

MAVERICK COUNTY, TEXAS SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

For the Year Ended September 30, 2011

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Honorable County Judge and Members of Commissioners' Court Maverick County, Texas

We have audited the accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards of Maverick County, Texas (the "County") for the year ended September 30, 2011. This financial statement is the responsibility of the County's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement.

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; OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatements. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the expenditures of federal awards of the County for the year ended September 30, 2011, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our report dated May 23, 2013, we disclaimed an opinion on the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major governmental fund, the aggregate remaining governmental funds information, the major proprietary fund for the Water Utility Operations, aggregate remaining proprietary funds information and the agency funds of Maverick County, Texas (the "County") as of and for the year ended September 30, 2011, and we also disclaimed an opinion on the Supplemental information on pages 93 through 116, and page 117 the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards for the year ended September 30, 2011.

Our disclaimer of opinion was based on a scope limitation because the County does not currently have adequate accounting records in regards to its capital assets. Also, the County does not have adequate accounting records for all internal due to/due from amounts as of September 30, 2010. In addition, the County does not have adequate accounting records for its accounts payable balances as of September 30, 2010 and September 30, 2011, and its revenues, expenses and expenditures for the year ended September 30, 2011. Furthermore, we were unable to perform certain audit procedures necessary for certain related party contingencies and other matters. The County's records do not permit the application of other auditing procedures to its capital assets, all of its internal due to/due from amounts, its accounts payable balances, revenues, expenses and expenditures, certain related party contingencies and other matters.

Also, our disclaimer of opinion was based on a departure from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America because the County's financial statements do not report and disclose sufficient information in regards to capital assets and related depreciation expense.

Our present opinion on the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards for the year ended September 30, 2011, as presented herein, is different from our disclaimer of opinion expressed in and in our previous report dated May 23, 2013, on the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards for the year ended September 30, 2011.

As discussed in Note 4 to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, current and former County governing board members and employees of the County have been indicted and arrested on various criminal charges, including charges involving County business. One individual had all charges dropped. Six of these individuals have pled guilty; however, the resolution of the remaining indictments is currently not determinable.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated May 23, 2013 on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting, and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide opinions on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Marinez, Rosario & Company, LLP

Certified Public Accountants

San Antonio, Texas

July 29, 2013

MAVERICK COUNTY, TEXAS SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2011

Federal/Pass Through Grantor/Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Grant Period	Award Amount	Total Expenditures by Program
FEDERAL ASSISTANCE:					
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN					
Passed-Through Texas Department of Agriculture:					
Community Development Blocks Grant/State's		-1100			
- CDBG Self Help Project #710003	14.228	711003	05-05-2011 to 05-05-2015	1,000,000	\$ 2,647
Passed-Through Office of Rural Community Affairs:					2,647
Community Development Blocks Grant/State's					
- CDBG Seco Mines Drainage Project R729400	14.228	R729400	09-15-2009 to 09-14-2011	600,516	574,926
- CDBG Seco Mines Drainage Project R729400B	14.228	R729400B	09-15-2009 to 09-14-2011	107,354	61,538
					636,464
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE					
Passed-Through Criminal Justice Division of The State of Texas:					
Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant - BorderStar JAG	16.738	1983104	10-01-2010 to 09-30-2011	166,341	163,279
Border Law Enforcement Training Program	16.753	2008-DD-BX-0523	09-01-2008 to 08-31-2011	626,044	273,517
FY09 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program	16.738	2009-DJ-BX-1268	10-01-2008 to 09-30-2012	16,383	16,383
FY09 Recovery Act Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant	16.804	2009-SB-B9-3257	03-01-2009 to 02-28-2013	67,352	27,226
Operation Border Star - Recovery -SU-Recovery Act (ARRA)	4 6 000	arr an		• • • • • • • •	404.400
Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program	16.803	SU-09-A10-23223-01	04-01-2010 to 05-31-2010	300,000	184,268
					664,673
Passed-Through Texas Border Sheriff's Coalition:					
Congressionally Recommended Awards	16.753	2009-D1-BX-0141	07-01-2009 to 09-30-2011	249,067	215,977
Congressionally Recommended Awards	16.753	2010-DD-BX-0484	08-01-2010 to 07-31-2011	247,650	133,813
					349,790
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY					
Passed-Through Texas Comptroller Public Accounts:		~~~			400 :
ARRA Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG)	81.128	CS0595	06-13-2010 to 06-30-2012	115,153	108,139
					108,139

MAVERICK COUNTY, TEXAS SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS - Continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2011

Federal/Pass Through Grantor/Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Grant Period	Award Amount	Total Expenditures by Program
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Passed-Through Middle Rio Grande Development Council Area Agency: Special programs for the Aging_Title III, Part B_Grants for Supportive Services and Senior Citizens - Elderly Nutrition Title III (CI, CII, 3B trabs, Partucuoabt Assessment)	93.044	N/A	10-01-06 to 09-30-07	191,133	191,133 191,133
Passed-Through Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services: Social Services Block Grant Title XX/XIX	93.667	N/A	10-01-09 to 09-30-10	244,890	244,890 244,890
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY Passed-Through Federal Emergency Management Agency: Operation Stone Garden 2008 Operation Stone Garden 2009 Operation Stone Garden 2010	97.067 97.067 97.067	2008-SG-T8-0009 2010-SS-T0-0008	09-01-2008 to 05-01-2011 10-01-2009 to 09-12-2012 08-01-2010 to 10-31-2012	1,400,000 2,035,834 683,798	22,577 684,381 109,548 816,506
TOTAL FEDERAL ASSISTANCE					\$ 3,014,242

MAVERICK COUNTY, TEXAS NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS For the Year Ended September 30, 2011

NOTE 1: BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the Schedule) includes the federal grant activity of the County under programs of the federal governments for the year ended September 30, 2011. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the County, it is not intended to, and does not present, the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of the County.

NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

<u>Basis of Accounting</u> - Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in OMB Circular A-102, *Grants and Cooperative Agreements with State and Local Governments*, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

Pass-through entity identifying numbers are presented where available.

Relationship to Federal Financial Reports - Amounts reported in the accompanying schedule may not agree with the amounts reported in the related federal financial reports filed with grantor agencies because of different program year-ends, different methods of accounting (cash versus accrual basis), and estimates made by management.

NOTE 3: PERIOD OF AVAILABILITY

The period of availability for Federal grant funds for the purpose of liquidation of outstanding obligations made on or before the ending date of the Federal project period extends 90 days beyond the Federal project period ending date, in accordance with provisions in Section H, Period of Availability of Federal Funds, Part 3, OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Statement.

MAVERICK COUNTY, TEXAS NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS- Continued For the Year Ended September 30, 2011

NOTE 4: CONTINGENCIES

Federal Grants

The County receives significant financial assistance from federal and state agencies in the form of grants and contracts. The disbursements of funds received under these programs generally require compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant and/or contract agreements and is subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the General Fund. However, in the opinion of the County's Management, liabilities resulting from disallowed claims, if any, will not have a material adverse effect on the County's financial position at September 30, 2011.

Other Matters

The following are indictments against former and current County employees and vendors doing business with the County. These matters are part of an ongoing law enforcement investigation and the outcome or impact to the County is not currently determinable.

- The former County Purchasing Agent and the current Precinct 1 Foreman were arrested October 11, 2012. The Foreman is related to the County Commissioner for Precinct 4. They are charged with two counts of wire fraud and one count of theft concerning programs receiving federal funds. These charges involve their work with the County. The Foreman pled guilty on January 24, 2013. Charges were dropped against the former County Purchasing Agent on April 11, 2013.
- A vendor was arrested October 11, 2012. The vendor is charged with two counts of wire fraud and one count of theft concerning programs receiving federal funds.
- The County Commissioner for Precinct 2 was arrested October 18, 2012, on cash smuggling and money laundering charges. None of the charges involve his work with the County. On June 4, 2013, the County Commissioner pled guilty in connection with alleged bribery, kickback and a bid-rigging scheme involving his work with the County. He is scheduled to be sentenced on November 25, 2013.

MAVERICK COUNTY, TEXAS NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS- Continued For the Year Ended September 30, 2011

NOTE 4: CONTINGENCIES – Continued

Other Matters - Continued

- The former Assistant County Auditor was arrested on November 2, 2012, in connection with an alleged bribery scheme involving her work with the County. She pled guilty on January 24, 2013.
- A current employee was arrested on November 8, 2012, on a charge of receiving bribes in his role as a liaison between the County and private contractors hired to perform work for the County. He pled guilty on January 24, 2013.
- The County Commissioner for Precinct 1 was arrested on December 6, 2012, in connection with an alleged bribery, kickback and bid-rigging scheme involving his work with the County. He resigned his position on March 1, 2013 and pled guilty on May 2, 2013.
- A probation officer who also works as a general contractor was arrested December 12, 2012, on charges of fraud and bribery. He pled guilty on May 2, 2013.
- A general contractor was arrested on December 20, 2012 on three counts of paying bribes to get contract work. He pled guilty on March 12, 2013.
- The Justice of the Peace of Precinct 2 was arrested on January 11, 2013, in connection with engaging in organized criminal activity and theft by a public servant.
- The County Commissioner for Precinct 4 was arrested on January 17, 2013, in connection with an alleged bribery, kickback and bid-rigging scheme involving his work with the County. He resigned his position on March 15, 2013 and pled guilty on May 2, 2013
- A contractor was arrested on April 11, 2013, on two counts of bribery.
- The former Landfill manager, who tendered his resignation on January 8, 2013, was arrested on April 11, 2013, on one count of possessing forged securities and one count of theft. The indictment alleges the former Landfill Manager forged County checks to himself worth \$62,000. On June 12, 2013, he pled guilty. He is scheduled to be sentenced on September 17, 2013.
- A contractor was arrested on April 18, 2013 on one count of bribery.