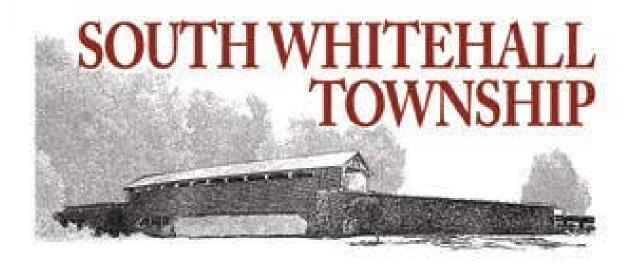
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Review of Audit Results December 31, 2022



Overview

Introduction

- Review of Auditor's Report
- New accounting standard implementation leases
- Financial Highlights and Trends
- Auditor Communications

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Introduction

Our audit is conducted under Generally Accepted Auditing Standards

Our responsibility is to:

Obtain <u>reasonable assurance</u> about whether the financial statements are <u>free from material misstatements</u>, whether due to fraud or error, and then <u>render an opinion</u> on whether the financial statements prepared by management with your oversight are fairly presented, in all material respects, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.



The Reporting Entity

Blended Component Unit

South Whitehall Township Authority - included within the water and sewer funds of the Township statements

Work of Specialists

- Actuarial analysis for pension liability Conrad Siegel
 Actuarial analysis for other postemployment benefits liability -
 - **Conrad Siegel**



Generally Accepted Auditing Standards -Unmodified Opinion

An unmodified opinion is a clean audit opinion from an independent auditor.

This is not an opinion on internal controls of the Township as that was not the objective of our audit.



Implementation of GASB Statement No. 87

- This statement requires recognition of certain lease assets and liabilities for leases that were previously classified as operating leases and recognized as inflows or outflows of resources based on the payment provisions of the contract. Under this Statement, a *lessee* is required to recognize a *lease liability* and an intangible *right-to-use lease asset*. A *lessor* is required to recognize a *lease receivable* for future payments and *deferred inflow of resources*.
- The Township's leases include copiers
- Changes to the Township's statements include:
 - Addition of right-to-use lease asset and related lease liability as of 1/1/2022 totaling \$35,033
 - Restatement to net position at 1/1/2022 of \$35,033 for obligations previously recognized as a capital lease that no longer meet the definition of lease under GASB 87



General Fund Budget to Actual

	Budget	Actual	Variance
REVENUES			
Taxes	\$ 15,216,535	\$ 17,746,714	\$ 2,530,179
Licenses, permits, and fines	545,330	492,759	(52,571)
Interest and rent	-	81,145	81,145
Intergovernmental	879,034	1,485,436	606,402
Charges for services	1,301,601	1,916,474	614,873
Other	14,000	245,861	231,861
TOTAL REVENUES	17,956,500	21,968,389	4,011,889
EXPENDITURES			
General government	7,479,486	4,777,835	2,701,651
Public safety	6,299,937	7,407,720	(1,107,783)
Public works	3,353,028	3,605,144	(252,116)
Culture and recreation	453,259	357,764	95,495
Community development	755,931	602,258	153,673
Debt service	-	10,715	(10,715)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	18,341,641	16,761,436	1,580,205
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Sale of capital assets	20,000	99,566	79,566
Proceeds - issuance of lease	-	12,782	12,782
Transfers in (out)	-	(3,011,229)	(3,011,229)
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	20,000	(2,898,881)	(2,918,881)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	\$ (365,141)	\$ 2,308,072	\$ 2,673,213

Revenue exceeded budget by 22%

- Delinquent real estate, earned income, transfer, amusement and business privilege taxes exceeded budget
- Intergovernmental includes recognition of ARPA revenue (\$425k - separate fund for budgeting purposes) and fire relief state aid (\$174k - not budgeted)
- Charges for services additional reimbursement for police services, higher than anticipated recreation program fees
- Other health insurance carrier reimbursement unbudgeted

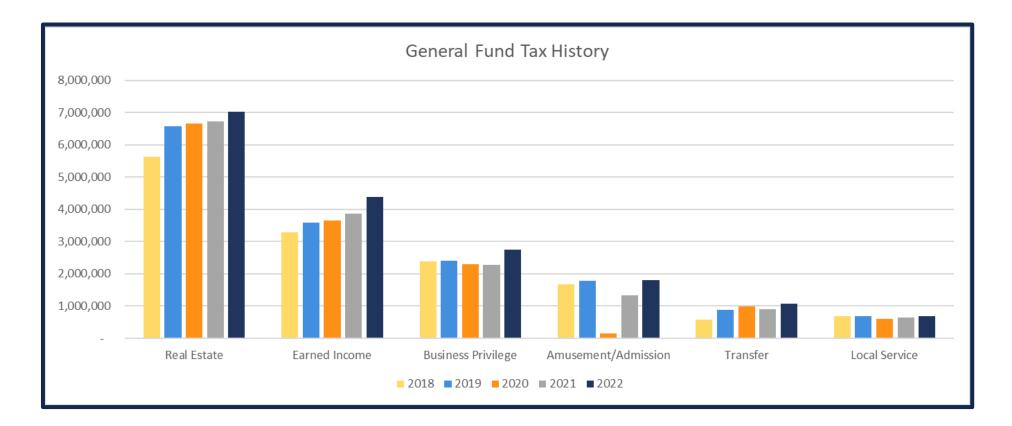
Expenditures under budget by 8.6%

- General government allocation of \$1.7M in MMO payment to police and public works; savings due to open positions and delays in anticipated projects, fewer legal expenses, insurance premium budgeting
- Public Safety allocation of \$1.1M in MMO payment from general government, ARPA fire expenditures budgeted separate fund, fire relief exp not budgeted
- Public works allocation of \$644k in MMO payment from general government, savings by moving things in-house and fewer wages



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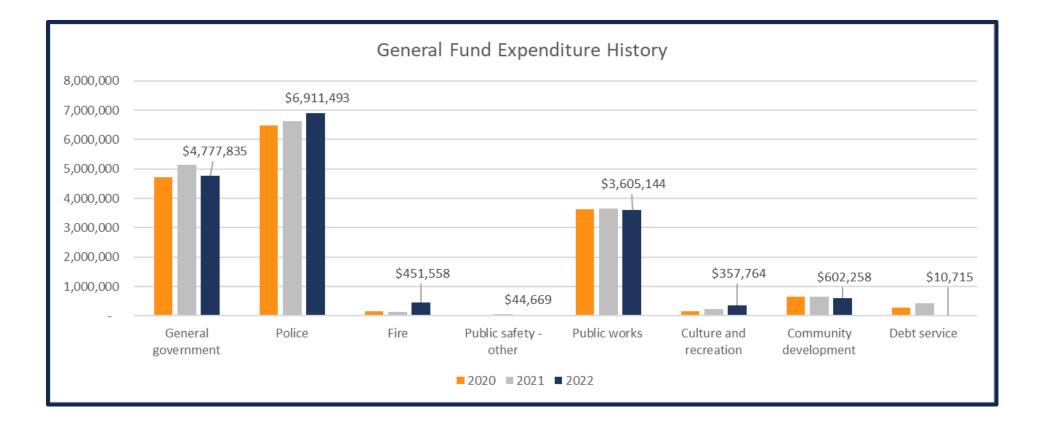
General Fund Tax Revenue



This chart represents the different tax revenue streams of the Township over the past 5 years.



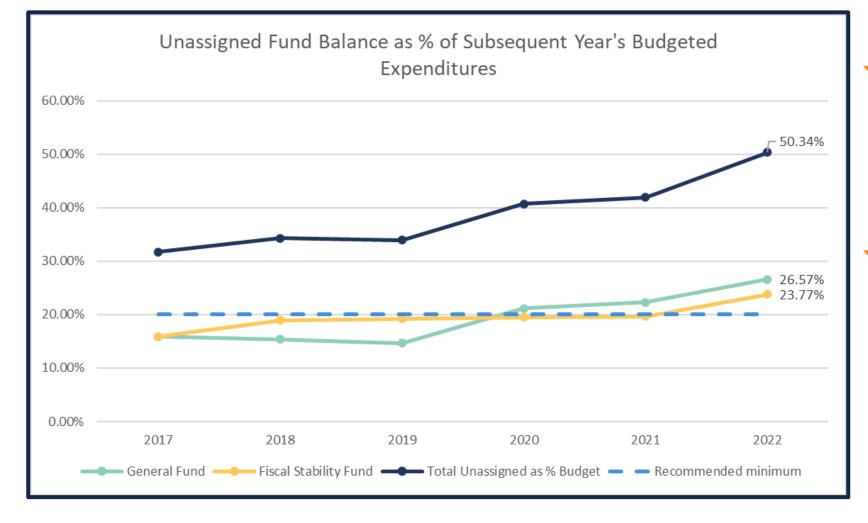
General Fund Expenditures



This chart reflects the trends in general fund expenditures over the past 3 years.



General Fund - Fund Balance



- Unassigned fund balance in the Township's general fund (including the fiscal stability fund) has fluctuated from 32% to 50% of subsequent year's budgeted expenditures. Recommended minimum unassigned fund balance is 20% of subsequent year's budget.
- The Township's fund balance policy is to maintain unassigned fund balance in the general fund between 20-30% of yearly revenue. At December 31, 2022, unassigned fund balance (including fiscal stability) is 43% of current year revenue.



Special Revenue Funds

	Fire	State	Open
	Тах	Highway Aid	Space
ASSETS			
Cash	\$ 1,099,375	\$ 557,419	\$ 413,261
Taxes and accounts receivable	41,602	-	807
Prepaid expenses	2,057	-	-
TOTAL ASSETS	1,143,034	557,419	414,068
LIABILITIES			
Interfund payable	4,666	-	-
Accounts payable	80,687	37,994	-
Accrued payroll and withholdings	-	-	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES	85,353	37,994	-
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	22,335	-	-
FUND BALANCE			
Nonspendable	2,057	-	-
Restricted	1,033,289	519,425	414,068
TOTAL FUND BALANCE	\$ 1,035,346	\$ 519,425	\$ 414,068

	Fire	State	Open
	Тах	Highway Aid	Space
REVENUES			
Taxes	\$ 1,162,811	\$-	\$-
Intergovernmental	-	705,835	-
Other - contributions	-	-	18,523
Interest and rent	1,909	177	807
TOTAL REVENUES	1,164,720	706,012	19,330
EXPENDITURES			
Public safety	1,632,751	-	-
Public works	-	514,586	-
Culture and recreation	-	-	24,183
Debt service (leases)	3,900	-	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,636,651	514,586	24,183
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES			
Sale of capital assets	9,110	-	-
Transfers in	459,408	15,639	-
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	468,518	15,639	-
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	\$ (3,413)	\$ 207,065	\$ (4,853)

Fund balance is restricted for the purposes noted.



Capital Projects Fund

	2022	2021		
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 634,230	\$	1,379,865	
Interfund receivables	421,760		614,287	
Accounts receivable	1,160		425	
TOTAL ASSETS	1,057,150		1,994,577	
LIABILITIES				
Interfund payables	289,625		1,126,817	
Accounts payable	70,748		97,927	
Unearned revenue	42,372		74,214	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	402,745		1,298,958	
FUND BALANCE				
Restricted	292,923		614,287	
Assigned	361,482		81,332	
	\$ 654,405	\$	695,619	

- This fund tracks capital expenditures of the Township, excluding those purchased through the water, sewer, and refuse funds.
- Restricted fund balance represents unspent debt proceeds restricted for capital projects. The remaining fund balance at 12/31/22 is assigned for future capital expenditures.

	2022	2021
REVENUES		
Interest and rent	\$ 1,164	\$ 4,436
Intergovernmental	34,172	42,028
Charges for services and other	-	100
TOTAL REVENUES	35,336	46,564
EXPENDITURES		
General government	37,843	1,499,249
Public safety	148,167	205,359
Public works	1,283,842	1,028,066
Culture and recreation	115,672	323,000
Community development	22,000	-
Debt service and other	-	181
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,607,524	3,055,855
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		
Transfers in (out)	1,530,974	3,194,889
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	\$ (41,214)	\$ 185,598



Proprietary Funds

	Water	Sewer	Refuse
OPERATING REVENUES	\$ 4,289,166	\$ 2,799,524	\$ 2,907,025
OPERATING EXPENSES	3,365,302	3,456,506	2,943,296
NONOPERATING REVENUE (EXPENSES)	479,725	350,158	104,240
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	\$ 1,403,589	\$ (306,824)	\$ 67,969
NET POSITION			
Net investment in capital assets	\$ 7,474,888	\$ 7,931,413	\$ 6,750
Unrestricted	5,418,721	4,726,037	600,208
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 12,893,609	\$ 12,657,450	\$ 606,958

Proprietary funds have charges for services meant to cover the cost of providing those services. The Township has 3 such funds. The water and sewer fund represent Authority activity as well as the allocation of the debt and pension liability in the Township's name.



Pension Fund - Summary

Under GASB Statement No. 84, Fiduciary Activities, only the Township's defined benefit plans are included in the financial statements

Defined Benefit (part of reporting entity)

- Police Pension Plan
- Public Works Employees' Pension Plan
- Office Personnel Pension Plan

Defined Contribution (not part of reporting entity)

- Thrift Savings Plan
- Non-Uniformed Employees' Defined Contribution Pension Plan



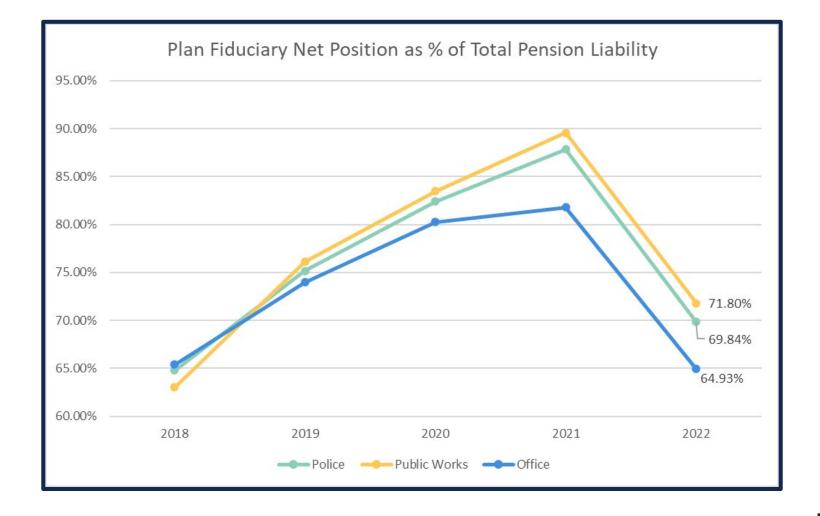
Pension Fund Trends



- The pension trends show the total pension liability for each defined benefit plan as well as the net pension liability.
- The pension liability was calculated under GASB 68 by an actuary.



Pension Fund Trends





Auditor Communications

Management Letter

- Much improved processes for bank reconciliations and year-end close
- Consider allocation of depreciation expense
- Start to evaluate the effects of GASB 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements (December 31, 2023)



Auditor Communications

Communication Letter

- No difficulties were incurred in performing the audit
 Proposed journal entries are attached to letter
 Most sensitive estimates
 - Depreciation lives for capital assets
 - Pension Liability (performed by third party)
 - OPEB Liabilities (performed by third parties)
 - Discount rate for leases

Adoption of GASB Statement No. 87 related to Leases
No other reportable matters



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