

Northville Downtown Development Authority
(a component unit of the City of Northville)

Financial Report
with Supplemental Information
June 30, 2014

Northville Downtown Development Authority

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Directors
Northville Downtown Development Authority

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the General Fund and the governmental activities of Northville Downtown Development Authority (the "DDA"), a component unit of the City of Northville, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Northville Downtown Development Authority's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

To the Board of Directors
Northville Downtown Development Authority

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the General Fund and the governmental activities of Northville Downtown Development Authority as of June 30, 2014 and the changes in its financial position for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplemental Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and the major fund budgetary comparison schedule, as identified in the table of contents, 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, which 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 supplemental 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.

Plante & Moran, PLLC

November 5, 2014

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Management's Discussion and Analysis

The following discussion and analysis of the financial performance of Northville Downtown Development Authority (the "DDA") provides an overview of the DDA's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014. Please read it in conjunction with the DDA's financial statements.

Financial Highlights

The DDA captures tax increment revenues. The captured value decreased this year, resulting in \$24,283 less in captured taxes from the prior year due to two variables. The first is the decline in the value of commercial property. Secondly, Public Act 197 of 1975 was amended to specifically exclude the capture of the Detroit Institute of Arts and Detroit Zoological Society taxes. This change resulted in a direct decrease in revenue of approximately \$8,100.

The DDA levied 1.8255 mills for operations which generated \$60,508. The DDA was charged \$83,000 by Wayne County for subsequent year valuation adjustments for DDA parcels. Going forward, these charges will be billed as they are incurred.

The DDA continues sponsoring popular downtown events such as the Friday Night Concerts, Tunes on Tuesday Concerts, the Buy Michigan Now Festival, Concours d'Elegance Preview event, Skeletons are Alive, and various other events in cooperation with Northville Parks and Recreation, Northville Arts Commission, and the Chamber of Commerce.

In addition to special events, the DDA opened the Comerica Community Connect, a walkway connecting Main Street to the most utilized downtown parking lot. The project included the construction of the two-story connection and the construction of a plaza on the north end. Signage, banners, and an interior historic exhibit will be added next fiscal year.

A comprehensive wayfinding project was started this year which will direct residents and visitors to Northville to parking, municipal services, public venues, and other destinations. The signs will be installed on the outskirts of the City and direct vehicles into downtown. Once in downtown, pedestrian scaled signs will direct both vehicles and pedestrians to their desired destinations. The project is expected to be completed in the spring of 2015.

The DDA continues to operate, maintain, and provide service to all of the physical facilities in downtown Northville. Seasonal maintenance workers are utilized to weed, water, and maintain the landscape material downtown. Contract services are utilized for irrigation, electrical work, and concrete and brick maintenance. In cooperation with the City's Department of Public Works, the DDA ensures that downtown Northville operates at a high level both functionally and aesthetically.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

Using this Annual Report

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The statement of net position and the statement of activities provide information about the activities of the DDA as a whole and present a longer-term view of the DDA's finances. This longer-term view uses the accrual basis of accounting so that it can measure the cost of providing services during the current year and whether the taxpayers have funded the full cost of providing government services.

The fund financial statements present a short-term view; they tell us how the taxpayers' resources were spent during the year, as well as how much is available for future spending. Fund financial statements also report the DDA's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements.

The Commission as a Whole

The following table shows, in a condensed format, the current year's net position compared to the two prior years:

	2012	2013	2014	Changes from Prior Year	
				In Dollars	Percent
Assets - Current assets	\$ 1,366,146	\$ 1,080,832	\$ 745,108	\$ (335,724)	(31)
Liabilities					
Current liabilities	350,989	127,212	151,568	24,356	19
Long-term liabilities	150,000	120,000	-	(120,000)	(100)
Total liabilities	500,989	247,212	151,568	(95,644)	14
Net Position - Unrestricted	\$ 865,157	\$ 833,620	\$ 593,540	\$ (240,080)	(29)

The above decrease in unrestricted net assets was expected and is consistent with the DDA's long-term financial plan. This was related to various expenditures including the Wayne County payment for prior year tax capture adjustments, early payoff of a loan due to the City of Northville (four years early), and improvements in the downtown area.

The increase in current liabilities is related to timing of invoices payable at year end and the adjustment in the reserve for tax appeals. The decrease in long-term liabilities is due to the early payoff of long-term debt.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The following table shows the changes in net assets during the current year in comparison with the two prior years:

Summary Condensed Statement of Activities

	2012	2013	2014	Changes from Prior Year	
				In Dollars	Percent
Revenue					
Property taxes	\$ 702,413	\$ 849,087	\$ 604,480	\$ (244,607)	(29)
Operating levy	68,207	61,349	60,508	(841)	(1)
Contributions	600,507	491,526	8,850	(482,676)	(98)
Other income	138,147	1,432	1,411	(21)	(1)
Total revenue	1,509,274	1,403,394	675,249	(728,145)	(52)
Expenditures					
Business mix committee	72,496	62,371	44,119	(18,252)	(29)
Design committee	1,012,816	852,880	278,608	(574,272)	(67)
Marketing committee	154,459	139,550	157,726	18,176	13
Parking committee	89,676	125,114	190,309	65,195	52
Organizational committee	53,734	57,780	56,006	(1,774)	(3)
Public works	15,699	17,769	12,254	(5,515)	(31)
Debt service	10,250	8,450	5,225	(3,225)	(38)
Debt service - Pass-through commitment	172,363	171,017	171,082	65	0
Total expenditures	1,581,493	1,434,931	915,329	(519,602)	(36)
Excess of Expenditures Over Revenue	\$ (72,219)	\$ (31,537)	\$ (240,080)	\$ (208,543)	661

Property taxes include captured taxes, County chargebacks, and an adjustment to the reserve for property tax appeals. The decrease in property taxes was related to the higher estimated reserve required for future property tax appeals, the payment to Wayne County for past capture reductions, the decrease in captured taxes due to lower values, and loss of Zoo and DIA capture.

The decline in contributions was directly due to the amount of bond proceeds from the City of Northville required in the prior year for two major downtown improvement projects.

The decrease in expenditures for the business mix committee was expected due to the elimination of the business assistance program.

The decrease in design committee was directly related to the completion of the two major downtown improvement projects in the prior fiscal year.

The increase in the marketing committee expenditures was expected as the advertising and marketing of the downtown and its events increased this year.

The increase in the parking committee expenditures was anticipated due to the increased allocation to the City's General Fund to pay for downtown street lighting and parking lot electrical costs and improvements to the Marquis Plaza.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The DDA's Fund

The DDA maintains one fund, the General Fund. The fund provides detailed information about the DDA as a whole. The use of this fund helps to manage money for specific purposes as well as to show accountability for certain activities.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

The General Fund accounts for all programming, maintenance, construction, and administrative functions of the DDA within the DDA boundaries. The budget is monitored closely and amended quarterly.

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

The DDA contributes financial support to the City of Northville for some of the construction and maintenance of assets within the DDA's boundaries. Most of those costs are recorded in the financial statements under the category of design committee expense. The DDA does not have any capital assets of its own.

The DDA no longer has an outstanding debt owed to the City of Northville. The City's General Fund loaned the DDA \$300,000 in fiscal year 2008 to assist with financing of the Town Square Project. It was payable over a 10-year period. However, the DDA approved an early payoff this year in order to eliminate future interest costs.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

The DDA will continue to focus attention and resources on business recruitment and retention efforts in the downtown. Expenditures continue to grow at a faster rate than revenue, which will continue to be a challenge for the DDA.

Legislation has been introduced in the Michigan legislature that could have an impact on the DDA's tax increment financing capture. The House Commerce Committee held hearings on the proposed legislation, HB 5856, in October 2014 and has indicated they will hold additional hearings in November with the intent of voting on the bill in December. Additional opt-out provision, resetting of the base year, gain sharing, and exclusion of dedicated millages have all been discussed by the bill's sponsor. Staff will continue to track the bill and work to minimize the negative impact on the Northville DDA.

Contacting the DDA's Management

This financial report is intended to provide the citizens, taxpayers, customers, and investors with a general overview of the DDA's finances and to show the DDA's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, we welcome you to contact Northville Downtown Development Authority's office at 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167, or via the DDA's website at www.downtownnorthville.org.

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Statement of Net Position/Governmental Fund Balance Sheet June 30, 2014

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Adjustments (Note 4)</u>	<u>Statement of Net Position</u>
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 5)	\$ 733,130	\$ -	\$ 733,130
Prepaid expenses and other assets	<u>11,978</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>11,978</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 745,108</u>	-	745,108
Liabilities			
Accounts payable	\$ 100,458	-	100,458
Due to primary government	6,850	-	6,850
Accrued liabilities and other	<u>27,240</u>	<u>17,020</u>	<u>44,260</u>
Total liabilities	134,548	17,020	151,568
Fund Balance/Net Position			
Fund balance:			
Nonspendable - Prepaids	11,630	(11,630)	-
Assigned:			
Subsequent year's budget	42,621	(42,621)	-
Assigned for compensated absences	17,020	(17,020)	-
Assigned for capital projects	158,167	(158,167)	-
Unassigned	<u>381,122</u>	<u>(381,122)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total fund balance	<u>610,560</u>	<u>(610,560)</u>	<u>-</u>
Total liabilities and fund balance	<u>\$ 745,108</u>		
Net position - Unrestricted		<u>\$ 593,540</u>	<u>\$ 593,540</u>

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Statement of Activities/Governmental Fund Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance Year Ended June 30, 2014

	General Fund	Adjustments (Note 4)	Statement of Net Position
Revenue			
Captured taxes	\$ 702,403	\$ -	\$ 702,403
Operating levy	60,508	-	60,508
Other income	10,261	-	10,261
Property taxes - Other (Note 6)	(97,923)	-	(97,923)
Total revenue	675,249	-	675,249
Expenditures			
Business mix committee	44,061	58	44,119
Design committee	278,534	74	278,608
Marketing committee	157,667	59	157,726
Parking committee	190,284	25	190,309
Organizational committee	55,977	29	56,006
Public works	12,254	-	12,254
Debt service	162,100	(156,875)	5,225
Debt service - Pass-through commitment	171,082	-	171,082
Total expenditures	1,071,959	(156,630)	915,329
Net Change in Fund Balance/Net Position	(396,710)	156,630	(240,080)
Fund Balance/Net Position - Beginning of year	1,007,270	(173,650)	833,620
Fund Balance/Net Position - End of year	\$ 610,560	\$ (17,020)	\$ 593,540

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Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2014

Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of Northville Downtown Development Authority (the "DDA") conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by Northville Downtown Development Authority.

Reporting Entity

Northville Downtown Development Authority was formed under Act 197 of the Public Acts of 1975 to develop downtown Northville. A revised development plan was adopted in 1993 that provided the financing framework for the construction of downtown parking facilities. The final payment was made during the year ended June 30, 2009.

During the year, the City of Northville issued \$1,705,000 in limited tax general obligation bonds with an average interest rate of 3.1 percent. The proceeds of these bonds were used to advance refund \$1,670,000 of outstanding 2010 Direct Payment Build America bonds with an average interest rate of 3.4 percent. Captured tax revenue of the DDA for the current year used to fund the debt service on the bonds was \$702,403 compared to related current year debt service requirements of \$171,082.

The accompanying financial statements pertain to the financial activities of the DDA. These activities have also been presented within the financial statements of the City of Northville, Michigan as a component unit.

Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements report information on all of the activities of the DDA. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities are normally supported by taxes.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function.

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Note I - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

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. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the DDA considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

Revenue is recognized in the accounting period in which it becomes both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be available only when cash is received by the DDA.

When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position or fund balance are available, the DDA's policy is to first apply restricted resources. When an expense is incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used, it is the DDA's policy to spend funds in this order: committed, assigned, and unassigned.

The General Fund is the DDA's only operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government.

Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity

Bank Deposits and Investments - Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value. Pooled investment income is allocated using a weighted average of balance for the principal.

Capital Assets - Capital assets are defined by the DDA as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. The DDA has no assets that meet this criterion.

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Notes to Financial Statements June 30, 2014

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Compensated Absences (Vacation and Sick Leave) - It is the DDA's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused sick and vacation pay benefits and accumulate compensatory leave time. After 10 years of service, employees may receive payment of the accumulated sick leave balance at the rate of 50 percent upon retirement or 25 percent for other types of termination. A liability is accrued when incurred in the government-wide financial statements.

Fund Equity - In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report the following components of fund balance:

- **Nonspendable:** Amounts that are not in spendable form or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact
- **Restricted:** Amounts that are legally restricted by outside parties, constitutional provisions, or enabling legislation for use for a specific purpose
- **Committed:** Amounts that have been formally set aside by the DDA's board of directors for use for specific purposes. Commitments are made and can be rescinded only via resolution of the DDA's board of directors.
- **Assigned:** Intent to spend resources on specific purposes expressed by the DDA's board of directors
- **Unassigned:** Amounts that do not fall into any other category above.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the 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 revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

New Accounting Standard - During the current year, the City adopted GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. The objective of this Statement is to establish standards that reclassify certain items that were previously classified as assets and liabilities and instead to classify them as deferred inflows of resources, deferred outflows of resources, or outflows of resources. This new standard had no effect on the financial statements as there are no deferred inflows of resources or deferred outflows of resources for the DDA.

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Note 2 - Upcoming Accounting Pronouncements

In June 2012, the GASB issued GASB Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*. Statement No. 68 requires governments providing defined benefit pensions to recognize their unfunded pension benefit obligation as a liability for the first time, and to more comprehensively and comparably measure the annual costs of pension benefits. This net pension liability that will be recorded on the government-wide, proprietary, and discretely presented component units statements will be computed differently than the current unfunded actuarial accrued liability, using specific parameters set forth by the GASB. The Statement also enhances accountability and transparency through revised note disclosures and required supplementary information (RSI). Currently, there are no DDA employees participating in the pension plan; therefore, this pronouncement will not have an effect on the financial statements.

Note 3 - Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability

Budgetary Information - Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for the General Fund. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end. The annual budget is prepared by the director and then reviewed by the DDA. After the budget is approved by the DDA, it is then presented to the City of Northville for approval prior to the start of the fiscal year. The budget is reviewed by the DDA and the City on a quarterly basis and amended as necessary.

The budget document presents information by fund, function, department, and line items. The legal level of budgetary control adopted by the governing bodies is the department level. Unexpended appropriations lapse at year end; encumbrances are not included as expenditures. During the current year, the budget was amended in a legally permissible manner. The budget has been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The comparison of actual results of operations to the General Fund budget is presented for analytical purposes only.

Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations in Budgeted Funds - The budget variance in the public works expenditures is due to higher than anticipated wages and fringes of Department of Public Works employees maintaining the downtown area.

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Note 4 - Reconciliation of Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

Total fund balances and the net change in fund balances of the DDA's governmental funds differ from net position and changes in net position of the governmental activities reported in the statement of net position and statement of activities. This difference results primarily from the long-term economic focus of the statement of net position and statement of activities versus the financial resources measurement focus of the governmental fund balance sheet.

The reconciliation of fund balance to net position relates to compensated absences and long-term debt that are included as a liability for the statement of net position. The reconciliation of the net change in fund balance to net change in net position relates to the decrease in the accrual for long-term compensated absences as well as long-term debt payments which are reported as expenses in the governmental fund, but are not reported as expenses in the statement of activities.

Note 5 - Deposits and Investments

Michigan Compiled Laws Section 129.91 (Public Act 20 of 1943, as amended) authorizes local governmental units to make deposits and invest in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations that have offices in Michigan. The law also allows investments outside the state of Michigan when fully insured. The local unit is allowed to invest in bonds, securities, and other direct obligations of the United States or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; repurchase agreements; bankers' acceptances of United States banks; commercial paper rated within the two highest classifications, which matures not more than 270 days after the date of purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions, which are rated as investment grade; mutual funds composed of investment vehicles that are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan; and investment pools organized under the Surplus Funds Investment Pool Acts of the State of Michigan. The investment policy adopted is in accordance with Public Act 196 of 1997 and has authorized investment in all vehicles covered by the state statute listed above.

Cash and investments are subject to several types of risk. At year end, the carrying amount of the DDA's cash and investments is included with the City's cash and investments pool. For the purpose of risk disclosure, it is not practical to allocate risk to each entity in the investment fund. The disclosures below are related to the overall risk for the cash and investments totals that are presented in the City's financial statements. The DDA's cash and investments, however, represent approximately 4.8 percent of the total portfolio managed by the City.

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Note 5 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Custodial Credit Risk of Bank Deposits - Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the entity's deposits may not be returned to it. The policy for custodial credit risk limits bank options to those approved by the DDA. All banks must supply audited financial statements, proof of state registration, and certification of compliance with the investment policy. Overall, the City had \$1,481,914 in bank deposits (checking and savings accounts in addition to certificates of deposit) that were uninsured and uncollateralized. Each financial institution where funds are deposited is evaluated to assess the level of risk of each institution; only those institutions with an acceptable estimated risk level are used as depositories.

Interest Rate Risk - Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of investments will decrease as a result of a rise in interest rates. The DDA's investment policy does not restrict investment maturities, other than commercial paper which can only be purchased with a 270-day maturity. At year end, the average maturities of investments are as follows:

Investment	Percentage of Total Portfolio	Weighted Average Maturity (Days)
Federal National Mortgage Association	7 %	220
Federal Home Loan Bank	6	282
Federal Farm Credit Bank	13	113
US Treasury	30	365
Municipal Bonds	44	254

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Note 5 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Credit Risk - State law limits investments in commercial paper to the top two ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The DDA has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. As of year end, the credit quality ratings of debt securities (other than the U.S. government) are as follows:

Investment	Percentage of Total Portfolio	Standard & Poor's Rating
Bank investment pools	3 %	N/A
Federal National Mortgage Association	6	AA+
Federal Home Loan Bank	6	AA+
Federal Farm Credit Bank	13	AA+
U.S. Treasury - Notes	22	AA+
U.S. Treasury - T-Bills	7	AA+
Municipal bonds	3	A+
Municipal bonds	9	AA
Municipal bonds	9	AA-
Municipal bonds	2	AA+
Municipal bonds	4	AAA
Municipal bonds	6	NR
Municipal bonds	10	SP-I

Concentration of Credit Risk - It is the policy of the DDA to diversify the investment portfolio with a goal of 5 percent maximum exposure to any one credit risk at the time of purchase. This requirement does not apply to investments issued by the U.S. government or its agencies, investments in mutual funds, and external investment pools and other pooled investments. The concentration of credit risk is shown below:

Investment	Percent
Federal National Mortgage Assoc.	6 %
Federal Farm Credit Bank	11

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Note 6 - Captured Taxes

Captured taxes represent the property taxes on the increment in taxable value of the downtown development district property since the adoption of the development plan. These taxes are earmarked for debt retirement purposes and other purposes consistent with the development plan.

Based on the 2013 taxable value subject to capture, the taxes captured by the Northville Downtown Development Authority are as shown below.

	<u>2013 Tax Captured</u>
City of Northville	\$ 405,765
Wayne County	175,430
Wayne Parks	6,497
Schoolcraft Community College	47,483
Huron Clinton Metropolitan Authority	5,670
Northville District Library	36,767
Wayne Public Safety	<u>24,791</u>
Total	<u>\$ 702,403</u>

Current year property taxes - other revenue is negative, primarily due to a chargeback from Wayne County for capture reductions in from 2008 through 2012 due to tax appeals.

Note 7 - Long-term Debt

The remaining outstanding debt of the DDA was entirely extinguished early during the fiscal year and consisted of borrowings from the City of Northville's General Fund:

<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Principal Matures</u>	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>	<u>Due Within One Year</u>
5.50%	2018	<u>\$ 150,000</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 150,000</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

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Note 8 - Commitment

The DDA has pledged future tax increment revenue for the payment of the 2013 refunding bonds issued by the City of Northville for the completed streetscape improvement project. Future debt service payments on those refunded bonds are as follows:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2015	\$ 120,000	\$ 49,135	\$ 169,135
2016	130,000	45,415	175,415
2017	130,000	41,385	171,385
2018	135,000	37,355	172,355
2019	140,000	33,170	173,170
2020-2024	765,000	97,805	862,805
2025	165,000	5,115	170,115
Total	<u>\$ 1,585,000</u>	<u>\$ 309,380</u>	<u>\$ 1,894,380</u>

Note 9 - Defined Contribution Pension Plan

The City of Northville sponsors the pension plan on behalf of the Downtown Development Authority. The employer of record for the DDA is the City of Northville. The DDA has only one employee who participates in the defined contribution pension plan; however, this individual is not eligible to participate in the City's postretirement healthcare plan. Accordingly, the employee of the DDA participates in the City's employee benefit programs and policies and is pooled with City employees for benefits administration subject to specific benefits outlined in an employment contract with the DDA director. The City charges the DDA for its pro-rata share of employee fringe benefit costs in the same manner as City departments are charged for fringe benefits. Employees are eligible to participate in the defined contribution pension plan from the date of employment. As established by City Council action, the DDA contributes 5 percent of employees' gross earnings for eligible part-time employees and 10 percent for full-time employees. The DDA's contribution plus investment earnings are fully vested by the affected employee after seven years of service. There are no retirees of the DDA. A description of the pension plan and related overall funding levels may be obtained from the City of Northville's financial statements. Those statements may be obtained by contacting the City of Northville, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167.

The DDA's total payroll during the current year was \$96,282. The current year contribution was calculated based on covered payroll of \$73,610, resulting in an employer contribution of \$7,361. Total payroll is greater than covered payroll because part-time staff and the Department of Public Works wages are specifically not included in the DDA's covered payroll.

Required Supplemental Information

Northville Downtown Development Authority

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund Year Ended June 30, 2014

	Original Budget	Amended Budget	Actual	Variance with Amended Budget
Revenue				
Captured taxes	\$ 727,847	\$ 702,403	\$ 702,403	\$ -
Operating levy	61,974	60,508	60,508	-
Other income	3,748	9,007	10,261	1,254
Property taxes - Other	(9,700)	(85,069)	(97,923)	(12,854)
Total revenue	783,869	686,849	675,249	(11,600)
Expenditures/Expenses				
Business mix committee	39,190	44,239	44,061	178
Design committee	319,662	312,484	278,534	33,950
Marketing committee	145,509	162,690	157,667	5,023
Parking committee	144,412	194,450	190,284	4,166
Organizational committee	58,145	62,348	55,977	6,371
Public works	20,580	11,175	12,254	(1,079)
Debt service	38,250	188,950	162,100	26,850
Debt service - Pass-through commitment	174,185	171,082	171,082	-
Total expenditures	939,933	1,147,418	1,071,959	75,459
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Face amount of debt	-	1,709,822	-	(1,709,822)
Payment to bond refunding escrow agent	-	(1,682,972)	-	1,682,972
Total other financing sources	-	26,850	-	(26,850)
Net Change in Fund Balance/Net Position	(156,064)	(433,719)	(396,710)	37,009
Fund Balance/Net Position - Beginning of year	1,007,270	1,007,270	1,007,270	-
Fund Balance/Net Position - End of year	<u>\$ 851,206</u>	<u>\$ 573,551</u>	<u>\$ 610,560</u>	<u>\$ 37,009</u>