

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**

**Independent Auditor's Report  
and Financial Statements**

**For The Year Ended  
December 31, 2024**

# Municipality of Oacoma

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**Independent Auditor’s Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on  
Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements  
Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards***

To the Board of Trustees  
Municipality of Oacoma, South Dakota

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the modified cash basis of accounting financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities and each major fund of the Municipality, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Municipality’s basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated February 21, 2025.

**Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

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

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that may have not been identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. We did identify certain deficiencies in internal control, described in the accompanying schedule of prior and current audit findings that we consider to be significant deficiencies; see finding 2024-01.

## **Report on Compliance and Other Matters**

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

## **Municipality of Oacoma, SD's Response to Findings**

*Government Auditing Standards* require the auditor to perform limited procedures on the Municipality's response to the findings identified in our audit. Municipality of Oacoma, SD's response to findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of current audit findings. The Municipality's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

## **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Municipality's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose. As required by South Dakota Codified Law 4-11-11, this report is a matter of public record, and its distribution is not limited.



Chamberlain, South Dakota  
February 21, 2025

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Schedule of Prior and Current Year Audit Findings  
December 31, 2024

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**Schedule of Prior Audit Findings**

**Finding No. 2023-01**

Lack of segregation of duties (Internal control)

A significant deficiency in the internal controls was noted due to a lack of segregation of duties for revenue procedures resulting in decreased reliability of reported financial data and increased potential for the loss of public assets. This comment has not been corrected and is restated under current audit finding number 2024-01.

**Schedule of Current Audit Findings**

**Finding No. 2024-01**

Lack of segregation of duties (Internal control)

Criteria: A good system of internal control contemplates an adequate segregation of duties so that no one individual handles a transaction from its inception to its completion.

Condition: The small size of the Municipality indicates a significant deficiency in internal controls for lack of segregation of duties for revenue procedures.

Potential Effect: There is an increased likelihood that fraud or errors could occur and not be detected in a timely manner by employees or others in the ordinary course of performing their duties.

Cause: The finance officer processes all revenue transactions from beginning to end as well as receives money, issues receipts, posts receipts in the accounting records, prepares bank deposits, reconciles bank statements, and prepares financial statements.

Recommendation: Municipality officials be cognizant of this lack of segregation of duties for revenues and attempt to provide compensating internal controls whenever and wherever possible and practical.

Client Response: The Municipality agrees with this finding and is willing to accept the risk. Due to the small size of the Municipality, it is not cost beneficial to employ additional personnel to adequately segregate the duties above. The Municipality will continue to regularly provide compensating controls processes.



## Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Trustees  
Municipality of Oacoma, South Dakota

### Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

#### Opinions

We have audited the accompanying modified cash basis of accounting financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, and each major fund of the Municipality of Oacoma, South Dakota, as of December 31, 2024, and for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Municipality's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying modified cash basis of accounting financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, and each major fund of Municipality of Oacoma as of December 31, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting described in Note 1.c. to the financial statements

#### Basis for Opinions

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

#### Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1.c. of the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting, the financial statements are prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

## **Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting described in Note 1.c.; this includes determining that the modified cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. Management is responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Municipality's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

## **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards*, we

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

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

## Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the modified cash basis of accounting financial statements that collectively comprise the Municipality's basic financial statements. The Management's Discussion and Analysis, Budgetary Comparison Schedules, Schedule of Changes in Long-Term Debt, Schedule of Changes in Capital Assets, Schedule of the Municipality's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset), Depository Disclosure, and Municipal Officials, which is the responsibility of management, listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The information, except for the Management Discussion and Analysis, Schedule of Changes in Capital Assets and Municipal Officials, has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, The Budgetary Comparison Schedules, the Schedule of Changes in Long-Term Debt, and the Schedule of the Municipality's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The Management Discussion and Analysis, Schedule of Changes in Capital Assets and Municipal Officials has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

### Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 21, 2025 on our consideration of the Municipality'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 solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide opinion on the effectiveness of the Municipality's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Municipality's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "CIO of LLC".

Chamberlain, South Dakota  
February 21, 2025



**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Management's Discussion and Analysis  
December 31, 2024

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Our discussion and analysis of the Municipality of Oacoma's financial performance provides an overview of Oacoma's financial activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024, within the limitations of the town's modified cash basis of accounting. Please read it in conjunction with Oacoma's financial statements that begin on page 14.

**Financial Highlights**

- The general fund's total revenues exceeded total expenses, on the modified cash basis of accounting, by \$503,938 for the year.
- The General Fund ended the year with a fund balance of \$3,051,473 which represents a 19.78 percent increase from the previous year's ending fund balance \$2,547,535.
- The Liquor, Lodging and Dining 1% Gross Receipts (BBB) Tax Fund ended the year with a fund balance of \$473,724, which represents a 16.70 percent increase from the previous year's ending fund balance of \$405,934.
- The Business Improvement District Fund ended the year with a fund balance of \$548,257, which represents a 26.82 percent increase from the previous year's ending fund balance of \$432,305.
- The Water and Sewer Funds ended the year with fund balances of \$409,423 and \$810,703, respectively. Water Fund expenses and transfers in exceeded revenues by \$127,298 representing a 23.72 percent decrease from the previous year's ending Water Fund balance of \$536,721. Sewer Fund expenses and transfers in exceeded expenses by \$7,416 representing a 0.92 percent increase from the previous year's ending Sewer Fund balance of \$803,287.

**Using This Annual Report**

This annual report is presented in a format consistent with the presentation requirements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 34, as applicable to Oacoma's modified cash basis of accounting.

Report Components

This annual report consists of four parts as follows:

**Government-Wide Financial Statements:** The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the Municipality using a government-wide focus (or "as a whole").

**Fund Financial Statements:** Fund financial statements focus on the individual parts of Municipal government. Fund financial statements also report the Municipality's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the Municipality's most significant ("major") funds. For *governmental activities*, these statements tell how these services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. For *proprietary activities*, these statements offer financial information about the activities Oacoma operates like businesses, such as water and sewer services.

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Notes to the Financial Statements: The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of the government-wide and fund financial statements and provide expanded explanation and detail regarding the information reported in the statements.

Supplementary Information: This Management's Discussion and Analysis and the Budgetary Comparison Schedules represent financial information that may be presented. Such information provides users of this report with additional data that supplements the government-wide statements, fund financial statements, and notes (referred to as "the basic financial statement").

**Basis of Accounting**

The Municipality has elected to present its financial statements on a modified cash basis of accounting. This modified cash basis of accounting is a basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. Basis of accounting is a reference to when financial events are recorded, such as the timing for recognizing revenues, expenses, and their related assets and liabilities. Under the Municipality's modified cash basis of accounting, revenues and expenses and related assets are recorded when they result from cash transactions, except for the recording of investments.

As a result of the use of this modified cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues, (such as accounts receivable and revenue for billed or provided services not yet collected) and liabilities and their related expenses (such as accounts payable and expenses for goods or services received but not yet paid, and accrued expenses and liabilities) are not recorded in these financial statements. Therefore, when reviewing the financial information and discussion within this annual report, the reader should keep in mind the limitations resulting from the use of the modified cash basis of accounting.

**Reporting the Municipality as a Whole**

**The Municipality's Reporting Entity Presentation**

This annual report includes all activities for which the Oacoma Town Board of Trustees is fiscally responsible. These activities, defined as the Municipality's reporting entity, may be operated within separate legal entities that make up the primary government and could include separate legal entities included as a component unit(s).

The primary government includes the following legal entity:

- The Municipality of Oacoma, SD

The Municipality of Oacoma has no component units to present in this report.

**The Government-Wide Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities**

The government-wide financial statements are presented on pages 14 and 15. One of the most important questions asked about the Municipality's finances is, "Is the Municipality as a whole better off or worse off as a result of the year's activities?" The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities report information about the Municipality as a whole and about its activities in a way that helps answer this question. These statements include all of the Municipality's assets resulting from the use of the modified cash basis of accounting.

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These two statements report the Municipality's net position and changes in them. Keeping in mind the limitations of the modified cash basis of accounting, you can think of the Municipality's net position as one way to measure the Municipality's financial health or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the Municipality's net position are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. You will need to consider other nonfinancial factors, however, such as changes in the Municipality's sales tax base and the condition of the Municipality's roads, to assess the overall health of the Municipality.

In the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, we divide the Municipality into two kinds of activities:

**Governmental activities:** Most of the Municipality's basic services are reported here, including general government, public safety, streets, parks, promotion and development. In general, sales taxes, property taxes and state and federal grants finance most of these activities.

**Business-type activities:** The Municipality charges a fee to customers to help it cover all or most of the cost of certain services it provides. The Municipality's water and sewer systems are reported here.

**Reporting the Municipality's Most Significant Funds**

**The Fund Financial Statements**

The fund financial statements are presented on pages 16 to 22 and provide detailed information about the most significant funds-not the Municipality as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State law and by bond covenants. However, the municipal governing body establishes certain other funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it is meeting legal responsibilities for using certain taxes, grants, and other money. The Municipality has two kinds of funds - *governmental and proprietary*.

**Governmental Funds** - Most of the Municipality's basic services are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. These funds report the acquisition of capital assets and payments for debt principal as expenditures and not as changes to asset and debt balances. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the Municipality's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine (through a review of changes to fund balance) whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the Municipality's programs. The Municipality considers the General Fund, Liquor, Lodging and Dining 1% Gross Receipts (BBB) Tax Fund, and the BID District Fund to be its significant or major governmental funds. The Municipality currently maintains no other funds which may be classified as non-major funds for reporting purposes.

**Proprietary Funds** - When the Municipality charges customers for the services it provides, these services are generally reported in proprietary funds. The Municipality's proprietary (enterprise) fund financial statements are essentially the same as the business-type activities we report in the government-wide statements, but the fund statements provide more detail and additional information.

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The Municipality currently has no fiduciary funds. *Fiduciary funds* are often used to account for assets that are held in a trustee or fiduciary capacity such as pension plan assets, assets held per trust agreements, and similar arrangements.

**A Financial Analysis of the Municipality as a Whole**

**Net Position - Modified Cash Basis**

The Municipality's combined net position, resulting from modified cash basis transactions, increased from approximately \$4.73 million to \$5.29 million, or 12.01 percent, between fiscal years 2023 and 2024. Looking at the net position and net expense of governmental and business-type activities separately, governmental activities increased by \$687,680 while business-type activities decreased by \$119,882.

	<u>Governmental Activities 2023</u>	<u>Governmental Activities 2024</u>	<u>Business-Type Activities 2023</u>	<u>Business-Type Activities 2024</u>	<u>Total 2023</u>	<u>Total 2024</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 885,774	\$ 1,458,000	\$ 1,340,008	\$ 1,220,126	\$ 2,225,782	\$ 2,678,126
Investments	2,500,000	2,615,454	--	--	2,500,000	2,615,454
Total Assets	<u>\$ 3,385,774</u>	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>	<u>\$ 1,340,008</u>	<u>\$ 1,220,126</u>	<u>\$ 4,725,782</u>	<u>\$ 5,293,580</u>
Net Position						
Restricted	\$ 838,239	\$ 1,021,981	\$ --	\$ --	\$ 838,239	\$ 1,021,981
Unrestricted	2,547,535	3,051,473	1,340,008	1,220,126	3,887,543	4,271,599
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 3,385,774</u>	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>	<u>\$ 1,340,008</u>	<u>\$ 1,220,126</u>	<u>\$ 4,725,782</u>	<u>\$ 5,293,580</u>

Net position of the Municipality's governmental activities increased 20.31 percent from approximately \$3.39 million to \$4.07 million. However, \$1.02 million or 25.09 percent of the Municipality's total governmental net position is restricted as to the purpose it can be used for. The entire restricted net position is restricted by state statute for promotional purposes. Unrestricted net position totaled \$3,051,473 at year-end or 74.91 percent of the Municipality's total governmental net position.

Net position of the Municipality's business-type activities decreased 8.95 percent from approximately \$1.34 million to \$1.22 million. None of the Municipality's total business-type net position is restricted as to the purposes for which it can be used.

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**Changes in Net Position-Modified Cash Basis**

For the year ended December 31, 2024, net position of the primary government (resulting from modified cash basis transactions) changed as follows:

	<u>Governmental Activities 2023</u>	<u>Governmental Activities 2024</u>	<u>Business-Type Activities 2023</u>	<u>Business-Type Activities 2024</u>	<u>Total 2023</u>	<u>Total 2024</u>
<b>Revenues</b>						
<b>Program revenues</b>						
Charges for services	\$ 20,658	\$ 23,542	\$ 366,276	\$ 421,774	\$ 386,934	\$ 445,316
Operating grants and contributions	26,086	25,687	18,000	--	44,086	25,687
Capital grants and contributions	122,891	114,578	--	--	122,891	114,578
<b>General revenues</b>						
Property tax	109,987	115,479	--	--	109,987	115,479
Sales tax	769,459	812,887	--	--	769,459	812,887
State shared revenues	3,375	3,032	--	--	3,375	3,032
Investment income	37,526	183,654	--	--	37,526	183,654
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<u>1,089,982</u>	<u>1,278,859</u>	<u>384,276</u>	<u>421,774</u>	<u>1,474,258</u>	<u>1,700,633</u>
<b>Expenses</b>						
General government	278,380	160,240	--	--	278,380	160,240
Public safety	55,584	64,231	--	--	55,584	64,231
Public works	231,174	124,901	--	--	231,174	124,901
Health and welfare	19,441	19,984	--	--	19,441	19,984
Culture and recreation	72,491	94,146	--	--	72,491	94,146
Conservation and development	186,608	97,677	--	--	186,608	97,677
Water	--	--	189,044	389,788	189,044	389,788
Sewer	--	--	192,064	181,868	192,064	181,868
<b>Total expenses</b>	<u>843,678</u>	<u>561,179</u>	<u>381,108</u>	<u>571,656</u>	<u>1,224,786</u>	<u>1,132,835</u>
Excess before transfers	246,304	717,680	3,168	(149,882)	249,472	567,798
Transfers	(20,000)	(30,000)	20,000	30,000	--	--
<b>Increase (decrease) in net position</b>	<u>226,304</u>	<u>687,680</u>	<u>23,168</u>	<u>(119,882)</u>	<u>249,472</u>	<u>567,798</u>
<b>Ending Net Position</b>	<u>\$ 3,385,774</u>	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>	<u>\$ 1,340,008</u>	<u>\$ 1,220,126</u>	<u>\$ 4,725,782</u>	<u>\$ 5,293,580</u>

Utility rate increases were approved in September 2023 and became effective with the January 2024 billing cycle. Prior to this action, the last utility rate increases were implemented in January 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, and in 2005.

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**Governmental Activities**

To aid in the understanding of the Statement of Activities, some additional explanation is given. Of particular interest is the format that is significantly different from a typical Statement of Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Balance. You will notice that expenses are listed in the first column, with revenues from that particular program reported to the right. The result is a Net (Expense)/Revenue. This type of format highlights the relative financial burden of each of the functions on the Municipality's taxpayers. It also identifies how much each function draws from the general revenues or if it is self-financing through fees and grants or contributions. All other governmental revenues are reported as general. It is important to note that all taxes are classified as general revenue, even if restricted for a specific purpose.

For the year ended December 31, 2024, total expenses for governmental activities, resulting from modified cash basis transactions, amounted to \$561,179. Of these total expenses, taxpayers and other general revenues funded \$1,115,052, while those directly benefiting from the program funded \$140,265 from grants and other contributions and \$23,542 from charges for services.

	<b>(Exhibit II, Column 1)</b>		<b>(Exhibit II, Column 5)</b>	
	<b>Total Cost of Services</b>		<b>Net Cost of Services</b>	
	<b>2023</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>2024</b>
General government	\$ 278,380	\$ 160,240	\$ (258,442)	\$ (148,197)
Public safety	55,584	64,231	(55,584)	(64,148)
Public works	231,174	124,901	(205,366)	(99,715)
Health and welfare	19,441	19,984	(19,441)	(19,984)
Culture and recreation	72,491	94,146	51,399	32,350
Conservation and development	186,608	97,677	(186,609)	(97,678)
Total	\$ 843,678	\$ 561,179	\$ (674,043)	\$ (397,372)

**Business-Type Activities**

In reviewing the business-type activities' net (expense)/revenue resulting from modified cash basis transactions, there are certain activities that need to be examined more closely. The water service activities reported net expenses of \$127,298 and sewer service activities reported net revenue of \$7,416.

Significant or non-recurring expenses incurred during 2024 in the water fund included cost totaling \$97,288 for improvements to the plant tank and costs totaling \$99,473 to relocate a water main on the I-90 Business Loop due to a SD Department of Transportation culvert project.

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### **A Financial Analysis Of The Municipality's Funds**

On the modified cash basis of accounting, certain funds experienced noteworthy changes from the prior year and are highlighted as follows:

- The General Fund reported revenues of \$997,439, expenditures of \$463,501, and transfers out of \$30,000, resulting in an overall increase of \$503,938 in the fund balance.
- The Liquor, Lodging and Dining Gross Receipts (BBB) Tax Fund reported revenues of \$151,104, expenditures of \$83,314, resulting in an overall increase of \$67,790 in the fund balance.
- The BID District Fund reported revenues of \$130,316, expenditures of \$14,364, resulting in an overall increase of \$115,952 in the fund balance.

### **General Fund Budgetary Highlights**

The Oacoma Town Board of Trustees made four revisions to the General Fund budget throughout the year. A General Fund transfer of \$15,000 from Contingency increased wages for the Financial Administration department, a General Fund transfer of \$3,000 from Contingency increased wages for the Cemetery department, a General Fund transfer of \$3,200 from Contingency to Legislative for insurance, and a General Fund transfer of \$10,000 to the Auditorium department for landscaping work at the Oacoma Community Center.

For the year ended December 31, 2024, General Fund expenditures were \$317,378 below final appropriations, while actual resources available for appropriation were \$286,560 above the final budgeted amount.

### **Long-Term Debt**

The municipality has no long-term debt for the year ended December 31, 2024.

### **Economic Factors And Next Year's Budget And Rates**

For the upcoming fiscal year ending December 31, 2025, the Municipality's budget is fairly consistent with this year.

### **Contacting The Municipality's Financial Management**

This report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and creditors with a general overview of the Municipality's finances and to demonstrate the Municipality's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the Oacoma City Finance Office at 100 E 3rd Street, Oacoma, SD 57365 or telephone at (605) 734-4455.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Statement of Net Position – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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	<b>Primary Government</b>		
	<b>Governmental Activities</b>	<b>Business-Type Activities</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Assets:</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,458,000	\$ 1,220,126	\$ 2,678,126
Investments	2,615,454	--	2,615,454
Total Assets	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>	<u>\$ 1,220,126</u>	<u>\$ 5,293,580</u>
<b>Net Position:</b>			
Restricted for:			
Promotion of municipality	\$ 1,021,981	\$ --	\$ 1,021,981
Unrestricted	3,051,473	1,220,126	4,271,599
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>	<u>\$ 1,220,126</u>	<u>\$ 5,293,580</u>

The accompanying Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.



**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Statement of Activities – Modified Cash Basis  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

Functions/Programs	Expenses	Program Revenues			Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Primary Government		
					Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
Primary Government:							
Governmental Activities:							
General government	\$ 160,240	\$ 11,565	\$ 478	\$ --	\$ (148,197)	\$ --	\$ (148,197)
Public safety	64,231	60	23	--	(64,148)	--	(64,148)
Public works	124,901	--	25,186	--	(99,715)	--	(99,715)
Health and welfare	19,984	--	--	--	(19,984)	--	(19,984)
Culture and recreation	94,145	11,917	--	114,578	32,350	--	32,350
Conservation and development	97,678	--	--	--	(97,678)	--	(97,678)
Total Governmental Activities	561,179	23,542	25,687	114,578	(397,372)	--	(397,372)
Business-Type Activities:							
Water	389,788	242,490	--	--	--	(147,298)	(147,298)
Sewer	181,868	179,284	--	--	--	(2,584)	(2,584)
Total Business-Type Activities	571,656	421,774	--	--	--	(149,882)	(149,882)
Total Primary Government	<u>\$ 1,132,835</u>	<u>\$ 445,316</u>	<u>\$ 25,687</u>	<u>\$ 114,578</u>	<u>(397,372)</u>	<u>(149,882)</u>	<u>(547,254)</u>
General Revenues:							
Taxes:							
Property tax					115,479	--	115,479
Sales tax					812,887	--	812,887
State shared revenues					3,032	--	3,032
Unrestricted investment earnings					183,654	--	183,654
Transfers					(30,000)	30,000	--
Total General Revenues and Transfers					<u>1,085,052</u>	<u>30,000</u>	<u>1,115,052</u>
Change in Net Position					687,680	(119,882)	567,798
<b>Net Position-Beginning of Year</b>					<u>3,385,774</u>	<u>1,340,008</u>	<u>4,725,782</u>
<b>Net Position-Ending of Year</b>					<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>	<u>\$ 1,220,126</u>	<u>\$ 5,293,580</u>

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**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Balance Sheet – Modified Cash Basis - Governmental Funds  
December 31, 2024

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	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>1% Gross Receipt (BBB) Tax Fund</b>	<b>Business Improvement District Fund</b>	<b>Total Governmental Funds</b>
<b>Assets:</b>				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 436,019	\$ 473,724	\$ 548,257	\$ 1,458,000
Investments	2,615,454	--	--	2,615,454
Total Assets	<u>\$ 3,051,473</u>	<u>\$ 473,724</u>	<u>\$ 548,257</u>	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>
<b>Fund Balances:</b>				
Restricted for:				
Promotion of municipality	\$ --	\$ 473,724	\$ 548,257	\$ 1,021,981
Unassigned	3,051,473	--	--	3,051,473
Total Fund Balances	<u>\$ 3,051,473</u>	<u>\$ 473,724</u>	<u>\$ 548,257</u>	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>

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**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Modified Cash Basis - Governmental Funds  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>1% Gross Receipt (BBB) Tax Fund</u>	<u>Business Improvement District Fund</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Taxes:				
General property taxes	\$ 99,328	\$ --	\$ --	\$ 99,328
General sales and use taxes	661,783	151,104	--	812,887
Gross Receipts and Business Taxes	--	--	15,738	15,738
Penalties and interest on delinquent taxes	413	--	--	413
Licenses and permits	11,565	--	--	11,565
Intergovernmental:				
State grants	478	--	--	478
State shared revenue:				
Bank franchise tax	392	--	--	392
Prorate license fees	3,769	--	--	3,769
Liquor tax reversion (25%)	2,640	--	--	2,640
Motor vehicle licenses (5%)	11,144	--	--	11,144
Local government highway and bridge fund	9,720	--	--	9,720
911 Remittances	23	--	--	23
County Shared Revenue:				
County road tax (25%)	553	--	--	553
Charges for goods and services				
Culture and recreation	4,075	--	--	4,075
Other	7,842	--	--	7,842
Fines and forfeits				
Animal control fines	60	--	--	60
Investment income	183,654	--	--	183,654
Special assessments	--	--	114,578	114,578
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<u>\$ 997,439</u>	<u>\$ 151,104</u>	<u>\$ 130,316</u>	<u>\$ 1,278,859</u>

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**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Modified Cash Basis - Governmental Funds  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024 (Continued)

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>1% Gross Receipt (BBB) Tax Fund</u>	<u>Business Improvement District Fund</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
Current:				
General government:				
Legislative	\$ 35,503	\$ --	\$ --	\$ 35,503
Elections	653	--	--	653
Financial administration	124,084	--	--	124,084
Public safety:				
Police	55,051	--	--	55,051
Fire	7,500	--	--	7,500
Civil defense	1,680	--	--	1,680
Public works:				
Highways and streets	117,567	--	--	117,567
Cemeteries	7,334	--	--	7,334
Health and welfare:				
Health	234	--	--	234
Home health	5,000	--	--	5,000
Ambulance	14,750	--	--	14,750
Culture and recreation:				
Recreation	2,500	--	--	2,500
Parks	10,226	--	--	10,226
Libraries	20,000	--	--	20,000
Auditorium	61,419	--	--	61,419
Conservation and development:				
Economic development and assistance (industrial development)	--	83,314	14,364	97,678
Total Expenditures	<u>463,501</u>	<u>83,314</u>	<u>14,364</u>	<u>561,179</u>

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**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Modified Cash Basis - Governmental Funds  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024 (Continued)

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>1% Gross Receipt (BBB) Tax Fund</u>	<u>Business Improvement District Fund</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>533,938</u>	<u>67,790</u>	<u>115,952</u>	<u>717,680</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses):				
Transfers out	<u>(30,000)</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>(30,000)</u>
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>(30,000)</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>(30,000)</u>
Net Change in Fund Balance	503,938	67,790	115,952	687,680
<b>Fund Balances - Beginning of Year</b>	<u>2,547,535</u>	<u>405,934</u>	<u>432,305</u>	<u>3,385,774</u>
<b>Fund Balances - Ending of Year</b>	<u>\$ 3,051,473</u>	<u>\$ 473,724</u>	<u>\$ 548,257</u>	<u>\$ 4,073,454</u>

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**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Statement of Net Position – Modified Cash Basis - Proprietary Funds  
December 31, 2024

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	<b>Enterprise Funds</b>		<b>Totals</b>
	<b>Water Fund</b>	<b>Sewer Fund</b>	
<b>Assets:</b>			
Current Assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 409,423	\$ 810,703	\$ 1,220,126
Total current assets	409,423	810,703	1,220,126
 Total Assets	 \$ 409,423	 \$ 810,703	 \$ 1,220,126
 <b>Net Position:</b>			
Unrestricted Net Position	\$ 409,423	\$ 810,703	\$ 1,220,126
Total Net Position	\$ 409,423	\$ 810,703	\$ 1,220,126

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**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Position – Modified Cash Basis - Proprietary Funds  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	Enterprise Funds		Totals
	Water Fund	Sewer Fund	
<b>Operating Revenues:</b>			
Charges for goods and services	\$ 242,490	\$ 179,284	\$ 421,774
<b>Operating Expenses:</b>			
Personal services	79,480	53,888	133,368
Other current expense	193,178	127,980	321,158
Materials	19,842	--	19,842
Total Operating Expenses	292,500	181,868	474,368
Operating Income (Loss)	(50,010)	(2,584)	(52,594)
<b>Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses):</b>			
Capital Assets	(97,288)	--	(97,288)
Total Nonoperating Revenue	(97,288)	--	(97,288)
Net Income (Loss) Before Transfers	(147,298)	(2,584)	(149,882)
Transfers in	20,000	10,000	30,000
<b>Change in Net Position</b>	(127,298)	7,416	(119,882)
<b>Total Net position - Beginning of Year</b>	536,721	803,287	1,340,008
<b>Total Net Position - Ending of Year</b>	\$ 409,423	\$ 810,703	\$ 1,220,126

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**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Statement of Cash Flows – Modified Cash Basis - Proprietary Funds  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	<u>Enterprise Funds</u>		<u>Totals</u>
	<u>Water Fund</u>	<u>Sewer Fund</u>	
<b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities:</b>			
Receipt from customers	\$ 242,490	\$ 179,284	\$ 421,774
Payments to suppliers	(213,020)	(127,980)	(341,000)
Payments to employees	(79,480)	(53,888)	(133,368)
<b>Net Cash (Used) by Operating Activities</b>	<u>(50,010)</u>	<u>(2,584)</u>	<u>(52,594)</u>
<b>Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities:</b>			
Transfers in	20,000	10,000	30,000
<b>Net Cash Provided by Noncapital Financing Activities</b>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>30,000</u>
<b>Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities:</b>			
Purchase of capital assets	(97,288)	--	(97,288)
<b>Net Cash (Used) by Capital and Related Financing Activities:</b>	<u>(97,288)</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>(97,288)</u>
<b>Net Increase (decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>	(127,298)	7,416	(119,882)
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents-Beginning of Year</b>	536,721	803,287	1,340,008
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents-End of Year</b>	<u>\$ 409,423</u>	<u>\$ 810,703</u>	<u>\$ 1,220,126</u>
<b>Reconciliation of Operating Inome to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:</b>			
Operating (Loss)	\$ (50,010)	\$ (2,584)	\$ (52,594)
<b>Net Cash (Used) by Operating Activities</b>	<u>\$ (50,010)</u>	<u>\$ (2,584)</u>	<u>\$ (52,594)</u>

The accompanying Notes to Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.



**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Notes to Basic Financial Statements – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:**

As discussed further in Note 1.c., these financial statements are presented on a modified cash basis of accounting. The modified cash basis of accounting differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Generally accepted accounting principles include all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements.

a. Financial Reporting Entity:

The reporting entity of the Municipality of Oacoma, (Municipality) consists of the primary government (which includes all of the funds, organizations, institutions, agencies, departments, and offices that make up the legal entity, plus those funds for which the primary government has a fiduciary responsibility, even though those fiduciary funds may represent organizations that do not meet the criteria for inclusion in the financial reporting entity); those organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable; and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that their exclusion would cause the financial reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the elected officials of the primary government are financially accountable. The Municipality is financially accountable if its Governing Board appoints a voting majority of another organization's governing body and it has the ability to impose its will on that organization, or there is a potential for that organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on, the Municipality (primary government). The Municipality may also be financially accountable for another organization if that organization is fiscally dependent on the Municipality.

The Municipality participates in cooperative units. See detailed note entitled "Joint Ventures" for specific disclosures. Joint ventures do not meet the criteria for inclusion in the financial reporting entity as a component unit but are discussed in these notes because of their relationship with the Municipality.

b. Basis of Presentation:

**Government-Wide Financial Statements:**

The Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities display information about the reporting entity as a whole. They include all funds of the reporting entity. The statements distinguish between governmental and business-type activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange revenues. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods or services.

The Statement of Activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each segment of the business-type activities of the Municipality and for each function of the Municipality's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include (a) charges paid by recipients of goods and services offered by the programs and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Notes to Basic Financial Statements – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)**

**Fund Financial Statements:**

Fund financial statements of the reporting entity are organized into funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that constitute its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures/expenses. Funds are organized into two major categories: governmental and proprietary. An emphasis is placed on major funds within the governmental and proprietary categories. A fund is considered major if it is the primary operating fund of the Municipality or it meets the following criteria:

1. Total assets, liabilities, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of the individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least 10 percent of the corresponding total for all funds of that category or type, and
2. Total assets, liabilities, revenues, or expenditures/expenses of the individual governmental or enterprise fund are at least 5 percent of the corresponding total for all governmental and enterprise funds combined, or
3. Management has elected to classify one or more governmental or enterprise funds as major for consistency in reporting from year to year, or because of public interest in the fund's operations.

The funds of the Municipality's financial reporting entity are described below:

**Governmental Funds:**

General Fund – the General Fund is the general operating fund of the Municipality. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The General Fund is always considered to be a major fund.

Special Revenue Funds – special revenue funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than trusts for individuals, private organizations, or other governments or for major capital projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Liquor, Lodging and Dining Gross Receipts Tax Fund – to account for collection of a one percent tax on the gross receipts of lodgings, alcoholic beverages, prepared food and admissions which tax shall be used for the purpose of land acquisition, architectural fees, construction costs, payments for civic center, auditorium or athletic facility buildings, including the maintenance, staffing, and operation of such facilities and the promotion and advertising of the Municipality (SDCL 10-52A-2). This fund may be established at the direction of the governing body through local ordinance. This is a major fund.

Business Improvement District (BID) Fund – to account for a special occupation tax for the financing of business improvement district projects as allowed in (SDCL 9-55-2). This is a major fund.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Notes to Basic Financial Statements – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)**

Capital Project Funds – Capital projects funds are used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds or trust funds for individuals, private organizations, or other governments).

**Proprietary Funds:**

Enterprise Funds – Enterprise funds may be used to report any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services. Activities are required to be reported as enterprise funds if any one of the following criteria is met. Governments should apply each of these criteria in the context of the activity's principal revenue sources.

- a. The activity is financed with debt that is secured solely by a pledge of the net revenues from fees and charges of the activity. Debt that is secured by a pledge of net revenues from fees and charges and the full faith and credit of a related primary government or component unit—even if that government is not expected to make any payments—is not payable solely from fees and charges of the activity. (Some debt may be secured, in part, by a portion of its own proceeds but should be considered as payable "solely" from the revenues of the activity.)
- b. Laws or regulations require that the activity's costs of providing services, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service), be recovered with fees and charges, rather than with taxes or similar revenues; or
- c. The pricing policies of the activity establish fees and or charges designed to recover its costs, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service).

Water Fund – financed primarily by user charges, this fund accounts for the construction and operation of the municipal waterworks system and related facilities (SDCL 9-47-1). This is a major fund.

Sewer Fund – financed primarily by user charges, this fund accounts for the construction and operation of the municipal sanitary sewer system and related facilities (SDCL 9-48-2). This is a major fund.

c. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting:

Measurement focus is a term used to describe "how" transactions are recorded within the various financial statements. Basis of accounting refers to "when" revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements, regardless of the measurement focus.

The Municipality's basis of accounting is the modified cash basis, which is a basis of accounting other than USGAAP. Under USGAAP, transactions are recorded in the accounts when revenues are earned, and liabilities are incurred. Under the modified cash basis, transactions are recorded when cash is received or disbursed.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Notes to Basic Financial Statements – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)**

**Measurement Focus:**

Government-Wide Financial Statements:

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, both governmental and business-type activities are presented using the economic resources measurement focus, applied within the limitations of the modified cash basis of accounting as defined below.

Fund Financial Statements:

In the fund financial statements, the “current financial resources” measurement focus or the “economic resources” measurement focus is used, applied within the limitations of the modified cash basis of accounting.

**Basis of Accounting:**

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities and the fund financial statements, governmental and business-type activities are presented using a modified cash basis of accounting.

The modified cash basis of accounting involves the measurement of cash and cash equivalents and changes in cash and cash equivalents resulting from cash receipt and disbursement transactions. Under the modified cash basis of accounting, the statement of financial position reports only cash and cash equivalents (those investments with terms to maturity of 90 days (three months) or less at the date of acquisition). Under the modified cash basis of accounting, transactions are recorded in the accounts when cash and/or cash equivalents are received or disbursed, and assets and liabilities are recognized to the extent that cash has been received or disbursed. Acceptable modification to the cash basis of accounting implemented by the Municipality in these financial statements is:

- Recording long-term investments (those with maturities more than 90-days (three months) from the date of acquisition) acquired with cash assets at cost.

As a result of the use of this modified cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues (such as accounts receivable and revenue for billed or provided services not yet collected) and certain liabilities and their related expenses (such as accounts payable and expenses for goods or services received but not yet paid, and accrued expenses and liabilities) are not recorded in these financial statements.

If the Municipality applied USGAAP, the fund financial statements for governmental funds would use the modified accrual basis of accounting, while the fund financial statements for proprietary fund types would use the accrual basis of accounting. All government-wide financial statements would be presented on the accrual basis of accounting.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Notes to Basic Financial Statements – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)**

d. Deposits and Investments:

For the purpose of financial reporting, “cash and cash equivalents” includes all demand and savings accounts and certificates of deposit or short-term investments with a term to maturity of date of acquisition of three months or less. Investments in open-end mutual fund shares, or similar investments in external investment pools, are also considered to be cash equivalents.

Investments classified in the financial statements consist entirely of certificates of deposit whose term to maturity at date of acquisition exceeds three months, and/or those types of investment authorized by South Dakota Codified Laws (SDCL) 4-5-6. Under the modified cash basis of accounting, investments are carried at cost.

e. Capital Assets:

Under the modified cash basis of accounting, capital assets are recorded when they result from cash transactions, and are depreciated, where appropriate. The accounting treatment for property, plant and equipment (capital assets) depends on whether the assets are used in governmental fund operations or proprietary fund operations and whether they are reported in the government-wide or fund financial statements.

**Government-Wide Financial Statements:**

Under the modified cash basis of accounting, capital assets are considered a cost of the program for which they were acquired, for the amount paid in cash. In the Statement of Activities, cash payments for capital assets are recorded in the program category for which they were acquired. Allocations between programs are made, where necessary to match the cost with the program that benefits from the use of the capital assets.

**Fund Financial Statements:**

In the fund financial statements, capital assets arising from cash transactions acquired for use in governmental fund operations are accounted for as expenditures of the governmental fund when paid for in cash. Capital assets acquired for use in proprietary fund operations are accounted for in the same manner as in the government-wide financial statements.

f. Long-Term Liabilities:

As discussed in Note 1c. above, the government-wide Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities and the fund financial statements and governmental and business-type activities are presented using a modified cash basis of accounting. The Municipality has not elected to modify their cash basis presentation by recording long-term debt arising from cash transactions, so any outstanding indebtedness is not reported on the financial statements of the Municipality. The Municipality does report the principal and interest payments on long-term Debt as Debt Service expenditures on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances and on the Statement of Activities.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Notes to Basic Financial Statements – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)**

The Municipality does not have any outstanding long-term debt as of December 31, 2024.

g. Program Revenues:

Program revenues derive directly from the program itself or from parties other than the Municipality's taxpayers or citizenry, as a whole. Program revenues are classified into three categories, as follows:

- a. Charges for services – These arise from charges to customers, applicants, or others who purchase, use, or directly benefit from the goods, services, or privileges provided, or are otherwise directly affected by the services.
- b. Program-specific operating grants and contributions – These arise from mandatory and voluntary non-exchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for use in a particular program.
- c. Program-specific capital grants and contributions – These arise from mandatory and voluntary non-exchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for the acquisition of capital assets for use in a particular program.

h. Proprietary Funds Revenue and Expense Classifications:

In the proprietary fund's Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position, revenues and expenses are classified in a manner consistent with how they are classified in a Statement of Cash Flows. That is, transactions for which related cash flows are reported as capital and related financing activities, noncapital financing activities, or investing activities are not reported as components of operating revenues or expenses.

i. Cash and Cash Equivalents:

The Municipality pools the cash resources of its funds for cash management purposes. The proprietary funds essentially have access to the entire amount of their cash resources on demand. Accordingly, each proprietary fund's equity in the cash management pool is considered to be cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of the Statement of Cash Flows.

j. Equity Classifications:

**Government-Wide Statements:**

Equity is classified as net position and is displayed in two components:

- 1. Restricted net position – Consists of net position with constraints placed on their use either by (a) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments; or (b) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Notes to Basic Financial Statements – Modified Cash Basis  
December 31, 2024

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**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)**

2. Unrestricted net position – All other net position that do not meet the definition of Restricted Net Position.

**Fund Financial Statements:**

Governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance, and may distinguish between “Restricted,” “Assigned” and “Unassigned” components. Proprietary fund equity is classified the same as in the government-wide financial statements.

k. Application of Net Position:

It is the Municipality’s policy to first use restricted net position, prior to the use of unrestricted net position, when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available.

l. Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures:

In accordance with Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, the Municipality classifies governmental fund balances as follows:

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

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

Committed – includes fund balance amounts that are constrained of specific purposes that are internally imposed by the government through formal action of the highest level of decision-making authority and does not lapse at year-end.

Assigned – includes fund balance amounts that are intended to be used for specific purposes that are neither considered restricted nor committed. Fund Balance may be assigned by the governing body or Finance Officer.

Unassigned – includes positive fund balance within the General Fund which has not been classified within the above-mentioned categories and negative fund balances in other governmental funds.

The Municipality uses restricted amounts first when both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available unless there are legal documents/contracts that prohibit doing this, such as a grant agreement requiring dollar for dollar spending. Additionally, the Government would first use assigned and then unassigned amounts of unrestricted fund balance when expenditures are made.

The Municipality does not have a formal minimum fund balance policy.

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**2. Deposits and Investments Credit Risk, Concentrations of Credit Risk and Interest Rate Risk:**

The Municipality follows the practice of aggregating the cash assets of various funds to maximize cash management efficiency and returns. Various restrictions on deposits and investments are imposed by statutes. These restrictions are summarized below:

Deposits – The Municipality’s cash deposits are made in qualified public depositories as defined by SDCL 4-6A-1, 9-22-6, 9-22-6.1 and 9-22-6.2, and may be in the form of demand or time deposits. Qualified depositories are required by SDCL 4-6A-3 to maintain at all times, segregated from their other assets, eligible collateral having a value equal to at least 100 percent of the public deposit accounts which exceed deposit insurance such as the FDIC and NCUA. In lieu of pledging eligible securities, a qualified public depository may furnish irrevocable standby letters of credit issued by federal home loan banks accompanied by written evidence of that bank’s public debt rating which may not be less than "AA" or a qualified public depository may furnish a corporate surety bond of a corporation authorized to do business in South Dakota.

Investments – In general, SDCL 4-5-6 permits Municipality funds to be invested only in (a) securities of the United States and securities guaranteed by the United States Government either directly or indirectly; or (b) repurchase agreements fully collateralized by securities described in (a) above; or in shares of an open-end, no-load fund administered by an investment company whose investments are in securities described in (a) above and repurchase agreements described in (b) above. Also, SDCL 4-5-9 requires investments to be in the physical custody of the political subdivision or may be deposited in a safekeeping account with any bank or trust company designated by the political subdivision as its fiscal agent.

As of December 31, 2024 the Municipality did not have any investments. The investments reported in the financial statements consist of only certificates of deposits.

Credit Risk – State law limits eligible investments for the Municipality, as discussed above. The Municipality has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices.

Custodial Credit Risk – The risk that, in the event of a depository failure, the Municipality’s deposits may not be returned to it. The Municipality does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk.

Concentration of Credit Risk – The Municipality places no limit on the amount that may be invested in any one issuer.

Interest Rate Risk – The Municipality does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Assignment of Investment Income – State law allows income from deposits and investments to be credited to either the General Fund or the fund making the investment. The Municipality’s policy is to credit all income from deposits and investments to the fund making the investment.



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**3. Property Taxes:**

Property taxes are levied on or before October 1, of the year preceding the start of the fiscal year. They attach as an enforceable lien on property, and become due and payable as of January 1, the first day of the fiscal year. Taxes are payable in two installments on or before April 30 and October 31 of the fiscal year.

The Municipality is permitted by several state statutes to levy varying amounts of taxes per \$1,000 of taxable valuation on taxable real property in the Municipality.

**4. Interfund Transfers:**

Transfers to/from other funds during the year ended December 31, 2024, consist of the following:

From the General Fund to the Water Fund	\$ 20,000
From the General Fund to the Sewer Fund	<u>10,000</u>
Total transfers	<u><u>\$ 30,000</u></u>

Transfers from the General Fund to the Water and Sewer Funds are for project funding.

**5. Pension Plan:**

Plan Information:

All employees, working more than 20 hours per week during the year, participate in the South Dakota Retirement System (SDRS), a cost-sharing, multiple employer hybrid defined benefit pension plan administered by SDRS to provide retirement benefits for employees of the State of South Dakota and its political subdivisions.

The SDRS provides retirement, disability and survivor benefits. The right to receive retirement benefits vests after three years of credited service. Authority for establishing, administering and amending plan provisions are found in South Dakota Codified Law 3-12. The SDRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplemental information. That report may be obtained at <http://sdrs.sd.gov/publications.aspx> or by writing to the SDRS, P.O. Box 1098, Pierre, SD 57501-1098 or by calling (605) 773-3731.

Benefits Provided:

SDRS has four classes of members: Class A general members, Class B public safety and judicial members, Class C Cement Plant Retirement Fund members, and Class D Department of Labor and Regulation members.

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**5. Pension Plan: (Continued)**

Members that were hired before July 1, 2017, are Foundation members. Class A Foundation members and Class B Foundation members who retire after age 65 with three years of contributory service are entitled to an unreduced annual retirement benefit. An unreduced annual retirement benefit is also available after age 55 for Class A Foundation members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 85 or after age 55 for Class B Foundation judicial members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 80. Class B Foundation public safety members can retire with an unreduced annual retirement benefit after age 55 with three years of contributory service. An unreduced annual retirement benefit is also available after age 45 for Class B Foundation public safety members where the sum of age and credited service is equal to or greater than 75. All Foundation retirements that do not meet the above criteria may be payable at a reduced level. Class A and B eligible spouses of Foundation members will receive a 60 percent joint survivor benefit when the member dies.

Members that were hired on/after July 1, 2017, are Generational members. Class A Generational members and Class B Generational judicial members who retire after age 67 with three years of contributory service are entitled to an unreduced annual retirement benefit. Class B Generational public safety members can retire with an unreduced annual retirement benefit after age 57 with three years of contributory service. At retirement, married Generational members may elect a single-life benefit, a 60 percent joint and survivor benefit, or a 100 percent joint and survivor benefit. All Generational retirement benefits that do not meet the above criteria may be payable at a reduced level. Generational members will also have a variable retirement account (VRA) established, in which they will receive up to 1.5 percent of compensation funded by part of the employer contribution. VRAs will receive investment earnings based on investment returns.

Legislation enacted in 2017 established the current COLA process. At each valuation date:

- Baseline actuarial accrued liabilities will be calculated assuming the COLA is equal to the long-term inflation assumption of 2.25%.
- If the fair value of assets is greater or equal to the baseline actuarial accrued liabilities, the COLA will be:
  - The increase in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter CPI-W, no less than 0.5% and no greater than 3.5%.
- If the fair value of assets is less than the baseline actuarial accrued liabilities, the COLA will be:
  - The increase in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter CPI-W, no less than 0.5% and no greater than a restricted maximum such that, that if the restricted maximum is assumed for future COLAs, the fair value of assets will be greater or equal to the accrued liabilities.

Legislation enacted in 2021 reduced the minimum COLA from 0.5 percent to 0.0 percent.

All benefits except those depending on the Member's Accumulated Contributions are annually increased by the Cost-of-Living-Adjustment.

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**5. Pension Plan: (Continued)**

Contributions:

Per SDCL 3-12, contribution requirements of the active employees and participating employers are established and may be amended by the SDRS board. Covered employees are required by state statute to contribute the following percentages of their salary to the plan; Class A Members, 6.0% of salary; Class B Judicial Members, 9.0% of salary; and Class B Public Safety Members, 8.0% of salary. State statute also requires the employer to contribute an amount equal to the employee’s contribution. The Municipality’s share of contributions to the SDRS for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2024, 2023, and 2022, equal to the required contributions each year, were as follows:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2024	\$ 13,798
2023	12,208
2022	11,985

Pension Asset:

At June 30, 2024, SDRS is 100.00% funded and accordingly has a net pension (asset.) The proportionate share of the components of the net pension (asset) of South Dakota Retirement System, for the Municipality as of this measurement period ending June 30, 2024 and reported by the Municipality as of December 31, 2024 are as follows:

Proportionate share of pension liability	\$ 1,223,745
Less proportionate share of net pension restricted for pension benefits	<u>1,224,077</u>
Proportionate share of net pension (asset)	<u><u>\$ (332)</u></u>

The net pension asset was measure as of June 20, 2024, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension asset was based on a projection of the Municipality’s share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all participating entities. At June 30, 2024, the Municipality’s proportion was 0.14% which is a decrease of -0.14% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2023.

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**5. Pension Plan: (Continued)**

Actuarial Assumptions:

The total pension liability (asset) in the June 30, 2024, actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	2.50%
Salary Increases	Graded by years of service, from 7.66% at entry to 3.15% after 25 years of service
Discount Rate	6.5% net of plan investment expense. This is composed of an average inflation rate of 2.5% and real returns of 4.00%
Future COLAs	1.71%

Mortality Rates:

All mortality rates based on Pub-2010 amount-weighted mortality tables, projected generationally with improvement scaled MP-2020.

Active and Terminated Vested Members:

- Teachers, Certified Regents, and Judicial: PubT-2010
- Other Class A Members: PubG-2010
- Public Safety Members: PubS-2010

Retired Members:

- Teachers, Certified Regents, and Judicial Retirees: PubT-210, 108% of rates above age 65
- Other Class A Retirees: PubG-2010, 93% of rates through age 74, increasing by 2% per year until 111% of rates at age 83 and above
- Public Safety Retirees: PubS-2010, 102% of rates at all ages

Beneficiaries:

- PubG-2010 contingent survivor mortality table

Disabled Members:

- Public Safety: PubS-2010 disabled member mortality table
- Others: PubG-2010 disabled member mortality table

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2024 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period of July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2021.

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**5. Pension Plan: (Continued)**

Investment portfolio management is the statutory responsibility of the South Dakota Investment Council (SDIC), which may utilize the services of external money managers for management of a portion of the portfolio. SDIC is governed by the Prudent Man Rule (i.e., the council should use the same degree of care as a prudent man). Current SDIC investment policies dictate limits on the percentages of assets invested in various types of vehicles (equities, fixed income securities, real estate, cash, private equity, etc.) The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plan’s target asset allocation as of June 30, 2024 (see the discussion of the investment plan’s investment policy) are summarized in the following table using geometric means:

<b>Asset Class</b>	<b>Target Allocation</b>	<b>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</b>
Global Equity	56.3%	3.6%
Investment Grade Debt	22.8%	2.3%
High Yield Debt	7.0%	2.8%
Real Estate	12.0%	4.0%
Cash	1.9%	0.8%
Total	100.0%	

Discount Rate:

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 6.50%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that matching employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the member rate. Based on these assumptions, the pension plan’s fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension (asset).

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**5. Pension Plan: (Continued)**

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

The following presents the Municipality’s proportionate share of net pension (asset) calculated using the discount rate of 6.50%, as well as what the Municipality’s proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower (5.50%) or 1-percentage point higher (7.50%) than the current rate:

	<b>1% Decrease</b>	<b>Current Discount Rate</b>	<b>1% Increase</b>
Municipality's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 168,733	\$ (332)	\$ (138,680)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position:

Detailed Information about the plan’s fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued SDRS financial report.

**6. Joint Ventures:**

Missouri Valley Ambulance Service:

The Municipality participates in a joint venture under a joint power’s agreement, known as Missouri Valley Ambulance Service, formed for the purpose of providing ambulance services to the Town of Oacoma, City of Chamberlain, Town of Pukwana, western Brule County and eastern Lyman County.

The members of the joint venture and their relative percentage of participation are as follows:

Town of Oacoma -----	10%
City of Chamberlain -----	38%
Town of Pukwana -----	2%
Brule County -----	40%
Lyman County-----	10%

The joint venture’s governing board is comprised of five representatives. Each party to the joint venture appoints one member to serve on the board. The board is responsible for adopting the annual budget and setting service fees at a level adequate to fund the adopted budget.

The Municipality retains no equity in the Net Position of the joint venture but does have a responsibility to fund deficits of the joint venture in proportion to the relative participation described above.

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**6. Joint Ventures: (Continued)**

Separate financial statements for this joint venture are available from Missouri Valley Ambulance Service, PO Box 354, Chamberlain, SD 57325.

The Municipality appropriated \$16,000 for an operating subsidy to Missouri Valley Ambulance Service in 2024.

Tri County Landfill Association, Inc:

The Municipality is served by a regional landfill operated as a separate legal entity. One town board member serves on the landfill board of directors to provide direction and oversight of landfill operations. There are eight counties and 20 towns that have a joint powers agreement for the joint operation of the landfill. Although the Municipality has a joint powers agreement with Tri County Landfill Association, Inc., Oacoma provides no funding and receives no revenues from the landfill. The agreement states that the obligations of the landfill shall never constitute an indebtedness of the members within the meaning of any state constitutional provision or statutory limitation and shall never give rise to a pecuniary liability of the members or a charge against their respective general credit or taxing power and the taxing powers of the members may not be used to pay any loan, and no funds or property of the members, other than those described herein, may be used to pay loan payments. The agreements also state that any assets remaining upon dissolution of the landfill shall be distributed to each member based upon the proportion of assets put into the joint operation at its creation by each entity.

Separate financial statements for this joint venture are available from Tri County Landfill Association, Inc., 24978 349th Avenue, Pukwana, SD 57370.

The Municipality expended \$3,735 for landfill fees to Tri County Landfill Association, Inc. in 2024.

**7. Risk Management:**

The Municipality is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. During the period ended December 31, 2024, the Municipality managed its risks as follows:

Employee Health Insurance:

The Municipality purchases health insurance for its employees from a commercial insurance carrier. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage during the past three years.

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**7. Risk Management: (Continued)**

Liability Insurance:

The Municipality joined the South Dakota Public Assurance Alliance (SDPAA), a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for South Dakota local government entities. The objective of the SDPAA is to administer and provide risk management services and risk sharing facilities to the members and to defend and protect the members against liability, to advise members on loss control guidelines and procedures, and provide them risk management services, loss control and risk reduction information and to obtain lower costs for that coverage. The Municipality's responsibility is to promptly report to and cooperate with the SDPAA to resolve any incident which could result in a claim being made by or against the Municipality. The Municipality pays a Members' Annual Operating Contribution, to provide liability coverage detailed below, under a claims-made policy and the premiums are accrued based on the ultimate cost of the experience to date of the SDPAA member, based on their exposure or type of coverage. The Municipality pays an annual premium to the pool to provide coverage for:

Governmental General Liability  
Law Enforcement Liability  
Automobile Liability  
Governmental Property

The agreement with the SDPAA provides that the above coverages will be provided to limits of \$2,000,000 for general liability, \$2,000,000 for law enforcement liability, and \$1,500,000 for auto liability. Member premiums are used by the pool for payment of claims and to pay for reinsurance for claims in excess of \$250,000 for property coverage and \$500,000 for liability coverage to the upper limit.

Effective October 5, 2021, the SDPAA adopted a new policy on member departures. Departing members will no longer be eligible for any partial refund of the calculated portion of their contributions which was previously allowed. The prior policy provided the departing member with such a partial refund because the departing member took sole responsibility for all claims and claims expenses whether reported or unreported at the time of their departure from the SDPAA. With such partial refund being no longer available, the SDPAA will now assume responsibility for all reported claims of the departing Member pursuant to the revised IGC.

The Municipality carried a \$250-\$2,500 deductible for the property coverage, depending on the type of property.

The Municipality does not carry additional insurance to cover claims in excess of the upper limit. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage during the past three years.



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**7. Risk Management: (Continued)**

Workers’ Compensation:

The Municipality joined the South Dakota Municipal League Workers’ Compensation Fund (Fund), a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for South Dakota local government entities. The objective of the Fund is to formulate, develop, and administer, on behalf of the member organizations, a program of Workers’ compensation coverage, to obtain lower costs for that coverage, and to develop a comprehensive loss control program. The Municipality’s responsibility is to initiate and maintain a safety program to give its employees safe and sanitary working conditions and to promptly report to and cooperate with the Fund to resolve any Workers’ compensation claims. The Municipality pays an annual premium, to provide Workers’ compensation coverage for its employees, under a self-funded program and the premiums are accrued based on the ultimate cost of the experience to date of the Fund members. Coverage limits are set by state statute. The pool pays the first \$650,000 of any claim per individual. The pool has reinsurance which covers up to statutory limits in addition to a separate combined employer liability limit of \$2,000,000 per incident.

The Municipality does not carry additional insurance to cover claims in excess of the upper limit. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the liability coverage during the past three years.

Unemployment Benefits:

The Municipality provides coverage for unemployment benefits by paying into the Unemployment Compensation Fund established by state law and managed by the State of South Dakota.

**8. Restricted Net Position:**

Restricted net position restricted for the year ended December 31, 2024 was as follows:

Purpose	Restricted By	Amount
Promotion of Municipality	Law	\$ 1,021,981

## **Supplemental Information**

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
 Budgetary Comparison Schedules – Modified Cash Basis - General Fund  
 For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		<u>Actual Amounts</u>	<b>Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative )</b>
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>		<u>(Negative )</u>
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Taxes:				
General property taxes	\$ 100,879	\$ 100,879	\$ 99,328	\$ (1,551)
General sales and use taxes	550,000	550,000	661,783	111,783
Penalties and interest on delinquent taxes	500	500	413	(87)
<b>Total Taxes</b>	<u>651,379</u>	<u>651,379</u>	<u>761,524</u>	<u>110,145</u>
Licenses and permits	12,000	12,000	11,565	(435)
Intergovernmental:				
State grants	--	--	478	478
State shared revenue:				
Bank franchise tax	500	500	392	(108)
Prorate license fees	2,000	2,000	3,769	1,769
Liquor tax reversion (25%)	2,500	2,500	2,640	140
Motor vehicle licenses (5%)	10,000	10,000	11,144	1,144
Local government highway and bridge fund	10,000	10,000	9,720	(280)
Other	--	--	23	23
County shared revenue:				
County road tax (25%)	500	500	553	53
<b>Total Intergovernmental</b>	<u>37,500</u>	<u>37,500</u>	<u>40,284</u>	<u>2,784</u>
Charges for Goods and Services:				
Culture and recreation	2,000	2,000	4,075	2,075
Other	5,000	5,000	7,842	2,842
<b>Total Charges for Goods and Services</b>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>7,000</u>	<u>11,917</u>	<u>4,917</u>
Fines and Forfeits				
Animal control fines	--	--	60	60
<b>Total Fines and Forfeits</b>	<u>--</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>60</u>
Miscellaneous Revenue:				
Investment earnings	15,000	15,000	183,654	168,654
<b>Total Miscellaneous Revenue</b>	<u>15,000</u>	<u>15,000</u>	<u>183,654</u>	<u>168,654</u>
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<u>\$ 710,879</u>	<u>\$ 710,879</u>	<u>\$ 997,439</u>	<u>\$ 286,560</u>

See accompanying Note to Budgetary Comparison Schedules.

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Budgetary Comparison Schedules – Modified Cash Basis - General Fund  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024 (Continued)

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget
	Original	Final		Positive (Negative)
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
General Government:				
Legislative	\$ 32,350	\$ 35,550	\$ 35,503	\$ 47
Contingency	42,879	11,679	--	11,679
Elections	800	800	653	147
Financial administration	121,700	136,700	124,084	12,616
<b>Total General Government</b>	<b>197,729</b>	<b>184,729</b>	<b>160,240</b>	<b>24,489</b>
Public Safety:				
Police	59,400	59,400	55,051	4,349
Fire	7,500	7,500	7,500	--
Other protection	2,000	2,000	1,680	320
<b>Total Public Safety</b>	<b>68,900</b>	<b>68,900</b>	<b>64,231</b>	<b>4,669</b>
Public Works:				
Highways and streets	386,000	386,000	117,567	268,433
Cemeteries	4,850	7,850	7,334	516
<b>Total Public Works</b>	<b>390,850</b>	<b>393,850</b>	<b>124,901</b>	<b>268,949</b>
Health and Welfare:				
Health	4,500	4,500	234	4,266
Home health	5,000	5,000	5,000	--
Ambulance	15,000	15,000	14,750	250
<b>Total Health and Welfare</b>	<b>24,500</b>	<b>24,500</b>	<b>19,984</b>	<b>4,516</b>
Culture and Recreation:				
Recreation	2,500	2,500	2,500	--
Parks	22,600	22,600	10,226	12,374
Libraries	20,000	20,000	20,000	--
Auditorium	52,800	62,800	61,419	1,381
<b>Total Culture and Recreation</b>	<b>97,900</b>	<b>107,900</b>	<b>94,145</b>	<b>13,755</b>
Conservation and Development:				
Economic development and assistance	1,000	1,000	--	1,000
<b>Total Conservation and Development</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>1,000</b>
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>780,879</b>	<b>780,879</b>	<b>463,501</b>	<b>317,378</b>
<b>Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures</b>	<b>(70,000)</b>	<b>(70,000)</b>	<b>533,938</b>	<b>603,938</b>
<b>Other Financing Sources (Uses):</b>				
Transfers in	5,000	5,000	--	(5,000)
Transfers out	(35,000)	(35,000)	(30,000)	5,000
Compensation for loss/damage to capital assets	--	--	--	--
<b>Total Other Financing Uses</b>	<b>(30,000)</b>	<b>(30,000)</b>	<b>(30,000)</b>	<b>--</b>
<b>Net Change in Fund Balance</b>	<b>(100,000)</b>	<b>(100,000)</b>	<b>503,938</b>	<b>603,938</b>
<b>Beginning Budgetary Fund Balance</b>	<b>2,547,535</b>	<b>2,547,535</b>	<b>2,547,535</b>	<b>--</b>
<b>Ending Budgetary Fund Balance</b>	<b>\$ 2,447,535</b>	<b>\$ 2,447,535</b>	<b>\$ 3,051,473</b>	<b>\$ 603,938</b>

See accompanying Note to Budgetary Comparison Schedules.

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Budgetary Comparison Schedules – Modified Cash Basis 1% Gross Receipts (BBB) Sales Tax Fund  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	<u>Budgeted Amounts</u>		<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance with</u>
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Amounts</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>
				<u>Positive</u>
				<u>(Negative)</u>
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Taxes:				
General sales and use taxes	\$ 120,000	\$ 120,000	\$ 151,104	\$ 31,104
Total Revenue	<u>120,000</u>	<u>120,000</u>	<u>151,104</u>	<u>31,104</u>
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
Conservation and Development:				
Economic development and assistance (industrial development)	<u>120,000</u>	<u>120,000</u>	<u>83,314</u>	<u>36,686</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>120,000</u>	<u>120,000</u>	<u>83,314</u>	<u>36,686</u>
<b>Net Change in Fund Balance</b>	--	--	67,790	67,790
<b>Beginning Budgetary Fund Balance</b>	<u>405,934</u>	<u>405,934</u>	<u>405,934</u>	--
<b>Ending Budgetary Fund Balance</b>	<u>\$ 405,934</u>	<u>\$ 405,934</u>	<u>\$ 473,724</u>	<u>\$ 67,790</u>

See accompanying Note to Budgetary Comparison Schedules.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**

Budgetary Comparison Schedules – Modified Cash Basis Business Improvement District (BID) Fund  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)
	Original	Final		
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Taxes:				
Gross receipts business taxes	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000	\$ 15,738	\$ 5,738
Miscellaneous:				
Special assessments	115,000	115,000	114,578	(422)
Total Revenue	125,000	125,000	130,316	5,316
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
General Government:				
Financial administration	5,000	5,000	--	5,000
Conservation and Development:				
Economic development and assistance	120,000	120,000	14,364	105,636
Total Expenditures	125,000	125,000	14,364	110,636
<b>Net Change in Fund Balance</b>	--	--	115,952	115,952
<b>Beginning Budgetary Fund Balance</b>	432,305	432,305	432,305	--
<b>Ending Budgetary Fund Balance</b>	\$ 432,305	\$ 432,305	\$ 548,257	\$ 115,952

See accompanying Note to Budgetary Comparison Schedules.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Note to Budgetary Comparison Schedules  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

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**Note 1. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting:**

The Municipality follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the schedules:

1. At the first regular board meeting in September of each year or within ten days thereafter, the Governing Board introduces the annual appropriation ordinance for the ensuing fiscal year.
2. After adoption by the Governing Board, the operating budget is legally binding and actual expenditures for each purpose cannot exceed the amounts budgeted, except as indicated in number 4.
3. A line item for contingencies may be included in the annual budget. Such a line item may not exceed 5 percent of the total municipal budget and may be transferred by resolution of the Governing Board to any other budget category that is deemed insufficient during the year.
4. If it is determined during the year that sufficient amounts have not been budgeted, state statute allows the adoption of supplemental budgets.
5. Unexpended appropriations lapse at year end unless encumbered by resolution of the Governing Board.

The Municipality did not encumber any amounts at December 31, 2024.

6. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for the General Fund and special revenue funds.
7. The Municipality of Oacoma presents its budget on the modified cash basis of accounting to coincide with the basis of accounting utilized by the basic financial statements. See Note 1.c. to the basic financial statements for a definition of modified cash basis.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Schedule of Changes in General Capital Assets – Modified Cash Basis  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

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Under the modified cash basis, capital assets arising from cash transactions acquired for use in governmental fund operations are accounted for as capital outlay expenditures and are not recorded on the Statement of Net Position. However, a summary of changes in capital assets for the year ended December 31, 2024, is as follows:

	<u>Balance</u> <u>1/1/24</u>	<u>Increases</u>	<u>Decreases</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>12/31/24</u>
Governmental Activities:				
Land	\$ 201,885	\$ --	\$ --	\$ 201,885
Buildings & structures	4,478,526	--	--	4,478,526
Improvements other than buildings	114,265	--	--	114,265
Machinery and equipment	368,538	--	--	368,538
Total	<u>\$ 5,163,214</u>	<u>\$ --</u>	<u>\$ --</u>	<u>\$ 5,163,214</u>

	<u>Balance</u> <u>1/1/24</u>	<u>Increases</u>	<u>Decreases</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>12/31/24</u>
Business-Type Activities:				
Buildings & structures	\$ 2,144,402	\$ --	\$ --	\$ 2,144,402
Improvements other than buildings	3,647,437	97,288	--	3,744,725
Machinery and equipment	290,324	--	--	290,324
Total	<u>\$ 6,082,163</u>	<u>\$ 97,288</u>	<u>\$ --</u>	<u>\$ 6,179,451</u>



**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Schedule of Municipality's  
Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Municipality's proportion of the net pension liability/asset	0.0082030%	0.0074360%	0.0085220%	0.0083120%	0.0085212%	0.0082022%	0.0081517%	0.0081627%	0.0083728%	0.0083136%
Municipality's proportionate share of net pension liability (asset)	\$ (332)	\$ (726)	\$ (805)	\$ (63,656)	\$ (370)	\$ (869)	\$ (190)	\$ (741)	\$ 28,283	\$ (35,260)
Municipality's covered-employee payroll	\$ 230,126	\$ 191,809	\$ 203,498	\$ 188,608	\$ 187,012	\$ 174,395	\$ 169,458	\$ 165,843	\$ 159,208	\$ 152,670
Municipality's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	0.14%	0.38%	0.40%	33.75%	0.20%	0.50%	0.11%	0.45%	17.76%	23.23%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability (asset)	100.00%	100.10%	100.10%	105.52%	100.04%	100.09%	100.02%	100.10%	96.89%	104.10%

\*The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the measurement date of the collective pensional liability (asset) which is June 30.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Schedule of Municipality's  
Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

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Changes from Prior Valuation:

The June 30, 2024, Actuarial Valuation reflects no changes to the plan provisions or actuarial methods and one change to the actuarial assumptions from the June 30, 2023 Actuarial Valuation.

The details of the changes since the last valuation are as follows:

Benefit Provision Changes:

During the 2024 Legislative Session no significant SDRS benefit changes were made.

Actuarial Method Changes:

No changes in actuarial methods were made since the prior valuation.

Actuarial Assumption Changes:

The SDRS COLA equals the percentage increase in the most recent third calendar quarter CPI-W over the prior year, no less than 0% and no greater than 3.5%. However, if the FVFR assuming the long-term COLA is equal to the baseline COLA assumption (currently 2.25%) is less than 100%, the maximum COLA payable will be limited to the increase that if assumed on a long-term basis, results in a FVFR equal to or exceeding 100%.

As of June 30, 2023, the FVFR assuming the long-term COLA is equal to the baseline COLA assumption (2.25%) was less than 100% and the July 2024 SDRS COLA was limited to a restricted maximum of 1.91%. For the June 30, 2023, Actuarial Valuation, future COLAs were assumed to equal the restricted maximum COLA assumption of 1.91%.

As of June 30, 2024, the FVFR assuming future COLAs equal to the baseline COLA assumption of 2.25% is again less than 100% and the July 2025 SDRS COLA is limited to a restricted maximum of 1.71%. The July 2025 SDRS COLA will equal inflation, between 0% and 1.71%. For this June 30, 2024, Actuarial Valuation, future COLAs were assumed to equal the restricted maximum COLA of 1.71%.

Actuarial assumptions are reviewed for reasonability annually and reviewed in depth periodically, with the next experience analysis anticipated before the June 30, 2027, Actuarial Valuation and any recommended changes approved by the Board of Trustees are anticipated to be first implemented in the June 30, 2027 Actuarial Valuation.

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Depository Disclosure  
For the Year Ended December 31, 2024

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Municipal funds are deposited or invested with the following depositories:

First Dakota Bank - Checking	\$ 641,254
First Dakota Bank - Money Market	2,036,873
First Dakota Bank - Certificates of Deposit	<u>2,615,453</u>
Total Funds on Deposit as of December 31, 2024	<u><u>\$ 5,293,580</u></u>

**Municipality of Oacoma, SD**  
Municipal Officials  
December 31, 2024

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**Governing Board 2024**

Gary Dominiack, ----- President  
Richard Kirkpatrick ----- Vice President  
Angie Zeman ----- Member  
Justin Rabern ----- Member  
Robin Hutmacher ----- Member

Jaica Kenzy-Adamson ----- Municipal Finance Officer  
Valerie Moore ----- Consulting Finance Officer Emeritus

Nathan S. Schoen ----- Municipal Attorney  
Cutler Law Firm