CANDLER HILLS EAST
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA
FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED
SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Supervisors Candler Hills East Community Development District Marion County, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida ("District") as of and for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

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

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the District as of September 30, 2014, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the fiscal year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated January 22, 2015, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on 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 District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

We have also issued our report dated January 22, 2015, on our consideration of the District's compliance with the requirements of Section 218.415, Florida Statutes, as required by Rule 10.556(10) of the Auditor General of the State of Florida. The purpose of that report is to provide an opinion based on our examination conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Our discussion and analysis of Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida ("District") provides a narrative overview of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014. Please read it in conjunction with the District's Independent Auditor's Report, basic financial statements, accompanying notes and supplementary information to the basic financial statements.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The assets of the District exceeded its liabilities at the close of the most recent fiscal year resulting in a net position balance of \$1,142,151.
- The change in the District's total net position in comparison with the prior fiscal year was \$102,770, an increase. The key components of the District's net position and change in net position are reflected in the table in the government-wide financial analysis section.
- At September 30, 2014, the District's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$727,197, a decrease of (\$169,250) in comparison with the prior fiscal year. A portion of fund balance is restricted for debt service and capital projects, non-spendable for prepaid items, assigned for subsequent year's expenditures and renewal and replacement. The remainder is unassigned fund balance which is available for spending at the District's discretion.

OVERVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

Government-Wide Financial Statements

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

The statement of net position presents information on all the District's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources with the residual amount being reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District is improving or deteriorating.

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

The government-wide financial statements include all governmental activities that are principally supported by special assessment revenues. The District does not have any business-type activities. The governmental activities of the District include the general government (management) and maintenance functions.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. The District has one fund category: governmental funds.

OVERVIEW OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

Governmental Funds

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

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

The District maintains three governmental funds for external reporting. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the general, debt service, and capital projects funds, all of which are considered to be major funds.

The District adopts an annual appropriated budget for its general fund. A budgetary comparison schedule has been provided for the general fund to demonstrate compliance with the budget.

Notes to the Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of an entity's financial position. In the case of the District, assets exceeded liabilities at the close of the most recent fiscal year.

Key components of the District's net position are reflected in the following table:

NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30.

	<u></u>	2014	2013
Current and other assets	\$	727,197	\$ 903,492
Capital assets, net of depreciation		4,669,421	4,847,392
Total assets		5,396,618	5,750,884
Current liabilities		94,467	111,503
Long-term liabilities		4,160,000	4,600,000
Total liabilities		4,254,467	4,711,503
Net Position			_
Net investment in capital assets		521,754	247,392
Restricted		471,623	665,679
Unrestricted		148,774	126,310
Total net position	\$	1,142,151	\$ 1,039,381

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS (Continued)

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

The restricted portion of the District's net position represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net position may be used to meet the District's other obligations.

The District's net position increased during the most recent fiscal year. The majority of the increase represents the extent to which ongoing program revenues exceeded the cost of operations and depreciation expense.

Key elements of the change in net position are reflected in the following table:

CHANGES IN NET POSITION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,

	2014			2042		
	2014			2013		
Revenues:						
Program revenues						
Charges for services	\$	622,330	\$	763,531		
Operating grants and contributions		105		222		
General revenues		85		118		
Total revenues		622,520		763,871		
Expenses:						
General government		36,591		39,605		
Maintenance and operations		248,854		248,854		
Interest		234,305		260,441		
Total expenses		519,750		548,900		
Change in net position		102,770		214,971		
Net position - beginning, previously stated		1,039,381		973,437		
Effect of adoption of GASB No. 65 (Note 2)		-		(149,027)		
Net position - beginning as restated		1,039,381		824,410		
Net position - ending	\$	1,142,151	\$	1,039,381		

As noted above and in the statement of activities, the cost of all governmental activities during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014 was \$519,750. The majority of the costs of the District's activities were paid by program revenues. Program revenues, comprised primarily of assessments, decreased during the fiscal year as a result of a decrease in prepayment revenue. The District also received funds from investment earnings, some of which are included in program revenues. The decrease in current fiscal year expenses is primarily the result of a decrease in interest expense.

GENERAL BUDGETING HIGHLIGHTS

An operating budget was adopted and maintained by the governing board for the District pursuant to the requirements of Florida Statutes. The budget is adopted using the same basis of accounting that is used in preparation of the fund financial statements. The legal level of budgetary control, the level at which expenditures may not exceed budgeted amounts, is in the aggregate. Any budget amendments that increase the aggregate budgeted appropriations must be approved by the Board of Supervisors. Actual general fund expenditures did not exceed appropriations for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014.

The variance between budgeted and actual general fund revenues for the current fiscal year was not considered significant. The actual general fund expenditures for the current fiscal year were lower than budgeted amounts due primarily to anticipated costs which were not incurred in the current fiscal year.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At September 30, 2014, the District had \$5,915,218 invested in land and land improvement and other capital assets for its governmental activities. In the government-wide financial statements, depreciation of \$1,245,797 has been taken, which resulted in a net book value of \$4,669,421. More detailed information about the District's capital assets is presented in the notes of the financial statements.

Capital Debt

At September 30, 2014, the District had \$4,160,000 in Bonds outstanding. More detailed information about the District's capital debt is presented in the notes of the financial statements.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND OTHER EVENTS

The District does not anticipate any major projects or significant changes to its infrastructure maintenance program for the subsequent fiscal year. In addition, it is anticipated that the general operations of the District will remain fairly constant.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, land owners, customers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the financial resources it manages and the stewardship of the facilities it maintains. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the Candler Hills East Community Development District's Finance Department at 135 West Central Boulevard, Suite 320, Orlando, Florida, 32801.

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

	 ernmental ctivities
ASSETS	
Cash	\$ 59,393
Investments	78,458
Prepaids and other	10,923
Restricted assets:	
Investments	578,423
Capital assets:	
Nondepreciable	1,373,401
Depreciable, net	3,296,020
Total assets	5,396,618
LIABILITIES Accrued interest payable Non-current liabilities: Due within one year Due in more than one year Total liabilities	 94,467 95,000 4,065,000 4,254,467
NET POSITION Net investment in capital assets Restricted for debt service Unrestricted Total net position	\$ 521,754 471,623 148,774 1,142,151

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

				Program	Revenu	ues	F	et (Expense) Revenue and nanges in Net Position
				Charges	Ор	erating		
				for	Gra	ints and	G	overnmental
Functions/Programs	E	xpenses		Services	Cont	tributions A		Activities
Primary government: Governmental activities:								
General government	\$	36,591	\$	36,591	\$	-	\$	-
Maintenance and operations		248,854		105,593		2		(143,259)
Interest on long-term debt		234,305		480,146		103		245,944
Total governmental activities		519,750		622,330		105		102,685
		eral revenu		stment earnin	ae			85
	Oi				ys			85 85
	Total general revenues							102,770
	Change in net position Net position - beginning							•
							•	1,039,381
	ivet	position - eı	iuln	y			\$	1,142,151

See notes to the financial statements

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

	Major Funds							Total
				Debt		Capital	Go	vernmental
	G	General		Service	Projects		Funds	
ASSETS	_		_		_		_	
Cash	\$	59,393	\$	-	\$	-	\$	59,393
Investments		-		566,090		90,791		656,881
Prepaids and other	_	10,923	•	-	Φ.		Φ.	10,923
Total assets	\$	70,316	\$	566,090	\$	90,791	\$	727,197
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES								
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Total liabilities		-		-		-		-
Fund balances:								
Nonspendable:								
Prepaid items		10,923		-		-		10,923
Restricted for:								
Debt service		-		566,090		-		566,090
Capital projects		-		-		12,333		12,333
Assigned to:								
Subsequent year's expenditures		34,659		-		-		34,659
Renewal and replacement		-		-		78,458		78,458
Unassigned		24,734		-		-		24,734
Total fund balances		70,316		566,090		90,791		727,197
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	70,316	\$	566,090	\$	90,791	\$	727,197

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

Fund balance - governmental funds		\$	727,197
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:			
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as assets in the governmental funds. The statement of net position includes those capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, in the assets of the government as a whole. Cost of capital assets Accumulated depreciation	5,915,218 (1,245,797)		4,669,421
Liabilities not due and payable from current available resources are not reported as liabilities in the governmental fund statements. All liabilities, both current and long-term, are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Accrued interest payable Bonds payable	(94,467) (4,160,000)	(4	4,254,467)
Net position of governmental activities	<u> </u>	\$	1,142,151

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

	Major Funds							Total
			Debt			Capital	Go	vernmental
	General			Service	Projects		Funds	
REVENUES						-		
Assessments	\$	142,184	\$	480,146	\$	-	\$	622,330
Interest income		85		103		2		190
Total revenues		142,269		480,249		2		622,520
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
General government		36,591		-		-		36,591
Maintenance and operations		70,883		-		-		70,883
Debt Service:								
Principal		-		440,000		-		440,000
Interest		-		244,296		-		244,296
Total expenditures		107,474		684,296		-		791,770
Excess (deficiency) of revenues								
over (under) expenditures		34,795		(204,047)		2		(169,250)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfer in		-		-		78,458		78,458
Transfer out		(78,458)		-		-		(78,458)
Total other financing sources (uses)		(78,458)		-		78,458		_
Net change in fund balances		(43,663)		(204,047)		78,460		(169,250)
Fund balances - beginning		113,979		770,137		12,331		896,447
Fund balances - ending	\$	70,316	\$	566,090	\$	90,791	\$	727,197

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$ (169,250)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:	
Depreciation on capital assets is not recognized in the governmental fund financial statements, but is reported as an expense in the statement of activities.	(177,971)
Repayment of long-term liabilities are reported as expenditures in the governmental fund financial statements, but such repayments reduce liabilities in the statement of net position and are eliminated in the statement of activities.	440,000
The change in accrued interest on long-term liabilities between the current and prior fiscal year is recorded in the statement of activities but not in the governmental fund financial statements.	9,991_
Change in net position of governmental activities	\$ 102,770

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 - NATURE OF ORGANIZATION AND REPORTING ENTITY

Candler Hills East Community Development District ("the District") was created on November 19, 2002 pursuant to Ordinance No. 02-27 enacted by the County Commission of Marion County, Florida, under the "Uniform Community Development District Act of 1980", otherwise known as Chapter 190, Florida Statutes. The Act provides among other things, the power to manage basic services for community development, power to borrow money and issue Bonds, and to levy and assess non-ad valorem assessments for the financing and delivery of capital infrastructure.

The District was established for the purposes of financing and managing the acquisition, construction, maintenance and operation of a portion of the infrastructure necessary for community development within the District.

The District is governed by a five-member Board of Supervisors ("Board"). The Supervisors are elected by the owners of the property within the District. The Board of Supervisors of the District exercise all powers granted to the District pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes. At September 30, 2014, one of the Board members are affiliated with On Top of the World Communities, Inc. ("Developer").

The Board has the final responsibility for:

- 1. Assessing and levying assessments.
- 2. Approving budgets.
- 3. Exercising control over facilities and properties.
- 4. Controlling the use of funds generated by the District.
- 5. Approving the hiring and firing of key personnel.
- 6. Financing improvements.

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statements. Under the provisions of those standards, the financial reporting entity consists of the primary government, organizations for which the District Board of Supervisors is considered to be financially accountable, and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the District are such that, if excluded, the financial statements of the District would be considered incomplete or misleading. There are no entities considered to be component units of the District; therefore, the financial statements include only the operations of the District.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The basic financial statements include both government-wide and fund financial statements.

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the primary government. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment is offset by program revenues. *Direct expenses* are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. *Program revenues* include 1) charges to customers who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given function or segment. Operating-type special assessments for maintenance and debt service are treated as charges for services; and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Other items not included among program revenues are reported instead as *general revenues*.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

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

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

Assessments

Assessments are non-ad valorem assessments on benefited property within the District. Operating and maintenance assessments are based upon the adopted budget and levied annually at a public hearing of the District. Debt service assessments are levied when Bonds are issued and assessed and collected on an annual basis. The District may collect assessments directly or utilize the uniform method of collection under Florida Statutes. Direct collected assessments are due as determined by the annual assessment resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors. Assessments collected under the uniform method are mailed by the County Tax Collector on November 1 and are due on or before March 31 of each year. Property owners may prepay a portion or all of the debt service assessments on their property subject to various provisions in the Bond documents.

Assessments and interest associated with the current fiscal period are considered to be susceptible to accrual and so are recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. The portion of assessments receivable due within the current fiscal period is considered to be susceptible to accrual as revenue of the current period.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund

The general fund is the general operating fund of the District. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Debt Service Funds

The debt service fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for the annual payment of principal and interest on long-term debt.

Capital Projects Fund

This fund accounts for the financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major infrastructure within the District and for renewal and replacement of capital assets.

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

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

Assets, Liabilities and Net Position or Equity

Restricted Assets

These assets represent cash and investments set aside pursuant to Bond covenants or other contractual restrictions.

Assets, Liabilities and Net Position or Equity (Continued)

Deposits and Investments

The District's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand and demand deposits (interest and non-interest bearing).

The District has elected to proceed under the Alternative Investment Guidelines as set forth in Section 218.415 (17) Florida Statutes. The District may invest any surplus public funds in the following:

- a) The Local Government Surplus Trust Funds, or any intergovernmental investment pool authorized pursuant to the Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act;
- b) Securities and Exchange Commission registered money market funds with the highest credit quality rating from a nationally recognized rating agency;
- c) Interest bearing time deposits or savings accounts in qualified public depositories;
- d) Direct obligations of the U.S. Treasury.

Securities listed in paragraph c and d shall be invested to provide sufficient liquidity to pay obligations as they come due. In addition, surplus funds may be deposited into certificates of deposit which are insured and any unspent Bond proceeds are required to be held in investments as specified in the Bond Indenture.

The District records all interest revenue related to investment activities in the respective funds and reports investments at fair value.

Prepaid Items

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements.

Capital Assets

Capital assets which include property, plant and equipment, and infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, sidewalks and similar items) are reported in the government activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 (amount not rounded) and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

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

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

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Years</u>
Stormwater drainage system	30
Entry features, landscape, security and other	25

In the governmental fund financial statements, amounts incurred for the acquisition of capital assets are reported as fund expenditures. Depreciation expense is not reported in the governmental fund financial statements.

Unearned Revenue

Governmental funds report unearned revenue in connection with resources that have been received, but not yet earned.

Assets, Liabilities and Net Position or Equity (Continued)

Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the Bonds. Bonds payable are reported net of applicable premiums or discounts. Bond issuance costs are expensed when incurred.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize premiums and discounts, as well as issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net position that applies to future reporting period(s). For example, the District would record deferred outflows of resources on the statement of net position related to debit amounts resulting from current and advance refundings resulting in the defeasance of debt (i.e. when there are differences between the reacquisition price and the net carrying amount of the old debt).

Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net position that applies to future reporting period(s). For example, when an asset is recorded in the governmental fund financial statements, but the revenue is unavailable, the District reports a deferred inflow of resources on the balance sheet until such times as the revenue becomes available.

Fund Equity/Net Position

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report non spendable and restricted fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Assignments of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

The District can establish limitations on the use of fund balance as follows:

<u>Committed fund balance</u> – Amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action (resolution) of the Board of Supervisors. Commitments may be changed or lifted only by the Board of Supervisors taking the same formal action (resolution) that imposed the constraint originally. Resources accumulated pursuant to stabilization arrangements sometimes are reported in this category.

<u>Assigned fund balance</u> – Includes spendable fund balance amounts established by the Board of Supervisors that are intended to be used for specific purposes that are neither considered restricted nor committed. The Board may also assign fund balance as it does when appropriating fund balance to cover differences in estimated revenue and appropriations in the subsequent year's appropriated budget. Assignments are generally temporary and normally the same formal action need not be taken to remove the assignment.

The District first uses committed fund balance, followed by assigned fund balance and then unassigned fund balance when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

Net position is the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources less liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net position in the government-wide financial statements are categorized as net investment in capital assets, restricted or unrestricted. Net investment in capital assets represents net position related to infrastructure and property, plant and equipment. Restricted net position represents the assets restricted by the District's Bond covenants or other contractual restrictions. Unrestricted net position consists of the net position not meeting the definition of either of the other two components.

Other Disclosures

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 3 – BUDGETARY INFORMATION

The District is required to establish a budgetary system and an approved Annual Budget. Annual Budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for the general fund. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The District follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements.

- Each year the District Manager submits to the District Board a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following October 1.
- b) Public hearings are conducted to obtain comments.
- c) Prior to October 1, the budget is legally adopted by the District Board.
- d) All budget changes must be approved by the District Board.
- e) The budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.
- f) Unused appropriation for annually budgeted funds lapse at the end of the year.

NOTE 4 – DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Deposits

The District's cash balances were entirely covered by federal depository insurance or by a collateral pool pledged to the State Treasurer. Florida Statutes Chapter 280, "Florida Security for Public Deposits Act," requires all qualified depositories to deposit with the Treasurer or another banking institution eligible collateral equal to various percentages of the average daily balance for each month of all public deposits in excess of any applicable deposit insurance held. The percentage of eligible collateral (generally, U.S. Governmental and agency securities, state or local government debt, or corporate Bonds) to public deposits is dependent upon the depository's financial history and its compliance with Chapter 280. In the event of a failure of a qualified public depository, the remaining public depositories would be responsible for covering any resulting losses.

<u>Investments</u>

The District's investments were held as follows at September 30, 2014:

	Fa	ir Value	Credit Risk	Maturities
Money Market Mutual Fund - First American Prime Obligations Fund Class Z	\$	578,423	S&P AAAm	Weighted average of fund portfolio: 38 days
Money Market Mutual Fund - First American Treasury Obligations Fund Class Z		78,458	S&P AAAm	Weighted average of fund portfolio: 14 days
Total investments	\$	656,881	•	

NOTE 4 – DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Investments (Continued)

Credit risk – For investments, credit risk is generally the risk that an issuer of an investment will not fulfill its obligation to the holder of the investment. This is measured by the assignment of a rating by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization. Investment ratings by investment type are included in the preceding summary of investments.

Concentration risk – The District places no limit on the amount the District may invest in any one issuer.

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

However, the Bond Indenture limits the type of investments held using unspent proceeds.

NOTE 5 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND TRANSFERS

Interfund transfers for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014 were as follows:

Fund	Tra	ansfer in	Transfer out		
General fund	\$	-	\$	78,458	
Capital Projects		78,458			
Total	\$	78,458	\$	78,458	

Transfers are used to move revenues from the fund where collection occurs to the fund where funds have been reallocated for use. In the case of the District, transfers from the general fund to the capital projects fund were made primarily to move monies from the operating account into a custody account of the District to be used for renewal and replacement projects.

NOTE 6 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance			Additions		Reductions		Ending Balance
Governmental activities								
Capital assets, not being depreciated Land and land improvements	\$	1,373,401	\$	_	\$	_	\$	1,373,401
Total capital assets, not being depreciated		1,373,401	Ť	-	Ť	-	· ·	1,373,401
Capital assets, being depreciated								
Stormwater drainage system		555,184		-		-		555,184
Entry features, landscape, security and other		3,986,633		-		-		3,986,633
Total capital assets, being depreciated		4,541,817		-		-		4,541,817
Less accumulated depreciation for:								
Stormwater drainage system		(111,036)		(18,506)		-		(129,542)
Entry features, landscape, security and other		(956,790)		(159,465)		-		(1,116,255)
Total accumulated depreciation		(1,067,826)		(177,971)		-		(1,245,797)
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net		3,473,991		(177,971)		-		3,296,020
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$	4,847,392	\$	(177,971)	\$	-	\$	4,669,421

Depreciation expense was charged to the maintenance and operations function.

NOTE 7 – LONG TERM LIABILITIES

On April 21, 2006, Bay Laurel Community Development District ("Bay Laurel") issued conduit debt of \$5,675,000 of Special Assessment Bonds, Series 2006 ("Bonds"). In connection with the issuance of the Bonds, an agreement was established whereby Bay Laurel loaned the Bonds funds of \$5,675,000 to the District. The Bonds were issued to finance the acquisition and construction of certain improvements for the benefit of the District. The Bonds are special limited obligations of Bay Laurel, payable solely from and secured by pledged revenues to be collected by Candler Hills East Community Development District. The Bonds are due May 1, 2037 with a fixed interest rate of 5.45%. Interest is to be paid semiannually on each May 1 and November 1, commencing November 1, 2006 and the principal is to be paid annually on each May 1, commencing May 1, 2008.

The Series 2006 Bonds are subject to redemption at the option of the District prior to their maturity. The Bonds are subject to extraordinary mandatory redemption prior to their selected maturity in the manner determined by the Bond Registrar if certain events occurred as outlined in the Bond Indenture. This occurred during the current fiscal year as the District collected assessments from lot closings and prepaid \$345,000 of the Series 2006 Bonds. See Note 11 - Subsequent Events for additional call amounts subsequent to fiscal year end.

The Bond Indenture established a debt service reserve requirement as well as other restrictions and requirements relating principally to the use of proceeds to pay for the infrastructure improvements and the procedures to be followed by the District on assessments to property owners. The District agrees to levy special assessments in annual amounts adequate to provide payment of debt service and to meet the reserve requirements. The District was in compliance with the requirements at September 30, 2014.

Changes in long-term liability activity for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014 were as follows:

	I	Beginning Balance	A	Additions Reductions		Ending Balance		Due Within One Year		
Governmental activities										
Bonds payable:										
Series 2006	\$	4,600,000	\$	-	\$	440,000	\$	4,160,000	\$	95,000
Total	\$	4,600,000	\$	-	\$	440,000	\$	4,160,000	\$	95,000

At September 30, 2014, the scheduled debt service requirements on the long-term debt were as follows:

	Governmental Activities								
Year ending									
September 30:		Principal		Interest		Total			
2015	\$	95,000	\$	226,720	\$	321,720			
2016		100,000		221,543		321,543			
2017		105,000		216,093		321,093			
2018		110,000		210,370		320,370			
2019		115,000		204,375		319,375			
2020-2024		680,000		920,505		1,600,505			
2025-2029		900,000		712,588		1,612,588			
2030-2034		1,180,000		438,180		1,618,180			
2035-2037		875,000		97,283		972,283			
Total	\$	4,160,000	\$	3,247,657	\$	7,407,657			

NOTE 8 – DEVELOPER TRANSACTIONS

The Developer owns a portion of land within the District; therefore, assessment revenues in the general and debt service funds include the assessments levied on those lots owned by the Developer.

NOTE 9 – MANAGEMENT COMPANY

The District has contracted with a management company to perform management advisory services, which include financial and accounting services. Certain employees of the management company also serve as officers of the District. Under the agreement, the District compensates the management company for management, accounting, financial reporting, computer and other administrative costs.

NOTE 10 – RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters. The District has obtained commercial insurance from independent third parties to mitigate the costs of these risks; coverage may not extend to all situations. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage over the past three years.

NOTE 11 – INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

On April 7, 2003, the District entered into an Inter-local Agreement with Bay Laurel whereby Bay Laurel has the sole and exclusive right to sell and deliver to the District's residents, and the District's residents shall purchase and receive from Bay Laurel, utility services at the rates, fees, and charges set by Bay Laurel. Bay Laurel has the power and authority to establish reasonable rules and standards governing the delivery of utility services pursuant to the terms of the agreement.

On February 13, 2006, the District entered into an Inter-local Agreement with Bay Laurel whereby Bay Laurel agreed to issue Series 2006 Bonds – as discussed in Note 7. According to the terms of the agreements, Bay Laurel loaned a part of the proceeds of the Bond issuance to the District, in part, to finance the cost of the acquisition of the Developer's rights or interest in the Development Improvements, including the real property acquisitions and other related purposes, the terms of which are outlined in the Development Improvement Acquisition Agreement entered between the District and Bay Laurel on May 4, 2006.

NOTE 12 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent to September 30, 2014, the District prepaid a total of \$70,000 of the Series 2006 Bonds. The prepayments were considered extraordinary mandatory redemptions as outlined in the Bond Indenture.

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL – GENERAL FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2014

	Ar	idgeted mounts	Actual	Variance with Final Budget - Positive	
	Origi	nal & Final	Amounts	(Negative)	
REVENUES	_				
Assessments	\$	142,961	\$ 142,184	\$	(777)
Interest and other revenues		250	85		(165)
Total revenues		143,211	142,269		(942)
EXPENDITURES Current:					
General government		44,183	36,591		7,592
Maintenance and operations		99,028	70,883		28,145
Total expenditures		143,211	107,474		35,737
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		-	34,795		34,795
Transfers out		(78,458)	(78,458)		_
Carryforward surplus		78,458	-		(78,458)
Total other financing sources (uses)		-	(78,458)		(78,458)
Net change in fund balances	\$		(43,663)	\$	(43,663)
Fund balance - beginning			113,979		
Fund balance - ending			\$ 70,316		

CANDLER HILLS EAST COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

The District is required to establish a budgetary system and an approved Annual Budget for the general fund. The District's budgeting process is based on estimates of cash receipts and cash expenditures which are approved by the Board. The budget approximates a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (generally accepted accounting principles).

The legal level of budgetary control, the level at which expenditures may not exceed budget, is in the aggregate. Any budget amendments that increase the aggregate budgeted appropriations must be approved by the Board of Supervisors. Actual general fund expenditures did not exceed appropriations for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014.

The variance between budgeted and actual general fund revenues for the current fiscal year was not considered significant. The actual general fund expenditures for the current fiscal year were lower than budgeted amounts due primarily to anticipated costs which were not incurred in the current fiscal year.



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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 Supervisors Candler Hills East Community Development District Marion County, Florida

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 financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida (the "District") as of and for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, and have issued our opinion thereon dated January 22, 2015.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District'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 entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity'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.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 218.415, FLORIDA STATUTES, REQUIRED BY RULE 10.556(10) OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

To the Board of Supervisors
Candler Hills East Community Development District
Marion County, Florida

We have examined Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida's ("District") compliance with the requirements of Section 218.415, Florida Statutes, in accordance with Rule 10.556(10) of the Auditor General of the State of Florida during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014. Management is responsible for District's compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on District's compliance based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence about District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on District's compliance with specified requirements.

In our opinion, the District complied, in all material respects, with the aforementioned requirements for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Auditing Committee, members of the Florida Senate and the Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Auditor General, management, and the Board of Supervisors of Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



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MANAGEMENT LETTER PURSUANT TO THE RULES OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL FOR THE STATE OF FLORIDA

To the Board of Supervisors Candler Hills East Community Development District Marion County, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying basic financial statements of Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida ("District") as of and for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014, and have issued our report thereon dated January 22, 2015.

Auditor's Responsibility

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Florida Auditor General.

Other Reports and Schedule

We have issued our Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and Compliance and Other Matters based on an audit of the financial statements performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*; and Independent Accountant's Report on an examination conducted in accordance with *AICPA Professional Standards*, Section 601, regarding compliance requirements in accordance with Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Auditor General. Disclosures in those reports, which are dated January 22, 2015, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

Purpose of this Letter

The purpose of this letter is to comment on those matters required by Chapter 10.550 of the Rules of the Auditor General for the State of Florida. Accordingly, in connection with our audit of the financial statements of the District, as described in the first paragraph, we report the following:

- Current year findings and recommendations.
- II. Status of prior year findings and recommendations.
- III. Compliance with the Provisions of the Auditor General of the State of Florida.

Our management letter is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Auditing Committee, members of the Florida Senate and the Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Auditor General, Federal and other granting agencies, as applicable, management, and the Board of Supervisors of Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

We wish to thank Candler Hills East Community Development District, Marion County, Florida and the personnel associated with it, for the opportunity to be of service to them in this endeavor as well as future engagements and the courtesies extended to us.

REPORT TO MANAGEMENT

I. CURRENT YEAR FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

None

II. PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

None

III. COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

Unless otherwise required to be reported in the auditor's report on compliance and internal controls, the management letter shall include, but not be limited to the following:

1. A statement as to whether or not corrective actions have been taken to address findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report.

There were no significant findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2013.

2. Any recommendations to improve the local governmental entity's financial management.

There were no such matters discovered by, or that came to the attention of, the auditor, to be reported for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014.

3. Noncompliance with provisions of contracts or grant agreements, or abuse, that have occurred, or are likely to have occurred, that have an effect on the financial statements that is less than material but which warrants the attention of those charged with governance.

There were no such matters discovered by, or that came to the attention of, the auditor, to be reported, for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014.

- 4. The name or official title and legal authority of the District are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.
- 5. The financial report filed with the Florida Department of Financial Services pursuant to Section 218.32(1)(a), Florida Statutes agrees with the September 30, 2014 financial audit report.
- 6. The District has not met one or more of the financial emergency conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes.
- 7. We applied financial condition assessment procedures and no deteriorating financial conditions were noted as of September 30, 2014. It is management's responsibility to monitor financial condition, and our financial condition assessment was based in part on representations made by management and the review of financial information provided by same.