>Investments</u>

Investments consist of direct obligations of the United States or obligations guaranteed by the United States, certificates of deposit and repurchase agreements collateralized by guaranteed mortgage-backed securities and guaranteed participation certificates of the Government National Mortgage Association ("GNMAs"), carried at cost, which approximates market. Premiums paid and discounts received on the purchase of investment securities are amortized over the stated term of the securities using the straight-line method.

H. <u>Inventory</u>

Inventories of replacement parts, chemicals and supplies are maintained on a consumption basis of accounting. Expenses are recognized as the items are consumed. Inventories are stated at cost as determined utilizing the first-in, first-out valuation method. No determinations have been and no allowances have been recorded with respect to obsolete or surplus inventories.

I. <u>Capital Assets</u>

Capital Assets are stated at cost, which includes direct construction and acquisition costs and other costs related to construction. Capital Assets are defined by the Authority as assets with an individual cost in excess of \$1,000. System construction costs are aggregated by individual project and considered Construction in Progress until such time as the project is deemed complete and placed in service.

Depreciation is recorded on a straight-line basis for all plant and equipment. At May 31, 2009 Capital Assets and the useful lives for determination of annual depreciation, were as follows:

Structures and Improvements
Machinery and Equipment
Transmission, distribution, and other collection plants.

30-70 years
5-15 years
40-100 years

J. <u>Customer Accounts Receivable</u>

Customer accounts receivable, net of allowance for uncollectible accounts of \$766,980 and unbilled receivables of \$1,049,889 at May 31, 2009 totaled \$4,030,845 and consisted of billings for water usage and ancillary water system charges in the amount of \$2,471,081 and sewer user charges and related service and remediation charges in the amount of \$1,559,764.

Customer accounts receivable, net of allowance for uncollectible accounts of \$530,571 and unbilled receivables of \$970,427 at May 31, 2008 totaled \$3,542,626 and consisted of billings for water usage and ancillary water system charges in the amount of \$2,191,312 and sewer user charges and related service and remediation charges in the amount of \$1,351,314.

J. <u>Customer Accounts Receivable (Cont'd.)</u>

Unbilled service receivable represents the estimated amount of accounts receivable for services that have not been billed as of the balance sheet date. The amounts are a result of a timing difference between the end of the financial statement cycle (month end) and the billing cycle (various dates within the month for each billing period).

An aging of the reported customer accounts receivable, by fiscal year billed, is as follows:

	MAY	MAY
PPR (42	2009	2008
PERIOD ENDED	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
2009	00 700 107	
2009	\$2,728,187	
2007	683,308	\$2,467,627
2007	136,435	378,730
	7,532	9,137
2005	28,954	38,274
2004	17,573	18,073
2003	67,508	67,508
2002	718	718
2001	882	882
2000	8,143	4,858
1999	5639	411
1998	238	238
1997	1583	780
1996	389	389
1995	279	279
1994	292	292
1993	147	147
1992	23,187	23,187
1991	8,362	8,362
1990	8,475	8,475
1989	(1,202)	(1,202)
1988	4,595	4,595
1987	6,120	6,441
1986	2,611	2,848
1985	2,011	175
1984	2,189	2,335
1983	5,792	-
Add: Unbilled Receivable	1,049,889	5,812
Less: Allow. For Uncoll. Acets	766,980	1,023,826
2000. Ithow, For Officer, Acces		<u>530,571</u>
Miscellaneous Accounts Pageivoble	\$4 <u>.030,845</u>	\$ <u>3,542,626</u>

K. <u>Miscellaneous Accounts Receivable</u>

Miscellaneous accounts receivable at May 31, 2009 totaled \$601,437 and consisted of water system charges of \$369,469 and sewer system charges of \$231,968 and at May 31, 2008 totaled \$184,539 and consisted of water system charges of \$132,471 and sewer system charges of \$52,068. Miscellaneous accounts receivable consist primarily of charges for water and sewer services, and are segregated solely to reflect special circumstances relating to billing cycles, bulk purchases or contractual terms.

L. <u>Bond Discounts/Issuance Costs</u>

Bond discounts and issuance costs are deferred and amortized over the term of the bonds using a straight-line method. Bond discounts are presented as a reduction of the face amount of the bonds payable, whereas issuance costs are recorded as other assets.

M. Restricted Accounts

Pursuant to the provisions of the "Indenture of Trust Between Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority and Amboy-Madison National Bank, as Trustee", dated August 11, 1986, as amended and supplemented, the Authority has established the following cash and investment accounts for the deposit, in the order and priority as listed, of all revenues received:

<u>Revenue Account</u> - All revenues of the Authority, except for certain investment earnings on debt proceeds. Funds deposited to the Revenue Account shall be transferred to the following accounts:

Operating Account - The amount necessary to result in a balance equal to operating expenses for a three-month period projected by the annual budget. The use of this account is restricted to the payment of operating expenses.

<u>Debt Service Account</u> - The amount necessary to result in a balance equal to the Debt Service Requirement. Prior to May 1, the Debt Service Requirement is equal to the interest due (and past due and unpaid) on the next succeeding Interest Payment Date on all Bonds outstanding, plus one-third of the principal due (and past due and unpaid) on the next succeeding Principal Installment Date on all Bonds outstanding as of such date. On or after May 1, the Debt Service Requirement for principal due increases to the full amount of the principal due (and past due and unpaid) on the next succeeding Principal Installment Date.

Funds on deposit in this account are restricted to the payment of the principal of and interest on outstanding bonds. Excesses in this account may be transferred, at the discretion of the Authority, to the General Account.

Any amount required to be held in the Debt Service Account at year end that is attributable to interest that will accrue in the subsequent fiscal year is reported as net assets restricted for payment of future debt service.

Debt Service Reserve Account - The amount necessary to result in a balance equal to the maximum amount of Debt Service (cash basis) for the then current or any future Bond Year (12 month period ending October 31st) on the Bonds then outstanding. Funds in this account may only be transferred to the Debt Service Account. Pursuant to the terms of the Ninth Supplemental Indenture, dated August 1, 2002, Article V of the Prior Indenture was amended to permit the Debt Service Reserve Fund Requirement to be satisfied in full or in part by a Qualified Surety Bond ("QSB"). Any amounts released from the Debt Service Reserve Account through the substitution of a QSB may be used for any corporate purpose of the Authority, subject to receipt of an opinion from a nationally recognized Bond Counsel that such a release would not adversely affect the exclusion from gross income of the Holders of Bonds for federal income tax purposes.

The existing Authority funds to be transferred from the Debt Service Fund and the Debt Service Reserve Fund amounted to \$223,941 which amounts are attributable to the 2004 A Refunding Bonds.

The Authority has not utilized a QSB for the purpose of funding any portion of its Debt Service Reserve Requirement at May 31, 2004.

<u>General Account</u> - The balance of Revenues. Balances in the General Account shall be utilized first to make up deficiencies in any of the preceding accounts, and then for any lawful purpose.

M. Restricted Accounts (Cont'd.)

Construction Account - Pursuant to the applicable Supplemental Indentures, proceeds from debt issued to finance System improvements, certain investment earnings on such proceeds, and grants-in-aid must be deposited to the Construction Account. These funds are restricted to the payment of costs of authorized system improvements. Excesses remaining in this account after completion of improvements and allocation of excess investment earnings, if any, must be transferred to the Debt Service Account or Debt Service Reserve Account if deficiencies exist. Any remaining amount may be used for the retirement of Bonds or other authorized system improvements, or may be transferred to the General Account.

Rebate Account (Component of Construction Account) - Amounts determined by the Authority as arbitrage earnings on debt proceeds and due to the United States government pursuant to applicable provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and regulations. These funds may be utilized only to make required rebates. Excesses in this account, which may result from negative arbitrage earnings for a period, revert to the Construction Account.

In addition to the restricted accounts required by the Indenture of Trust and the Supplemental Indentures, the Authority has established additional restricted use accounts as follows:

<u>Customer Deposits Account</u> - Advance payments required as a condition for approval for water users (generally, construction related) to obtain water directly from hydrants. These moneys are refunded to customers upon settlement of all water billings, or applied to these billings.

Escrow Account - Advance payments and deposits required as a condition for the Authority to commence engineering reviews and inspections on new development, and cash in lieu of bonds required by the Authority. Moneys held for reviews and inspections become earned revenues of the Authority as the services are performed, and amounts remaining at project completion, including a portion of interest earnings, are returned to the developer. Cash held in lieu of bonds is refunded in the same manner, and following the same procedures, as those for the release of bonds required by the Authority.

N. <u>Deferred Amount from Refunding</u>

During the year ended September 30, 1993, in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement 23, the amount of \$794,275 was established upon the advance refunding and defeasance of \$4,855,000 of 1989 Current Interest Bonds through the issuance of \$5,570,000 1993 Series "B" Bonds. The amount deferred is being amortized over the life of the 1993 Series "B" Bonds using the straight line method.

During the year ended September 30, 2002, in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement 23, the amount of \$357,161 was established upon the advance refunding and defeasance of \$17,330,000 of Series 1992 Bonds through the issuance of \$17,805,000 2002 Revenue Refunding Series "A" Bonds. The amount deferred is being amortized over the life of the 2002 Revenue Refunding Series "A" Bonds using the straight line method.

N. <u>Deferred Amount from Refunding (Cont'd.)</u>

During the year ended May 31, 2004, in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement 23, the amount of \$76,900 was established upon the advance refunding and defeasance of \$2,975,000 of 1993 Series A Bonds and \$4,715,000 of 1993 Series B Bonds through the issuance of \$8,055,000 2004 Revenue Refunding Series "A" Bonds. The amount deferred is being amortized over the life of the 2004 Revenue Refunding Series "A" Bonds using the straight-line method.

Deferred Amounts from Refunding are presented in the financial statements as a reduction of the face amount of the bonds payable.

NOTE 2: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

A. Deposits

New Jersey statutes permit the deposit of public funds in institutions located in New Jersey which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) or by any other agencies of the United States that insures deposits, or the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund. N.J.S.A. 17:9-42 requires New Jersey governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where the funds are protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA").

New Jersey statutes require public depositories to maintain collateral for deposit of public funds that exceed insurance limits as follows:

- (a) The market value of the collateral must equal 5 percent of the average daily balance of public funds; or
- (b) If the public funds deposited exceed 75 percent of the capital funds of the depository, the depository must provide collateral having a market value equal to 100 percent of the amount exceeding 75 percent.
- All collateral must be deposited with the Federal Reserve Bank, the Federal Home Loan Bank Board or a banking institution that is a member of the Federal Reserve System and has capital funds of not less than \$25,000,000. The State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund is authorized by statute and regulations of the State Investment Council to invest in fixed income and debt securities which mature within one year. Collateralization of Fund investments is generally not required. "Other Than State" participants contribute one tenth of one percent per year of the value of the aggregate units owned by them to establish a Reserve Fund, which is supplemented by the proportional interest of "Other Than State" participants in gains on investment transactions realized. The Reserve Fund is available to cover losses of "Other Than State" participants occasioned by the bankruptcy of an issuer of an investment held by the Fund and losses on sales of securities. The Authority had no moneys on deposit in the Cash Management Fund during the year,

NOTE 2: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Cont'd.)

A. Deposits (Cont'd.)

As of May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008, cash and cash equivalents of the Authority consisted of the following:

	2009	<u>2008</u>
Cash Accounts Change Funds (On-Hand) Certificates of Deposit	\$5,118,740 160 <u>5,131,000</u>	\$6,354,967 160 <u>5,641,000</u>
Total	\$ <u>10,249,900</u>	\$ <u>11,996,127</u>

The carrying amount of the Authority's cash and cash equivalents at May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008 was \$10,250,061 and \$11,996,127, respectively and the bank balance was \$11,318,678 and \$13,196,696, respectively. Of the bank balance, during May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008 \$250,000 and \$100,000, respectively was covered by federal depository insurance and \$11,068,678 and \$13,096,696, respectively was covered by a collateral pool maintained by the banks as required by New Jersey statutes.

B. Investments

New Jersey Statutes establish the following securities as eligible for the investment of Authority funds:

- Bonds or other obligations of the United States of America or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America, including securities of, or other interests in, any open-end or closed-end management type investment company or investment trust registered under the "Investment Company Act of 1940," 54 Stat. 847 (15 U.S.C. 80a-1 et seq.), purchased and redeemed only through the use of National or State banks located within this State, if the portfolio of that investment company or investment trust is limited to bonds or other obligations of the United States of America, bond or other obligations guaranteed by the United States of America and repurchase agreements fully collateralized by bonds or other obligations of the United States of America, which collateral shall be delivered to or held by the investment company or investment trust, either directly or through an authorized custodian;
- (b) Bonds of any Federal Intermediate Credit Bank, Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Land Bank, Federal National Mortgage Associates or of any United States Bank for Cooperatives which have a maturity date not greater than twelve months from the date of purchases.
- (c) Bonds or other obligations, having a maturity date of not more than twelve months from the date of purchase, that are approved by the Division of Investment of the Department of the Treasury for investment by local units.
- (d) Effective January 18, 1992, qualified mutual funds with portfolios limited to:
 - (i) bonds or other obligations of, or guaranteed by, the United States of America; and
 - (ii) repurchase agreements fully collateralized by such obligations.

These investments must be transacted only through national or state banks located within New Jersey.

NOTE 2: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Cont'd.)

B. Investments (Cont'd.)

During the years ended May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008, the Authority invested a portion of its idle funds in Long-term (Greater than 90 day term) Certificates of Deposit, GNMA Bonds, and Private Export Funding Corp. Notes.

Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 40 – Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosures requires the Authority to disclose its deposits and investment policies regarding certain type of investment risks.

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits - Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Authority's deposits may not be returned to it. The government does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of May 31, 2009, based upon the insured balances as provided by FDIC and NJGUDPA coverage, no amount of the Authority's bank balance of \$25,432,445 was considered exposed to custodial risk.

Interest Rate Risk – Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The longer the maturity an investment has the greater its fair value has sensitivity to changes in market interest rates. The Authority's investment policy follows the Trust Indenture as it relates to limits on investment maturities as a means of managing exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

The Authority's investments at year-end May 31, 2009 were as follow:

Investment Type	Total Fair <u>Value</u>	Investment Maturities (in Less than In Less	<u>л Years)</u> <u>1-5</u>	<u>6-10</u>
Certificate of Deposit GNMA PEFCO	\$24,413,100 147,231 896,227	\$24,413,100 896,227	\$8,954	\$138,277

NOTE 3 - DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ABOUT CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended May 31, 2009 was as follows:

Depreciation is recorded on a straight-line basis for all plant and equipment. At May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008, Capital Assets and the useful lives used for determination of annual depreciation, were as follows:

Durings Aug Astrici		Beginning Balance	Additions	Retirements	Ending Balance	Useful Lifes (Years)
Business-type Activities:						
Capital Assets That Are Not Being Depreciated:						
Land & Easements	\$	1,125,629 \$		\$	1,125,629	
Construction in Progress	_	<u>13,253,126</u>	6,164,405	7,037,927	12,379,604	
Total Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated	_	14,378,755	6,164,405	7,037,927	13,505,233	
Capital Assets That Are Being Depreciated:						
Treatment Plant		8,713,952	1 165 114		0.045.544	
Pump Equipment		5,432,601	1,155,114		9,869,066	75
Buildings & Additions		541,893	2,343,882		5,432,601	45
Collection System		42,463,089	2,826,003		2,885,775	40
Vehicles		2,970,653	196,232	118,005	45,289,092	75
Office Furniture & Equipment		283,471	24,053	110,000	3,048,880	5
Machinery & Equipment		241,369	24,000		307,524	15
Plant, Other		141,026			241,369	15
Wells		1,428,891			141,026	40
Water Mains		12,926,109	4,144,347		1,428,891	45
Fire Hydrents		1,212,461	222,921		17,070,456	100
Structures & Improvements		8,435,912	222,721		1,435,382	50
Miscellaneous Water Equipment		160,009			8,435,912	70
House Connections		3,143,543	99,968		160,009	50
Valves & Fittings		1,483,865	344,419		3,243,511	50
Meters		1,472,049	717,717		1,828,284	30
Standpipes & Storage Tanks		7,435,234	3,214,119		1,472,049	50
Pump Stations - 2 Appurtenances		9,051,138	3,214,119		10,649,353	50
Totals at Historical Cost	_	107,537,265	14,571,058	118,005	9,051,138	45
Less Accumulated Depreciation For:	_		11,571,050	118,005	121,990,318	
Treatment Plant		1,774,378	122.209		4 4 4	
Pump Equipment		1,634,884	132,298		1,906,676	
Buildings & Additions		359,096	120,724 71,368		1,755,608	
Collection System		11,819,292	592,937		430,464	
Vehicles		2,227,513	254,084	110 005	12,412,229	
Office Furniture & Equipment		155,678	14,651	118,005	2,363,592	
Computers & Equipment		17,823	6,167		170,329	
Machinery & Equipment		193,238	7,142		23,990	
Plant, Other		92,370	2,490		200,380	
Wells		737,319	31,753		94,860	
Water Mains		1,937,533	170,660		769,072	
Fire Hydrants		343,299	28,708		2,108,193	
Structures & Improvements		3,554,380	120,513		372,007 3,674,893	
Miscellaneous Water Equipment		160,009	120,015		1.00.000	
House Connections		1,660,916	40,130		1,701,046	
Valves & Fittings		538,753	56,934		595,687	
Meters		340,530	25,709		366,239	
Standpipes & Storage Tanks		1,491,280	225,756		1,717,036	
Pump Stations - 2 Appurtenances	_	2,091,017	201,136		2,292,153	
Total Accumulated Depreciation	_	31,129,308	2,103,160	118,005	33,114,463	
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated						
(Net of Accumulated Depreciation)	_	76,407,957	12,467,898	 .	88,875,855	
Business-type Activities Capital Assets, Net	S _	90,786,712 S	18,632,303	\$ <u>7,037,927</u> \$	102,381,088	

Assets acquired through donation or with moneys received from donations and grants-in-aid are recorded with an offset to the Contributed Capital Account. Depreciation on assets acquired with Contributed Capital is recorded as a reduction of Contributed Capital.

NOTE 4: DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN

The Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority Deferred Compensation Plan was established pursuant to Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code and under provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15B-1. The Plan is an arrangement whereby a public employer may establish a plan and permit its employees to voluntarily authorize a portion of their current salary to be withheld and invested in one or more of the types of investments permitted under the governing regulations. Contributions are recognized when received by the Administrator, withdrawals and administrative fees when paid by the Administrator, and earnings when the Administrator is notified by the company with which the funds are invested. Investments are managed by the Plan trustees under various investment options offered by the Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company ("VALIC").

Statutory and regulatory requirements governing the establishment and operation of Deferred Compensation Plans have been codified in the New Jersey Administrative Code as N.J.A.C. 5:37. The more significant of these provisions include no personal liability to the employer for negative return on investments, retention of assets by the employer, eligible investment types and the requirement for an independent review of all Plan funds if a private contractor is retained to administer the Plan.

The Small Business Job Protection Act of 1996 ("Act") requires plans created before August 20, 1996 to be held in trust for the exclusive benefit of participating employees and not be accessible by the Authority or its creditors by January 1, 1999. In addition, the Act permits certain in-service distributions of \$3,500.00 or less to Plan participants and provides the indexing of the previous \$7,500.00 annual contribution limit for inflation.

On January 28, 1998, the Authority established a Trustee Account for its Deferred Compensation Plan as required by Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

NOTE 5: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

Long-term liability activity for the year ended May 31, 2009 was as follows:

Governmental Activities:	Beginning Balance	Additions	Reductions	Ending Balance	Amounts Due Within One Year
Bonds Payable:					
General Obligation Debt	<u>\$43,173,323</u>	<u>\$12,406,000</u>	<u>\$6,777,116</u>	\$48,802,207	\$3,236,272
Total Bonds Payable Other Liabilities:	43,173,323	_12,406,000	6,777,116	48,802,207	3,236,272
Compensated Absences					
Payable	_1,148,072	90,627	<u>175,138</u>	1,063,561	250,058
Total Other Liabilities	<u>1,148,072</u>	<u>90,627</u>	<u>175,138</u>	1,063,561	250,058
Total Bonds Payable					
and Other Liabilities	<u>\$44,321,395</u>	<u>\$ 12,496,627</u>	<u>\$6,952,254</u>	<u>\$49,865,768</u>	<u>\$3,486,330</u>

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NOTE 5: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Cont'd.)

A. New Jersey Waste Water Treatment Trust Financing

The Authority issued 1993 Revenue Series A and B bonds, dated September 22, 1993 to the New Jersey Wastewater Treatment Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various sewer rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$1,080,000 for the Revenue Series A bonds and \$1,023,865 for the Revenue Series B bonds.

The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$1,080,000 and repayment commenced on November 1, 1994 with final payment on November 1, 2012. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$1,023,865. The principal payment commenced on November 1, 1994 with final payment on November 1, 2012.

B. New Jersey Waste Water Treatment Trust Financing

The Authority issued 1997 Revenue Series A and B bonds, dated November 6, 1997 to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various sewer rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$1,355,000 for the Revenue A bonds and \$1,349,860 for the Revenue B bonds. The total of all funds is \$2,704,860.

The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$1,355,000 and repayment commenced on November 1, 1998 with final payment on November 1, 2016. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$1,349,860. The principal payment commenced on November 1, 1998 with final payment on November 1, 2016. The Authority received savings credits of \$381,320 from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust during the year ended May 31, 2007. The savings credits apply to payments commencing on November 1, 2008 and ending November 1, 2016.

C. New Jersey Waste Water Treatment Trust Financing

The Authority issued 1999 Revenue Series B and C bonds, dated November 4, 1999, to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various water rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$535,000 for the Revenue B bonds and \$527,031 for the Revenue C bonds. The total of all funds is \$1,062,031.

The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$535,000 and repayment commenced on November 1, 2000 with final payment on November 1, 2018. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$527,031. The principal payment commenced on November 1, 2000 with final payment on November 1, 2018. The Authority received savings credits of \$15,328 from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust during the year ended May 31, 2007. The savings credits apply to payments commencing on November 1, 2010 and ending November 1, 2018.

D. New Jersey Waste Water Treatment Trust Financing

The Authority issued 1999 Revenue Series B and C bonds, dated November 4, 1999, to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various sewer rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$1,060,000 for the Revenue B bonds and \$1,050,013 for the Revenue C bonds. The total of all funds is \$2,110,013.

The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$1,060,000 and repayment commenced on November 1, 2000 with final payment on November 1, 2018. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$1,050,013. The principal payment commenced on November 1, 2000 with final payment on November 1, 2018. The Authority received savings credits of \$45,538 from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust during the year ended May 31, 2007. The savings credits apply to payments commencing on November 1, 2010 and ending November 1, 2018.

E. Revenue Bonds (1999 Series)

On April 7, 1999, the Authority issued \$5,130,000 Revenue Bonds (1999 Series). The Bonds, which were dated April 1, 1999, consisted of \$5,130,000 serial bonds which are due in various amounts from November 1, 2000 through 2018, and bear interest at various rates ranging from 3.15% on the earliest maturity to 4.80% on the ultimate maturity. The net proceeds of this issue are designated to be used to finance a portion of the costs of improvements to the system; make deposits to the Debt Service Reserve Fund as required by the Indenture of Trust; and pay the costs of issuance of the Bonds, including the premium for a municipal bond insurance policy.

Interest on the 1999 Series Bonds is payable on November 1, 1999 and semi-annually thereafter on each succeeding May 1 and November 1 until maturity or early redemption thereof.

The 1999 Bonds maturing on or after November 1, 2009 are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the Authority as a whole at any time or in part on any interest payment date on or after May 1, 2009. If less than all of the 1999 Bonds within a maturity are called for redemption prior to their maturity, the Trustee shall select the particular 1999 Bonds or portions of 1999 Bonds by lot or in any customary manner of selection as determined by the Trustee, any such redemption to be made at (100%) of the principal amount to be redeemed, plus interest accrued to the redemption date.

F. Revenue Bonds (2002 Series A) and Refunding Revenue Bonds (2002 Series A)

On June 27, 2002, the Authority issued \$1,415,000 Revenue Bonds (2002 Series A). The Bonds, which were dated August 1, 2002, consisted of \$1,415,000 serial bonds which are due in various amounts from November 1, 2002 through 2016, and bear interest at various rates ranging from 3.00% on the earliest maturity to 4.30% on the ultimate maturity. The net proceeds of this issue are designated to be used to finance a portion of the costs of improvements to the system; make deposits to the Debt Service Reserve Fund as required by the Indenture of Trust; and pay the costs of issuance of the Bonds, including the premium for a municipal bond insurance policy.

On June 27, 2002, the Authority issued \$17,805,000 Revenue Refunding Bonds (2002 Series A). The Bonds were dated August 1, 2002 and consisted of \$17,805,000 serial bonds, which are due in various amounts on November 1, 2003 through 2016.

Interest on the 2002 Series A Bonds is payable on November 1, 2002 and semi-annually thereafter on each succeeding May 1 and November 1 until maturity or early redemption thereof.

Defeasance of 1992 Bonds - Pursuant to an Escrow Deposit Agreement dated June 27, 2002, the Authority deposited \$18,140,059 of the proceeds of the 2002 Series A Refunding Bonds to advance refund the outstanding 1992 Bonds. The amount is net of accrued interest receivable of \$54,941 from September 30, 2002 through November 1, 2002. The amounts deposited with the trustee include \$321,300 of Bond premium and interest payable of \$543,478 due November 1, 2002. All funds so deposited were used to purchase U.S. Government securities, which were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for all future debt service payments on the 1992 Bonds. As a result, the 1992 Bonds are considered defeased and the liability for those bonds of \$17,330,000 has been removed from the Authority's balance sheet.

For the year ended September 30, 2002, the Authority in effect reduced its aggregate debt service payments over the next 14 years and obtained a gross savings of \$2,479,608 and a present value savings of \$2,426,006.

G. New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing

The Authority issued 2003 Series A and B bonds, dated November 3, 2003, to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various water rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$3,120,000 for the Series A bonds and \$2,787,329 for the Series B bonds. The total of all funds is \$5,907,329.

The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$3,120,000 and repayment will commence on November 1, 2005 with final payment on November 1, 2022. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$2,787,329. The principal payment will commence on November 1, 2005 with final payment on November 1, 2022.

H. New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing

The Authority issued 2003 Series A and B bonds, dated November 3, 2003, to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various sewer rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$1,000,000 for the Series A bonds and \$890,327 for the Series B bonds. The total of all funds is \$1,890,327.

The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$1,000,000 and repayment will commence on November 1, 2004 with final payment on November 1, 2022. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$890,327. The principal payment will commence on November 1, 2004 with final payment on November 1, 2022.

I. Revenue Bonds (2004 Series A) and Refunding Revenue Bonds (2004 Series A)

On February 13, 2004, the Authority issued \$370,000 Revenue Bonds (2004 Series A). The Bonds, which were dated February 26, 2004, consisted of \$370,000 serial bonds which are due in various amounts from May 1, 2005 through 2014, and bear interest at various rates ranging from 2.00% on the earliest maturity to 4.25% on the ultimate maturity. The net proceeds of this issue are designated to be used to finance a portion of the costs of improvements to the system; make deposits to the Debt Service Reserve Fund as required by the Indenture of Trust; and pay the costs of issuance of the Bonds, including the premium for a municipal bond insurance policy.

On February 13, 2004, the Authority issued \$8,055,000 Revenue Refunding Bonds (2004 Series A). The Bonds were dated February 26, 2004 and consisted of \$8,055,000 serial bonds, which are due in various amounts on May 1, 2005 through 2023.

Interest on the 2004 Series A Bonds is payable on May 1, 2004 and semi-annually thereafter on each succeeding November 1 and May 1 until maturity or early redemption thereof.

2004 Series A Bonds maturing on or after November 1, 2015 are subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the Authority as a whole at any time or in part on any interest payment date on or after November 1, 2014, in inverse order of maturity and within a maturity by lot or in any customary manner of selection as determined by the trustee, any such redemption to be made at the applicable redemption price expressed below as a percentage of the principal amount of the 2004 Bonds to be redeemed, plus interest accrued to the redemption date.

I. Revenue Bonds (2004 Series A) and Refunding Revenue Bonds (2004 Series A) (Cont'd.)

Defeasance of 1993 Bonds - Pursuant to an Escrow Deposit Agreement dated February 26, 2004, the Authority deposited \$7,921,763 of the proceeds of the 2004 Series A Refunding Bonds to advance refund the outstanding 1993 Bonds. The amount is net of accrued interest receivable of \$6,363 from November 1, 2003 through April 1, 2004. The amounts deposited with the trustee include \$76,900 of Bond premium and interest payable of \$161,176 due April 1, 2004. All funds so deposited were used to purchase U.S. Government securities, which were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for all future debt service payments on the 1993 Bonds. As a result, the 1993 Bonds are considered defeased and the liability for those bonds of \$7,690,000 has been removed from the Authority's balance sheet.

For the year ended May 31, 2004, the Authority in effect reduced its aggregate debt service payments over the next 20 years and obtained a gross savings of \$810,540 and a present value savings of \$765,739.

J. New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing Bonds

The Authority issued 2005 Series A and B bonds, dated November 10, 2005, to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various water rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$1,625,000 for the Series A bonds and \$1,530,940 for the Series B bonds. The total of all funds is \$3,155,940.

The Authority is in the process of drawing down the financing proceeds as construction progresses. The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$1,625,000 and repayment will commence on November 1, 2006 with final payment on November 1, 2024. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$1,530,940. The principal payment will commence on November 1, 2006 with final payment on November 1, 2024.

K. New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing

The Authority issued 2006 Series A and B bonds, dated November 9, 2006, to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various sewer rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$3,350,000 for the Series A bonds and \$3,167,000 for the Series B bonds. The total of all funds is \$6,517,000.

The Authority is in the process of drawing down the financing proceeds as construction progresses. The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$3,350,000 and repayment will commence on November 1, 2007 with final payment on November 1, 2025. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$3,167,000. The principal payment will commence on November 1, 2007 with final payment on November 1, 2025.

L. New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing

The Authority issued 2008 Series A and B bonds, dated November 6, 2008, to the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust to securitize its participation in the state sponsored financing program to finance various water rehabilitation projects. The allowable costs for these projects total \$1,950,000 for the Series A bonds and \$1,781,000 for the Series B bonds. The total of all funds is \$3,731,000.

The Authority is in the process of drawing down the financing proceeds as construction progresses. The maximum financing from the trust will not exceed the \$1,950,000 and repayment will commence on November 1, 2010 with final payment on November 1, 2027. The zero interest financing from the State will not exceed \$1,781,000. The principal payment will commence on November 1, 2010 with final payment on November 1, 2027.

M. Revenue Bonds (2008C Series)

On December 23, 2008, the Authority issued \$5,625,000 Revenue Bonds (2008C Series). The Bonds, which were dated December 23, 2008, consisted of \$5,625,000 serial bonds which are due in various amounts from November 1, 2009 through 2028, and bear interest at various rates ranging from 4.50% on the earliest maturity to 5.375% on the ultimate maturity. The net proceeds of this issue are designated to be used to reimburse the Authority for the costs of various water and sewer improvements with respect to Woodhaven Village and construction of a maintenance building; make an additional deposit to the Debt Service Reserve Fund as required in connection with the issuance of the 2008 Bonds; and pay the costs of issuance of the 2008 Bonds, including the premium for the hereinafter defined Policy (the "2008 Project").

N. Refunding Revenue Bonds (2009A Series)

On May 28, 2009, the Authority issued \$3,050,000 Revenue Refunding Bonds (2009A Series). The Bonds were dated May 28, 2009 and consisted of \$3,050,000 serial bonds, which are due in various amounts on November 1, 2009 through 2018.

Interest on the 2009A Series Bonds is payable on November 1, 2009 and semi-annually thereafter on each succeeding May1 and November 1 until maturity or early redemption thereof.

2009A Series Bonds are not subject to redemption prior to their stated maturities.

<u>Defeasance of 1999 Bonds</u> - Pursuant to an Escrow Deposit Agreement dated May 28, 2009, the Authority deposited \$3,342,155 of the proceeds of the 2009A Series Refunding Bonds to advance refund the outstanding 1999 Bonds. The amounts deposited with the trustee include \$112,891 of Bond premium. All funds so deposited were used to purchase U.S. Government securities, which were deposited in an irrevocable trust with an escrow agent to provide for all future debt service payments on the 1999 Bonds. As a result, the 1999 Bonds are considered defeased and the liability for those bonds of \$3,205,000 has been removed from the Authority's balance sheet.

For the year ended May 31, 2009, the Authority in effect reduced its aggregate debt service payments over the next 10 years and obtained a gross savings of \$183,598 and a present value savings of \$158,780.

O. Schedule of Debt Service Payments – Cash Basis Bonds Issued And Outstanding on May 31, 2009*

Fiscal Year Ending			
May 31,	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2010	\$3,236,272	\$2,215,122	\$5,451,394
2011	3,643,674	2,268,402	5,912,076
2012	3,682,515	2,191,928	5,874,443
2013	3,760,919	2,094,744	5,855,663
2014	3,749,066	1,999,803	5,748,869
2015-2019	15,875,745	7,196,265	23,072,010
2020-2024	7,560,392	2,293,878	9,854,270
2025-2029	7,293,624	974,950	8,268,574

^{*}Includes principal and interest of New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing.

NOTE 6: COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The Authority has adopted policies which sets forth the terms under which an employee may accumulate earned, but unused, vacation and sick leave, establishes the limits on such accumulations and specifies the conditions under which the right to receive payment for such accumulations vests with the employee. General Policy is as follows:

A. Sick Leave

Permanent full-time unionized employees of the Authority accrue sick leave on the basis of one (1) day for each month worked during the first calendar year of employment. As of January 1st following the first full year of employment, and on every January 1st thereafter, each permanent full-time employee shall receive twelve (12) sick leave days and three (3) personal days. In the event any personal days are not used in the year they are earned, those personal days shall be converted to sick days. Employees hired prior to October 1, 1990 may accumulate a maximum of two hundred eighty (280) days; Employees hired after that date may accumulate a maximum of one hundred and fifty (150) days. During an employee's last year of employment, for purposes of determining reimbursement, sick leave accrual for "cash back" purposes shall be prorated at one and one-quarter (1 1/4) days per month worked into that last year.

The Policy also provides for the accrual of twelve (12) "bridge days" as of January 1st of each year following the first year of employment. The maximum allowable accumulation of bridge days is forty-eight (48) days. Bridge days are provided in conjunction with the Authority's disability plan, and may only be used to "bridge" the period from the exhaustion of the current year's sick leave until such time as the employee is placed on the disability plan. Employees hired after July 1, 1996 are not entitled to bridge days, and must use regular sick days, to the extent available, to cover the period until they are placed on the disability plan.

Non-union personnel accrue sick leave on the basis of one (1) day for each month worked during the first calendar year of employment. Thereafter, as of January 1 of each year, they receive twelve (12) sick leave days. In addition, each non-union employee is credited with fifteen (15) sick leave days as a "bank" at the end of each year.

Unionized employees may "cash in" from one to ten unused sick days of each calendar year allotment for full pay. If the employee has at least five unused sick days of the current calendar year allotment and an additional accumulation of twenty-five unused sick days, the employee may shelter five unused sick days, at full pay, in the deferred compensation plan. Upon retirement, an employee who is a member of a collective bargaining unit receives one-half day's pay for each day of accumulated unused sick pay, at current rates, subject to the maximum allowable accumulation and a cap on pay-outs of \$15,000.00. Non-union personnel receive payment annually for any unused sick leave days from their annual allotment, excluding "bank" days. Upon retirement, non-union employees receive payment, at current rates for each day of accumulated unused sick pay (bank days), subject to the maximum allowable accumulation and a cap on pay-outs of \$32,957, adjusted annually effective December 31, 2000 to reflect the change to the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the year then ended.

NOTE 6: COMPENSATED ABSENCES (Cont'd.)

B. <u>Vacation</u>

Personnel hired prior to May 1 shall receive five (5) working days paid vacation for that calendar year. Personnel hired on or after May 1 shall receive no paid vacation for that calendar year. Thereafter, length of annual paid vacation shall be determined in accordance with the following schedules:

Schedule 1 - Employees hired on or before October 1, 1990:

Years of Service	Working Days Paid Vacation
1 to 4 5 to 9	10 15
10 to 15 16	20 21
17 18	22
19	23 24
20	25

Schedule 2 - Employees hired after October 1, 1990:

Years of Service	Working Days Paid Vacation
1 to 4	10
5 to 9	15
10 to 19	20
20	25

Vacation days for unionized employees which cannot be completed by the end of the calendar year may be carried over into the following calendar year with the approval of the Director. Upon separation of service, an employee is entitled, in time or in pay, to any unused vacation pay.

At May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008, the payroll records of the Authority indicate the value of accumulated sick and vacation pay earned and unused to be \$1,063,561 and \$1,148,072, respectively. This amount has been established as a liability on the balance sheet. For the purpose of establishing the accrued liability, the Authority recognizes the full value of current accumulations calculated in accordance with the policies enumerated above, subject to the pay-out "cap".

NOTE 7: PENSION PLAN

The Authority participates in the Public Employees' Retirement System ("PERS"). The Division of Pensions within the Treasury Department of the State of New Jersey is the administrator of the Fund and charges participating public employer annually for their respective contributions. The Plan provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost of living adjustments, and death benefits to Plan members and beneficiaries. According to the State of New Jersey Administrative Code, all obligations of the PERS System will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should the System terminate. The Plan is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit Plan and, as such, does not maintain separate records for each participating public employer in the state and, therefore, the actuarial data for the Authority is not available. The Division of Pensions issued publicly-available financial reports for the Plan that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The reports may be obtained by writing the State of New Jersey, Division of Pensions, PO Box 295, Trenton, NJ, 08625.

Covered employees are required by statute to contribute a percentage of their annual compensation to the Plan. PERS bills the Authority annually at an actuarially determinable rate for its required contribution. The current rate for each employee is 5.0% of annual covered payroll.

The contribution requirements of Plan members and the Authority are established and may be amended by the Board of Trustees of the Plan. The Authority's contribution to the Plan for the year ended May 31, 2009 was \$418,113 (8.6%). The Authority's contribution to the Plan for the years ended May 31, 2008 and May 31, 2007 were \$307,627 (6.1%). and \$179,300 (3.7%) respectively equal to the required contributions. During the years ended May 31, 2009, May 31, 2008, and May 31, 2007 normal employee contributions to the PERS System amounted to \$231,204, \$218,883, and \$230,900 respectively.

NOTE 8: ARBITRAGE REBATE

Pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, Section 148, regarding excess earnings, the Authority is required to rebate excess arbitrage income to the United States Government. The rebate amount is the excess aggregate amount earned on unspent bond proceeds over the amount that would have been earned if the yield on such unspent proceeds had been equal to the bond yields. The Authority estimates that it has no rebatable arbitrage earnings at May 31, 2009.

NOTE 9: POST RETIREMENT BENEFITS

The Authority provides health benefits through its group insurance plan to certain retirees, provided that the employee has:

- (a) Retired on a disability pension;
- (b) Retired after 25 years or more service credit in a state or locally administered retirement system and a period of service of five (5) years service to the authority or its predecessors; or
- (c) Retired upon or after attaining the age of 62 years and at least 15 years of service to the Authority or its predecessors.

The Authority also provides full coverage towards the cost of health benefits for the spouses and/or dependents of eligible retired employees. During the year ended May 31, 2009 and May 31, 2008, the Authority expended \$364,514 and \$327,411 for 30 and 28 eligible employees respectively.

NOTE 10: RISK MANAGEMENT

The Authority is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters.

<u>Property and Liability Insurance</u> - During the year ended May 31, 2009, the Authority continued to transfer all insurable risks through the purchase of commercial insurance policies. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage during each of the past three fiscal years. During the year ended May 31, 2008 there were no significant reductions in coverages from those provided in the previous year.

The Authority provides health benefits to its employees and qualified retirees through a program that includes a significant risk retention component. Highmark Life Insurance Company was retained by the Authority's third party administrator, Governmental Risk Management Assoc. The Authority has procured specific and aggregate excess loss insurance coverages to limit its loss exposure, as follows:

Specific Excess - Coverage is 100% of losses per covered person in excess of \$40,000 retained risk, with a maximum lifetime benefit per covered person of \$4,960,000.

Aggregate Excess - Coverage is 100% of aggregate calendar year losses up to a maximum of \$1,000,000, subject to a limit per covered person of \$40,000.

NOTE 11: OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS - OPEB - GASB 45

This is the initial year (transition year) the Authority is recognizing its postemployment healthcare plan benefit costs based upon the implementation requirements of GASB Statement 45.

The Authority's annual postemployment benefit (OPEB) cost (expense) is calculated based on the annual required contribution of the employer (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities over a period not to exceed thirty years. The following table shows the components of the Authority's annual OPEB cost for the year, any amounts contributed to the plan and the Authority's net OPEB obligation. For 2008, the Authority's annual OPEB cost (expense) of \$1,259,700 was equal to the ARC.

	Total
Net OPEB obligation - beginning of year	
Annual required contribution (ARC)	\$1,259,700
Less: Contributions	364,500
Net OPEB obligation – end of year	\$895,200

NOTE 11: OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS - OPEB - GASB 45 (cont'd.)

The funded status of the plan for the Authority as of June 1, 2008, is as follows:

	
	<u>Total</u>
Actuarial accrued liability (AAL)	\$17,271,100
Actuarial value of plan assets	0-
Unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL)	\$17,271,100
Funded ratio (actuarial value of plan	
assets/AAL)	0.00%
Covered payroll (active plan members)	\$4,685,000
UAAL as a percentage of covered payroll	369.00%

The projection of future benefits for an ongoing plan involves estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and the health-care cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. The schedule of funding progress presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan and includes the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing benefit costs between the employer and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

In the June 1, 2008 actuarial valuation, the projected unit credit cost method was used. A rate of 4.00% was utilized as the discount rate and the amount of increase in the normal cost amount. The unfunded accrued liability is being amortized as a level dollar amount using an open period of thirty (30) years.

NOTE 12: RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

At May 31, 2009, the Authority reports the following as Restricted Net Asset:

The amount of \$4,460,604 has been Restricted for Debt Service pursuant to the Debt Service Reserve Requirement, as set forth in the Bond Resolution. The amount of \$5,469,850 has been Restricted for Operations. This amount represents Operating Reserve Requirement pursuant to the Bond Resolution. The amount of \$1,335,958 has been Restricted for Capital Projects and the amount of \$658,402 has been Restricted for Future Debt Service which represents accrued interest on the bonds.

NOTE 13: UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS

At May 31, 2009, the Authority reported \$23,792,287 as Unrestricted Net Assets.

NOTE 14: LITIGATION

At May 31, 2009, the Authority Attorney's letter did not indicate any litigation, claims or contingent liabilities that are either not covered by the Authority's insurance carrier or would have a material financial impact on the Authority.

NOTE 15: SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On June 30, 2009, the Local Finance Board approved by resolution to award the OBMUA \$18,000,000 in NJEIT funds. The money will be used to finance all or part of the water(7.3)/sewer(10.7) projects.

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES COMPARED TO BUDGET (BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2008)

		2009 <u>BUDGET</u>	2009 <u>ACTUAL</u>		2008 <u>ACTUAL</u>
Revenues:					
Retained Earnings Appropriated	\$	\$		\$	359,100
User Charges and Fees	,	24,828,542	24,222,702	Ψ	23,496,402
Delinquent Penalties		235,000	259,578		274,428
Interest on Investments and Deposits		1,275,000	861,918		1,599,913
Planned Unit Development or			,		1,000,010
Developer Contribution			12,144		26,576
Engineering Service Fees		309,633	382,877		444,400
Video Sewer Lines		20,000	3,225		16,000
Miscellaneous	_	<u>77,000</u>	49,066		45,474
Total Revenues	_	26,745,1 75	25,791,510		26,262,293
Expenses:					
Operating Appropriations:					
Salaries and Wages		5,750,950	4,841,713		5,053,393
Employee Benefits		2,901,861	3,894,551		2,526,991
Administrative Expenses		1,358,256	1,321,201		1,401,920
Office Expenses		200,260	153,035		136,320
Engineering		36,800	27,140		30,020
Operations and Maintenance Expense		3,561,493	2,535,238		2,725,536
Contractual Services and Charges	_	6,209,541	5,483,229		5,905,687
Total Operating Appropriations	_	20,019,161	18,256,107	_	17,779,867
Interest Expense	_	1,645,055	2,211,396		1,839,373
Other Costs Funded by Operating Revenues:					
Principal Maturity		2 271 271	2 72 / 101		
Capital Outlay		3,371,271	3,736,181		3,656,958
Capital Galley	_	1,201,935	466,503	_	127,849
Total Costs Funded by Operating Revenues		4,573,206	4,202,684	_	3,784,807
Total Expenses	_	26,237,422	24,670,187	_	23,404,047
Budgetary Revenues Over Expenses	\$_	507,753 \$	1,121,323	\$_	2,858,246

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES COMPARED TO BUDGET (BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2008)

Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to Net Income	2009	2008
Budgetary Revenues Over Expenses	\$ 1,121,323 \$	2,858,246
Adjustments to Budgetary Basis:		
Depreciation Expense Retained Earnings Appropriated Bond Principal Maturity Capital Outlay Expenditures Amortization of Debt Issue Costs Capital Contributions	 (2,103,161) 3,736,181 466,503 (117,496) 5,471,654	(1,835,991) (359,100) 3,656,958 127,849 (110,943) 1,148,374
Total Adjustments	 7,453,681	2,627,147
Net Income	\$ 8,575,004 \$_	5,485,393

SCHEDULE OF SEWER DEPARTMENT REVENUES AND EXPENSES COMPARED TO BUDGET (BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2008)

		2009 <u>BUDGET</u>		2009 <u>ACTUAL</u>		2008 <u>ACTUAL</u>
Revenues:						
Retained Earnings Appropriated	\$		\$		\$	359,100
User Charges and Fees	•	11,232,246	Ψ	11,666,694	Ψ	11,205,660
Delinquent Penalties		108,000		116,729		125,694
Interest on Invest. and Deposits		710,000		368,315		676,906
Planned Unit Development or		-				0.03,200
Developer Contribution				1,000		21,800
Engineering Service Fees		154,817		208,854		235,654
Video Sewer Lines		20,000		3,225		16,000
Miscellaneous	_	35,000		9,561	_	13,881
Total Revenues	_	12,260,063		12,374,378	_	12,654,695
Expenses:						
Operating Appropriations:						
Salaries and Wages		2,376,046		1,859,820		2,073,481
Employee Benefits		1,253,557		1,635,588		1,046,027
Administrative Expenses		563,963		586,268		641,630
Office Expenses		88,845		71,238		62,218
Engineering		18,400		12,878		12,512
Operations and Maintenance Exp.		1,153,088		832,286		1,049,542
Contractual Services and Charges	_	3,900,246		<u>3,471,748</u>	_	3,715, 703
Total Operating Appropriations	_	9,354,145		8,469,826	_	8,601,113
Interest Expense	_	675,170	-	851,340	_	769,907
Other Costs Funded by Operating Revenues:						
Principal Maturity		1,621,248		1,850,585		1,810,259
Capital Outlay	_	<u>609,</u> 500		241 ,442	_	30,969
Total Costs Funded by Operating						
Revenues	_	2,230, 748	-	2,092,027		1,841,228
Total Expenses	_	12,260,063	-	11,413,193		11,212,248
Budgetary Revenues Over Expenses						
(Expenses over Revenue)	\$_		\$	961,185	\$_	1,442,447

SCHEDULE OF SEWER DEPARTMENT REVENUES AND EXPENSES COMPARED TO BUDGET (BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2008)

Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to Net Income (Loss):		2009 <u>ACTUAL</u>	2008 <u>ACTUAL</u>
Budgetary Revenues Over Expenses (Expenses Over Revenue)	\$	961,185 \$	1,442,447
Adjustments to Budgetary Basis:			
Depreciation Expense Retained Earnings Appropriated		(1,108,389)	(1,100,303) (359,100)
Bond Principal Maturity		1,850,585	1,810,259
Capital Outlay Expenditures		241,442	30,969
Amortization of Debt Issue Costs		(51,568)	(51,167)
Capital Contributions	_	38,666	981,065
Total Adjustments	_	970,736	1,311,723
Net Income	\$_	1,931,921 \$	2,754,170

SCHEDULE OF WATER DEPARTMENT REVENUES AND EXPENSES COMPARED TO BUDGET (BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2008)

D. company		2009 BUDGET		2009 <u>ACTUAL</u>		2008 <u>ACTUAL</u>
Revenues: User Charges and Fees Delinquent Penalties Interest on Investments and Deposits Planned Unit Development or	\$	13,596,296 127,000 565,000	\$	12,556,008 142,849 493,603	\$	12,290,742 148,734 923,007
Developer Contribution Engineering Service Fees Miscellaneous	_	154,816 42,000	• .	11,144 174,023 39,505		4,776 208,746 31,593
Total Revenues	_	14,485,112		13,417,132	_	13,607,598
Expenses: Operating Appropriations:					_	
Salaries and Wages Employee Benefits Administrative Expenses		3,374,904 1,648,304		2,981,893 2,258,963		2,979,912 1,480,964
Office Expenses Engineering		794,293 111,415 18,400		734,933 81,797 14,262		760,290 74,102 17,508
Operations and Maintenance Exp. Contractual Services and Charges	_	2,408,405 2,309,295		1,702,952 2,011,481		1,675,994 2,189,984
Total Operating Appropriations	_	10,665,016		9,786,281	_	9,178,754
Interest Expense	_	969,885	. ,	1,360,056	_	1,069,466
Other Costs Funded by Operating Revenues:						
Principal Maturity Capital Outlay	_	1,750,023 592,435		1,885,596 225,061	_	1,846,699 96,880
Total Costs Funded by Operating Revenues	_	2,342,458		2,110,657		1,943,579
Total Expenses	_	13,977,359		13,256,994	_	12,191,799
Budgetary Revenues Over Expenses	\$_	507,753	\$	160,138	\$_	1,415,799

SCHEDULE OF WATER DEPARTMENT REVENUES AND EXPENSES COMPARED TO BUDGET (BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2008)

Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to Net Income (Loss):		2009 <u>ACTUAL</u>	2008 <u>ACTUAL</u>
Budgetary Revenues Over Expenses (Expenses Over Revenue)	\$	160,138 \$	1,415,799
Adjustments to Budgetary Basis: Depreciation Expense Contributed Capital Retained Earnings Appropriated Bond Principal Maturity Capital Outlay Expenditures Amortization of Debt Issue Costs	_	(994,772) 5,432,988 1,885,596 225,061 (65,928)	(735,688) 167,309 1,846,699 96,880 (59,776)
Total Adjustments	_	6,482,945	1,315,424
Net Income	\$_	6,643,083 \$	2,731,223

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION POSTEMPLOYMENT HEALTH BENEFITS SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS

UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	416.48%	368.65%
Covered <u>Payroll</u>	4,386,500	4,685,000
	93	
Funded <u>Ratio</u>	0.00%	0.00%
Unfunded AAL (UAAL)	\$ 18,268,700	17,271,100
Actuarial accrued <u>Liability (AAL)</u>	\$ 18,268,700	17,271,100
Actuarial Value of <u>Assets</u>	· 69	1
Actuarial Valuation <u>Date</u>	06/01/07	06/01/08

STATISTICAL SECTION

Statistical Section

This part of the Authority's comprehensive annual financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the accompanying financial statements and notes to the basic financial statements says about the Authority's overall financial health.

Contents Financial Trends

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

Revenue Capacity

These schedules contain information to help the reader assess the factors affecting the Authority's ability to generate revenues.

Debt-Capacity

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

Demographic and Economic Information

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

Operating Information

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

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OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, NEW JERSEY

	BALANCE MAY 31, 2009	\$1,762,233.00	305,000.00	129,262.97		720,000.00		
	DECREASED	\$139,672.00	70,000.00	54,612.48	21,076.25	70,000.00		3,455,000.00
	ISSUED							
	BALANCE MAY 31, 2008	\$1,901,905.00	375,000.00	183,875.45	21,076.25	790,000.00		3,455,000.00
PAYABLE	INTEREST RATE	Zero Zero Zero Zero Zero Zero Zero Zero	4.80% 4.80% 4.80% 4.80%	0.00% 0.00% 0.00%		5.00% 5.00% 5.00% 5.00% 5.00%	200	4.20% 4.40% 4.45% 4.50% 4.60% 4.70% 4.70% 4.73%
SCHEDULE OF REVENUE SERIAL BONDS PAYABLE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009	MATURITIES E AMOUNT	\$1,055,000.00 1,060,000.00 1,065,000.00 1,055,000.00 1,065,000.00 1,065,000.00 1,065,000.00 1,075,000.00	70,000.00 75,000.00 80,000.00 80,000.00	52,497.34 53,459.20 23,306.43		75,000.00 80,000.00 85,000.00 90,000.00 95,000.00 100,000.00	(349,541.86)	260,000.00 270,000.00 285,000.00 295,000.00 315,000.00 340,000.00 355,000.00 355,000.00 355,000.00
OF REVENTY	MATE DATE	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12 11/01/14 11/01/15 11/01/16	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12	11/01/09		11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12 11/01/13 11/01/14		11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12 11/01/13 11/01/15 11/01/15 11/01/16
SCHEDULE	AMOUNT ISSUED	\$2,830,313.50	1,080,000.00	1,023,865.00	1,349,860.00	1,355,000.00		5,130,000.00
	DATE OF ISSUE	06/15/89	09/22/93	09/23/93	11/06/97	11/06/97		04/01/99
	PURPOSE	Capital Appreciation Bonds - Pay the Costs of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve and Pay the Costs of Issuance	1993 Revenue "C" Bonds - New Jersey Waste Water Treatment Trust Loan Agreement Pursuant to the Financing Program	1993 Revenue "D" Bonds - New Jersey Waste Water Treatment Fund Loan Agreement Pursuant to the Financing Program	1997 Refunding "B" Bonds - Pay The Cost of Certain Improvements	1997 Revenue "A" Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	Future Principal Savings Credits	1999 Revenue Bonds (Series 1999) To pay a portion of the costs of various capital improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and pay Costs of Issuance

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		SCHEDOLE	OF REVENUES YEAR ENDED I	SCHEDULE OF REVENUE SERIAL BONDS PAYABLE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009	PAYABLE				
PURPOSE	DATE OF ISSUE	AMOUNT ISSUED	MATURITIES DATE AM	OUNT	INTEREST RATE	BALANCE MAY 31, 2008	ISSUED	DECREASED	BALANCE MAY 31, 2009
1999 NJEIT Trust Water Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	11/4/99	\$535,000.00	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12 11/01/14 11/01/15	\$25,000.00 30,000.00 30,000.00 30,000.00 35,000.00 35,000.00 40,000.00	5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50%	\$370,000.00		\$25,000.00	\$345,000.00
Future Principal Savings Credits			81/10/11	45,328.08)	2.70%				
1999 NJEIT Trust Sewer Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	11/4/99	1,060,000.00	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/15 11/01/16	55,000.00 55,000.00 60,000.00 60,000.00 65,000.00 75,000.00 75,000.00 75,000.00	5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50% 5.50%	730,000.00		50,000.00	680,000.00
Future Principal Savings Credits			11/01/18	85,000.00 (45,537.58)	5.70%				
1999 NJEIT Fund Water Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	11/4/99	527,031.00	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12 11/01/13	26,645.07 28,972.45 27,913.09 26,853.73 18,674.20	0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00%	156,506.16		27,447.62	129,058.54
1999 NJEIT Fund Sewer Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	11/4/99	1,050,013.00	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/15 11/01/16 11/01/16	56,591.08 54,635.23 55,912.19 53,778.54 54,877.69 55,799.04 56,542.59 53,875.52 54,441.26	0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00%	473,866.57	132,287 01	54,974.68	551,178.90
2002 Revenue "A" Bonds	08/01/02	1,415,000.00	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/13 11/01/14	95,000.00 95,000.00 100,000.00 105,000.00 105,000.00 115,000.00	3.500% 3.625% 3.800% 3.900% 4.125% 4.125% 4.300%	935,000.00		00'000'06	845,000.00

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	ISSUED DEC				
	BALANCE MAY 31, 2008	\$11,140,000.00	2,760,000.00	2,323,200.11	855,000.00
<u>NEY</u> PAYABLE	INTEREST RATE	3.500% 3.625% 3.800% 4.000% 4.125% 4.250%	3.00% 5.00% 5.00% 5.00% 4.00% 4.20% 4.25% 5.00% 4.75% 4.75%	%00°0 %00 %0	3 00% 5.00% 6.00% 4.20% 4.25% 5.00% 4.55% 4.50%
COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, NEW JERSEY SCHEDULE OF REVENUE SERIAL BONDS PAYABLE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009	MATURITIES DATE AMOUNT	\$1,120,000.00 1,155,000.00 1,190,000.00 1,240,000.00 1,230,000.00 1,375,000.00 830,000.00	140,000.00 145,000.00 150,000.00 160,000.00 165,000.00 175,000.00 195,000.00 195,000.00 205,000.00 215,000.00 215,000.00 225,000.00 245,000.00	155,357.97 155,836.74 155,986.37 155,986.37 155,238.28 154,041.34 155,717.05 153,933.62 154,808.87 154,360.03 154,360.03 154,360.03 154,285.22 154,285.22	45,000.00 45,000.00 50,000.00 55,000.00 60,000.00 65,000.00 70,000.00 75,000.00
OF REVENU	MAT DATE	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12 11/01/13 11/01/14	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/15 11/01/17 11/01/18 11/01/18 11/01/19 11/01/20 11/01/20	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/16 11/01/19 11/01/19 11/01/19 11/01/20 11/01/21	11/01/09 11/1/2010-11 11/1/2012-13 11/1/2014-15 11/01/16 11/01/17 11/1/2018-19 11/1/2021-22
SCHEDULE	AMOUNT ISSUED	\$17,805,000.00	3,120,000.00	2,787,329.00	1,000,000.00
	DATE OF ISSUE	08/01/02	10/15/03	10/15/03	10/15/03
	PURPOSE	2002 Revenue Refunding "A" Bonds	2003 NJEIT Trust Water Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	2003 NJEIT Fund Water Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	2003 NJEIT Trust Sewer Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance

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OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, NEW JERSEY

SCHEDULE OF REVENUE SERIAL BONDS PAYABLE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009

	BALANCE MAY 31, 2009	\$677,717.31	230,000.00	6,560,000.00	1,450,000.00
	DECREASED	\$47,688.41	35,000.00	435,000.00	60,000.00
	ISSUED				
	BALANCE MAY 31, 2008	\$725,405.72	265,000.00	6,995,000.00	1,510,000.00
	INTEREST RATE	0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00%	2.200% 2.500% 2.750% 3.000% 3.375%	2.200% 2.500% 3.000% 3.250% 3.350% 3.3750% 4.000% 4.000% 4.250% 4.250%	5.00% 5.00% 6.00% 4.00% 4.25% 4.25% 4.375% 4.375% 4.375%
11, 4003	MATURITIES I	\$49,497.18 48,683.24 47,326,66 48,984.69 47,477.39 48,346.45 47,327.09 47,346.45 47,344.74 48,319.86 49,515.28 47,367.52	35,000.00 35,000.00 40,000.00 40,000.00 40,000.00 40,000.00	440,000.00 460,000.00 465,000.00 485,000.00 500,000.00 530,000.00 540,000.00 540,000.00 540,000.00 555,000.00 505,000.00 220,000.00 220,000.00	65,000.00 70,000.00 75,000.00 80,000.00 85,000.00 95,000.00 105,000.00 1115,000.00
I EAN EINDED	DATE	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/16 11/01/19 11/01/19 11/01/19 11/01/19 11/01/19	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/12 11/01/13	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/14 11/01/19 11/01/19 11/01/20 11/01/21 11/01/22	11/1/2009-10 11/0/1/1 11/0/1/1 11/0/1/1 11/0/1/1 11/0/1/1 11/0/1/1 11/0/1/2 11/0/1/2 11/0/1/2 11/0/1/2 11/0/1/2
	AMOUNT ISSUED —	\$890,327.00	370,000.00	8,055,000.00	1,625,000.00 1
	DATE OF ISSUE	10/15/03	02/26/04	02/26/04	11/15/05
	PURPOSE	2003 NJEIT Fund Sewer Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	2004 Revenue "A" Bonds	2004 Revenue Refunding "A" Bonds	2005 NJEIT Trust Water Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance

SCHEDULE OF REVENUE SERIAL BONDS PAYABLE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009

BALANCE MAY 31, 2009	\$1,288,628.65	3,115,000.00
DECREASED	\$80,350.58	120,000.00
ISSUED		
BALANCE MAY 31, 2008	\$1,368,979.23	3,235,000.00
INTEREST RATE	%0000 %000 %000 %0000 %0000 %0000 %0000 %0000 %0000 %0000 %0000 %0	4.000% 5.000% 5.000% 5.000% 6.000% 4.000% 4.125% 4.125% 4.250% 4.250% 4.250%
 MATURITIES TE AMOUNT	\$81,610.18 79,563.34 80,665.48 81,610.18 79,228.01 80,035.69 80,035.69 80,035.69 80,035.69 80,035.69 80,035.69 80,035.69 81,381.88 81,596.78 81,596.78 82,070.73 78,902.05	125,000.00 130,000.00 135,000.00 145,000.00 160,000.00 165,000.00 175,000.00 175,000.00 195,000.00 205,000.00 220,000.00 220,000.00 220,000.00 220,000.00 220,000.00 220,000.00
DATE	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/18 11/01/19 11/01/20 11/01/23 11/01/23 11/01/23	11/01/09 11/01/10 11/01/12 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/16 11/01/18 11/01/19 11/01/20 11/01/20 11/01/21 11/01/23 11/01/23
AMOUNT ISSUED	\$1,530,940.00	3,350,000.00
DATE OF ISSUE	11/15/05	90/60/11
PURPOSE	2005 NJEIT Fund Water Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance	2006 NJEIT Trust Sewer Bonds - Pay the Cost of Certain Improvements to the System, Fund the Debt Service Reserve Fund and Fund and Pay Cost of Issuance

SCHEDULE OF REVENUE SERIAL BONDS PAYABLE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009

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BALANCE DECREASED MAY 31, 2009	\$5,625,000.00	3,050,000.00	\$6,941,180,99 \$49,212,614,35	\$49,212,614.35 (410,407.52)	\$48,802,206.83	\$3,236,272.03 45,565,934.80 \$48.802.206.83
ISSUED DECI	5,625,000.00	3,050,000.00	\$12,538,287.01			
BALANCE MAY 31, 2008			\$43,615,508.33	\$43,615,508.33 (442,185.64)	\$43,173,322.69	
INTEREST RATE	4.500% 5.375% 5.375% 5.375% 5.375% 5.375%	2.00% 2.00% 2.50% 3.00% 4.00% 4.00% 4.00%				
MATURITIES E AMOUNT	\$25,000.00 25,000.00 480,000.00 745,000.00 985,000.00 1,480,000.00 1,560,000.00	100,000.00 290,000.00 300,000.00 305,000.00 315,000.00 335,000.00 345,000.00 350,000.00				
MATU	11/1/2009-20 11/1/2021-23 11/01/24 11/01/25 11/01/26 11/01/27 11/01/28	11/01/10 11/01/10 11/01/11 11/01/13 11/01/14 11/01/15 11/01/16 11/01/16				
AMOUNT ISSUED	\$5,625,000.00	3,050,000.00				
DATE OF ISSUE	12/23/08	05/28/09				
PURPOSE	2008 Revenue Bonds (2008C Series)	2009 Revenue Refunding Bonds (2009A Series)	Total	Gross Principal Future NJEIT Savings Credits	Net Principal Balance	Detail: Current Portion Revenue Bonds Long-Term Liability Revenue Bonds

Source: Official Statements

INSURANCE COVERAGE

A multi-peril policy issued by the Selective Way Insurance Company for a one-year period expiring on April 15, 2010, payable over ten months, was in force during the period under review .

The policy provided for the following coverage:

Special Multi-Peril Policy (S 1730992) Property:		
Building and Contents (\$1,000.00 Deductible)	\$	63,850,603.00
Blanket Extra Expense	·	1,000,000.00
Employee Benefit Program Coverage		1,000,000.00
Boiler and Machinery (\$1,000.00 Deductible)		2,000,000.00
Ordinance of Law Coverage		500,000.00
Pipeline Distribution System (\$5,000.00 Deductible)		5,000,000.00
Flood (\$25,000.00 Deductible)		5,000,000.00
Earthquake (\$25,000.00 Deductible)		5,000,000.00
Valuable Papers (\$1,000.00 Deductible)		75,000.00
Employee Dishonesty (\$1,000.00 Deductible)		25,000.00
Forgery (\$1,000.00 Deductible)		25,000.00
Theft (\$1,000.00 Deductible)		25,000.00
Miscellaneous Equipment		10,000.00
Auto Fleet Liability (Combined Single Limit)		1,000,000.00
Other Coverages in Effect:		
Public Officials Liability (\$10,000.00 Deductible)		1,000,000.00
Arch Insurance Group (12POF4022300)		
Umbrella Liability		10,000,000.00
Selective Way Insurance Company		•
Commercial General Liability (\$1,000.00 Deductible)		2,000,000.00
Selective Way Insurance Company		
Commercial Pollution Legal Liability (\$25,000.00 Deductible)		1,000,000.00
Lexington Insurance Company (PLC3775825)		

All of the insurance policies in force were examined. No attempt was made to determine the adequacy of coverage as part of this report. Adequacy of coverage is the responsibility of the Authority.

Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority

Schedule of Number of Equivalent Domestic Consumer Units

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	tal	Sewer	26,374	26,268	26,162	25,679	25,138	24,778	24,612	24,241	23,644	23,326
	Total	Water	27,222	27,054	26,919	26,401	25,838	25,453	25,282	24,921	24,244	23,943
		Other	491	447	444	399	313	269	259	134	114	110
		Industrial	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2
	Sewer	Commorcial	8,279	8,253	8,207	7,945	7,835	7,755	7,700	7,661	7,408	7,224
Last Ten Years		Poeidontial	17,603	17,567	17,510	17,334	16,989	16,753	16,651	16,444	16,120	15,990
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La La		Other	561	495	469	424	329	268	266	158	118	120
		ledustrial	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	100	100
	Water	Commorcial	8,626	8,549	8,480	8,184	8,046	7,956	7,883	7,842	7,558	7,382
		leitachised	17,910	17,885	17,845	17,668	17,338	17,104	17,008	16,796	16,468	16,341
		Fiscal	05/31/09	05/31/08	05/31/07	05/31/06	05/31/05	05/31/04	05/31/03	09/30/02	09/30/01	09/30/00

Note: Information is from OBMUA Billing Summaries at the end of the fiscal year

Commercial includes Apartments and Multiple Business Malls Other includes, Government Building, Schools, and Houses of Worship

Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority

SCHEDULE OF WATER PRODUCED/PURCHASED AND CONSUMED Last Ten Calendar Years

Year	Gallons of Water Produced/Purchased	Gallons of Water Consumed	Gallons of Water Unbilled (1)	Average PercentUnbilled
2008	2,524,749	2,320,744	204,005	8.08%
2007	2,560,625	2,284,646	275,979	10.78%
2006	2,500,255	2,294,256	205,999	8.24%
2005	2,540,120	2,388,126	151,994	5.98%
2004	2,361,970	2,223,752	138,218	5.85%
2003	2,352,638	2,210,804	141,834	6.03%
2002	2,470,084	2,296,003	174,081	7.05%
2001	2,547,297	2,391,080	156,217	6.13%
2000	2,415,706	2,303,776	111,930	4.63%
1999	2,467,947	2,355,379	112,568	4.56%

Sources: Water Utilization Report filed with NJ Bureau of Safe Drinking Water Note: Units are measured in 1,000,000 gallon increments.

⁽¹⁾ All unbilled water is not unaccounted for, a portion of this figure is accounted for with line flushing, fire hydrant testing, flow tests, fire fighting, etc.

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY NET ASSETS BY COMPONENT - LAST SEVEN YEARS

		FY 2009	FY 2008	FY 2007	FY 2006	FY 2005	FY 2004	FY 2003
Invested in Capital Assets, net of related debt	€9	53,578,881 \$	47,613,389 \$	\$ 37,642,868 \$	39,277,723 \$	34,350,115 \$	29,701,018 \$	28,861,285
Restricted for Operations		5,469,850	5,004,790	4,684,517	4,506,345	4,303,510	4,042,384	3,777,043
Restricted for Capital Projects		1,335,958	4,274,668	5,590,934	3,213,943	3,438,526	3,890,781	3,975,481
Restricted for Debt Sevice		5,119,003	5,892,759	5,945,614	5,626,989	4,836,989	4,836,989	4,254,916
Restricted for Future Debt Services						580,205	527,361	599,182
Unrestricted		23,792,287	17,935,369	21,371,649	16,366,206	14,983,865	16,039,921	14,113,625
Total Net Assets	₩	89,295,979 \$	\$ 89,295,979 \$ 80,720,975 \$	\$ 75,235,582 \$	68,991,206 \$	62,493,210 \$	59,038,454 \$	55,581,532
Percentage Increase		11%	7%	%6	10%	%9	%9	

Note: The information shown is as of of the first year of the implementation of GASB Statement No. 34, fiscal year 2003

Source: Authority Records

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY CHANGES IN NET ASSETS - LAST TEN YEARS

		FY 2009	FY 2008	FY 2007	FY 2006	FY 2005	FY 2004	FY 2003	FY 2002	FY 2001	FY 2000
OPERATING REVENUES	\$	24,913,553 \$	24,303,281 \$	24,107,787 \$	24,939,925 \$	21,014,977 \$	19,952,787 \$	12,914,898 \$	19,451,505 \$	18,650,326 \$	16,749,297
OPERATING EXPENSES	2	20,359,268	19,615,858	18,333,965	17,822,044	16,330,614	16,184,402	9,879,102	15,684,620	14,477,192	13,737,255
OPERATING INCOME/(LOSS)		4,554,285	4,687,423	5,773,822	7,117,881	4,684,363	3,768,385	3,035,796	3,766,885	4,173,134	3,012,042
TOTAL NON-OPERATING REVENUES/ (EXPENSES)	ı	(1,450,935)	(350,404)	(323,399)	(1,000,274)	(1,379,139)	(1,629,907)	(1,232,578)	(1,941,354)	(2,264,397)	(1,666,312)
INCOME/(LOSS) BEFORE CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS		3,103,350	4,337,019	5,450,423	6,117,607	3,305,224	2,138,478	1,803,218	1,825,531	1,908,737	1,345,730
CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS		5,471,654	1,148,374	793,953	380,389	149,532	1,318,444	431,943	7,356,997	504,096	1,557,969
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	42	8,575,004 \$	\$ 8,575,004 \$ 5,485,393 \$	6,244,376 \$	6,497,996 \$	3,454,756 \$	3,456,922 \$	2,235,161_\$	9,182,528 \$	2,412,833 \$	2,903,699

Source: Authority Records

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY REVENUES BY SOURCES - LAST TEN YEARS

	FY 2009	FY 2008	FY 2007	FY 2006	FY 2005	FY 2004	FY 2003	FY 2002	FY 2001	FY 2000
OPERATING REVENUES										
Water Charges Sewer Charges Connection Fees Other	12,468,440 \$ 11,453,889 487,470 503,754	12,167,856 \$ 11,025,198 454,822 655,405	11,515,438 \$ 10,304,123 1,218,980 1,069,246	11,660,605 \$ 9,529,275 2,893,424 856,621	10,510,671 \$ 9,066,201 706,642	9,798,449 \$ 8,597,770 916,966 639,602	6,579,589 \$ 5,351,249 \$ 593,064 390,996	9,714,171 \$ 8,108,370 1,122,453 506,511	8,990,800 S 7,825,537 1,280,411 553,578	8,405,658 7,094,932 785,002 463,705
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	24,913,553	24,303,281	24,107,787	24,939,925	21,014,977	19,952,787	12,914,898	19,451,505	18,650,326	16,749,297
NON-OPERATING REVENUES										
Interest Income Miscellaneous	861,918 16,038	1,599,913	1,536,950	983,793	499,038	413,839	301,734	594,591 82,180	972,216	952,633
TOTAL NON-OPERATING REVENUES	877,956	1,599,913	1,833,424	983,793	501,664	413,839	301,734	676,771	1,015,970	098'086
TOTAL REVENUES S	25,791,509 \$	\$ 25,791,509 \$ 25,903,194 \$	25,941,211 \$	25,923,718 \$	21,516,641 \$ 20,366,626 \$ 13,216,632 \$	20,366,626 \$	_	20,128,276 \$	19,666,296 \$	17,730,157

Source: Authority Records

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY EXPENSES BY FUNCTION - LAST TEN YEARS

		FY 2009	FY 2008	FY 2007	FY 2006	FY 2005	FY 2004	FY 2003	FY 2002	FY 2001	FY 2000
OPERATING EXPENSES											
Personnel Costs	62	8,736,264 \$	7,580,384 \$	6,988,138 \$	6,981,423 \$	7,052,744 \$	6,675,833 \$	4,164,258 \$	6,375,670 \$	6,005,749 \$	5,528,907
Administrative Expenses		1,301,201	1,401,920	1,302,134	1,181,872	982,731	1,029,838	649,713	804,438	677,055	617,260
Office Expenses		153,035	136,320	143,605	137,236	137,966	144,321	86,609	124,857	113,272	134,911
Engineering Expenses		27,140	30,020	33,998	29,729	27,203	27,427	20,653	28,293	28,197	30,439
Operations and Maintenance		2,535,239	2,725,536	2,808,150	2,448,680	1,987,587	2,538,762	1,216,879	2,401,261	2,024,489	1,976,582
Contractual Services and Charges		5,483,229	5,905,687	5,432,277	5,505,889	4,565,274	4,240,792	2,729,692	4,393,833	4,175,283	4,050,372
Depreciation		2,103,160	1,835,991	1,625,663	1,537,215	1,577,109	1,527,429	1,011,298	1,556,268	1,453,147	1,398,784
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	ļ	20,339,268	19,615,858	18,333,965	17,822,044	16,330,614	16,184,402	9,879,102	15,684,620	14,477,192	13,737,255
NON-OPERATING EXPENSES											
Interest Expense Miscellmeous		2,211,395	1,839,373	2,047,470	1,878,729	1,777,970	1,943,723	1,462,856	2,544,015	2,507,882	2,571,697
TOTAL NON-OPERATING EXPENSES		2,328,891	1,950,317	2,156,823	1,984,067	1,880,803	2,043,746	1,534,312	2,618,125	3,280,367	2,647,172
TOTAL EXPENSES		22,668,159 \$	22,668,159 \$ 21,566,175 \$	20,490,788 \$	s 111,808,91	18,211,417 \$	18,228,148 \$	11,413,414 \$	18,302,745 \$	\$ 655,727,71	16,384,427

Source: Authority Records

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY
RATIO OF ASSESSED VALUATION TO ESTIMATED FULL CASH VALUE

	_	NET ASSESSED VALUATION TAXABLE	_	ESTIMATED FULL CASH VALUATIONS	PERCENTAGE OF NET ASSESSED TO ESTIMATED FULL CASH VALUATIONS
FY 2009	\$	3,388,609,200	\$	8,001,438,489	42.35%
FY 2008		3,371,138,200		7,917,186,942	42.58%
FY 2007		3,335,270,600		7,335,101,386	45.47%
FY 2006		3,304,444,000		6,410,172,648	51.55%
FY 2005		3,265,492,900		5,677,143,428	57.52%
FY 2004		3,196,717,300		4,831,797,612	66.16%
FY 2003		3,162,773,038		4,191,879,441	75.45%
FY 2002		3,071,693,517		3,691,495,634	83.21%
FY 2001		3,033,544,783		3,345,698,449	90.67%
FY 2000		2,971,381,277		3,153,328,321	94.23%

Source: Abstract of Ratables, Middlesex County Board of Taxation

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OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY
COMPUTATION OF DEBT SERVICE COVERAGE - LAST TEN YEARS

	l	FY 2009	FY 2008	FY 2007	FY 2006	FY 2005
Operating Revenues Operating Expenditures	69	24,913,553 \$ 20,359,268	24,303,280 \$ 19,615,857	23,855,463 \$ 17,784,520	24,839,925 \$ 17,284,386	20,999,977
Net Operating Excess Revenues Non Operating Excess		4,554,285	4,687,423	6,070,943	7,555,539	5,201,066
Revenues (Expenses), Net Net Income (Loss)		(1,450,935) 3,103,350	(350,404)	(365,028) 5,705,915	(900,274)	(1,364,139) 3,836,927
Appropriated as Revenue		0	359,100	270,137	597,267	1,055,797
Operating Revenues Debt Service Cost		3,103,350 2,211,395	4,696,119	5,976,052 2,047,470	7,252,532 1,878,729	4,892,724 1,777,970
Depreciation and Amortization Revenues Available for		1,549,039	1,376,261	1,185,571	1,104,895	1,148,239
Debt Service		6,863,784	7,911,753	9,209,093	10,236,156	7,818,933
Debt Service. Bond Principal Interest on Bonds		3,736,181	3,656,958	3,337,835	3,462,664	3,358,544
Total Debt Service	⇔	5,443,670 \$ =	5,258,029 \$	4,873,819 \$	5,207,753 \$	5,073,643
Debt Service Coverage Factor		1.26%	1.50%	1.89%	1.97%	1.54%

Source: Authority Records

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OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY
COMPUTATION OF DEBT SERVICE COVERAGE - LAST TEN YEARS

	l	FY 2004	FY 2003	FY 2002	FX 2001	FY 2000
Operating Revenues Operating Expenditures Net Operating Excess Revenues	69	19,829,281 \$ 15,705,691 4,123,590	12,914,898 \$ 9,567,509 3,347,389	19,516,897 \$ 15,169,248 4,347,649	18,650,326 \$ 14,098,539 4,551,787	16,749,297 13,337,063 3,412,234
Non Operating Excess Revenues (Expenses), Net Net Income (Loss) Retained Earnings	ł	2,617,188	2,114,811	2,406,295	2,990,270	(1,666,658) 1,745,576
Appropriated as revenue Net Excess (Deficit) of Operating Revenues Debt Service Cost Depreciation and Amortization		2,863,644 1,943,723 1,148,741	2,700,950 1,462,856 764,228	2,965,480 2,544,015 1,115,006	2,990,270 2,507,882 1,144,098	1,745,576 2,571,697 1,074,067
Kevenues Available for Debt Service Debt Service: Bond Principal Interest on Bonds		2,742,035 1,943,723	4,928,034 = 930,646 1,462,856	6,624,501 1,575,239 2,544,015	6,642,250 1,487,657 2,507,882	5,391,340 1,203,370 2,571,697
Total Debt Service Debt Service Coverage Factor	₩	4,685,758 \$==1.27%	2,393,502 \$=	4,119,254 \$ ===	3,995,539 \$ ===	3,775,067

Source: Authority Records

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY POPULATION AND SCHOOL ENROLLMENT DATA

	Township of Old Bridge Population*	County of Middlesex Population*	Old Bridge School Enrollment**	State of NewJersey***
FY 2008	65,859	789,102	9,583	8,682,661
FY 2007	66,044	788,629	9,648	8,685,920
FY 2006	65,661	786,971	9,758	8,666,075
FY 2005	63,601	789,516	9,850	8,657,445
FY 2004	64,151	785,095	9,956	8,641,235
FY 2003	63,663	780,995	9,931	8,604,990
FY 2002	63,062	775,549	9,841	8,558,327
FY 2001	61,802	764,971	9,730	8,495,644
FY 2000	60,456	750,162	9,586	8,431,951
FY1999	59,200	717,949	9,348	8,143,412

^{*} Dept of Labor New Jersey as of July 1

** Township of Old Bridge School District

*** NJ Econimic Indicators, NJ Div of Labor

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

·	County of Middlesex Labor Force	Employment	<u>Unemploy</u> ment	County Unemployment Rate	State Unemployment Rate	National Unemployment Rate	Total Personal Income	1	Capita Personal Income	в лај те
	416,900	387,000	29,900	7.2%	%8'9	5.1%	\$ 441,236		\$ 5(50,919
	420,000	401,500	18,500	4.4%	5.1%	4.8%	433,076	\$ 9/		49,511
FY 2006	425,900	407,000	18,900	4.6%	4.3%	4.6%	412,096	96	46	46,813
FY 2005	418,600	401,400	17,200	4.3%	4.6%	5.1%	384,190	06	4(40,978
	421,057	402,657	18,400	4.6%	4.9%	5.5%	371,430	30	35	39,621
	418,300	395,800	22,500	5.7%	2.9%	%0.9	348,763	53	38	38,517
	424,300	403,300	21,000	5.2%	5.4%	5.8%	336,291	=	38	38,107
	413,674	398,518	15,156	3.6%	4.2%	4.8%	335,959	66	37	37,849
	411,155	398,485	12,670	3.1%	3.8%	4.0%	330,775	75	36	36,492
	407,800	392,500	15,300	3.7%	4.6%	4.2%	300,918	00	33	33,898

Source: NJ Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Force Statistics Regional Economic Information System, U.S. Department of Commerce

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Authority Employees by Function Filled Positions Only at May 31

	2009	2008	_2007_	2006	2005	2004
Executive	1	1	1	1	1	1
Human Resources & Administration	5	5	5	5	6	7
Engineering	6	6	6	6	6	6
Finance	2	2	2	2	2	2
Billing/Customer Service	6	6	6	6	6	6
Water Operations	27	28	28	29	32	33
Sewer Operations	14	14	16	18	18	21
Legal	0	1	1	1	1	1
Commissioners	7	7	7	7	7	7
Board Secretary	1	1	1	1	1	1
Office Cleaning	0	0	1	1	1	1
Totals	s 69	71	74	77	81	86

Source: Old Bridge MUA
Data prior to 2004 not available

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Last Six Fiscal Years

	20	60	ļ	2008		20	'	7	900		2005		2004	
Number of Employees	9	6		71		1/			77		81		98	
Service Area in Acres		24,832		24,83		7			24,832		24,832		24,832	
Service Area in square miles	38	00		38.8		300			8.8		38.8		38.8	
Assessed Valuation (million) *	€ 9	3,388.6	69	\$ 3,371.1		ເຕົ	\$ 3,335.3	6-9	\$ 3,304.4	69	\$ 3,265.5	6-3	\$ 3,196.7	
Population Served **	•	6,300	* *	65,859		9			64,968		64,105		63,410	
Miles of Water Pipelines														
Number of Storage Tanks	٠,	•		6		6			00		∞		∞	
Max Storage Capacity (million gal.)	22.	.75		22.75		22.	75	_	9.85		19.85		19.85	
Number of Water Treatment Plants	14	-		2		7			2		2		2	
Sewerage Pump Stations	m	35		35		35	10		32		31		31	
Ejector Stations				1		1			1		2		2	
Avg. Sewer Flows per Day (MGD)	5.4		* * *	5.385	***	5.6	35	ν,	.861	٧٦	.948		5.979	

Note: Data not available for periods prior to fiscal year 2004

Source: Old Bridge MUA

* Assessed Valuation, Middlesex County Board of Taxation

** New Jersey Dept. of Labor

*** Estimated **** Actual thru 06/30/09

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY MAJOR EMPLOYERS LOCATED IN MIDDLESEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY CURRENT AND FIVE YEARS AGO

	MAY 31, 2009	TO GEORGE		MAY 31, 2004	
	(1) COMPANY	EMPLOYEES		(2) COMPANY	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES
-	Robert Wood Johnson Univ. Hospital	5,000 -5,249	-	Bristol-Myers Squibb	3,250 - 3,499
5	Bristol-Myers Squibb	3,500 - 3,749	2	Merrill Lynch & Company	3,250 - 3,499
က်	Merrill Lynch & Company	2,750 - 2,999	33	Telcordia Technology	3,000 - 3,249
4.	Novo Nordisk	2,750 - 2,999	4.	Prudential Insurance Company	2,750 - 2,999
5.	Prudential Insurance Company	2,750 - 2,999	5.	Robert Wood Johnson Univ. Hospital	2,750 - 2,999
9	St. Peter's University Hospital	2,750 - 2,999	9	Johnson & Johnson	2,500 - 2,749
7.	Telcordia Technology	2,750 - 2,999	7.	J.F.K. Medical Center	2,500 - 2,749
∞.	J.F.K. Medical Center	2,500 - 2,749	ၹ	Silverline Building Products	2,500 - 2,749
6	Silverline Building Products	2,250 - 2,299	6	Raritan Bay Medical Center	2,250 - 2,499
10.	Johnson & Johnson	2,000 - 2,249	10.	St. Peter's University Hospital	2,250 - 2,999
11.	Raritan Bay Medical Center	2,000 - 2,249	11.	AT & T	2,000 - 2,249
12.	Home Depot	1,750 - 1,999	12.	Pathmark	2,000 - 2,249
13.	United Parcel Service	1,750 - 1,999	13.	Dow Jones & Company	1,500 - 1,749
14.	Amerada Hess Corporation	1,500 - 1,749	14.	Siemens AG	1,500 - 1,749
15.	Dow Jones & Company	1,500 - 1,749	15.	United Parcel Service	1,500 - 1,749
16.	Siemens AG	1,500 - 1,749	16.	Amerada Hess Corporation	1,500 - 1,749
17.	Walmart Stores	1,250 - 1,499	17.	Home Depot	1,250 - 1,499
100	Aetna/US Healthcare	1,000 - 1,249	18.	Engelhard Corporation	1,250 - 1,499
19.	BASF Catalyst, LLC	1,000 - 1,249	19.	Aetna/US Healthcare	1,000 - 1,249
20.	White Rose, Inc	1,000 - 1,249	20.	Fijitsu	1,000 - 1,249

Source: (1) Middlesex County Office of Economic Development; April 2008 (2) Middlesex County Office of Economic Development; January 2004

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

Honorable Chairman and Members of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority Middlesex County, New Jersey

We have audited the financial statements of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority, Middlesex County, as of and for the year ended May 31, 2009 and have issued our report thereon dated September 14, 2009. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Old Bridge Municipal Utility Authority's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements-statutory basis, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Old Bridge Municipal Utility Authority's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Old Bridge Municipal Utility Authority's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affect the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the agency's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that result in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Old Bridge Municipal Utility Authority's internal control.

Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the members and, management of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority, the Amboy National Bank, as Trustee, and the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

HODULIK & MORRISON, P.A. Certified Public Accountants Registered Municipal Accountants

Highland Park, New Jersey September 14, 2009

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133 AND NEW JERSEY OMB CIRCULAR 04-04

Honorable Chairman and Members of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority Middlesex County, New Jersey

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority with the types of compliance requirements described in the "U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement" and the New Jersey Compliance Manual "State Grant Compliance Supplement" that are applicable to each of its major state programs for the year ended May 31, 2009. The Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's major state programs are identified in the "Summary of Auditor's Results Section" of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirement of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to each of its major state programs is the responsibility of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; audit requirements as prescribed by the Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey; OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations" and New Jersey OMB Circular 04-04. Those standards and circulars require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major state program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major state programs for the year ended May 31, 2009.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to state programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's internal control over compliance with the requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major state program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority's internal control over compliance.

A control deficiency is an entity's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a state program on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to administer a state program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a state program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a state program will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weakness, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the members and management of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority, the Amboy National Bank, as Trustee, the Division of Local Government Services and state awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

HODULIK & MORRISON, P.A. Certified Public Accountants Registered Municipal Accountants

Highland Park, New Jersey September 14, 2009

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY MIDDLESEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2008

CUMULATIVE DISBURSEMENTS/ EXPENDITURES	1,337,989 1,337,989 3,167,000 3,167,000 168,864	9,347,706
DISBURSEMENTS/ EXPENDITURES	9,269 \$ 9,269 769,539 769,539 769,539 168,864	1,895,344 \$
PROGRAM RECEIPTS	739,732 739,732 137,850	1,755,164 \$
LOAN/AWARD AMOUNT	1,530,940 \$ 1,330,940 \$ 1,330,940 \$ 3,167,000 \$ 1,781,	ห้
LOAN	11/01/05 11/01/06 11/01/06 11/01/08 11/01/08	
STATE LOAN NUMBER	W1209002-003/004-1 W1209002-003/004-1 S340945-07-1 S340945-07-1 W1209002-008/009 W1209002-008/009	
PROGRAM TITLE	NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust - 2005 - Fund NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust - 2005 - Trust NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust - 2006 - Fund NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust - 2006 - Trust NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust - 2008 - Fund NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust - 2008A - Fund NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust - 2008A - Trust	
STATE FUNDING <u>DEPARTMENT</u>	Department of Environmental Protection	

OLD BRIDGE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY MIDDLESEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009

NOTE 1. GENERAL

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance presents the activity of the state financial assistance programs of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority. The Authority is defined in Note 1 to the Authority's financial statements. State financial assistance received directly from state agencies, as well as state financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance.

NOTE 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance is presented using the modified accrual basis of accounting.

NOTE 3. RELATIONSHIP TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules agree with amounts reported in the Authority's financial statements.

NOTE 4. RELATIONSHIP TO STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules agree with the amounts reported in the related state financial reports, where applicable.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009

Section 1 - Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements				
Type of auditor's report issued:	<u>Unqualified</u>			
Internal Control over financial reporting:				
Material weakness(es) identified?	YesXNo			
2) Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?	YesXNo			
Noncompliance material to general-purpose financial statements noted?	YesXNo			
Federal Awards - N/A				
Internal Control over major programs:				
1) Material weakness(es) identified?	YesNo			
2) Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?	YesNone reported			
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs:				
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section.510(a) of Circular A-133?YesNo				
Identification of major programs:				
CFDA Number	Name of Federal Program			
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and	B programs:			
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	Ves No			

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (continued)

Section 1 - Summary of Auditor's Results(cont'd.)

State Awards	
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between typ	pe A and B programs: \$300,000.00
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for	or major programs: <u>Unqualified</u>
Internal Control over major programs:	
1) Material weakness(es) identified?	YesXNo
2) Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?	Yes X None reported
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to in accordance with NJOMB Circular Letter 04 Identification of major programs:	
State Account Number	Name of State Program
Loan No. S340945-07-1	NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust
Loan No. W1209002-008/009	NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (continued)

Section II - Financial Statement Findings

Significant Deficiencies

<u>NONE</u>

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009 (continued)

Section III - Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance Findings and Questioned Costs

FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS:

NONE

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2009

Section 1 - Summary of Prior Year State Findings

SUMMARY OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

NONE

GENERAL COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

GENERAL COMMENTS

INTERNAL CONTROL MATTERS

Documentation of Components of Internal Control

As required by Statement on Auditing Standards No. 112, entities subject to audit are required to provide documentation of the various components of its internal controls.

The Authority should consider documenting the various components of its internal controls.

With respect to the reporting of internal control matters, standards require that only a significant deficiency and/or a material weakness need be reported in writing to management and those charged with governance. A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects an entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or other applicable accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or a combination of significant deficiencies, that result in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

The control deficiency reported above is not considered to be significant deficiencies nor material weaknesses. In addition, these control deficiencies are not required to be reported in writing, however, these control deficiencies are presented to management and those charged with governance in this report as a means to present those matters identified in review of the Authority's internal controls and as a means to inform management and those charged with governance as to the auditing standards requirements with respect to internal controls.

Contracts and Agreements Required to be Advertised for N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4

N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 states "Every contract or agreement for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the cost of the contract price whereof is to be paid with or out of public funds not included within the terms of Section 3 of this act, shall be made or awarded only after public advertising for bids and bidding therefore, except as is provided otherwise in this act or specifically by any other law. No work, materials or supplies shall be undertaken, acquired or furnished for a sum exceeding in the aggregate of \$21,000.00 except by contract or agreement."

The Commissioners and Executive Director of the Old Bridge Municipal Utilities Authority have the responsibility of determining whether the expenditures in any category will exceed \$21,000.00 during the fiscal year. Where question arises as to whether any contract or agreement might result in violation of this statute, the Authority Counsel's opinion should be sought before a commitment is made.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Contracts and Agreements Required to be Advertised for N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 (cont'd.)

The minutes indicate that bids were requested by public advertising for the following items:

Materials and Supplies:

Sewer Division Chemicals, Water Division Chemicals, Sewer Division Field Services & Supplies

Equipment:

Replacement of a Backhoe

Contracts:

Gasoline & Diesel Fuel; Aerator Cleaning; Water Supply Materials, Laurence Harbor Interceptor; Ram's Filed Pump Station; Farrington Road Pump Station; Repair Underground Fuel System and Foxborough Force Main Phase I Improvements

The minute records and purchase orders also reflected significant utilization of state contracts for various supplies and equipment.

Inasmuch as the system of records did not provide for an accumulation of payments for categories for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies, the results of such an accumulation could not reasonably be ascertained. Disbursements were reviewed, however, to determine whether any clear cut violations existed.

Examination of expenditures revealed no individual payments in excess of \$21,000.00 for the performance of any work or the furnishing or hiring of any materials or supplies", other than those where bids had been previously sought by public advertisement.

Upon inquiry of various officials responsible for the purchases of materials, supplies, equipment, etc., for the authority in relation to the Local Public Contracts Laws regarding the solicitation of quotations when the cost is \$3,150.00 or more, monitoring of change orders, quantities and unit prices of contracts, except as noted in the preceding paragraph, procedures presently in place were found to be good.

The minutes also indicated that resolutions were adopted and advertised authorizing the awarding of contracts or agreements for "Professional Services" per N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5.

Any interpretation as to possible violation of N.J.S.A. 40A:11 and N.J.A.C. 5:30-14 would be in the province of the General Counsel.

During the year under review, we noted a general improvement in the centralization of the planning and procurement process for obtaining necessary goods and services. Although significant aspects of the planning process are still decentralized, efforts are being made to aggregate planned spending across operating divisions and greater diligence was noted in the administrative review process.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Contracts and Agreements Required to be Advertised for N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4 (Cont'd.)

The new Local Public Contracts Law provides a higher threshold for mandatory public bidding if the local unit employs a certified purchasing agent to administer a fully centralized purchasing function. The estimated costs and operating inefficiencies of such a procurement system should be weighed against the potential benefits and efficiencies that such a system might provide to determine if the Authority should consider the engagement of a certified purchasing agent and the full centralization of its procurement function.

Payment of Claims

The examination did not and could not determine the character of services rendered for which payment had been made or for which charges had been set up nor could it determine the character, proper price or quantity of materials supplied for which claims had been passed. These details were necessarily covered by the internal review and control before approval of such claims by the governing body.

Claims were examined on a test basis for the year under review and they were found to be generally in good order. Audit tests that prior to payment, all claims were properly authorized, all documentation relating to receipt of goods, vendor certification of delivery, and proper pricing was on hand and available for the review of the Authority's Treasurer as part of his payment approval reviews. The audit evidence collected during our tests of the approval and payment process suggests that administrative reviews of claims are sufficient to assure that all claims presented to the Commissioners for approval are complete in all respects. Any items which are questioned by the Treasurer during his reviews are held until such time as the issues raised are answered to his satisfaction.

RECOMMENDATIONS

None

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

During the course of our engagement, we received the full cooperation of the Management and staff of the Authority, and we greatly appreciate the courtesies extended to us.

Very truly yours,

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