# COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

For Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2008



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October 31, 2008

The Board of County Commissioners Stanly County, North Carolina:

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) of Stanly County for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 is hereby submitted. The County is responsible for the accuracy, completeness, and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures. The data presented is materially accurate and the financial statements fairly present the County's financial position as measured by activity in the various funds. All disclosures have been included as necessary to enable a reader to understand the County's financial activities.

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) by Statement No. 34 requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview and analysis to accompany the Basic Financial Statements in the form of management's discussion and analysis (MD&A). This letter of transmittal is intended to complement the MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The MD&A can be found immediately following the Independent Auditor's Report.

The County must submit a compliance/single audit to conform to provisions of the Single Audit Implementation Act and the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations." Information related to this single audit, including the "Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards", findings, recommendations, and the independent auditor's reports on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations, are presented in the compliance section of the report.

### DESCRIPTION OF COUNTY

Stanly County is located in the south central portion of North Carolina, about forty miles northeast of Charlotte. It is a county of lakes, rolling farmland and small towns. Industry includes textile, modular home, and aircraft tire manufacturing. Badin and Tillery lakes form the entire eastern boundary of the county, and provide recreational activities such as skiing, swimming, boating, and fishing. Tillery lake also serves as the reservoir for the Tillery Hydroelectric Plant. Morrow Mountain State Park is bounded on two sides by Lake Tillery, and covers 4,693 acres of the ancient Uwharrie Mountains. This beautiful park is an important tourist attraction for the county.

### DESCRIPTION OF GOVERNMENT

Stanly County is governed by a commission/manager form of government. The five-member board of commissioners is elected to four-year staggered terms. The County provides a full range of services as follows: public safety (law enforcement, detention facilities, funds for fire protection in unincorporated areas, building inspection, emergency medical services, and E-911 emergency telephone service); human services (social services, public health, senior services, and veterans services); culture and recreation (library, historic museum, and civic center); environmental protection (soil and water conservation services, and solid waste collection and disposal services); public utilities (water and sewer services); airport services; and general government services. In addition, the County provides financial support to the Stanly County Board of Education, Stanly Community College, Piedmont Mental Health Authority, and various non-profit organizations that provide services to Stanly County residents.

### **EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

Educational institutions include Pfeiffer University, Stanly Community College and the Stanly County Public School System. Pfeiffer University, founded in 1885, is a four-year college that offers accredited undergraduate degree programs in twenty-nine different majors, day and evening classes, and continuing education courses at all of its campuses. Various satellite campuses also offer graduate programs in business administration, health administration, and organization management.

Stanly Community College is governed by a thirteen-member appointed board of trustees that offers two-year degree programs with standard courses that are eligible for transfer to four-year institutions of higher learning. It also offers technical and trade courses. The County contributes funds to the community college.

For financial reporting purposes, in conformance with the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), the County includes in the report all funds that are considered to be within its oversight responsibility. Because the school administrative unit and the community college listed above do not meet the criteria for inclusion in the general purpose financial statements of Stanly County, their financial statements are not included in this report. Audited financial statements for the school administrative unit and the community college are available from their respective business offices.

#### ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK

The Stanly County economy is slowly recovering from a downturn suffered between 2002 and 2004. ALCOA, which had been a major employer for decades, dismissed most of its employees and has since terminated all production. There were several long-standing textile plants that ceased operations and a very strong mobile home manufacturing industry temporarily scaled back.

The mobile home manufacturing industry is recovering and has been hiring employees. Several small manufacturing operations have located to the county and hired local workers. Wal-Mart opened a super store in Albemarle in 2007 and has started construction of another super store in Locust. There have been five manufacturing expansions that have occurred in 2008 that have created over 150 new jobs. The current county unemployment rate has increased to 5.8% at June 30, 2008 compared to 4.9% last year. This is the first year since 2003 that the unemployment rate has shown an increase.

Declining manufacturing operations and accelerated depreciation on manufacturing equipment continues to contribute to low growth in property tax values. The \$99,000,000 increase in tax value is only a 2.42% increase.

The North Carolina Department of Transportation has resumed construction on the widening of Highway 24/27, with completion anticipated in 2010. This four-lane highway to Charlotte is expected to enhance economic development.

### LONG TERM FINANCIAL PLANNING

The unreserved fund balance in the General Fund continues to be well above the 8% minimum recommended for local governments in North Carolina. Generally, low-cost capital projects are paid on a pay-as-you-go basis from fund balances. The next capital project is the Endy Sewer Project which is set to begin in the fall of 2008.

### **MAJOR INITIATIVES**

Economic Development and water and sewer expansion are two of the highest priorities for the governing body. The following utility projects were completed during fiscal year 2007-2008: Highway 52 water line extension, construction of a pump station and extension of a sewer line for Aquadale Elementary School, water line extension to the Fork Road area and a sewer line construction in the Palestine community. The county commissioners created a water and sewer authority in 2006 as a tool for securing grant funding, and as a means of completing water line installation. There are currently two projects under construction with this authority.

Construction on an \$8,200,000 jail addition and improvement project began in June 2006, with completion scheduled for winter 2009. Funding is being provided by a \$1,500,000 USDA loan, a \$5,500,000 installment loan, and by a \$1,220,000 appropriation from fund balance.

The Stanly County Board of Education started construction on improvements to two schools that began in the summer of 2008. Funding is being provided by a \$13,000,000 loan from BB&T which is to be paid back by lottery proceeds and \$1,000,000 in lottery funds on hand.

### **AIRPORT**

The Stanly County Airport has been continuously expanding and improving over the last decade. With assistance from numerous federal, state and military grants, the airport has become a full-service, all-weather capable facility. Parallel runways of 3,500 and 5,500 feet, and a 5,500 feet parallel taxiway accommodate aircraft weighting up to 155,000 pounds, about twice the capability of usual general aviation airports. The control tower operates twelve hours per day, five days per week.

The North Carolina Air National Guard has installed the infrastructure for a radar approach control facility (RAPCON) that originally was scheduled to be online by the end of the 2007. However, equipment problems have delayed the startup of the RAPCON until the fall of 2008. At that time Stanly County Airport will be the only general aviation airport in the United States with radar approach control. This radar approach and the control tower combine to increase efficiency and provide a much safer, controlled environment that is attractive to business, industry and military. More traffic translates into increased fuel sales and revenues.

Two large hangars capable of storing fourteen small to medium sized (cabin class) aircraft were constructed in 2005. Each hangar building includes office space for its customers.

A recently completed project was the perimeter security fence with computer-handled access control that creates a much safer environment for aircraft and people, and addresses federal security concerns. The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), the Air National Guard, and Stanly County provided funding for the project.

The Stanly County Airport is the home base of the North Carolina Air National Guard 118<sup>th</sup> Air Support Operations Squadron, the 145<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineering Squadron's Home Station Training Site, the 235<sup>th</sup> Air Traffic Control Squadron, and the 263<sup>rd</sup> Composite Maintenance Facility. The airport will be home to the 263<sup>rd</sup> Combat Communications Squadron, which is moving from Badin to a new facility that will soon be under construction.

The Stanly County Airport and the Air National Guard are critical to disaster response efforts, as was demonstrated in 1999 during Hurricane Floyd and more recent hurricanes. The airport is the logistical staging facility for military troops and civilian disaster response teams who deploy during natural disasters with portable generators and other basic life support systems warehoused at a state emergency facility located at the Stanly County Airport. A new ramp constructed last year provides easy access to aircraft involved in emergency disaster assistance.

### **TRANSPORTATION**

Transportation within the County is very important to the board of commissioners. The board established a transportation system in 1986 to serve the entire county. SCUSA Transportation currently operates 19 vehicles which are handicapped accessible. Service is provided Monday through Friday from 5:30 am to 6:00 pm with daily trips to medical facilities, community college campuses, shopping facilities, work sites, etc. Out-of-county medical trips are provided on a pre-scheduled basis. Other services are provided on a

limited basis, such as mileage reimbursement for qualified individuals. During fiscal year 2007-08, SCUSA Transportation used 28,277 service hours and drove 427,665 miles in providing 72,967 trips.

### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

General governmental funds are presented on a modified accrual basis. Revenues are recorded when measurable and available, and expenditures are recorded when the liabilities are incurred, except for accumulated compensated absences and interest on long-term debt. Adjustments are made to governmental funds to convert them to full accrual basis that is used in presenting the government-wide statements.

The adequacy of internal accounting controls is considered when evaluating and developing the accounting system. Internal accounting controls are designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance regarding (1) the safeguarding of assets against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and (2) the reliability of financial records for preparing financial statements and maintaining accountability for assets. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that (1) the cost of a control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived, and (2) the evaluation of costs and benefits require estimates and judgments by management. Stanly County's internal accounting controls adequately safeguard assets and provide reasonable assurance for properly recording financial transactions.

### **Budgeting Controls**

In government, much more than in business, the budget is an integral part of the accounting system. Legal limits on spending are created by an annual budget ordinance or by special project ordinances. In Stanly County, appropriations in the General Fund are budgeted on a function basis. In other funds the budget may be adopted at the function or fund level. However, for internal accounting purposes, budgetary control is maintained on a specific line-item basis with an encumbrance system. As purchase orders are issued, corresponding appropriations are reserved for later payment. If an over-encumbrance of the budget level would result, purchase orders would not be written until additional appropriations were approved. Encumbrances remaining at the end of the June 30 fiscal year are cancelled, and all appropriations except capital projects lapse. Encumbrances consummated subsequent to the year-end are charged to the next year's appropriations.

### Cash Management

Idle cash during the year was invested either in fully insured or collateralized certificates of deposit, or in demand deposits in the State authorized mutual fund whose portfolio consists of instrument types noted above. Maturities ranged from 120 to 365 days.

The amount of investment earnings for the General Fund for year 2008 was \$1,052,119, which was a very slight decrease of \$6,500 from 2007. Total investment earnings for all funds increased by \$39,000 from 2007. The average yield on maturing investments in 2008 was 3.5% compared to 4.75% in 2007.

A table of investments on June 30, 2008 is as follows:

INVESTMENT	MARKET VALUE
Certificates of Deposit	\$ 8,527,955
N.C. Cash Management Trust	9,953,771
TOTAL	\$18,481,726

### Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks such as torts, property loss and damage, errors and omissions, employee injuries, and natural disasters. The County provides worker's compensation coverage through a self-insured program administered by a third party. The workers' compensation coverage is the statutory limit.

The County carries commercial insurance for all other loss risks, including general liability, public official liability, vehicle, and property. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the last three fiscal years.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

### Independent Audit

North Carolina general statutes require each local government unit to have its financial statements audited annually by a certified public accountant, or by an accountant certified by the North Carolina Local Government Commission as qualified to audit local government accounts. The auditor is selected by and reports to the Board of County Commissioners. This requirement has been complied with and the independent auditors' report has been included herein.

Federal and state single audit acts require auditors to study internal controls and perform additional tests on transactions involving grant funds. The auditors' report on this work is included in the "Compliance Section" of this publication. Any findings or questioned costs reported in this section are subject to subsequent review by the appropriate grantor agencies. The review could result in refunds of grant money if any expenditures are deemed improper. Every effort has been made to insure all disbursements were made in accordance with grant stipulations.

### **Awards**

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to Stanly County for its comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007. The Certificate of Achievement is a prestigious national award that recognizes conformance with the highest standards in preparing state and local government financial reports. In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, a governmental unit must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized comprehensive annual financial report, whose contents conform to program standards. The CAFR must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements.

A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. Stanly County has received a Certificate of Achievement for the last seventeen (17) consecutive years. We believe the current report satisfies the Certificate of Achievement Program requirements, and it is being submitted to the GFOA.

### Acknowledgments

We thank the Board of County Commissioners for their support and participation in conducting Stanly County financial operations in a responsible manner. We also thank the entire Finance Department staff, without whose assistance the report would not have been accomplished. We also recognize the cooperation and support provided by each County department and agency.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrew M. Lucas County Manager Toby R. Hinson Finance Director

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### STANLY COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA LIST OF ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS June 30, 2008

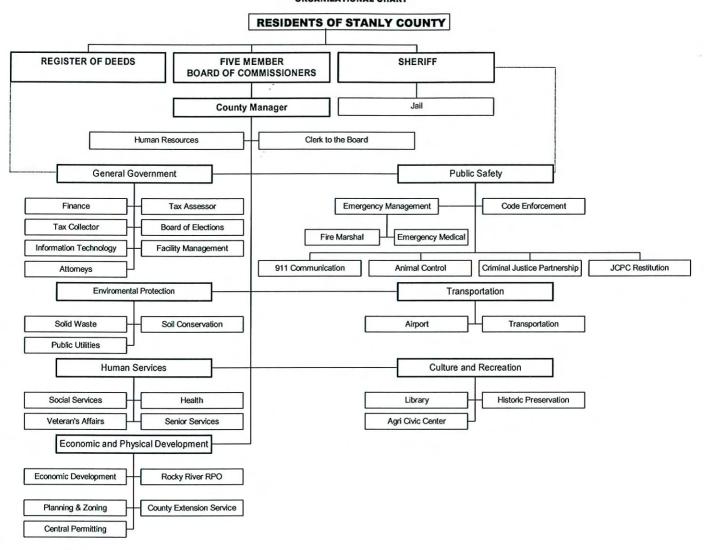
### **Elected Officials**

Board of Commissioners - Chairman	
Board of Commissioners - Vice-Chairman	Gene McIntyre
Board of Commissioners	Sherrill Smith
Board of Commissioners	Dr. Nalin C. Mehta
Board of Commissioners	Lindsey R. Dunevant
Sheriff	
Register of Deeds	Cecil I. Almond

### **Appointed Officials**

County Manager	Jerry D. Myers
Clerk to the Board	Tyler L. Brummitt
Agri – Civic Center Director	Candice B. Moffitt
Airport Director	David M. Griffin
Central Permitting	Carol C. Almond
Code Enforcement	
Communications Director – E 911	Sonya H. Efird
County Attorney	John L. Roberts
County Extension Service	
Criminal Justice Partnership	
Economic Development Director	Vacant
Election Supervisor	Kimberly R. Wilson
Emergency Management Director	Brian T. Simpson
Facility Management and Solid Waste Director	Jerry R. Morton
Interim Finance Director	Toby R. Hinson
Health Director	
Historic Preservation Director	Jonathan A. Underwood
Human Resources Director	Emily F. Valentine
Information Technology Director	Chad A. Coble
Library Director	Penny H. Welling
Planning Director	Michael M. Sandy
Public Utilities Director	
Senior Services Director	
Social Services Director	Sharon S. Scott
Soil and Water Conservation Cost Share Technician	
Tax Administrator	
Transportation Director	
Veterans Service Officer	W. Timothy Pressley

### STANLY COUNTY ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



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President

**Executive Director** 

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### Martin Starnes & Associates, CPAs, P.A.

A Professional Association of Certified Public Accountants and Management Consultants

### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of County Commissioners Stanly County Albemarle, North Carolina

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Stanly County, North Carolina as of and for the year then ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise Stanly County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the County's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion 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 basic financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management as well as evaluating the overall basic financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, based upon our audit, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the County as of June 30, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 31, 2008 on our consideration of Stanly County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. 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 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.

Management's Discussion and Analysis and the Law Enforcement Officers' Special Separation Allowance Schedules of Funding Progress and Employer Contributions are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit this information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements of Stanly County, North Carolina. The introductory information, combining and individual non-major fund financial statements and other supplementary schedules, and the statistical tables are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The combining and individual non-major fund financial statements and other supplementary schedules have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The introductory section and the statistical tables have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

Martin Stames + Associeto CPAO, P.A.

Martin Starnes & Associates, CPAs, P.A. Hickory, North Carolina October 31, 2008

### Management's Discussion and Analysis

This discussion and analysis is provided as an overview of Stanly County's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. The transmittal letter that begins on *page i* provides additional highlights and explanations and should also be read in conjunction with the financial statements.

### **Financial Highlights**

- The assets of Stanly County exceeded its liabilities at the close of the fiscal year by \$51,160,134 (net assets). Net assets would be much greater except Stanly County reports \$20,100,000 bond debt liability for the school system, and the school reports the assets.
- The government's total net assets increased by \$2,768,507, primarily due to increases in governmental activities net assets.
- As the close of the current fiscal year, Stanly County's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$19,588,367, after a net decrease in fund balance of \$2,036,769.
   Approximately 81.5% of this total amount, or \$15,966,644, is available for spending at the government's discretion (unreserved fund balance).
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance for the General Fund was \$15,452,332, or 28.17% of total general fund expenditures for the fiscal year
- Stanly County's total debt decreased by \$1,979,748 (7.02%) during the current fiscal year. Regular and scheduled debt payments account for the decrease.
- Stanly County maintained its Moody's A2 bond rating for the eighth consecutive year.
- The \$2,812,450 increase (4.93%) in the General Fund budget occurred primarily because of normal increases for wages, benefits, insurance and other operating costs.

### **Overview of the Financial Statements**

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to Stanly County's basic financial statements, which consist of three components: 1) government-wide financial statements; 2) fund financial statements; and 3) notes to the financial statements (see diagram on next page). The government-wide statements and fund statements present two different perspectives that, along with the supplemental information, illustrate Stanly County's financial condition.

### Required Components of Annual Financial Reports Management's Basic Discussion and Financial **Analysis** Statements Government-wide Fund Notes to the **Financial** Financial Financial Statements Statements Statements

#### **Basic Financial Statements**

Summary

The first two documents (Exhibits A and B) are the Government-wide Financial Statements. They provide both short and long-term information concerning the County's financial status.

Detail

Exhibits C through J are the Fund Financial Statements that focus on specific individual governmental activities and provide more detail than the government-wide statements. There are four sections to the Fund Financial Statements: 1) the governmental funds statements; 2) the budgetary comparison statements; 3) the proprietary fund statements; 4) and the fiduciary fund statements.

The next section is the notes that provide narrative and data explanation regarding selected financial statement presentations. Supplementary information is then provided to show details about the County's non-major governmental funds and internal service fund, all of which are combined in one column on the basic financial statements. Budgetary information required by the General Statutes can be found in this part of the statements.

Required supplementary information regarding funding for the County's pension plans follows the notes.

### **Government-wide Financial Statements**

The government-wide financial statements are similar in format to private-sector business financial statements and are designed to provide a broad overview of the County's finances. The government-wide statements also provide information regarding the short and long-term financial status as a whole. These statements report increases and decreases of net assets, which are the difference between the County's total assets and total liabilities. Change in net assets is a primary tool to gage financial condition.

The government-wide statements are divided into two categories, governmental activities and business-type activities. The governmental activities include most of the basic services such as public safety, general administration, human services, transportation, and solid waste. Property taxes, state and federal grants, and fees finance most of these activities. Business-type activities are those for which the County charges a fee to consumers, such as water and sewer and airport.

### **Fund Financial Statements**

Fund financial statements provide a detailed analysis of the more significant activities. 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. All funds can be divided into two categories, governmental and proprietary. Stanly County, like all other governmental entities in North Carolina, uses fund accounting to ensure and report compliance (or non-compliance) with finance-related legal requirements, such as general statutes or budget ordinances.

Governmental Funds – Governmental funds are used to account for functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. Most basic services are accounted for in governmental funds. These funds focus on how assets can readily be converted into cash flow in and out, and what monies are left at year-end that will be available for spending in the next year. Governmental funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting that has a current financial resources focus. As a result, the governmental fund financial statements present a detailed short-term view that helps determine the amount of financial resources available to finance programs and activities. The relationship between government activities (reported in the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is described in a reconciliation that is a part of the fund financial statements.

Stanly County adopts an annual budget for its General Fund, as required by the General Statutes. The budget is a legally adopted document that incorporates input from residents, staff, and governing body regarding which services to provide and how to pay for them. It also identifies and authorizes revenue sources to finance current-period activities. The budgetary statement provided for the General Fund demonstrates how well the County complied with the budget ordinance, and whether or not the County succeeded in providing the services as planned when the budget was adopted. The budgetary comparison statement uses the budgetary basis of accounting and is presented using the same format, language, and classifications as the legal budget document. The statement shows four columns: 1) the original budget as adopted by the board; 2) the final budget as amended by the board; 3) the actual resources, charges to appropriations, and ending balances in the General Fund; and 4) the difference or variance between the final budget and the actual resources and charges. A reconciliation is provided at the end of the budgetary statement to account for the difference between the budgetary basis and modified accrual accounting basis.

**Proprietary Funds** – Enterprise and internal service funds are the only kind of proprietary funds maintained by Stanly County. Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions that are presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. Enterprise funds account for water and sewer activities and airport operations. These funds are the same business-type activities as shown in the Statement of Net Assets and in the Statement of Activities.

The Group Health Fund is an internal service fund used to account for the medical self-insurance plan and worker's compensation benefits.

**Fiduciary Funds** – Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Stanly County maintains five agency funds and has no permanent fiduciary funds.

**Notes to the Financial Statements** – The notes provide additional information that is essential to fully understanding data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements begin on page 23 of this report.

**Other Information** – In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report includes certain required supplementary information concerning funding of employee pension obligations. Required supplementary information can be found beginning on page 53 of this report.

### STANLY COUNTY'S NET ASSETS

	Governmental Activities		Business- Activitie		Total			
	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007		
Current and other assets Capital assets	\$ 25,740,198 19,359,718	\$ 27,337,960 16,151,361	\$ 2,837,510 \$ 34,034,772	2,733,936 35,259,379	\$ 28,577,708 53,394,490	\$ 30,071,896 51,410,740		
Total assets	45,099,916	43,489,321	36,872,282	37,993,315	81,972,198	81,482,636		
Long-term liabilities outstanding Other liabilities	26,774,003 3,042,266	28,503,368 3,110,570	755,145 240,650	1,028,402 448,669	27,529,148 3,282,916	29,531,770 3,559,239		
Total liablilities	29,816,269	31,613,938	995,795	1,477,071	30,812,064	33,091,009		
Net assets: Invested in capital assets,								
net of related debt	13,933,344	9,896,831	33,344,464	34,317,479	47,277,808	44,214,310		
Restricted Unrestricted (deficit)	65,839	121,967	2 522 022	0.400.705	65,839	121,967		
omesmoted (delicit)	1,284,464	1,856,585	2,532,023	2,198,765	3,816,487	4,055,350		
Total net assets	\$ 15,283,647	\$ 11,875,383	\$ 35,876,487 \$	36,516,244	\$ 51,160,134	\$ 48,391,627		

As noted earlier, comparing changes in net assets over time provides one useful indicator of financial condition. The assets of Stanly County exceeded liabilities by \$51,160,134 as of June 30, 2008.

The County's net assets increased by \$2,768,507 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Capital assets (e.g. land, buildings, machinery and equipment) reflect the largest portion of net assets. Stanly County's investment in its capital assets is reported net of the outstanding related debt. Stanly County uses capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. The resources needed to repay that debt must be provided by other sources, since capital assets cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities. An additional portion of Stanly County's net assets represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used.

Stanly County issues and pays the debt service on bonds sold for school improvements. The Board of Education reports the assets on their books, and the county only the debt. The debt owed for school improvements is \$20,100,000.

### **Stanly County Changes in Net Assets**

	Governmental Activities					Busine Acti			Total			
		2008		2007		2008		2007		2008		2007
Revenues:												
Program revenues:												
Charges for services	\$	7,470,469	\$	7,352,709	\$	3,461,819	\$	3,154,872	\$	10,932,288	\$	10,507,581
Operating grants and contributions		9,111,529		8,832,742		17,949		144,500		9,129,478		8,977,242
Capital grants and contributions		986,481		1,842,159		216,801		3,613,164		1,203,282		5,455,323
General revenues:						•						
Property taxes		29,160,452		27,468,013		-				29,160,452		27,468,013
Other taxes		11,270,758		11,185,000		-				11,270,758		11,185,000
Interest earned on investments	_	1,235,530	_	1,393,065	_	30,698	_	59,954	_	1,266,228	_	1,453,019
Total revenues	_	59,235,219	_	58,073,688	_	3,727,267	_	6,972,490	_	62,962,486	_	65,046,178
Expenses:												
General government		5,563,922		4,763,517		-		3.2		5,563,922		4,763,517
Public safety		12,089,074		11,144,226		-		2		12,089,074		11,144,226
Transportation		850,441		814,513		- 2		-		850,441		814,513
Environmental protection		1,031,633		1,000,097		-		-		1,031,633		1,000,097
Economic development		2,344,873		1,888,101		-		-		2,344,873		1,888,101
Human services		16,086,711		16,379,895		_		-		16,086,711		16,379,895
Cultural and recreation		1,800,314		1,668,597				-		1,800,314		1,668,597
Education		14,267,912		14,888,711		-				14,267,912		14,888,711
Interest on long-term debt		1,193,541		1,234,712						1,193,541		1,234,712
Water and sewer		-		-		3,377,002		2,857,210		3,377,002		2,857,210
Airport	_		_	-	_	1,588,558	_	1,670,370	_	1,588,558	_	1,670,370
Total expenses	_	55,228,419	_	53,782,369		4,965,560		4,527,580	_	60,193,979	_	58,309,949
Increase (decrease) in net assets												
before transfers and special items		4,006,800		4,291,319		(1,238,293)		2,444,910		2,768,507		6,736,229
Transfers in (out)	_	(598,536)	_	(1,001,788)	_	598,536	_	1,001,788	_	-	_	
Increase (decrease) in net assets		3,408,264		3,289,531		(639,757)		3,446,698		2,768,507		6,736,229
Net assets, July 1	_	11,875,383	_	8,585,852		36,516,244	_	33,069,546	_	48,391,627	_	41,655,398
Net assets, June 30	\$	15,283,647	\$	11,875,383	\$	35,876,487	\$	36,516,244	\$	51,160,134	\$	48,391,627

**Governmental Activities.** Governmental activities increased the County's net assets by \$3,408,264. Key elements of that increase were as follows:

Construction in process added \$3,346,197 to capital assets.

Group Health Fund surplus of \$1,117,467 was transferred to governmental activities.

### Financial Analysis of the County's Funds

As noted earlier, Stanly County uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

**Governmental Funds.** The focus of governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of usable resources. Such information is useful in assessing financing requirements. Specifically, unreserved fund balance at year-end is a useful measure of resources available to spend in future years.

The general fund is the chief operating fund. The unreserved fund balance at the end of the fiscal year was \$15,452,332, and total fund balance was \$19,043,078. As a measure of the general fund's liquidity, it is useful to compare both unreserved fund balance and total fund balance to total fund expenditures. Unreserved fund balance represents 28.17% of total General Fund expenditures, while total fund balance represents 34.71% of that same amount.

**General Fund Budgetary Highlights:** During the fiscal year, the County revised the budget on several occasions. Generally, budget amendments fall into one of three categories: 1) amendments made to adjust the estimates that are used to prepare the original budget ordinance once exact information is available; 2) amendments made to recognize new funding amounts from external sources, such as federal and state grants; and 3) increases in appropriations that become necessary to maintain services.

Total amendments to the General Fund increased expenditures by \$2,293,126 and revenues by only \$313,929, with the remaining \$1,979,197 funded by fund balance. A total of \$709,036 was transferred to capital projects. Another \$92,000 was appropriated to document an increase in the transfer for school building cost from the state bond fund.

**Business-type Activities:** Business-type activities decreased Stanly County's net assets by \$639,757. Key financial elements of business-type activities are as follows:

Capital grants and contributions decreased by \$3,396,363.

**Proprietary Funds.** Stanly County's proprietary funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide statements, but in more detail. Unrestricted net assets of the utility funds at the end of the fiscal year amounted to \$1,882,708, and for the airport \$649,315. The total decrease in net assets for all enterprise funds was \$639,757. Other factors concerning the finances of these two funds have already been addressed in the discussion of business-type activities.

### **Capital Asset and Debt Administration**

**Capital assets.** Stanly County's capital assets for its governmental and business-type activities as of June 30, 2008, totaled \$53,394,490 (net of accumulated depreciation). These assets included buildings, land, machinery and equipment, and vehicles.

Major capital asset transactions during the year included:

- Jail project still under construction
- Completion of airport improvements and utility projects

## STANLY COUNTY'S CAPITAL ASSETS (net of depreciation)

		Governmental Activities				Busine Activ			Total			
		2008		2007		2008		2007		2008		2007
Land	\$	1,766,317	\$	1,370,843	\$	5,147,879	\$	5,147,879	\$	6,914,196	\$	6,518,722
Buildings		9,115,796	•	9,562,997		27,455,257		26,184,515		36,571,053		35,747,512
Equipment and vehicles		1,763,883		1,849,996		262,893		167,816		2,026,776		2,017,812
Constuction in progress	_	6,713,722	_ ;	3,367,525	_	1,168,743	_	3,759,170	_	7,882,465	_	7,126,695
Total	\$	19,359,718	\$16	6,151,361	\$ :	34,034,772	\$	35,259,380	\$	53,394,490	\$	51,410,741

Additional information on capital assets can be found in the financial notes of the Basic Financial Statements on page 36.

**Long-term Debt.** As of June 30, 2008, Stanly County had total bonded debt outstanding of \$20,400,000 all of which is debt backed by the full faith and credit of the County.

### Stanly County's Outstanding Debt General Obligation

	Govern	nmental					
	Activ	vities	Acti	vities	Total		
	2008		2008	2007	2008	2007	
General							
obligation bonds	\$ 20,100,000	\$ 21,000,000	\$300,000	\$ 415,000	\$20,400,000	\$21,415,000	

Stanly County's total debt decreased by \$1,979,748 (7.02%) during the past fiscal year, primarily due to regularly scheduled debt payments.

As mentioned in the financial highlights section of this document, Stanly County maintained for the eighth consecutive year its A2 bond rating from Moody's Investor Service and an A rating from Standard and Poor's Corporation. These bond ratings are an indication of sound financial condition.

The State of North Carolina limits the amount of general obligation debt that a unit of government can issue to 8% of the total assessed value of taxable property located within that government's boundaries. The legal debt margin for Stanly County is \$301,883,690. The County has no authorized but un-issued bonds at June 30, 2008.

Additional information regarding Stanly County's long-term debt can be found in note III beginning on page 45 of this audited financial report.

### **Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates**

The following key indicators reflect the economic status of Stanly County.

- The County is experiencing a moderate unemployment rate of 5.8%, which is the same as the state average.
- Retail vacancy rates remain stable.
- Manufacturing jobs have decreased slightly over the prior year.

### Budget Highlights for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2009

**Governmental Activities:** Property tax values are expected to grow by a little more than 2%, primarily because of changes in the calculation for depreciation. Solid waste and other fees increased slightly.

General Fund expenditures were budgeted to rise from \$56,958,821 to \$59,041,106, which is a 3.5% increase. The largest increments are for employee compensation and benefits.

### Requests for Information

This report is designed to provide an overview of the County's finances. Questions concerning any of the information found in this report or requests for additional information should be directed to the Director of Finance, Stanly County, 1000 North First Street, Suite 10B, Albemarle, North Carolina, 28001.



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### **BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**



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## STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2008

	Primary	Government		Component Unit
	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total	Stanly Water and Sewer Authority
Assets:				-
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 19,827,315	\$ 2,218,658	\$ 22,045,973	\$ 159,786
Receivables, net	5,770,438		6,382,351	34,596
Internal balances	110,503			-
Inventories		105,188	105,188	_
Prepaid items	31,942		31,942	_
Bond discount, net of amortization		12,254	12,254	_
Capital Assets:			,	
Land	1,766,317	5,147,879	6,914,196	-
Construction in progress	6,713,722		7,882,465	821,588
Depreciable assets, net	10,879,679		38,597,829	
Total assets	45,099,916	36,872,282	81,972,198	1,015,970
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	2,335,834	139,005	2,474,839	180
Due to other governments	130,817		130,817	-
Interest payable	358,387	5,121	363,508	_
Payroll payable	124,056		127,760	_
Deposits payable	_	92,820	92,820	-
Unearned revenue	93,172		93,172	1 2
Noncurrent liabilities:				
Due within a year	2,613,041	280,265	2,893,306	4
Due in more than a year	24,160,962	474,880	24,635,842	<u> </u>
Total liabilities	29,816,269	995,795	30,812,064	180
Net Assets:				
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	13,933,344	33,344,464	47,277,808	821,588
Restricted for:			,	,
Register of deeds	65,839		65,839	
Unrestricted (deficit)	1,284,464	2,532,023	3,816,487	194,202
Total net assets	\$ 15,283,647	\$ 35,876,487	\$ 51,160,134	\$ 1,015,790

## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Program Revenues								
	Expenses		Charges for Services		Operating Grants and Contributions			Capital Grants and Contributions	
Functions/Programs									
Primary Government:									
Governmental Activities:									
General government	\$	5,563,922	\$	1,668,625	\$	992,145	\$	<del>-</del>	
Public safety		12,089,074		2,579,945		503,959		-	
Transportation		850,441		375,280		457,928			
Environmental protection		1,031,633		848,824		-		2	
Economic and physical development		2,344,873		23,135		-		-	
Human services		16,086,711		1,894,767		7,137,287			
Education		14,267,912		-		-		986,481	
Culture and recreation		1,800,314		79,893		20,210			
Interest on long-term debt	_	1,193,541	_	<u>-</u>	_	<u> </u>	_		
Total governmental activities	_	55,228,419	_	7,470,469	_	9,111,529	_	986,481	
Business-Type Activities:									
Greater Badin Water and Sewer District		737,673		500,110		-		-	
Piney Point Water District		93,268		134,184					
Stanly County Utility Fund		2,546,061		2,370,438		17,949		147,474	
Airport Fund	_	1,588,558	_	457,087	_	-	_	69,327	
Total business-type activities		4,965,560	,	3,461,819	_	17,949	_	216,801	
Total primary government	<u>\$</u>	60,193,979	\$	10,932,288	<u>s</u>	9,129,478	\$	1,203,282	
Component Unit:									
Water & Sewer Authority		6,547		2,100				585,000	
Total Component Unit	\$	6,547	\$	2,100	\$		\$	585,000	

### General Revenues:

Ad valorem taxes

Local option sales tax

Other taxes

Interest earned on investments

Transfers in (out)

Total general revenues and transfers

Change in Net Assets

Net assets, beginning of year - July 1

Net assets, end of year - June 30

Net (Eynense	Revenue and	Changes in	Not Accate

_	I	Primary Government	e) Revenue and Changes in Net Asset Government				
	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities		Total	Stanly Water and Sewer Authority		
\$	(2,903,151)	\$ -	\$	(2,903,151)	\$		
	(9,005,170)	-		(9,005,170)			
	(17,233)	-		(17,233)			
	(182,809)	•		(182,809)			
	(2,321,738)	-		(2,321,738)			
	(7,054,657)	-		(7,054,657)			
	(13,281,431)	-		(13,281,431)			
	(1,700,211)	-		(1,700,211)			
_	(1,193,541)			(1,193,541)			
	(37,659,940)		_	(37,659,940)			
		(237,563)		(237,563)			
	-	40,916		40,916			
	-	(10,200)		(10,200)			
		(1,062,144)	_	(1,062,144)			
		(1,268,991)		(1,268,991)			
_	(37,659,940)	(1,268,991)		(38,928,931)			
					580,553		
					580,553		
	29,160,452			29,160,452			
	10,695,767	-		10,695,767	-		
	574,991	-		574,991			
	1,235,530	30,698		1,266,228	7,871		
	(598,536)	598,536					
_	41,068,204	629,234		41,697,438	7,871		
	3,408,264	(639,757)		2,768,507	588,424		
	11,875,383	36,516,244	_	48,391,627	427,366		
S	15,283,647	\$ 35,876,487	\$	51,160,134	\$ 1,015,790		

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2008

	General			Non-Major Governmental Funds		Total Governmental Funds		
Assets:		70 001 100						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	16,701,010	\$	785,643	\$	17,486,653		
Receivables, net		5,259,940		100,409		5,360,349		
Due from other funds		115,017		3,184		118,201		
Prepaid items	-	31,942		<del></del>	-	31,942		
Total assets	\$	22,107,909	\$	889,236	\$	22,997,145		
Liabilities and Fund Balances:								
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		958,850	\$	271,331	\$	1,230,181		
Due to other governments		130,817		-		130,817		
Due to other funds		÷		7,698		7,698		
Deferred revenue		1,881,992		64,918		1,946,910		
Unearned revenue		93,172	4			93,172		
Total liabilities	-	3,064,831		343,947	_	3,408,778		
Fund Balances:								
Reserved/restricted for:								
Prepaid items		31,942		-		31,942		
By state statute		3,492,965		30,977		3,523,942		
Register of deeds		65,839				65,839		
Unreserved Reported In:								
General fund		15,452,332		-		15,452,332		
Special revenue fund				514,312		514,312		
Total fund balances		19,043,078		545,289		19,588,367		
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	22,107,909	\$	889,236				
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the sta are different because:								
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not reported in the funds.	financial	resources and ar	re not			19,359,718		
The focus of governmental funds is on short-term fina in the funds.	ncing; lo	ng-term assets a	re deferr	red		2,350,486		
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the cu	rrent peri	od and therefore	e are not					
reported in the funds.						(27,132,391)		
Internal service funds are used by management to char	ge the co	sts of certain ac	tivities t	0				
individual funds. These assets and liabilities are include	led in gov	ernmental activ	ities in t	he				
statement of net assets.						1,117,467		
Net assets of governmental activities					\$	15,283,647		

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	General			Non-Major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds		
Revenues:							
Ad valorem taxes	\$	27,528,157	\$	1,697,227	\$	29,225,384	
Local option sales taxes		10,695,767		-		10,695,767	
Other taxes and licenses		574,991		-		574,991	
Unrestricted intergovernmental		8,173				8,173	
Restricted intergovernmental		9,349,335		315,288		9,664,623	
Permits and fees		945,668				945,668	
Sales and services		5,750,430		337,309		6,087,739	
Investment earnings		1,052,119		94,358		1,146,477	
Miscellaneous		714,807	_		_	714,807	
Total revenues	56,619,447		_	2,444,182	59,063,629		
Expenditures:							
Current:							
General government		5,212,755		25,633		5,238,388	
Public safety		10,551,434		5,305,063		15,856,497	
Transportation		928,742		-		928,742	
Environmental protection		1,049,422		-		1,049,422	
Economic and physical development		2,034,698		318,740		2,353,438	
Human services		16,255,116		\ <del>-</del>		16,255,116	
Education		14,267,912		-		14,267,912	
Culture and recreation		1,612,489				1,612,489	
Debt Service:							
Principal		1,728,156		-		1,728,156	
Interest and other charges	-	1,211,702	_	-	_	1,211,702	
Total expenditures	_	54,852,426	_	5,649,436	_	60,501,862	
Revenues over (under) expenditures	_	1,767,021	_	(3,205,254)	_	(1,438,233)	
Other Financing Sources (Uses):							
Transfers from other funds		484,536		110,500		595,036	
Transfers to other funds	-	(709,036)	_	(484,536)	_	(1,193,572)	
Total other financing sources and uses		(224,500)	_	(374,036)	_	(598,536)	
Net change in fund balances		1,542,521		(3,579,290)		(2,036,769)	
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1	-	17,500,557	_	4,124,579	_	21,625,136	
Fund balance, end of year - June 30	\$	19,043,078	\$	545,289	\$	19,588,367	

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different due to the following items:

Net changes in fund balances for governmental funds	\$	(2,036,769)
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. In the statement of activities, the cost		
of those assets is depreciated over their estimated useful lives.		
Capital outlays \$ 4,586,914		
Sale of capital assets (20,471)		
Depreciation(1,358,086)		3,208,357
The issuance of long-term debt (e.g., bonds, leases) is a resource and the repayment of bond principal		
is an expenditure in governmental funds, but those transactions increase or reduce long-term		
liabilities in the statement of net assets.		1,728,155
Some revenues reported in the statement of activities are not yet available and, therefore, are not		
reported as revenues in the governmental funds.		(64,312)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial		
resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds.		19,371
Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of certain activities to individual		
funds. The net revenue of most of these activities is reported with governmental activities.	-	553,462
Change in net assets of governmental activities	\$	3,408,264

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	<u>.</u>	Original Budget	_	Final Budget	-	Actual		Variance With Final Positive (Negative)
Revenues:								
Ad valorem taxes	\$	27,322,109	\$	27,322,109	\$	27,528,157	\$	206,048
Sales taxes		11,150,000		11,150,000		10,695,767		(454,233)
Other taxes		584,000		584,000		574,991		(9,009)
Unrestricted intergovernmental		6,500		6,500		8,173		1,673
Restricted intergovernmental		9,460,711		9,632,237		9,349,335		(282,902)
Licenses and permits		1,001,300		1,001,300		945,668		(55,632)
Sales and services		5,264,039		5,274,039		5,750,430		476,391
Investment earnings		1,150,000		1,150,000		1,052,119		(97,881)
Miscellaneous	-	545,920	_	678,323	-	714,807	_	36,484
Total revenues	_	56,484,579	_	56,798,508		56,619,447		(179,061)
Expenditures:								
Current:								
General government		5,002,108		5,489,608		5,212,755		276,853
Public safety		10,586,873		11,008,894		10,551,434		457,460
Transportation		930,662		940,662		928,742		11,920
Environmental protection		998,924		998,924		1,049,422		(50,498)
Economic and physical development		1,749,298		2,571,613		2,034,698		536,915
Human services		17,754,847		17,838,766		16,255,116		1,583,650
Education		14,681,431		14,773,431		14,267,912		505,519
Culture and recreation		1,656,864		1,672,155		1,612,489		59,666
Debt Service:								
Principal		1,744,156		1,744,156		1,728,156		16,000
Bond interest and costs	_	1,274,702	_	1,274,702	_	1,211,702	_	63,000
Total expenditures		56,379,865	-	58,312,911		54,852,426	-	3,460,485
Revenues over (under) expenditures	1/2	104,714	_	(1,514,403)		1,767,021	_	3,281,424
Other Financing Sources (Uses):								
Transfers - out		(348,956)		(732,136)		(709,036)		23,100
Transfers - in		-		23,100		484,536		461,436
Appropriated fund balance	-	244,242		2,223,439	_		_	(2,223,439)
Total other financing sources (uses)	_	(104,714)	_	1,514,403	_	(224,500)	_	(1,738,903)
Net change in fund balances	\$		<u>\$</u>			1,542,521	\$	1,542,521
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1					-	17,500,557		
Fund balance, end of year - June 30					<u>\$</u>	19,043,078		

### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2008

		I	Enterprise Fund	s		
	Greater Badin Water & Sewer District Fund	Piney Point	Stanly County Utility	Airport Fund	Total	Governmental Activities- Internal Service Group Health Fund
Assets:						
Current Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 125,304	\$ 153,088	\$ 1,370,185	\$ 570,081	\$ 2,218,658	\$ 2,340,663
Accounts receivable, net	97,849	17,692	458,411	35,107	609,059	-
Interest receivable	348	426	1,122	958	2,854	6,512
Inventories	-	-	39,923	65,265		-
Total current assets	223,501	171,206	1,869,641	671,411	2,935,759	2,347,175
Noncurrent Assets:						
Bond discount, net of amortization	-		12,254		12,254	
Total deferred debits	_	-	12,254	-	12,254	
		-		-	12,201	
Capital Assets:						
Land			223,784	4,924,095	5,147,879	
Construction in progress	-	-	1,158,949	9,794	1,168,743	
Capital assets, net of depreciation	3,208,691	235,946	11,752,989	12,520,524	27,718,150	-
Total capital assets, net	3,208,691	235,946	13,135,722	17,454,413	34,034,772	1.0
Total noncurrent assets	3,208,691	235,946	13,147,976	17,454,413	34,047,026	-
Total assets	3,432,192	407,152	15,017,617	18,125,824	36,982,785	2,347,175
Liabilities:						
Current Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	13,709	3,018	118,483	3,795	139,005	
Interest payable	3,025	382	1,714	3,793	5,121	
Payroll payable	5,025	502	142	3,562	3,704	0
Interfund payable		_	110,503	5,502	110,503	
Compensated absences payable		_	15,000	10,000	25,000	2
Current portion of long-term debt	62,730	44,781	147,754	.0,000	255,265	
Health and workers' comp payable	-				-	1,229,708
Total current liabilities	79,464	48,181	393,596	17,357	538,598	1,229,708
Noncurrent I tabilities						
Noncurrent Liabilities: Customer deposits	12 220	810	70 600		00.000	
	13,320	810	78,690	4.720	92,820	•
Compensated absences payable Noncurrent portion of long-term debt	320,043	-	35,098	4,739	39,837	
Total noncurrent liabilities			115,000	4.720	435,043	
Total noncurrent habilities	333,363	810	228,788	4,739	567,700	<del></del>
Total liabilities	412,827	48,991	622,384	22,096	1,106,298	1,229,708
Net Assets:						
Invested in capital assets, net of						
related debt	2,825,918	191,165	12,872,968	17,454,413	33,344,464	
Unrestricted	193,447	166,996	1,522,265	649,315	2,532,023	1,117,467
Total net assets	\$ 3,019,365	\$ 358,161	\$ 14,395,233	\$ 18,103,728	\$ 35,876,487	\$ 1,117,467
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The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

### STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

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	Greater Badin Water & Sewer District Fund	Piney Point Water District Fund	Stanly County Utility Fund	Airport Fund	Totals	Governmental Activities- Internal Service Group Health Fund
Operating Revenues:						
Sales and charges	\$ 494,624	\$ 129,621	\$ 2,149,194	\$ 457,087	\$ 3,230,526	\$ 3,946,425
Other	5,486	4,563	29,826		39,875	
Total operating revenues	500,110	134,184	2,179,020	457,087	3,270,401	3,946,425
Operating Expenses:						
Administration	70,015	20,896	327,315		418,226	
Distribution and maintenance	204,816	3,244	1,090,271		1,298,331	_
Water purchases	84,096	32,259	464,137	_	580,492	_
Airport operations	-	-		638,067	638,067	1
Group health operations	_	-	-	-		3,220,468
Workers' compensation	<u>_</u>	_	_		_	260,928
Depreciation	360,974	34,762	643,212	950,491	1,989,439	
Total operating expenses	719,901	91,161	2,524,935	1,588,558	4,924,555	3,481,396
Operating income (loss)	(219,791)	43,023	(345,915)	_(1,131,471)	(1,654,154)	465,029
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses):						
Interest income	5,457	5,714	13,035	6,492	30,698	88,433
Grant	-	-,	17,950	0,.,2	17,950	-
Administrative charges	_	-	191,417	-	191,417	_
Interest on long-term debt	(17,772)	(2,107)	(21,126)		(41,005)	
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	(12,315)	3,607	201,276	6,492	199,060	88,433
Income before contributions						
and transfers	(232,106)	46,630	(144,639)	(1,124,979)	(1,455,094)	553,462
Contributions and Transfers:						
Transfers - in	-	-	249,580	348,956	598,536	1 14
Transfers - out			-		-	14
Capital contributions			147,474	69,327	216,801	
Total contributions and transfers			397,054	418,283	815,337	<u> </u>
Change in net assets (deficit)	(232,106)	46,630	252,415	(706,696)	(639,757)	553,462
Net Assets:						
Net assets - July 1	3,251,471	311,531	14,142,818	18,810,424	36,516,244	564,005
Net assets - June 30	\$ 3,019,365	\$ 358,161	\$ 14,395,233	\$ 18,103,728	\$35,876,487	\$ 1,117,467

#### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Enterprise Funds						_				
	Greater Badir Water & Sewe District Fund	r	Piney Point Water District Fund	-	Stanly County Utility Fund	_	Airport Fund		Totals	In	Governmental Activities- nternal Service Group Health Fund
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:											
Cash received from customers	\$ 454,910				3,349,725				4,594,198		
Cash paid for goods and services Cash paid to employees for services	(347,87	9)	(56,172)		(2,282,526)		(660,124)		(3,346,701)		(3,235,972)
Customer deposits	520	0	270		(695,502) 3,330		(205,983)		(901,485) 4,120		
Not each associated (cond) becomes in a still it	107.55		70.210		255 025		(000 ((5)			_	
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	107,55	<u>.</u>	70,219	-	375,027	-	(202,665)	_	350,132	_	710,451
Cash Flows From Noncapital Financing Activities:											
Transfers from general fund	-			_	249,580	_	348,956	_	598,536	_	
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities				_	249,580	_	348,956	_	598,536	_	
Cash Flows From Capital and Related Financing Activities:											
Acquisition and construction of capital assets	(54,525	5)			(566,484)		(143,823)		(764,832)		-5/
Principal paid on bond maturities and lease purchases	(62,731	,	(43,381)		(145,480)		(143,023)		(251,592)		
Interest paid on bond maturities and lease purchases	(18,542		(2,478)		(16,031)				(37,051)		-
Capital contribution		-		_	147,474	_	69,327		216,801		
Net cash used by capital and related financing											
activities	(135,798	3)	(45,859)	_	(580,521)	_	(74,496)	_	(836,674)	_	
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:											
Interest on investments	5,457	7	5,714	_	13,032	-	6,489	_	30,692	_	93,907
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(22,790	))	30,074		57,118		78,284		142,686		804,358
Cash and cash equivalents, July 1	148,094	1	123,014	_	1,313,067		491,797	_	2,075,972	_	1,536,305
Cash and cash equivalents, June 30	\$ 125,304	1 5	\$ 153,088	\$	1,370,185	\$	570,081	\$	2,218,658	\$	2,340,663
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:											
Operating income (loss) Adjustments to reconcile operating income to	\$ (219,791	) \$	\$ 43,023	\$	(345,915)	\$	(1,131,471)	\$	(1,654,154)	\$	465,029
net cash provided by operating activities: Depreciation	360,974	1	34,762		643,212		950,491		1,989,439		
Changes in assets and liabilities: (Increase) decrease in accounts receivable	(45,199	))	(8,064)		1,170,707		206,355		1,323,799		
(Increase) decrease in prepaid items		•	-						-		(3)
(Increase) decrease in inventory Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and liabilities	11.042	,	227		911		(13,944)		(13,033)		245 425
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and habilities Increase (decrease) in customer deposits	11,047 520		227 271		(1,073,742) 3,330		(215,875)		(1,278,343) 4,121		245,425
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences		_			(23,476)	_	1,779		(21,697)		
Total adjustments	327,342		27,196		720,942		928,806		2,004,286		245,422
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$ 107,551	<u>s</u>	70,219	\$	375,027	\$	(202,665)	\$	350,132	\$	710,451
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### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2008

	Agency Fund
Assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 151,024
Inmate cash	3,021
Total assets	<u>\$ 154,045</u>
Liabilities:	
Liabilities:	ф. 107.77/
Accounts payable	\$ 127,676
Client payable	26,369
Total liabilities	\$ 154,045

#### I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of Stanly County conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governments. The following is a summary of the more significant accounting policies:

#### A. Reporting Entity

The County, which is governed by a five-member board of commissioners, is one of the 100 counties established in North Carolina under North Carolina General Statute 153A-10. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, these financial statements present the County and its component units, which are legally separate entities for which the County is financially accountable. The blended component units, although legally separate entities, are in substance part of the County's operations.

**Blended component units** – Piney Point Water District and Greater Badin Water and Sewer District (Districts) exist to provide and maintain water and sewer services for residents within the Districts. Under state law (G. S. 162A-89), the County's board of commissioners serves as the governing board for the Districts. Therefore, the Districts are reported as enterprise funds in the County's financial statements. The Districts do not issue separate financial statements.

#### Discretely presented component units

**Stanly County Industrial Facility and Pollution Control Financing Authority** exists to issue and service revenue bond debt of private businesses for economic development purposes. The county commissioners appoint a seven-member board to govern the Authority. The county commissioners can remove any Authority member with or without cause. The Authority has no financial transactions or account balances; therefore, it is not presented in the County's financial statements at June 30, 2008. The Authority does not issue separate financial statements.

**Stanly Water and Sewer Authority** exists to provide water and sewer services for the County. The board of directors is appointed by the Stanly County Board of Commissioners. Complete financial statements for the Authority may be obtained from the Director of Finance, Stanly County, 1000 North First Street, Suite 10B, Albemarle, North Carolina, 28001.

#### B. Basis of Presentation, Basis of Accounting

The government-wide statements (Exhibit A – statement of net assets, and Exhibit B – the statement of activities) report information on all activities of the primary government (the County) and its component units. These statements include the financial activities of the overall government, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double counting of internal activities. These statements distinguish between the *governmental* and *business-type activities* of the County. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties.

The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for the different business-type activities of the County, and for each function of the County's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function, and therefore are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Indirect expense allocations that have been made in the funds have been reversed for the statement of activities. Program revenues include (a) fees and charges paid by the recipients of goods or services offered by the programs, and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements: The fund financial statements provide information about the County's funds, including its fiduciary funds and blended component units. Separate statements for each fund category – governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary – are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental and enterprise funds, each displayed in a separate column. All remaining governmental and enterprise funds are aggregated and reported as non-major funds.

Proprietary fund operating revenues, such as charges for services, result from exchange transactions associated with the principal activity of the fund. Exchange transactions are those in which each party receives and gives up essentially equal values. Non-operating revenues, such as subsidies and investment earnings, result from non-exchange transactions or ancillary activities.

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund – this is the County's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The County reports the following major enterprise funds – Greater Badin Water and Sewer Fund, Piney Point Water District, and Stanly County Utility Fund provide for water and sewer services. The Airport operations provide for landings, take-offs, tie-down slots, hangars, and refueling for both civilian and military aircraft.

The County reports the following fund types:

Agency Funds - Agency funds are custodial in nature and do not involve measurement of results of operations. Agency funds are used to account for assets the County holds on behalf of others. The County maintains the following Agency Funds: the Fines and Forfeitures Fund, which is used to account for monies collected by the Clerk of Court for the benefit of the Boards of Education located within Stanly County; the Sheriff's Execution Agency Fund, which is used to account for monies collected for tax warrants and judgments; the Protective Payee Fund, which is used to account for monies deposited with the County's Social Services Department for the benefit of certain individuals for whom the County acts as agent; the Property Tax Clearing Fund, which is used to account for monies collected from ad valorem taxes for the benefit of municipalities located in the County; and the Delinquent Vehicle Tax Fund which accounts for the three percent interest collected on the first month of delinquent motor vehicle taxes that the County is required to remit to the North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles.

Internal Service Fund – The Internal Service Fund is used to account for the financial activities of the County's self-insured benefit plans for employee health care and workers compensation.

### Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

In accordance with North Carolina General Statutes, all funds of the County are maintained during the year using the modified accrual basis of accounting.

Government-wide, Proprietary and Fiduciary Fund Financial Statements. The government-wide, proprietary, and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus, except agency funds that have no measurement focus. The government-wide, proprietary fund, and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of when the related cash flows take place. Non-exchange transactions, in which the County gives (or receives) value without directly receiving (or giving) equal value in exchange, include property taxes, grants, entitlements, and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants, entitlements, and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

Amounts reported as program revenues include (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services, or privileges provided, (2) operating grants and contributions, and (3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all taxes.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of enterprise funds are charges to customers for sales and services. The County also recognizes as operating revenue the portion of tap fees intended to recover the cost of connecting new customers to the system. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

Governmental Fund Financial Statements. Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when measurable and available. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on general long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences, which are recognized as expenditures to the extent they have matured. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

The County considers all revenues available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end, except for property taxes. Ad valorem property taxes are not accrued as a revenue because the amount is not susceptible to accrual. At June 30, 2008, taxes receivable are materially past due and are not considered to be an available resource to finance the operations of the current year. Also, as of January 1, 1993, State law altered the procedures for the assessment and collection of property taxes on registered motor vehicles in North Carolina. Effective with this change of the law, the County is responsible for billing and collecting the property taxes on all registered motor vehicles on behalf of all municipalities and special tax districts in the County. For those motor vehicles registered under the staggered system, property taxes are due the first day of the fourth month after the vehicles are registered. The billed taxes are applicable to the fiscal year in which they become due. Therefore, taxes for vehicles registered from March 2007 through February 2008 apply to the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Uncollected taxes that were billed during this period are shown as a receivable on these financial statements and are offset by deferred revenues.

Sales taxes and certain intergovernmental revenues, such as utilities franchise tax, collected and held by the State at year-end on behalf of the County are recognized as revenue. Intergovernmental revenues and sales and services are not susceptible to accrual because generally they are not measurable until received in cash. Grant revenues which are unearned at year-end are recorded as unearned revenues. Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other grant requirements have been satisfied.

Under the terms of grant agreements, the County funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants, categorical block grants, and general revenues. Thus when program expenses are incurred, there are both restricted and unrestricted net assets available to finance the program. It is the County's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, followed by categorical block grants, and then by general revenues.

All governmental and business-type activities and enterprise funds of the County follow FASB Statements and Interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, Accounting Principles Board Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins, unless those pronouncements conflict with GASB pronouncements.

#### C. Budgetary Data

The County's budgets are adopted as required by the North Carolina General Statutes. An annual budget is adopted for the General Fund, Emergency Telephone System, Adequate Facilities Reserve Fund and Fire District Special Revenue Funds, and the Enterprise Funds. All annual appropriations lapse at the end of the fiscal year. Project ordinances are adopted for the Community Development Block Grants Special Revenue Funds, the Jail Construction Capital Project Fund and the Enterprise Capital Projects Funds, which are consolidated with the enterprise operating funds for reporting purposes.

All budgets are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations at the functional level for all annually budgeted funds and at the object level for the multi-year funds. Amendments are required for any revisions that alter total expenditures of any fund or that change functional appropriations by more than \$5,000. The governing board must approve all amendments. During the year, several amendments to the original budget were necessary. The budget ordinance must be adopted by July 1 of the fiscal year or the governing board must adopt an interim budget that covers that time until the annual ordinance can be adopted.

### D. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

1. Deposits and investments – All deposits of the County are made in board-designated official depositories and are secured as required by G.S. 159-31. The County may designate, as an official depository, any bank or savings and loan association whose principal office is located in North Carolina. Also, the County may establish time deposit accounts such as NOW and Super NOW accounts, money market accounts, and certificates of deposit. State law (G.S. 159-30 (c)) authorizes the County to invest in obligations of the United States or obligations fully guaranteed both as to principal and interest by the United States; obligations of the State of North Carolina; bonds and notes of any North Carolina local government or public authority; obligations of certain non-guaranteed federal agencies; certain high-quality issues of commercial paper and bankers' acceptances; and the North Carolina Capital Management Trust (NCCMT).

The County's investments with maturity of more than one year at acquisition and non-money market investments are carried at fair value as determined by quoted market price. The securities of the NCCMT-Cash Portfolio, a SEC-registered (2a-7) money market mutual fund money market mutual fund, are valued at fair value, which is the NCCMT's share price.

- **2.** Cash and cash equivalents The County pools monies from several funds to facilitate disbursement and investment and to maximize investment income. Therefore, all cash and investments are essentially demand deposits and are considered cash and cash equivalents.
- 3. Ad valorem taxes receivable In accordance with State law [G. S. 105-347 and G. S. 159-13 (a)], the County levies ad valorem taxes on property other than certain motor vehicles on July 1, the beginning of the fiscal year. The taxes are due on September 1; however, penalties and interest do not accrue until the following January 6, when property taxes attach as enforceable liens. These taxes are based on the assessed values as of January 1, 2007. As allowed by state law, the County has established a schedule of discounts that apply to taxes that are paid prior to the due date. In the General Fund, ad valorem tax revenues are reported net of such discounts.
- **4. Allowances for doubtful accounts** Receivables that historically experience uncollectible accounts are shown net of allowances for doubtful accounts. These amounts are estimated by analyzing the percentage of receivables written off in prior years.
- **5. Inventories** The inventories of the enterprise funds consist of materials and supplies held for consumption, and are valued using the first-in, first-out method or cost. The cost is recorded as an expense when the inventory is consumed.
- **6. Capital assets** The County's minimum capitalization threshold is \$2,000. Capital assets are recorded at original cost at the time of acquisition or estimated market value at the time of donation. Interest is capitalized on enterprise capital assets acquired with debt. The amount of interest capitalized is offset by interest income derived from investing the proceeds of the debt. Depreciation is recorded on the straight-line basis using the following depreciable lives:

	Years
Water distribution systems	20-50
Sewer collection system	20
Waterwater treatment facility	20
Buidlings and terminal	40
Airport improvements	10-30
Equipment	3-10

- **7. Long-term obligations** In the government-wide financial statements and in the proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net assets. In the fund financial statements for governmental fund types, the face amount of debt issued is reported as an other financing source.
- **8. Compensated absences** The vacation policy of the County provides for the accumulation of up to thirty (30) days earned vacation leave with such leave being fully vested when earned. For the County's government-wide and proprietary funds, an expense and a liability for compensated absences and the salary-related payments are recorded as the leave is earned.

The sick leave policy of the County provides for an unlimited accumulation of earned sick leave. Sick leave does not vest, but any unused sick leave accumulated at the time of retirement may be used in the determination of length of service for retirement benefit purposes. Because the County has no obligation for the accumulated sick leave until it is actually taken, no accrual for sick leave has been made.

- **9. 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.
- **10. Deferred / unearned revenue** Property taxes collected in advance of the fiscal year to which they apply are recorded as unearned revenue in the government-wide financial statements and deferred revenue in the fund financial statements. Certain receivables are also recorded as deferred revenue in the fund financial statements because they are not considered to be available at year-end.
- **11. Self-insured** The County is self-insured for workers' compensation and for employee's medical with third party insurance coverage at specified levels. The self-insurance plan is administered by a third party administrator. Amounts remitted by the County to the administrator include estimates of the eventual loss on claims arising prior to year-end, including claims incurred and not yet reported. The liability for estimated claims is accrued in the Group Health Fund.
- **12. Net assets and fund equity** Net assets in government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements are classified as invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted; and unrestricted. Restricted net assets represent constraints on resources that are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments, or imposed by law through state statute.

#### **Fund Balances**

In the governmental fund financial statements, reservations or restrictions of fund balance represent amounts that are not appropriable or are legally segregated for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

State law [G.S. 159-13(b)(16)] restricts the appropriation of fund balance to an amount not to exceed the sum of cash and investments minus the sum of liabilities, encumbrances and deferred revenues arising from cash receipts as those amounts stand at the close of the fiscal year preceding the budget year.

The governmental fund types classify fund balances as follows:

**Reserved fund balances** are legal or regulated restrictions as established by state law or by a state regulatory agency.

Reserved by State Statute – portion of fund balance which is not available for appropriation under state law [G.S. 159-8(a)]. This amount is usually comprised of accounts receivable and interfund receivables that are not offset by deferred revenues.

Reserved for Register of Deeds – portion of fund balance constituting the Automation Enhancement and Preservation Fund, funded by 10% of the fees collected and maintained by the register of deeds' office. The funds are available for appropriation but are legally restricted for computer and imaging technology in the register of deeds' office.

Reserved for prepaid items – portion of fund balance required to be reserved for the amount of prepaid items.

**General Fund Unreserved** – Designated fund balances totaling \$2,080,074 are comprised of the following:

Designated for Home Health – Portion of fund balance designated for future home health services - \$231,853.

Designated for Medicaid Settlements – Portion of fund balance designated for future health related activities - \$83,737.

Designated for Dental Clinic – Portion of fund balance designated for future dental clinic services - \$579,305.

Designated for Library Endowment – Portion of fund balance designated for Library activities - \$72,074.

Designated for 4-H – Portion of fund balance designated for future 4-H services - \$28,375.

Designated for subsequent year's expenditures – Portion of fund balance that has been designated for the adopted 2008-2009 budget ordinance - \$1,045,480.

Designated for RPO – Portion of fund balance designated for RPO services - \$10,306.

Designated for Jail Inmates – Portion of fund balances designed for inmates \$28,944.

Undesignated – the portion of total fund balance available for future appropriations.

#### E. Accounting 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 amount of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### F. Reconciliation of Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

1. Explanation of certain differences between the governmental fund balance sheet and the government-wide statement of net assets.

The governmental fund balance sheet includes a reconciliation between fund balance - total governmental funds and net assets - governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of net assets. The net adjustment of a negative consists of several elements as follows:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are not reported in the funds.

 Land
 \$ 1,766,317

 Depreciable property
 33,101,910

Accumulated depreciation (15,508,509) \$ 19,359,718

The focus of governmental funds is on short-term financing;

long-term assets are deferred in the funds.

Interest receivable 403,576

Deferred taxes 1,946,910 2,350,486

Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. County incurs debt for school construction but does not receive title for the building or property. This financial transaction results in a deficit for the County's net assets.

Interest payable (358,388)
Due in one year (2,613,041)

Due in more than one year (24,160,962) (27,132,391)

Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of certain activities to individual funds. These assets and liabilities are included in governmental activities in the statement of net assets.

1,117,467

Total adjustment \$\(\(\frac{4,304,720}{}\)

2. Explanation of certain differences between the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance and the government-wide statement of activities.

The governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances includes a reconciliation between net changes in fund balances - total governmental funds and changes in net assets of governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of activities. The elements of the total adjustments are as follows:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. In the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is depreciated over their estimated useful lives.

Total adjustment

depreciated over their estimated useful lives.  Capital outlays  Sale of capital assets	\$ 4,586,914 (20,471)	
Depreciation	(1,358,086)	\$ 3,208,357
The issuance of long-term debt (e.g., bonds, leases) is a resource and the repayment of bond principal is an expenditure in governmental funds, but those transactions increase or reduce long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets.  Debt retired	1,728,155	1,728,155
Some revenues reported in the statement of activities are not yet available and, therefore, are not reported as revenues in the governmental funds.  Accrual of interest  Accrual of taxes	620 (64,932)	(64,312)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds.  Allowance for special separation Compensated absences	6,241 (5,031)	
Interest expense	18,161	19,371
Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of certain activities to individual funds.  The net revenue of most of these activities is reported		
with governmental activities.	553,462	553,462

5,445,033

#### II. Stewardship, Compliance, and Unrestricted Net Asset Deficit

#### **Excess of Expenditures over Appropriations**

In the General Fund, Environmental Protection expenses were in excess of the budget ordinance by \$50,498. In the Emergency Telephone System Fund, transfers were in excess of the budget ordinance by \$484,536. In the Greater Badin Water and Sewer District Fund, expenditures were in excess of the budget ordinance by \$11,611. Management will more closely monitor budget reports to ensure compliance in future years.

#### III. Detail Notes on All Funds

#### A. Assets

#### 1. Deposits

All of the County's demand deposits and certificates of deposits are either federal depository insured or collateralized by the Pooling Method, a collateral pool, where all uninsured deposits are collateralized with securities held by the State Treasurer's agent in the name of the State Treasurer. Since the State Treasurer is acting in a fiduciary capacity for the County, these deposits are considered to be held by the County's agent in the County's name. The amount of the pledged collateral is based on an approved averaging method for non-interest bearing deposits and the actual current balance for interest-bearing deposits. Depositories using the Pooling Method report to the State Treasurer the adequacy of their pooled collateral covering uninsured deposits. The State Treasurer does not confirm this information with the County or the escrow agent. Because of the inability to measure the exact amount of collateral pledged for the County under the Pooling Method, the potential exists for under collaterization, and this risk may increase in periods of high cash flows. However, the State Treasurer of North Carolina enforces strict standards of financial stability for each depository using the Pooling Method. The County does not have a policy regarding custodial credit risk for deposits, but relies on the State Treasurer to enforce standards of minimum capitalization for all pooling method financial institutions and to monitor them for compliance. The County complies with the provisions of G.S. 159-31 when designating official depositories and verifying that deposits are properly secured.

The County maintains a pool for substantially all cash, cash equivalents, and investments. These balances are reflected in the financial statements as "cash and cash equivalents" or "restricted assets" as appropriate. Interest earnings are allocated monthly to qualified funds based on the fund's monthly cash balances.

At June 30, 2008 the County's demand deposits had a carrying amount of \$12,237,759 and a bank balance of \$12,948,733. Of the bank balance, \$404,610 was covered by federal depository insurance. The remaining \$12,544,123 was collateralized under the Pooling Method. The petty cash funds totaled \$5,467.

#### 2. Investments

As of June 30, 2008, the County had \$9,953,771 invested with the North Carolina Capital Managements Trust's Cash Portfolio-which carried a credit rating of AAAm by Standard and Poor's. The County has no policy regarding credit risk.

		Less Than		
Investment Type	Fair Value	6 Months	6-12 Months	1-3 Years
NC Capital Mangement Trust-				
Cash Portfolio	\$ 9,953,771	N/A	N/A	N/A

Interest Rate Risk. As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates, the County's investment policy limits at least half of the County's investment portfolio to maturities of less than one year. Also, the County's investment policy requires purchases of securities to be laddered with staggered maturity dates and limits all securities to a final maturity of no more than three years.

Credit Risk. The County's investments in the NC Capital Management Trust Cash Portfolio carried a credit rating of AAAm by Standard & Poor's as of June 30, 2008. All other investments, certificates of deposits and sweep accounts are covered by financial institutions who participate in the pooling method.

#### 3. Property Tax and Use-value Assessment on Certain Lands

In accordance with the general statutes, agriculture, horticulture, and forestland may be taxed at present use-value rather than market value. When the property loses its eligibility for use-value taxation, the property tax is recomputed at market value for the current year and the three preceding fiscal years, along with accrued interest from the original due date. This tax is immediately due and payable. The following are property taxes that could become due if the present use-value eligibility is lost. These amounts have not been recorded in the financial statements.

Year Levied	Tax	Interest	Total
2005	\$ 2,213,482	\$ 525,693	\$ 2,739,175
2006	2,283,051	336,738	2,619,788
2007 2008	2,382,903 2,427,373	137,015	2,519,917 2,427,373
Total	\$ 9,306,809	\$ 999,445	\$ 10,306,254

#### 4. Receivables

Receivables at the government-wide level at June 30, 2008 were as follows:

	_R	Taxes eceivable		Trade accounts eceivable		Due from Other overnments	_	Interest and Other	_	Total
Governmental Activities: General Other Governmental	\$	2,098,896 64,918	\$	1,823,241 35,491	\$	1,902,758 <u>-</u>	\$	384,293 <u>-</u>	\$	6,209,188 100,409
Total receivables		2,163,814		1,858,732		1,902,758		384,293		6,309,597
Allowance for doubtful accounts	_	(364,259)	_	(174,901)	_		_		_	(539,159)
Total governmental activities	\$	1,799,556	\$	1,683,831	\$	1,902,758	\$	384,293	\$	5,770,438
Business-type Activities: Greater Badin Water and Sewer District Piney Point Wtater District Stanly County Utility Fund Airport	\$		\$	110,880 18,388 354,048 35,430	\$	- - 137,799 -	\$	348 426 1,122 957	\$	111,228 18,814 492,969 36,387
Total receivables		-		518,746		137,799		2,854		659,399
Allowance for doubtful accounts	_	-	_	(47,486)	_		_		_	(47,486)
Total business-type activities	\$	-	\$	471,260	\$	137,799	\$	2,854	\$	611,913

Due from other governments for the year ended June 30, 2008, consists of the following:

Local option sales tax	\$ 1,571,993
Sales Tax Receivable	263,369
Grants receivable	147,156
Tire and White Goods	22,682
Telecommunication tax	 35,357
	\$ 2,040,557

### 5. Capital Assets

### **Primary Government**

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2008 were as follows:

Governmental activities:	07/01/07	Additions	Retirements	06/30/08
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 1,370,843	\$ 395,474	\$ -	\$ 1,766,317
Construction in progress	3,367,525	3,346,197		6,713,722
Total capital assets not being depreciated	4,738,368	3,741,671		8,480,039
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings	17,288,923	-	•	17,288,923
Equipment and vehicles	8,848,569	845,244	594,548	9,099,265
Total capital assets being depreciated:	26,137,492	845,244	594,548	26,388,188
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings	7,725,926	447,201		8,173,127
Equipment and vehicles	6,998,573	910,885	574,076	7,335,382
Total accumulated depreciation	14,724,499	1,358,086	574,076	15,508,509
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	11,412,993			10,879,679
Governmental activity capital assets, net	\$ 16,151,361			\$ 19,359,718

Depreciation expense was charged to functions of the primary government as follows:

Governmental Functions:

General government	\$	311,560
Public safety		687,967
Transportation		70,435
Environmental protection		14,064
Economic development		3,797
Human services		51,074
Culture and recreation	_	219,189
Total depreciation expense governmental functions	\$	1,358,086

### **Business-type Activities**

Capital asset activity for business-type activites for year ended June 30, 2008 was as follows:

	07/01/07		Additions		Retire	ements		06/30/08
Business-type activities:								
Greater Badin Water and Sewer:								
Capital assets being depreciated:								
Plant in service Equipment and vehicles	\$	7,309,606 135,054	\$	54,524	\$	-	\$	7,309,606 189,578
Total capital assets being depreciated		7,444,660	-	54,524	-		-	7,499,184
Less accumulated depreciation for:		1,111,000		- 1,021	-			
Plant in service		3,787,365		349,520		_		4,136,885
Equipment and vehicles		142,154		11,454		-		153,608
Total accumulated depreciation		3,929,519		360,974		-		4,290,493
Total capital assets being dep, net		3,515,141						3,208,691
Total Greater Badin capital assets, net		3,515,141						3,208,691
Piney Point Water:								
Capital assets being depreciated:								
Plant in service		727,984		-		-		727,984
Total assets being depreciated		727,984		-				727,984
Less accumulated depreciation for:								
Plant in service		457,276		34,762		-		492,038
Total accumulated depreciation	_	457,276	_	34,762				492,038
Total Piney Point capital assets, net	_	270,708						235,946
Stanly Utility Operating:								
Capital assets not being depreciated:								
Land		223,784		-				223,784
Construction in progress	_	3,168,157	_	380,487		89,695	-	1,158,949
Total assets not being depreciated	_	3,391,941	_	380,487	2,3	89,695	_	1,382,733
Capital assets being depreciated:								
Plant in service		17,312,574		2,568,691		11 160		19,881,265 528,260
Equipment and vehicles	_	532,420	_	7,000 2,575,691		11,160 11,160		20,409,525
Total capital assets being depreciated:	-	17,844,994	_	2,373,091	-	11,100	-	20,409,525
Less accumulated depreciation for:				007.040				0.040.440
Plant in service Equipment and vehicles		7,642,397 382,088		607,043 36,168		- 11,160		8,249,440 407,096
Total accumulated depreciation	1	8,024,485	_	643,211	_	11,160		8,656,536
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	_	9,820,509	_	0.10,211	-	. 1,100	-	11,752,989
Total Stanly County Utility capital assets, net		13,212,450						13,135,722

	07/01/07	Additions	Retirements	06/30/08
Airport Operating:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	4,924,095		-	4,924,095
Construction in progress	591,013	79,121	660,340	9,794
Total capital assets not being depreciated	5,515,108	79,121	660,340	4,933,889
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings	1,852,922	_	-	1,852,922
Improvements	19,594,709	591,013	-	20,185,722
Equipment and vehicles	173,781	134,028	5,625	302,184
Total capital assets being depreciated:	21,621,412	725,041	5,625	22,340,828
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings	280,318	55,725	-	336,043
Improvements	8,445,923	841,913	-	9,287,836
Equipment and vehicles	149,198	52,852	5,625	196,425
Total accumulated depreciation	8,875,439	\$ 950,490	\$ 5,625	9,820,304
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	12,745,973			12,520,524
Total Airport capital assets, net	18,261,081			17,454,413
Total business-type activity capital assets, net	\$ 35,259,380			\$ 34,034,772

### **Construction Commitments:**

Pro	ject to Date	Commitment			
\$	15,972	\$	589,028		
	432,412		42,513		
	877,016		430,512		
	60,048		596,922		
	205,912		4,088		
	591,014		4,659		
	9,794		571,210		
_	6,713,723	-	1,507,663		
\$	8,905,891	\$	3,746,595		
	\$	432,412 877,016 60,048 205,912 591,014 9,794 6,713,723	Project to Date \$ 15,972 \$ \$ 432,412 \$ 877,016 \$ 60,048 \$ 205,912 \$ 591,014 \$ 9,794 \$ 6,713,723		

#### B. Liabilities

#### 1. Payables

Payables at the government-wide level at June 30, 2008 were as follows:

		Vendors		laries and Benefits		Accrued Interest		Other		Total
Governmental Activities:										
General - Internal Service	\$	1,971,331	\$	124,056	\$	358,387	\$	223,989	\$	2,677,763
Other	_	271,331	_	-	_		_		_	271,331
Total-governmental activities	\$	2,242,662	\$	124,056	\$	358,387	\$	223,989	\$	2,949,094
Business-type Activities:										
Water and Sewer Districts	\$	135,206	\$	146	\$	5,121	\$	92,820	\$	233,293
Airport	_	3,795	_	3,562	_	-	_	-	_	7,357
Total business-type activities:	\$	139,001	\$	3,708	\$	5,121	\$	92,820	\$	240,650

#### 2. Pension Plan Obligations

#### a. North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System

Plan description – Stanly County contributes to the statewide Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System (LGERS), and to the Law Enforcement Officers' Retirement System (LEO), cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plans administered by the State of North Carolina. LGERS and LEO provide retirement and disability benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Article 3 of G.S. Chapter 128 assigns the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions to the North Carolina General Assembly. The LGERS and LEO are included in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for the State of North Carolina. The State's CAFR includes financial statements and required supplementary information for LGERS and LEO. That report may be obtained by writing to the Office of the State Controller, 1410 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-1410, or by calling (919) 981-5454.

Funding Policy – Plan members are required to contribute six percent of their annual covered salary. The County is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. For the County, the current rate for employees not engaged in law enforcement is 4.96%, and for law enforcement officers 4.86% of annual covered payroll. The contribution requirements for members and for Stanly County are established and may be amended by the North Carolina General Assembly. The County's contributions to LGERS for the years ended June 30, 2006, 2007, and 2008 were \$579,040, \$629,386, and \$679,412, respectively. The County's contributions to LEO for the years ended June 30, 2006, 2007, and 2008 were \$72,167, \$75,448, and \$78,534, respectively. The contributions made by the County equaled the required contributions for each year.

#### b. Law Enforcement Officers' Special Separation Allowance

Plan Description – Stanly County administers a public employee retirement system (the "Separation Allowance"), a single-employer defined benefit pension plan that provides retirement benefits to the County's qualified sworn law enforcement officers. The Separation Allowance is equal to .85% of the annual equivalent of the base rate of compensation most recently applicable to the officer for each year of creditable service. The retirement benefits are not subject to any increases in salary or retirement allowances that may be authorized by the General Assembly. Article 12D of G.S. Chapter 143 assigns the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions to the North Carolina General Assembly. The County does not issue a separate report for this pension activity.

The Separation Allowance covers all full-time County law enforcement officers. At December 31, 2007, the Separation Allowance's membership consisted of:

Retirees receiving benefits 5
Active plan members <u>49</u>

Total <u>54</u>

### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

Basis of Accounting – The County has chosen to fund the Separation Allowance on a pay-as-you-go basis. Pension expenditures are made from the General Fund, which is maintained on the modified accrual basis of accounting.

*Method Used to Value Investments* – No funds are set aside to pay benefits and administration costs. These expenditures are paid as they come due.

#### Contributions

The County is required by Article 12D of G.S. Chapter 143 to provide separation allowance retirement benefits and has chosen to fund the benefit payments on a "pay-as-you-go" basis through annual appropriations made in the General Fund operating budget. The annual separation allowance costs are pro-rated and paid monthly. The County does not provide a funding schedule for the Net Pension Obligation. The County's annual separation allowance costs for fiscal year ended June 30, 2008 was \$56,962 or .85% of annual covered payroll.

The annual required contribution for the current year was determined as part of the December 31, 2006 actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit actuarial cost method. The actuarial assumptions included: (a) 7.25% investment rate of return (net of administrative expenses) and (b) projected salary increases ranging from 4.5% to 12.3% per year. Item (b) included an inflation component of 3.75%. The assumptions did not include post-retirement benefit increases. The actuarial value of assets was determined using the market value of investments. The unfunded actuarial accrued liability is being amortized as a level dollar amount on a closed basis. The remaining amortization period at December 31, 2006 was 24 years.

Change in Net Pension Obligation – As of December 31, 2007, the County's Net Pension Obligation was \$267,432, a decrease of \$6,241 from the previous year. The County's Annual Pension Cost for June 30, 2008 was \$50,721.

Employer annual required contribution	\$ 47,697
Interest on net pension obligation	19,841
Adjustment to annual required contribution	(16,817)
Annual pension cost	50,721
Employer contributions made for fiscal year	56,962
Increase (decrease) in net pension obligation	(6,241)
Net pension obligation, January 1, 2007	273,673
Net pension obligation. December 31, 2007	\$ 267.432

#### Trend Information

Fiscal Year Ended	ual Pension st (APC)	Percentage of APC Contributed	(	et Pension Obligation nd of Year
June 30, 2006	\$ 46,666	77.48%	\$	280,218
June 30, 2007	45,400	114.42%		273,673
June 30, 2008	50,721	112.30%		267,432

Funded Status and Funding Progress - As of December 31, 2006 the most recent actuarial valuation date, the plan was not funded. The actuarial accrued liability for benefits and the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) was \$417,619. The covered payroll (annual payroll of active employees covered by the plan) was \$1,637,644, and the ratio of the UAAL to the covered payroll was 25.50 percent.

The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents multi-year trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets are increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

### c. Supplemental Retirement Income Plan for Law Enforcement Officers

Plan Description – The County contributes to the Supplemental Retirement Income Plan (Plan), a defined contribution pension plan administered by the Department of State Treasurer and a Board of Trustees. The Plan provides retirement benefits to law enforcement officers employed by the County. Article 5 of G.S. Chapter 135 assigns the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions to the North Carolina General Assembly. The Supplemental Retirement Income Plan for Law Enforcement Officers is included in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for the State of North Carolina. The State's CAFR includes the pension trust fund financial statements for the Internal Revenue Code Section 401(k) plan that includes the Supplemental Retirement Income Plan for Law Enforcement Officers. That report may be obtained by writing to the Office of the State Controller, 1410 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-1410, or by calling (919) 981-5454.

**Funding Policy** – Article 12E of G.S. Chapter 143 requires the County to contribute each month an amount equal to five percent of each officer's salary, and all amounts contributed are vested immediately. Also, the law enforcement officers may make voluntary contributions to the plan. Contributions for the year ended June 30, 2008 were \$86,142, which consisted of \$79,967 from the County and \$6,175, from the law enforcement officers. The County provides a Section 401K Deferred Compensation Plan for this purpose.

#### d. Register of Deeds' Supplemental Pension Fund

Plan Description – Stanly County also contributes to the Register of Deeds' Supplemental Pension Fund (Fund), a noncontributory, defined contribution plan administered by the North Carolina Department of State Treasurer. The Fund provides supplemental pension benefits to any county register of deeds that is retired under the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System (LGERS) or an equivalent locally sponsored plan. Article 3 of G.S. Chapter 161 assigns the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions to the North Carolina General Assembly. The State's CAFR includes financial statements and required supplementary information for LGERS. The Registers of Deeds' Supplemental Pension Fund is included in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for the State of North Carolina. The State's CAFR includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the Resisters of Deeds' Supplemental Pension Fund. That report may be obtained by writing to the Office of the State Controller, 1410 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-1410, or by calling (919) 981-5454.

Funding Policy – On a monthly basis, the County remits to the Department of State Treasurer an amount equal to one and one-half percent (1.5%) of the monthly receipts collected pursuant to Article 1 of G.S. 161. Immediately following January 1 of each year, the Department of State Treasurer divides ninety-three percent (93%) of the amount in the Fund at the end of the preceding calendar year into equal shares to be disbursed as monthly benefits. The State Treasurer in administering the Fund may use the remaining seven percent (7%) of the Fund's assets. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, the County's required and actual contributions were \$5,190.

#### e. Other Post - Employment Benefits

According to a County resolution, at retirement, all employees who have at least 30 years of service to Stanly County, are provided free medical insurance until becoming eligible for Medicare. Employees with a minimum of 25 years of service in the state retirement system, and with at least 10 years of service to Stanly County, are provided insurance by paying 50% of the cost.

#### f. Other Employment Benefits

The County has elected to provide death benefits to employees through the Death Benefit Plan for members of the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System (Death Benefit Plan), a multiple-employer, State-administered, cost-sharing plan funded on a one-year term cost basis. The beneficiaries of those employees who die in active service after one year of contributing membership in the System, or who die within 180 days after retirement or termination of service and have at least one year of contributing membership in the System at the time of death are eligible for death benefits. Lump sum death benefit payments to beneficiaries are equal to the employee's 12 highest months

salary in a row during the 24 months prior to the employee's death, with the benefit being no less than \$25,000 and no greater than \$50,000.

All death benefit payments are made from the Death Benefit Plan. The County has no liability beyond the payment of monthly contributions. Contributions are determined as a percentage of monthly payrolls, based upon rates established annually by the State. Separate rates are set for employees not engaged in law enforcement and for law enforcement officers. Because the benefit payments are made by the Death Benefit Plan and not by the county, the County does not determine the number of eligible participants. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, the County made contributions to the State for death benefits of \$22,813. The County's required contributions for employees not engaged in law enforcement and for law enforcement officers represented .15 percent and .14 percent of covered payroll, respectively. The contributions to the Death Benefit Plan cannot be separated between the post employment benefit amount and the other benefit amount. The County considers these contributions to be immaterial.

#### 3. Deferred and Unearned Revenues

The balance in deferred revenues on the fund statements and unearned on the government-wide statements at year-end is composed of the following elements:

	Defe	rred Revenue	Unearned Revenue			
Prepaid taxes not yet earned	\$	-	\$	93,172		
Taxes receivable, net (General)		1,881,992		-		
Taxes receivable, net (Special)		64,918	3	-		
Total	\$	1,946,910	\$	93,172		

#### 4. Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters for which the County carries commercial insurance. The County provides its employee's health and dental benefits. The health benefits are provided in a self-insured insurance plan and the dental in a fully insured plan.

Medical and Dental: The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to medical and illness needs of employees. The County and employees participate in a cost-share plan for group health insurance. The County established the Group Health Fund (Internal Service Fund) to account for its self-insurance plan. The County has contracted with the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners Risk Management Agency, a third-party administrator, to account for its group health self-insurance plan that is administrated by Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Carolina. The County is responsible for claims up to \$50,000 per covered employee/dependent per policy term. Claims greater than \$50,000 per covered employee/dependent per policy term, and those in excess of the aggregate stop loss of 120% of expected net claims, are insured by the private insurance carrier. All employees of the County participate in the program and make payments to the Group Health Fund based on estimates of the amounts needed to pay claims. The claims liability of \$460,314 reported in the fund at June 30, 2008 is based on the requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 10, which requires that a liability for claims be reported if information prior to the

issuance of the financial statements indicates that it is probable that a liability has been incurred at the date of the financial statements and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. The \$460,314 claims liability represents total estimated claims incurred but not reported, as provided by the plan administrator's actuary.

	June 30							
		2008	2007					
Unpaid claims and claim adjustment expenses at beginning of fiscal year	\$	215,000	\$	215,000				
Incurred claims and claim adjustment expenses:  Provision for insured events of current year		2,612,972		2,413,466				
Claims and adjustment expenses attributable to insured events of current and prior year	_	2,367,658		2,413,466				
Total Claims Liability	\$	460,314	\$	215,000				

Workers Compensation: The County is self-funded for workers compensation. Through this self-funded workers compensation program, the County obtains workers' compensation coverage up to the statutory limits, with no deductible. The fund is reinsured through an insurance company for single occurrence losses of \$300,000 and aggregate excess limit for \$1,000,000. The claims liability of \$737,712 reported in the fund at June 30, 2008 is based on the requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 10, which requires that a liability for claims be reported if information prior to the issuance of the financial statements indicates that it is probable that a liability has been incurred at the date of the financial statements and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. The \$737,712 claims liability represents total estimated claims incurred but not reported, as provided by the plan administrator's actuary.

	June	30		
	 2008		2007	
Unpaid claims and claim adjustment expenses at beginning of fiscal year	\$ 712,918	\$	609,343	
Incurred claims and claim adjustment expenses:  Provision for insured events of current year	184,612		307,961	
Claims and adjustment expenses attributable to insured events of current and prior year	159,818		204,386	
Total Claims Liability	\$ 737,712	\$	712,918	

**Commercial Insurance**: The County carries commercial coverage for all other risks of loss. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage from the previous year and settled claims have not exceeded coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The County carries no flood insurance.

In accordance with G.S. 159-29, the County's employees that have access to \$100 or more at any given time of the County's funds are performance bonded through a commercial surety bond. The finance officer and the tax collector are bonded for \$100,000 each.

#### 5. Claims, Judgments and Contingent Liabilities

At June 30, 2008, the County was a defendant to various lawsuits. In the opinion of the County's management and the County attorney, the ultimate effect of these legal matters will not have a material adverse effect on the County's financial position.

#### 6. Long-term Obligations

#### a. Capital Leases

The County has entered into agreements to lease certain land, buildings and equipment. These agreements are in substance lease-purchases (capital leases) for accounting purposes and therefore have been recorded at the present value of the future minimum lease payments as of the date of their inception. Titles pass to the County at the end of the lease terms. Capital lease agreements at June 30, 2008 are comprised of the following:

#### **General Government:**

Lease for the acquisition, construction and renovation of a Human Services Facility and Prison Land entered into on March 22, 1993. Agreement modified on August 15, 2003, payable in semi-annual installments of \$243,919 including interest through March 26, 2009. The interest rate was reduced from 5.47% to 3.2%.	\$ 476,375
Lease for the construction of the jail additions entered into on August 10, 2006, payable in semi-annual principal payments of \$183,333 and semi-annual interest payments at a rate of 4.19% through August 10, 2021.	4,950,000
Total General Government	\$5,426,375
Enterprise Funds:	
Piney Point Water District Fund: Lease for the construction of water lines entered into on March 22, 1993. Agreement modified on August 15, 2003, payable in semi-annual installments of \$37,252 including interest through March 26, 2009. The interest rate was reduced from 5.47% to 3.20%.	\$ 44,781
Stanly County Utility Fund: Lease for the extension of a water line entered into on March 22, 1993. Agreement modified on August 15, 2003 payable in semi-annual installments of \$37,252 including interest through March 26, 2009. The interest rate was reduced from 5.47% to 3.20%.	72,753
Total Enterprise Funds	117,534
Total Capital Leases	\$ 5,543,909
b. Notes Payable	
Enterprise Fund:	

### **Enterprise Fund:**

### **Greater Badin Water and Sewer District:**

North Carolina Clean Water Revolving Loan executed on May 1, 1999, payable in annual principal payments of \$22,731 and semi-annual interest payments at an interest rate of 2.60%.

272,773

Total Notes Payable

272,773

### C. General Obligation Indebtedness

The general obligation bonds issued to finance the construction of facilities utilized in the operations of the water and sewer system and which are being retired by its resources are reported as long-term debt in the enterprise funds. The full faith, credit, and taxing power of the County's general government collateralize all bonds. Principal and interest requirements are appropriated when due.

The following is a schedule of general obligation debt at June 30, 2008:

#### **General Government:**

\$16,000,000 Series 2001 Bond, due on February 1, installments ranging from \$1,152,800 to \$1,514,150 through February 1, 2020, interest payable on August 1 and February 1 at 4.25% to 4.80%.	\$ 12,500,000
\$10,000,000 Series 2002 Bond, due on June 1, installments ranging from \$547,200 to \$1,628,800 through June 1, 2022, interest payable on December 1 and June 1 at 4.5% to 4.6%.	7,600,000
Total General Government for school building purposes that is excluded from County's Net Assets because title is transferred to Stanly County Board of Education.	_20,100,000
Enterprise Funds:	
Stanly County Utility Fund; \$1,465,000 1990 Sanitary Sewer Bonds, beginning June 1, 1991 due in annual installments of \$75,000 through June 1, 2011, interest payable on December 1 and June 1 at 6.75%.	190,000
Greater Badin Water and Sewer District; \$750,000 1991 Sanitary Sewer Bonds, due on April 1, installments of \$40,000 through April 1, 2011, interest payable on April 1 and October 1 at 6.6% to 6.7%.	110,000
Total Enterprise Fund General Obligation Bonds	300,000
Total General Obligation Bonds	\$20,400,000

The following is a summary of changes in general long-term debt for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

		Balances 07/01/07		Additions		Retirements		Balances 06/30/08		Current Portion of Balance	
Governmental Activities:										17000000	
General obligation debt	\$	21,000,000	\$	-	\$	900,000	\$	20,100,000	\$	1,150,000	
Capitalized leases		6,254,530		-		828,155		5,426,375		843,041	
Compensated absences		975,165		790,995		785,964		980,196		620,000	
Net pension obligation	-	273,673	_	50,721	-	56,962	_	267,432	-		
Total governmental activities:	\$	28,503,368	\$	841,716	\$	2,571,081	\$	26,774,003	\$	2,613,041	
Business-Type Activities:											
General obligation debt	\$	415,000	\$	-	\$	115,000	\$	300,000	\$	115,000	
Capitalized leases		231,396		-		113,862		117,534		117,534	
Notes payable		295,504		-		22,731		272,773		22,731	
Compensated absences		86,503	_	25,532	-	47,197	_	64,838	_	25,000	
Total business-type activities:	\$	1,028,403	\$	25,532	\$	298,790	\$	755,145	\$	280,265	

Compensated absences typically have been liquidated in the general fund and are accounted for on a LIFO basis, assuming that employees are taking leave time as it is earned. The estimated current portion of compensated absence is \$645,000.

d. Conduit Debt Obligations – Stanly County Industrial and Pollution Control Authority has issued industrial revenue bonds to provide financial assistance to private businesses for economic development purposes. These bonds are secured by the properties financed as well as letters of credit and are payable solely from payments received from the private businesses involved. Ownership of the acquired facilities is in the name of the private business served by the bond issuance. The County, the Authority, the State, nor any political subdivision thereof is obligated in any manner for the repayment of bonds. Accordingly, the bonds are not reported as liabilities in the accompanying financial statements. As of June 30, 2008, three industrial revenue bonds were outstanding, with an aggregate principal amount payable of \$13,664,465.

At June 30, 2008, Stanly County had a legal debt margin of \$301,883,690. The following summarizes the annual requirements to amortize all long-term debt outstanding (excluding compensated absences and Law Enforcement Officers' Special Separation Allowance unfunded pension contribution):

	General Obligation Bonds			Capitalized Leases				
Principal		Interest		Principal		Interest		
General Long-Term Debt								
2009	\$	1,150,000	\$	927,175	\$	843,041	\$	215,027
2010		1,350,000		877,300		366,667		188,201
2011		1,350,000		816,550		366,667		172,838
2012		1,450,000		798,550		366,667		157,474
2013		1,500,000		688,550		366,667		142,111
2014-2017		6,000,000		2,064,900		1,466,666		414,810
2018-2022		7,300,000	_	1,001,650	_	1,650,000		172,837
	_	20,100,000	_	7,174,675	_	5,426,375	_	1,463,298
Proprietary Funds								
2009		115,000		20,405		117,534		2,828
2010		115,000		12,625		-		-
2011	_	70,000	_	4,770	_	-	_	
	_	300,000	_	37,800	_	117,534	_	2,828
	\$	20,400,000	\$	7,212,475	\$	5,543,909	\$	1,466,126

	Notes Payable						
	_ F	Principal	Interest				
<b>Proprietary Funds</b>							
2009	\$	22,731	\$	7,092			
2010		22,731		6,501			
2011		22,731		5,910			
2012		22,731		5,319			
2013		22,731		4,728			
2014-2017		90,924		13,002			
2018-2020	_	68,193		3,546			
	\$	272,773	\$	46,098			

### C. Interfund Balances and Activity

Interfund receivable balances consist of cash deficits as of June 30, 2008. Those funds have projects in progress for which they first expend the money and are later reimbursed. The funds and the amounts are as follows:

	nterfund ceivables	Interfund Payable	
General Fund	\$ 107,318	\$	-
Community Development Block Grant-Hook Up	3,184		-
Highway 731 Water Project	-		5,961
Morrow Mountain Rd Water	-		104,541
	\$ 110,502	\$	110,502

Transfers to/from other funds at June 30, 2008 consists of the following:

		Transfers				
	From		То		Purpose	
General Fund:						
General Fund	\$	709,036	\$	484,536		
Emergency Telephone System		484,536		-	Wireline balance at 12/31/07	
CDBG-2007 Revitalation		-		110,500	Capital Outlay Support	
Millingport Sewer Project		-		249,580	Capital Outlay Support	
Airport Fund		-	_	348,956	Operating Support	
	\$	1,193,572	\$	1,193,572		

#### IV. Joint Ventures

The County, in conjunction with Union, Cabarrus, and Rowan Counties, participates in the Piedmont Area Mental Health Authority. The Authority is a joint venture established to provide the participating counties with legally mandated mental health services. The County has an ongoing financial responsibility for the Authority because the Authority's continued existence depends on the participating governments' continued funding. The County contributed \$207,901 to the Authority during fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. None of the participating governments has any equity interest in the Authority, so no equity interest has been reflected in the financial statements at June 30, 2008. Complete financial statements for the Authority can be obtained from the Authority's administrative office at 245 LePhillip Court, NE, Concord, North Carolina 28025.

The County, in conjunction with the State of North Carolina and the Stanly County Board of Education, participates in a joint venture to operate Stanly Community College. Stanly County appoints one member of the 13-member board of trustees. The community college is included as a component unit of the state.

The County has the basic responsibility for providing funding for facilities and also provides some financial support for operations. The County has an ongoing statutory financial responsibility to provide funding for the community college. The County contributed \$1,247,857 for operating purposes and \$175,000 for capital, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. Completed financial statements for the community college may be obtained from administrative offices at 141 College Drive, Albemarle, North Carolina 28001.

#### V. Jointly Governed Organization

The County, in conjunction with eight other counties and twenty municipalities, participates in the Centralina Council of Governments (Council). The participating governments established the Council to coordinate various funding received from federal and state agencies. Each participating government appoints one member to the Council's governing board. The County paid membership fees of \$7,551 to the Council during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

#### VI. Summary Disclosure of Significant Contingencies

#### **Federal and State Assisted Programs**

The County has received proceeds from several federal and state grants. Periodic audits of the grants are required and certain costs may be questioned as not being appropriate expenditures under the grant agreements. Such audits could result in the refund of grant monies to the grantor agencies. Management believes that any required refunds will be immaterial. No provision has been made in the accompanying financial statements for the refund of grant monies.

#### VII. Benefit Payments Issued by the State

The amounts listed below were paid directly to individual recipients by the state from federal and state monies. County personnel are involved with certain functions, primarily eligibility determinations, which cause benefit payments to be issued by the state. These amounts disclose this additional aid to County recipients, which do not appear in the basic financial statements because they are not revenues and expenditures of the County.

	<u>Federal</u>	State
Medicaid	\$ 36,192,427	\$ 18,844,243
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	344,092	(10)
Food Stamp Program	6,649,451	-
Special Supplemental Food Program for		
Women, Infants and Children	96,463	
Special Assistance to Adults	-	594,154
Low-Income Home Energy Assistance	134,263	-
Titel IV-E Fostercare Subsidiary	54,482	14,055
Title IV-E Adoption Subsidiary	136,373	40,127
NC Department of Cultural Resources	-	130,291
CWS Adoption Subsidiary		93,108
Totals	\$ 43,607,551	\$ 19,715,968



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### REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

This section contains additional information required by generally accepted accounting principles.

- Schedule of Funding Progress for the Law Enforcement Officers' Special Separation Allowance
- Schedule of Employer Contributions for the Law Enforcement Officers' Special Separation Allowance
- Notes to Required Schedules



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# STANLY COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' SPECIAL SEPARATION ALLOWANCE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

	Actuarial Valuation Date	Val	tuarial ue of ssets a)	A Liak	Actuarial Accrued Dility (AAL) Unit Credit (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) ( b-a )	Funded Ratio ( a/b )	Pa Yea	overed yroll for r Ending /al. Date ( c )	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll (( b-a)/c )
_	Buto		α,		(~)	( 0 0 )			( )	
	12/31/1996 12/31/1997	\$	-	\$	144,538 164,309	\$ 144,538 164,309	0.00% 0.00%		790,680 867,510	18.28% 18.94%
	12/31/1998		_		176,765	176,675	0.00%		843,004	20.97%
	12/31/1999		-		146,701	147,701	0.00%		861,704	17.02%
	12/31/2000		-		248,087	248,087	0.00%		953,180	26.03%
	12/31/2001		-		281,184	281,184	0.00%	1,	056,895	26.60%
	12/31/2002		_		352,552	352,552	0.00%	1,	303,695	27.04%
	12/31/2003		-		363,497	363,497	0.00%	1,	222,822	29.73%
	12/31/2004		-		407,795	407,795	0.00%	1,	237,242	32.96%
	12/31/2005		-		375,030	375,030	0.00%	1,	521,812	24.64%
	12/31/2006		-		431,973	431,973	0.00%	1,	629,065	26.52%
	12/31/2007		-		417,619	417,619	0.00%	1,	637,644	25.50%

# STANLY COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' SPECIAL SEPARATION ALLOWANCE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS For Year Ended June 30, 2008

Year Ended June 30	Annual Required Contribution	Percentage Contributed
2008	\$47,697	119.42%
2007	\$41,853	124.12%
2006	\$42,603	84.87%
2005	\$41,234	55.99%
2004	\$42,234	50.57%
2003	\$34,993	20.35%
2002	\$31,170	11.05%
2001	\$23,878	18.41%
2000	\$27,654	15.90%
1999	\$26,248	16.75%
1998	\$20,076	40.04%

#### Notes to the Required Schedules:

The information presented in the required supplementary schedules was determined as part of the actuarial valuations at the dates indicated. Additional information as of the latest actuarial valuation follows:

Valuation date	12/31/2006
Actuarial cost method	Projected unit credit
Amortization method	Level percent of pay closed
Remaining amortization period	24 years
Asset valuation method	Market Value
Actuarial assumptions:	
Investment rate or return*	7.25%
Projected salary increases*	4.5-12.3%
*Includes inflation at	3.75%
Cost of living adjustments	N/A

#### **GENERAL FUND**

The General Fund accounts for resources traditionally associated with government that are not required legally or by sound management to be accounted for in other funds. The following schedule provides for a detail result of the General Fund's budgetary and actual revenues and expenditures.



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	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:			
Ad valorem property taxes:			
Ad valorem taxes		\$ 27,215,613	
Penalties and interest		312,544	
Total ad valorem property taxes	\$ 27,322,109	27,528,157	\$ 206,048
Local option sales taxes:			
Sales tax article 39		3,637,668	
Sales tax article 40		2,489,191	
Sales tax article 42		2,473,495	
Sales tax article 44		1,855,023 240,390	
Medicaid Hold Harmless payment		240,390	
Total sales taxes	11,150,000	10,695,767	(454,233)
Other taxes:			
Real property excise tax		202,558	
Cable franchise tax		139,719	
Occupancy tax		215,575	
Other taxes		17,139	
Total other taxes	584,000	574,991	(9,009)
Intergovernmental revenues:			
Unrestricted intergovernmental: ABC profits	6,500	8,173	1,673
Restricted intergovernmental:			
Public safety		503,959	
Transportation		457,928	
Health		631,103	
Social services grants		6,401,201	
Senior and aging services		10,160 1,344,984	
Other federal and state grants			
Total restricted intergovernmental	9,632,237	9,349,335	(282,902)

			Variance
	Final Budget	Actual	Positive (Negative)
Permits and fees:			
Recording fees		318,643	
Marriage license		10,029	
Building permits		580,311	
Concealed weapons permits		13,550	
Zoning and planning permits		23,135	
Total permits and fees	1,001,300	945,668	(55,632)
Sales and services:			
Intergovernmental charges		174,828	
Sheriff and jail fees		516,721	
Ambulance fees		1,712,365	
Transportation		360,650	
Solid waste		737,774	
Health fees		2,005,817	
Rental and other charges		242,275	
Total sales and services	5,274,039	5,750,430	476,391
Investment earnings:		4.25	(07.001)
Earned interest	1,150,000	1,052,119	(97,881)
Miscellaneous:			
Donations		124,055	
Rents		287,953	
Sale of assets		12,285	
Miscellaneous other		290,514	
Total miscellaneous	678,323	714,807	36,484
Total revenues	56,798,508	56,619,447	(179,061)

	Final	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
	Budget	Actual	(Negative)
Expenditures:			
General government:			
Governing body:			
Salaries and employee benefits		68,470	
Operating expenditures		156,364	
Total		224,834	
Administration:			
Salaries and employee benefits		387,990	
Operating expenditures		61,795	
Total		449,785	
Finance department:			
Salaries and employee benefits		311,477	
Operating expenditures		118,611	
Total		430,088	
Tax assessor:			
Salaries and employee benefits		366,127	
Operating expenditures		68,708	
Total		434,835	
Tax collector:			
Salaries and employee benefits		344,194	
Operating expenditures		55,631	
Total		399,825	
Tax revaluation:			
Salaries and employee benefits		317,912	
Operating expenditures		32,637	
Total		350,549	

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
	Budget	- Actual	(riegative)
County attorney:			
Salaries and employee benefits		131,019	
Operating expenditures		16,418	
Total		147,437	
Legal services:			
Contracted services		669,332	
Total		669,332	
Clerk of Court:			
Operating expenditures		18,667	
Judge's office:			
Operating expenditures		15,372	
District Attorney's office:			
Operating expenditures		5,452	
Elections:			
Salaries and employee benefits		180,154	
Operating expenditures		124,923	
Capital outlay		3,548	
Total		308,625	
Register of deeds:			
Salaries and employee benefits		274,883	
Operating expenditures		76,761	
Capital outlay		(695)	
Total		350,949	

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Information technology:			
Salaries and employee benefits		297,737	
Operating expenditures		114,995	
Capital outlay	-	52,182	
Total	-	464,914	
Facilities management:			
Salaries and employee benefits		274,979	
Operating expenditures	-	667,112	
Total	, )	942,091	
Total general government	5,489,608	5,212,755	276,853
Public safety:			
Sheriff:			
Salaries and employee benefits		2,564,289	
Operating expenditures		540,706	
Capital outlay	9 ,	167,862	
Total	-	3,272,857	
Jail:			
Salaries and employee benefits		1,450,219	
Operating expenditures		511,206	
Total		1,961,425	
Office of juvenile justice:			
Operating expenditures		48,460	
Daymark I-Care		97,497	
Juvenile detention		34,537	
Total		180,494	

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Criminal justice partnership:			
Salaries and employee benefits		49,558	
Operating expenditures		41,899	
Total		91,457	
Emergency management:			
Salaries and employee benefits		2,133,402	
Operating expenditures		622,466	
Capital outlay		656,216	
Total		3,412,084	
Code enforcement:			
Salaries and employee benefits		379,286	
Operating expenditures		48,880	
Capital outlay		23,636	
Total		451,802	
Medical examiner:			
Contractual services		21,400	
Animal control:		202 (7)	
Salaries and employee benefits		222,676	
Operating expenditures Capital outlay		64,363 39,424	
Total		326,463	

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
911 communication service:			
Salaries and employee benefits		769,777	
Operating expenditures Capital outlay	-	61,615 2,060	
Total	-	833,452	
Total public safety	11,008,894	10,551,434	457,460
Transportation:			
Salaries and employee benefits		593,277	
Operating expenditures		203,953	
Capital outlay	-	131,512	
Total transportation	940,662	928,742	11,920
Environmental protection:			
Solid waste operations:		307,128	
Salaries and employee benefits		546,296	
Operating expenditures Capital outlay		23,208	
Total	, or	876,632	
Fire forester: Contribution to other agency	j	77,156	
Soil and water conservation:			
Salaries and employee benefits Operating expenditures		90,562 5,072	
Total		95,634	
Total environmental protection	998,924	1,049,422	(50,498)

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Facusaria and Physical Davelonments			
Economic and Physical Development:			
Economic development commission:		111,583	
Salaries and employee benefits		257,219	
Operating expenditures		2,101	
Capital outlay		2,101	
Total		370,903	
Occupancy tax-motel/hotel:			
To other municipalities		180,466	
To since manners			
Planning and zoning:			
Salaries and employee benefits		236,038	
Operating expenditures		44,254	
Total		280,292	
Central permitting			
Salaries and employee benefits		46,238	
Operating expenditures		4,174	
Total		50,412	
Cooperative extension:			
Salaries and employee benefits		13,652	
Operating expenditures		245,141	
Capital outlay		2,408	
Total		261,201	

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Special appropriation for economic development: Contribution for economic development		769,896	
Rocky River RPO:			
Salaries and employee benefits Operating expenditures		101,612 19,916	
Total		121,528	
Total economic and physical development	2,571,613	2,034,698	536,915
Human services:			
Health:			
Salaries and employee benefits		1,615,764	
Operating expenditures		431,298	
Capital outlay	H	27,006	
Total		2,074,068	
Home health:		465 400	
Salaries and employee benefits		465,490	
Operating expenditures		237,690 15,968	
Capital outlay		13,908	
Total		719,148	
Health - smart start:		101.110	
Salaries and employee benefits		124,449	
Operating expenditures		6,654	
Total		131,103	
Dental clinic:		222.25	
Salaries and employee benefits		698,366	
Operating expenditures		106,021	
Capital outlay		103	
Total		804,490	

	Final		Variance Positive
	Budget	Actual	(Negative)
Environmental health:			
Salaries and employee benefits		323,624	
Operating expenditures		37,637	
Capital outlay		9,899	
Total		371,160	
Mental health:			
Contributions to other agencies:			
Bottle surcharge		9,901	
Piedmont area mental health		198,000	
Total		207,901	
Social services:			
Salaries and employee benefits		3,791,975	
Operating expenditures		4,171,116	
Day care and resident services		2,646,436	
Total		10,609,527	
Aging services:			
Salaries and employee benefits		405,294	
Operating expenditures		484,455	
Total		889,749	
Senior services:			
Salaries and employee benefits		182,529	
Operating expenditures		201,769	
Total		384,298	

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Veterans services:			
Salaries and employee benefits		56,728	
Operating expenditures		4,944	
Veteran's Association	-	2,000	
Total	-	63,672	
Total human services	17,838,766	16,255,116	1,583,650
Education:			
Stanly County Public Schools:			
Current expenditures		9,908,574	
Capital outlay	- (-	2,936,481	
Total	-	12,845,055	
Stanly Community College:			
Current expenditures		1,247,857	
Capital outlay	/-	175,000	
Total		1,422,857	
Total education	14,773,431	14,267,912	505,519
Culture and recreation: Library:			
Salaries and employee benefits		842,936	
Operating expenditures		340,941	
Capital outlay		8,057	
Total	, - t	1,191,934	
Historic Preservation Commission:			
Salaries and employee benefits		82,482	
Operating expenditures		50,940	
Total		133,422	

	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Agri Civic Center: Salaries and employee benefits		146,757	
Operating expenditures		140,376	
Total		287,133	
Total culture and recreation	1,672,155	1,612,489	59,666
Debt Service:			
Principal Interest		1,728,156 1,211,702	
Total debt service	3,018,858	2,939,858	79,000
Total expenditures	_ 58,312,911	54,852,426	3,460,485
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(1,514,403)	1,767,021	3,281,424
Other financing sources (uses):			
Transfers to: Enterprise fund		(598,536)	
Special revenue fund		(110,500)	
Transfers from:			
Emergency Telephone System fund		. 484,536	
Total other financing sources (uses)	1,514,403	(224,500)	(1,738,903)
Net change in fund balance	\$ -	1,542,521	\$ 1,542,521
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1		17,500,557	
Fund balance, end of year - June 30		\$ 19,043,078	

#### NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

Nonmajor Funds account for the proceeds of special revenue sources that are legally restricted to the expenditure for specific purposes. The financial information for Major Funds is found on Exhibit C and D.

#### **Individual Fund Descriptions:**

- Community Development Block Grant Housing Project accounts for the funds designated for housing improvement.
- Community Development Block Grant Hook up Project accounts for the funds designated for water hook ups.
- Emergency Telephone System Fund accounts for the revenues earmarked for the installation of emergency 911-phone system.
- Fire District Fund account for the revenues of the fourteen fire districts in Stanly County.
- Adequate Facilities Reserve Fund Created to accumulate funds generated by a facilities fee. These funds will be used to help pay for future school construction.
- Community Development Block Grant Urgent Repair Program Fund accounts for the funds designated for urgent housing repairs.
- Community Development Block Grant 2007 Revitalization Fund– accounts for the funds designated for improvements to include streets, drainage, water and sewer.
- Jail Construction Fund accounts for the funds designated for jail construction.

#### COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2008

			Special Revenue Funds				
	Deve Bloo	Community Development Block Grant Housing Project			Emergency Telephone System		
Assets:							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	-	\$	-	\$	119,394	
Taxes receivable, net		-		-		-	
Accounts receivable		4,514				30,977	
Interfund receivables				3,184		-	
Total assets	\$	4,514	\$	3,184	\$	150,371	
Liabilities and Fund Equity:							
Liabilities:						504	
Accounts payable	\$		\$	- 2.104	\$	504	
Interfund payables		4,514		3,184			
Deferred revenues	· ·				-		
Total liabilities	3 <u>1 </u>	4,514		3,184		504	
Fund Equity:							
Reserved by state statute		-		-		30,977	
Unreserved			-	<u>~</u>	-	118,890	
Total fund balances	- 1 <u></u>					149,867	
Total liabilities and							
fund balances	\$	4,514	\$	3,184	\$	150,371	

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	Fire Districts		Adequate Facilities Reserve Fund		CDBG Urgent Repair Program Fund	CDBG 2007 Revitalization Fund		2007 Revitalization Jail Construction		Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds	
\$	22,571 64,918 -	\$	14,576 - -	\$	16,422 - -	\$	98,031 - -		514,649 - - -	\$	785,643 64,918 35,491 3,184
\$	87,489	\$	14,576	\$	16,422	\$	98,031	\$	514,649	\$	889,236
\$	22,571 - 64,918	\$	-	\$	4,975 - -	\$	6,250		237,031	\$	271,331 7,698 64,918
	87,489	_	-		4,975	_	6,250	_	237,031		343,947
	<u>-</u>	_	14,576	_	11,447	_	91,781	-	277,618	_	30,977 514,312
_		_	14,576	_	11,447	_	91,781		277,618	_	545,289
\$	87,489	\$	14,576	\$	16,422	\$	98,031	\$	514,649	\$	889,236

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

			Special Revenue Funds					
	Community Development Block Grant Housing Project	Community Development Block Grant Hook Up Project	Emergency Telephone System	Fire Districts	Adequate Facilities Reserve Fund			
Revenues:								
Ad valorem taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,697,227	\$ -			
Restricted intergovernmental	177,954	62,334	-	•	-			
Sales and services	-		337,309	-				
Permits and fees	-		23,640	-	631			
Investment earnings			23,040		031			
Miscellaneous								
Total revenues	177,954	62,334	360,949	1,697,227	631			
Expenditures:								
Current:								
General government	-	-		25,633				
Public safety	-		287,271	1,671,594				
Economic and physical development	177,954	57,361			-			
Total expenditures	177,954	57,361	287,271	1,697,227				
Revenues over (under) expenditures	<u> </u>	4,973	73,678		63			
Other Financing Sources (Uses):								
Appropriated fund balance	-		-	-				
Transfers out	-	-	(484,536)	-				
Transfers in			<del></del>	<del></del>	+			
Total other financing sources			(484,536)		<u></u>			
Net change in fund balance	-	4,973	(410,858)	\ <u> </u>	63			
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1		(4,973)	560,725		13,94.			
Fund balance, end of year - June 30	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 149,867	\$ -	\$ 14,570			

		Capital Project Fund			
CDBG Urgent Repair Program Fund	CDBG 2007 Revitalization Fund	Jail Construction Fund	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds		
\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ 1,697,227		
75,000	-	-	315,288 337,309		
1,153		68,934	94,358		
76,153		68,934	2,444,182		
-	-	- 3,346,198	25,633 5,305,063		
64,706	18,719		318,740		
64,706	18,719	3,346,198	5,649,436		
11,447	(18,719)	(3,277,264)	(3,205,254)		
:	110,500		(484,536) 110,500		
_	110,500		(374,036)		
11,447	91,781	(3,277,264)	(3,579,290)		
		3,554,882	4,124,579		
\$ 11,447	\$ 91,781	\$ 277,618	\$ 545,289		



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#### **BUDGETARY INFORMATION - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

Special revenue budget and actual results for fiscal June 30, 2008.

#### **Individual Fund Descriptions:**

- Community Development Block Grant Housing Project accounts for the funds designated for housing improvement.
- Community Development Block Grant Hook up Project accounts for the funds designated for water hook ups.
- Emergency Telephone System Fund accounts for the revenues earmarked for the installation of emergency 911-phone system.
- Fire District Fund account for the revenues of the fourteen fire districts in Stanly County.
- Adequate Facilities Reserve Fund Created to accumulate funds generated by a facilities fee. These funds will be used to help pay for future school construction.
- Community Development Block Grant Urgent Repair Program Fund accounts for the funds designated for urgent housing repairs.
- Community Development Block Grant 2007 Revitalization Fund accounts for the funds designated for improvements to include streets, drainage, water and sewer.
- Jail Construction Fund accounts for the funds designated for jail construction.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUND - HOUSING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	· _			Actual						
	Project Authorization		_	Prior Years			Total to Date		Variance Positive (Negative)	
Revenues:										
Restricted Intergovernmental: Community Development	\$	450,000	\$	226,559	\$	177,954	\$	404,513	\$	(45,487)
Total revenues		450,000	_	226,559		177,954	_	404,513		(45,487)
Expenditures:										
Professional services		35,000		35,399		11,329		46,728		(11,728)
Contract services		415,000	_	191,160	_	166,625	_	357,785	-	57,215
Total expenditures	_	450,000	_	226,559	_	177,954	_	404,513	_	45,487
Net change in fund balance	\$		<u>\$</u>			-	\$		\$	<u> </u>
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1					_					
Fund balance, end of year - June 30					\$					

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUND - HOOK UP PROJECT SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Actual									
	Project Authorization		Prior Current Years Year		Total to Date		Variance Positive (Negative)			
Revenues:										
Restricted Intergovernmental:										
Community Development	\$	75,000	\$		\$	62,334	\$	62,334	\$	(12,666)
Total revenues		75,000	_		_	62,334	_	62,334	_	(12,666)
Expenditures:										
Administration		11,250		1,516		22,680		24,196		(12,946)
Rehabilitation		60,600	_	307		34,681		34,988	_	25,612
Total expenditures		71,850	_	1,823	_	57,361	_	59,184		12,666
Revenues over (under) expenditures		3,150		(1,823)		4,973		3,150		+
Other financing sources: Transfer to Fork Road Water Line project		(3,150)		(3,150)	_		_	(3,150)		
Net change in fund balance	\$		\$	(4,973)		4,973	<u>\$</u>	-	\$	
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1					_	(4,973)				
Fund balance, end of year - June 30					\$	-				

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		Budget	A	ctual	F	ariance Positive Legative)
Revenues:						
Charges - surcharge	\$	170,281	\$	114,082	\$	(56,199)
Charges - wireless		157,173		223,227		66,054
Investment earnings	-	22,284		23,640	-	1,356
Total revenues		349,738		360,949	_	11,211
Expenditures:						
Salaries and employee benefits		99,042		97,166		1,876
Operating expenditures		234,696		178,903		55,793
Capital outlay	1	16,000	•	11,202		4,798
Total expenditures		349,738		287,271		62,467
Revenues over (under) expenditures		-		73,678		73,678
Other Financing Sources (Uses):						
Transfer to General Fund	-			(484,536)		(484,536)
Net change in fund balance	\$			(410,858)	\$	(410,858)
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1				560,725		
Fund balance, end of year - June 30			\$	149,867		

,	Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:			
Ad valorem taxes:			
Current year	\$ 1,684,20	0 \$ 1,647,304	\$ (36,896)
Prior years	50,00	0 49,923	(77)
Total revenues	1,734,20	0 1,697,227	(36,973)
Expenditures:			
Administration fees:			3.5.4
Tax collection fees	27,00	0 25,633	1,367
Public safety:			
Locust Fire District	363,40		
Center Fire District	144,00		
Endy Fire District	107,70		
Ridgecrest Fire District	114,00		
Aquadale Fire District	70,00		1,343
Eastside Fire District	135,60		
Oakoro Fire District	72,00		
New London Fire District	128,00		
Southside Fire District	100,00		
Rocky River Fire District	121,20		
Bethany Fire District	50,00		
Richfield Fire District	116,80		
Millingport Fire District	94,50		
Badin-Yakin Fire District	90,00	86,563	3,437
Total expenditures	1,734,20	1,697,227	36,973
Net change in fund balance	\$	<u>-</u> -	\$ -
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1			
Fund balance, end of year - June 30		\$ -	i

ADEQUATE FACILITIES RESERVE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		Bud	get		Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:							
Facility fees	\$	3	100,000	\$	-	\$	(100,000)
Investment earnings	_		1,000	_	631	-	(369)
Total revenues	_		101,000		631	_	(100,369)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):			(101 000)				101.000
Appropriated fund balance	-		(101,000)	-		_	101,000
Net change in fund balance	<u>\$</u>	3			631	\$	631
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1					13,945		
Fund balance, end of year - June 30				<u>\$</u>	14,576		

#### CDBG URGENT REPAIR PROGRAM SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

						Actual				
		Project norization	_	Prior Years	_	Current Year	<u>Tot</u>	al to Date	P	ariance ositive egative)
Revenues:										
Restricted Intergovernmental:					- 14					
Community Development	\$	75,000	\$	-	\$	75,000	\$	75,000	\$	(0.47)
Investment earnings	_	2,000	_		_	1,153	_	1,153	-	(847)
Total revenues		77,000	_		_	76,153	_	76,153	_	(847)
Expenditures:										
Contract Services		77,000	_		_	64,706	_	64,706	-	12,294
Total expenditures		77,000	_		× <u> </u>	64,706		64,706	_	12,294
Revenues over (under) expenditures		-				11,447		11,447		11,447
Other financing sources:										
Transfers			_	<u> </u>	_	-	_		_	
Net change in fund balance	\$	_	\$			11,447	\$	11,447	\$	11,447
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1					_					
Fund balance, end of year - June 30					<u>\$</u>	11,447				

CDBG 2007 REVITALIZATION SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

			Actual								
	Project Authorization		Prior Years		Current Year		Total to Date		Variance Positive (Negative)		
Revenues:											
Restricted Intergovernmental:						Φ.		Ф		ø	(950,000)
Community Development	\$	850,000	\$		_	<u>\$</u>		\$		\$	(850,000)
Total revenues		850,000	_		_	_		_		_	(850,000)
Expenditures:											
Professional Services		115,625			-		18,719		18,719		96,906
Construction		387,406			-		-		-		-
Rehabilitation		457,469	_			_		_		_	457,469
Total expenditures		960,500	_			_	18,719	_	18,719	_	554,375
Revenues over (under) expenditures		(110,500)			-		(18,719)		(18,719)		91,781
Other financing sources:		Y., 12.					110 500		110.500		
Transfer from General Fund	_	110,500	_			_	110,500	_	110,500	_	
Net change in fund balance	\$		\$				91,781	<u>\$</u>	91,781	<u>\$</u>	91,781
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1						_	-				
Fund balance, end of year - June 30						<u>\$</u>	91,781				

CAPITAL PROJECT FUND

JAIL CONSTRUCTION FUND

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN
FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL
FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		Actual				
	Project Authorization	Prior Years	Current Year	Total to Date	Variance Positive (Negative)	
Revenues:						
Investment earnings	\$ -	\$ 201,021	\$ 68,934	\$ 269,955	\$ 269,955	
Total revenues		201,021	68,934	269,955	269,955	
Expenditures:						
Professional services	565,000	485,093	(475,577)	9,516	555,484	
Construction	7,514,986	2,813,813	3,148,347	5,962,160	1,552,826	
Operating expenditures	141,400	68,619	673,428	742,047	(600,647)	
Total expenditures	8,221,386	3,367,525	3,346,198	6,713,723	1,507,663	
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(8,221,386)	(3,166,504)	(3,277,264)	(6,443,768)	1,777,618	
Other Financing Sources:						
Debt issued	7,000,000	5,500,000	-	5,500,000	(1,500,000)	
Transfer from General Fund	1,221,386	1,221,386		1,221,386		
Total other financing sources	8,221,386	6,721,386		6,721,386	(1,500,000)	
Net change in fund balance	\$ -	\$ 3,554,882	(3,277,264)	\$ 277,618	\$ 277,618	
Fund balance, beginning of year - July 1			3,554,882			
Fund balance, end of year - June 30			\$ 277,618			



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#### **BUDGETARY INFORMATION - ENTERPRISE FUNDS**

Enterprise Funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises - where the costs of providing services are financed primarily through user charges. The State of North Carolina requires that the enterprise funds be budgeted on a modified accrual basis. The following statements are not in accordance with GAAP

#### **Individual Fund Descriptions:**

- Greater Badin Water and Sewer District Fund accounts for revenues and expenses of the special utility district established to provide water and sewer services to the Badin community.
- Piney Point Water District Fund accounts for revenues and expenses of the special utility district established to provide water services to the Piney Point community.
- **Utility Operating Fund** accounts for revenues and expenses of the County's water and sewer services.
- Airport Operating Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses of the County's public airport facility.

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND GREATER BADIN WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT FUND- SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Operating Revenues:			
Charges for services:			
Water sales		\$ 266,728	
Sewer charges		158,217	
Industrial sewer charges		68,269	
Taps and connection fees		1,410	
Other operating revenues		5,486	
Total operating revenues		500,110	
Non-operating revenues:			
Interest on investments		5,457	
Total non-operating revenues		5,457	
Total revenues	\$ 474,000	505,567	\$ 31,567
Expenditures:			
Administration:			
Contracted services		67,730	
Operating expenditures		2,285	
Total administration		70,015	
Debt Service:			
G.O. bond principal paid		40,000	
State loan principal paid		22,731	
Interest expense		16,964	
Bond service costs		808	
Total debt service		80,503	
Distribution and maintenance:			
Contracted services		111,096	
Operating expenditures		93,720	
Water purchases		84,096	
Capital outlay		54,524	
Total distribution and maintenance		343,436	
Total expenditures	482,343	493,954	(11,611)
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(8,343)	11,613	19,956

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND GREATER BADIN WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT FUND- SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Budget	A	actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Other financing sources (uses): Appropriated fund balance	8,343 8,343			
Total other financing sources (uses)  Revenues over (under) expenditures				(0,0.10)
and other financing sources (uses)	<u>-</u>	\$	11,613	\$ 11,613
Reconciliation from Budgetary Basis (Modified Accrual) to Full Accrual:				
Reconciling Items:		φ	54 524	
Capital outlay  Debt principal		\$	54,524 62,731 (360,974)	
Depreciation  Total reconciling items			(243,719)	
Change in net assets		\$	(232,106)	

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND PINEY POINT WATER DISTRICT FUND- SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Budget			Actual	_	Variance Positive (Negative)	
Operating Revenues:							
Charges for services:			Φ.	112 500			
Water sales			\$	113,502			
Taps and connection fees				16,119 4,563			
Other operating revenues				134,184			
Total operating revenues			_	134,164			
Non-Operating Revenues:							
Interest on investments				5,714			
Total non-operating revenues				5,714			
Total revenues	\$	104,084		139,898	\$	35,814	
Expenditures:							
Administration:				1.1.000			
Contracted services				20,000			
Operating expenditures				896			
Total administration				20,896			
Debt Service:							
Lease principal				43,381			
Lease interest				2,107			
Total debt service				45,488			
Distribution and maintenance:							
Operating expenditures				3,244			
Water purchases				32,259			
Total distribution and maintenance				35,503			
Total expenditures	_	104,084	_	101,887	_	2,197	
Revenues over (under) expenditures	\$		\$	38,011	<u>\$</u>	38,011	
Reconciliation from Budgetary Basis (Modified Accrual) to Full Accrual:							
Debt principal				43,381 (34,762)			
Depreciation			-	(31,702)			
Total reconciling items			_	8,619			
Change in net assets			\$	46,630			

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND STANLY COUNTY UTILITY FUND - SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Operating Revenues:			
Charges for services:			
Water sales		\$ 1,645,100	
Sewer charges		417,272	
Taps and connection fees		86,822	
Other operating revenues		29,826	
Total operating revenues		2,179,020	
Non-Operating Revenues:			
Interest on investments		13,035	
NC DOT Grant		17,950	
Administrative charges		191,417	
Total non-operating revenues		222,402	
Total revenues	\$ 2,326,441	2,401,422	\$ 74,981
Expenditures:			
Administration:			
Salaries and employee benefits		283,700	
Operating expenditures		43,615	
Total administration		327,315	
Debt Service:			
G.O. bond principal paid		75,000	
Lease payment		70,480	
Interest expense		21,126	
Total debt service		166,606	
Distribution and maintenance:			
Salaries and employee benefits		388,328	
Operating expenditures		701,943	
Water purchases		464,137	
Capital outlay		185,996	
Total distribution and maintenance		1,740,404	
Total expenditures	2,236,569	2,234,325	2,244
Revenues over (under) expenditures	89,872	167,097	77,225

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND STANLY COUNTY UTILITY FUND - SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Budget	Actual	<u> </u>	Variance Positive (Negative)
Other financing sources (uses):				
Transfer out	(95,000)		,000)	-
Transfers in	1,102	1	,101	(1)
Appropriations	4,026			(4,026)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(89,872)	(93	,899)	(4,027)
Revenues and other financing sources over (under)	\$ -	\$ 73	,198	\$ 73,198
expenditures and other financing uses	Ψ	Ψ 73	,170	75,130
Reconciliation from Budgetary Basis (Modified Accrual) to Full Accrual:				
Reconciling items:				
Debt principal		\$ 145	,480	
Capital outlay		185	,996	
Depreciation		(643	,212)	
Capital contribution		147	,474	
Intrafund transfer to Morrow Mountain project		95	,000	
Intrafund transfer from Highway 52 project		47	,528	
Intrafund transfer to Millingport		(47	,528)	
Intrafund transfer from Fork Road project		(1	,101)	
Intrafund transfer from Palestine project		(4	,025)	
Intrafund transfer to Utility fund from project		4	,025	
Interfund transfer to project from General Fund		249	,580	
Interfund transfer from Fork Road project			2,287	
Intrafund transfer to Aquadale Project		(2	2,287)	
Total reconciling items		179	<u>,217</u>	
Change in net assets		\$ 252	2,415	

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND AIRPORT FUND - SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Operating Revenues:			
Sales and services:			
Fuel and oil sales	\$		
Tie down fees		1,625	
Hanger rental		39,020	
Franchise		4,500	
Miscellaneous	_	14,301	
Total operating revenues	\$ 430,465	457,087	\$ 26,622
Non-Operating Revenues:			
Interest on investments	_	6,492	
Total non-operating revenues	16,719	6,492	(10,227)
Total revenues	447,184	463,579	16,395
Expenditures:			
Administration and operations:			
Salaries and employee benefits		238,315	
Operating expenditures		113,393	
Purchases for resale		286,359	
Capital outlay		134,028	
Total administration and operations	796,140	772,095	24,045
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(348,956)	(308,516)	40,440
Other Financing Sources (Uses):			
Transfer in	348,956	348,956	
Revenues and other financing sources over			4 14 154
(under) expenditures and other financing uses	<u>\$</u>	40,440	\$ 40,440

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUND AIRPORT FUND - SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Budget	-	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Reconciliation from Budgetary Basis (Modified Accrual) to Full Accrual:				
Reconciling Items: Capital outlay		\$	134,028	
Depreciation		Ψ	(950,491)	
Capital contributions			69,327	
Intrafund transfers from Fencing			69,326	
Intrafund transfers to Terminal Fund		_	(69,326)	
Total reconciling items		_	(747,136)	
Change in net assets		\$	(706,696)	

#### **BUDGETED PROJECT FUNDS**

**Project Funds** – accounts for capital projects that are planned to extend beyond one fiscal year. Project funds are closed to their parent fund at the end of each fiscal year and are reversed at the beginning of the next fiscal year to their respective project funds until such time the projects are accepted as complete.

#### **Individual Project Descriptions:**

- **Highway 52 Project Fund** accounts for the revenues and expenses for the extension of water lines along Highway 52 and Dennis Road.
- Aquadale School Sewer Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for the extension of a sewer line and construction of a pump station for Aquadale Elementary School.
- Highway 24/27 Upgrade Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for the upsizing of water lines along Highway 24/27.
- Fork Road Water Line Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for the extension of a water line to the Fork Road area.
- Millingport Sewer Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for the construction of a sewer line in the Millingport community.
- Palestine Sewer Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for the construction of a sewer line in the Palestine community.
- **Highway 731 Water Project Fund** accounts for the revenues and expenses for the extension of a water line along Highway 731.
- Morrow Mountain Road Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for the extension of a water line along Morrow Mountain Road.
- Airport Fencing Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for the installation of perimeter fencing at the County's airport.
- Airport Terminal Project Fund accounts for the revenues and expenses for improvements made to the airport terminal.

#### HIGHWAY 52 PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

			_							
		Project horization	_	Prior Years	_	Current Year	_	Γotal to Date	_	Variance Positive (Negative)
Expenditures:										
Professional services	\$	97,601	\$	97,601	\$	-	\$	97,601	\$	-
Construction		634,871	_	634,871	_		_	634,871	_	
Total expenditures		732,472	_	732,472	-		_	732,472	_	
Other Financing Sources (Uses):										
Transfer to other funds		(47,528)		-		(47,528)		(47,528)		2
Transfer from General Fund	-	780,000	_	780,000	_	-	_	780,000	_	
Total other financing sources	-	732,472	_	780,000	_	(47,528)	-	732,472	_	
Other financing sources										
over (under) expenditures	\$		\$	47,528	\$	(47,528)	\$		\$	-

AQUADALE SCHOOL SEWER PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Actual									
	Project Authorization		Prior Years		Current Year		Total to Date		_	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:										
Restricted Intergovernmental:	•	1 000 000	Ф	007 720	Φ	2.262	\$	1,000,000	\$	_
State grant	\$	1,000,000	\$	997,738	\$	2,262	Φ_	1,000,000	Φ	
Total revenues		1,000,000	_	997,738	_	2,262	_	1,000,000	_	<u> </u>
Expenditures:										
Professional services		251,412		248,600		2,812		251,412		-
Land purchase		500		500		-		500		-
Construction		900,375	_	898,638	_	1,737	_	900,375	_	
Total expenditures		1,152,287	_	1,147,738	_	4,549	_	1,152,287	_	
Revenues over (under) expenditures		(152,287)	_	(150,000)	_	(2,287)	_	(152,287)	_	
Other Financing Sources:										
Transfer from General Fund		150,000		150,000		-		150,000		-
Transfer from Fork Road	-	2,287	_		-	2,287	_	2,287	-	
Total other financing sources	_	152,287	_	150,000	_	2,287	_	152,287	_	
Revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	\$	_	<u>\$</u>		\$		\$		\$	

HIGHWAY 24/27 UPGRADE PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		_								
		Project Authorization		Prior Years		Current Year		Total to Date		Variance Positive (Negative)
Expenditures:										
Construction	\$	605,000	\$	_	\$	-	\$	-	\$	605,000
Professional services				-		15,972		15,972		(15,972)
Total expenditures	_	605,000	_		_	15,972	_	15,972	_	589,028
Other Financing Sources:										
Transfer from General Fund		605,000	_	605,000	_			605,000	_	<u> </u>
Total other financing sources	_	605,000	_	605,000	_			605,000	_	
Other financing sources over (under) expenditures	\$	-	\$	605,000	\$	(15,972)	\$	589,028	\$	589,028

FORK ROAD WATER LINE PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Project Authorization	Prior Years	Current Year	Total to Date	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:					
Restricted Intergovernmental:		2		40,000	(12,000)
Golden Leaf grant	\$ 60,000	\$ 48,000	\$ -	\$ 48,000	(12,000)
USDA grant	99,100	95,712	3,388	99,100	-
Rural center grant	60,000	60,000		60,000	(07.105)
Tap fees	27,125	-	-	210.250	(27,125)
Donations	219,350	219,350		219,350	<del>-</del>
Total revenues	465,575	423,062	3,388	426,450	(39,125)
Expenditures:					
Professional services	50,575	48,101	-	48,101	2,474
Construction	424,350	384,311		384,311	40,039
Total expenditures	474,925	432,412		432,412	42,513
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(9,350)	(9,350)	3,388	(5,962)	3,388
Other Financing Sources:					
Intrafund transfer from Utility Fund	6,200	6,200	-	6,200	•
Transfer from CDBG Hook Up Project	3,150	3,150	-	3,150	-
Transfer to Utility Fund	-	-	(1,101)	(1,101)	(1,101)
Intrafund transfer to Aquadale Fund		-	(2,287)	(2,287)	(2,287)
Total other financing sources	9,350	9,350	(3,388)	5,962	(3,388)
Revenues and other financing sources					
over (under) expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$

# MILLINGPORT SEWER PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Project Authorization	Prior Years	Current Year	Total to Date	Variance Positive (Negative)	
Revenues:						
Restricted Intergovernmental: NC DOT Reimbursement	\$ 210,420	\$ -	\$ -	<u>\$</u>	\$ (210,420)	
Total revenues	210,420			:	(210,420)	
Expenditures:						
Construction	1,200,000	735,875	5,122	740,997	459,003	
Professional services	97,528	18,400	72,230	90,630	6,898	
Capital outlay	10,000	27,839	17,550	45,389	(35,389)	
Total expenditures	1,307,528	782,114	94,902	877,016	430,512	
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(1,097,108)	(782,114)	(94,902)	(877,016)	220,092	
Other Financing Sources:						
Transfer from General Fund	1,049,580	800,000	249,580	1,049,580	-	
Transfer from Highway 52 Fund	47,528		47,528	47,528		
Total other financing sources	1,097,108	800,000	297,108	1,097,108		
Revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	\$ -	<u>\$ 17,886</u>	\$ 202,206	\$ 220,092	\$ 220,092	

#### PALESTINE SEWER PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Project Authorization		Prior Years		Current Year		Total to Date		_	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:										
Restricted Intergovernmental:										
Rural Center grant	\$	36,500	\$	32,475	\$	4,025	\$	36,500	\$	-
Donations		35,549	_	35,549	_	-	_	35,549		
Total revenues		72,049	-	68,024		4,025	_	72,049	_	
Expenditures:										
Construction		72,523	_	72,524			_	72,524	_	(1)
Total expenditures		72,523	_	72,524	_			72,524	_	(1)
Revenues over (under) expenditures		(474)	_	(4,500)	_	4,025		(475)	_	(1)
Other Financing Sources:										
Transfer from General Fund		4,500		4,500				4,500		-
Transfer to Utility Fund		(4,026)	_			(4,025)		(4,025)	_	1
Total other financing sources		474	_	4,500	_	(4,025)		475		1
Revenues and other financing sources										
over (under) expenditures	\$		\$	-	\$		\$		\$	-

HIGHWAY 731 WATER PROJECT SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Project Authorization	Prior Years	Current Year	Total to Date	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:					
Restricted Intergovernmental:					A (50( 000)
Rural Center grant	\$ 623,809	\$ -	\$ 26,887	\$ 26,887	\$ (596,922)
Total revenues	623,809		26,887	26,887	(596,922)
Expenditures:					
Professional services	108,000	500	59,151	59,651	48,349
Construction	548,970	397		397	548,573
Total expenditures	656,970	897	59,151	60,048	596,922
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(33,161)	(897)	(32,264)	(33,161)	
Other Financing Sources:					
Transfer from Badin Sewer Project Fund	33,161	33,161		33,161	
Total other financing sources	33,161	33,161		33,161	
Revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	\$ -	\$ 32,264	\$ (32,264)	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>

#### MORROW MOUNTAIN ROAD UTILITIES PROJECT SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

			_			Actual				
		Project horization		Prior Years		irrent Year	Tota	al to Date	P	ariance ositive egative)
Revenues:										
Restricted Intergovernmental:	¢.	100.000	d.		ø	100 000	\$	100.000	¢.	
Rural Center grant	\$	100,000	\$	-	\$	100,000	Ф	100,000	Ф	-
Sales and services										(4.000)
Tap fees		15,000	_	-		10,912		10,912		(4,088)
Total revenues		115,000	_	-		110,912	_	110,912		(4,088)
Expenditures:										
Operating expense		13,500		-		19,985		19,985		(6,485)
Capital outlay	-	196,500	_			185,927	_	185,927		10,573
Total expenditures	1/2	210,000	_			205,912	_	205,912	_	4,088
Revenues over (under) expenditures	-	(95,000)	_			(95,000)		(95,000)	_	
Other Financing Sources:										
Transfer from Utility Fund	_	95,000	_		-	95,000	_	95,000	-	
Total other financing sources		95,000	_		_	95,000		95,000		
Revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	\$		\$	-	\$		\$		\$	<u>-</u>

AIRPORT FENCING PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

						Actual				
		Project horization		Prior Years	_	Current Year	To	tal to Date		/ariance Positive Negative)
Revenues:										
Restricted Intergovernmental:										
FAA grant	\$	450,000	\$	477,820	\$		\$	477,820	\$	27,820
Air guard	_	165,000	_	63,194	-	69,327		132,521	_	(32,479)
Total revenues		615,000		541,014	_	69,327	_	610,341	-	(4,659)
Expenditures:										
Professional services		-		31,511		-		31,511		(31,511)
Construction	-	595,673	_	559,503	_	-	_	559,503	-	36,170
Total expenditures		595,673	_	591,014	_		_	591,014	_	4,659
Revenues over (under) expenditures	_	19,327	_	(50,000)	_	69,327	_	19,327	_	
Other Financing Sources (Uses):										
Transfer from airport fund		50,000		50,000		-		50,000		-
Transfer to Airport Terminal project	-	(69,327)	_		_	(69,327)	-	(69,327)	_	
Total other financing sources (uses)	-	(19,327)	_	50,000	_	(69,327)	_	(19,327)	_	
Revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	

AIRPORT TERMINAL PROJECT FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FROM INCEPTION AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

			Actual		
	Project Authorization	Prior Years	Current Year	Total to Date	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:					
Restricted Intergovernmental:					
Vision Entitlement grant	\$ 150,000	- \$	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (150,000)
FAA grant	195,000	<u> </u>			(195,000)
Total revenues	345,000	<u> </u>			(345,000)
Expenditures:					
Professional services	316,67	7 -	9,794	9,794	306,883
Construction	264,32	<del>7</del>			264,327
Total expenditures	581,004	4	9,794	9,794	571,210
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(236,004	4)	(9,794)	(9,794)	226,210
Other Financing Sources:					
Transfer from Airport Hangar project	158,000	0 157,745		157,745	(255)
Transfer from Airport Land Acquistion project	8,67	7 8,677	-	8,677	-
Transfer from Airport Fencing project	69,32	7	69,326	69,326	(1)
Total other financing sources	236,00	166,422	69,326	235,748	(256)
Revenues and other financing sources					
over (under) expenditures	\$	- \$ 166,422	\$ 59,532	\$ 225,954	\$ 225,954



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#### INTERNAL SERVICE FUND

This fund type is used to account for the financing of goods and services to other County funds and departments on a cost-reimbursement basis. The County maintains one internal service fund, Group Health and Workers' Compensation Fund.

#### **Individual Descriptions:**

- Group Health accounts for the revenues and expenses of the County's group health plan.
- Workers' Compensation accounts for the revenues and expenses of the County's self-insured workers' compensation program that includes administration, stop loss insurance, and benefits paid.

INTERNAL SERVICE FUND GROUP HEALTH AND WORKERS' COMPENSATION FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES -FINANCIAL PLAN AND ACTUAL (NON-GAAP) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	Financial Plan	Actual	Variance
Operating Revenues:			400.405
Charges for sales and services	\$ 3,808,000	\$ 3,946,425	\$ 138,425
Total operating revenues	3,808,000	3,946,425	138,425
Operating Expenses:			
Group health operations	3,466,337	3,220,468	245,869
Worker's compensation claims	401,663	260,928	140,735
Total operating expenditures	3,868,000	3,481,396	386,604
Operating income (loss)	(60,000)	465,029	525,029
Nonoperating Revenues:			
Investment earnings	60,000	88,433	28,433
Change in net assets	\$ -	553,462	\$ 553,462
Net assets, beginning of year - July 1		564,003	
Net assets, end of year - June 30		\$ 1,117,465	

#### **AGENCY FUNDS**

Agency Funds are used to account for assets held by the County as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments and/or other funds.

#### **Individual Fund Descriptions:**

- **Protective Payee Fund** account for monies deposited with the County for the benefit of certain individuals.
- Fines and Forfeitures Fund accounts for fines designated for school operations.
- Sheriff Court Execution Fund accounts for funds received and disbursed by order of the court system.
- Property Tax Clearing Funds account for property taxes collected by the County on behalf of the respective cities and towns.
- **Delinquent Vehicle Tax Fund** accounts for delinquent vehicle taxes collected by the County and disbursed to the Department of State Treasurer.

## COMBINING SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

	J	Salance une 30, 2007	A	dditions	D	eductions	_	Balance June 30, 2008
Protective Payee Fund:								
Assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	33,250	\$	134,521	\$	144,423	\$	23,347
Liabilities:								
Client equity	\$	33,250	\$	134,521	\$	144,423	\$	23,347
Fines and Forfeitures:								
Assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$		<u>\$</u>	760,205	\$	760,205	\$	
Liabilities:								
Accounts payable	\$		<u>\$</u>	760,205	\$	760,205	\$	
Sheriff's Execution:								
Assets:								
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	3,969	\$	120,760	\$	113,741	\$	10,988
Inmate cash	_	2,476	_	96,202		95,656	_	3,021
Total Assets	\$	6,445	\$	216,962	\$	209,397	\$	14,009
Liabilities:								
Executions payable	\$	3,969	\$	120,760	\$	113,741	\$	10,988
Inmate equity	_	2,476	_	96,202	_	95,656	_	3,021
Total Liabilities	\$	6,445	\$	216,962	\$	209,397	\$	14,009

## COMBINING SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

		Balance June 30, 2007	Additions		Deductions		_	Balance June 30, 2008	
Property Tax Clearing Fund:									
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	100,502	\$	8,839,236	\$	8,826,122	\$	113,616	
Liabilities:									
Accounts payable	\$	100,502	\$	8,839,236	\$	8,826,122	\$	113,616	
Delinquent Vehicle Tax Fund:									
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	2,365	\$	39,971	\$	39,263	\$	3,073	
Liabilities:									
Due Department of State Treasurer	\$	2,365	\$	39,971	\$	39,263	\$	3,073	
Totals:									
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	140,086	\$	9,894,693	\$	9,883,755	\$	151,024	
Inmate cash	-	2,476	_	96,202	-	95,656	_	3,021	
Total assets	\$	142,561	\$	9,990,895	\$	9,979,411	\$	154,045	
Liabilities:									
Accounts payable and future payments	\$	106,836	\$	8,999,967	\$	8,979,127	\$	127,676	
Client and inmate payable		35,726	_	230,723	_	240,079	_	26,369	
Total liabilities	\$	142,562	\$	9,230,690	\$	9,219,206	\$	154,045	



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#### **OTHER SCHEDULES**

This section contains the following schedules:

- General Fund Schedule of Ad Valorem Taxes Receivable
- Analysis of Current Tax Levy

### GENERAL FUND SCHEDULE OF AD VALOREM TAXES RECEIVABLE JUNE 30, 2008

Fiscal Year		Balance te 30, 2007		Additions		Collections and Credits		Uncollected Balance June 30, 2008
2007-2008	\$		\$	27,427,554	\$	26,505,922	\$	921,632
2006-2007		915,560		35,207		625,826		324,941
2005-2006		355,602		34,798		173,564		216,836
2004-2005		273,044		18,504		128,038		163,510
2003-2004		176,712		-		45,253		131,459
2002-2003		142,339		-		26,435		115,904
2001-2002		108,615		-		13,777		94,838
2000-2001		79,099		-		8,147		70,952
1999-2000		58,597		-		6,272		52,325
1998-1999		50,406		-		5,620		44,786
1997-1998		53,346		12		4,772		48,574
1996-1997		41,507		-		41,507		-
Districts over 3 years old		49,446		14,550	_	13,058	_	50,938
	\$	2,304,273	\$	27,530,613	\$	27,598,191		2,236,695
Less allow	ance for un	collectible acco	ounts -	General Fund			_	(354,702)
	Ad va	lorem taxes rec	eivable	e, net			<u>\$</u>	1,881,993
	Ad val	ciliation with a orem taxes - G ciling items:					\$	27,528,157
		nimal tax						(19,663)
		funds						12,393
		ollection fees						(58,705)
		erest collected						(253,839)
		scounts allowe						295,902
		te listings						(20,281)
		eleases						70,751
		atute of limitat	ions				_	43,476
	Total	collections and	l credit	s			\$	27,598,191

### ANALYSIS OF CURRENT TAX LEVY - COUNTY-WIDE LEVY FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

						Total L	evy	
	C	County-wide				Property Excluding Registered	R	egistered
	Property Valuation	Rate per \$100	_	Amount of Levy	_	Motor Vehicles		Motor Vehicles
Original Levy:				1.004.070	Φ		¢.	1 026 272
Property taxed at current year's rate	\$ 159,109,417	0.6450	\$	1,026,272	\$	24 512 010	\$	1,026,272
Property taxed at prior year's rate	3,934,713,582	0.6700		26,362,631		24,512,019		1,850,612
Penalties			-	22,387	-	22,387	-	
Total original levy	4,093,822,999		_	27,411,290	_	24,534,406		2,876,884
Discoveries:								
Current year rate	998,804	0.6450		6,442		( <del>-</del>		6,442
Prior year rate	9,910,904	0.6700		66,403		53,880		12,523
Penalties	· ·			1,171		1,171		-
Penalties prior year rate	-			2,876		2,876		-
Prior year taxes			_	25,665	_	25,665	_	
Total discoveries	10,909,708		-	102,557	_	83,592	_	18,965
Releases:								
Current year rate	(2,702,383)	0.6450		(17,430)		-		(17,430)
Prior year rate	(9,404,519)	0.6700		(63,010)		(27,674)		(35,336)
Penalties	<u>=</u>			(5,853)		(5,853)		-
Penalties prior year rate			-	-	-	-	_	
Total releases	(12,106,902)		_	(86,293)	_	(33,527)	_	(52,766)
Net assessed valuation	\$ 4,092,625,805							
Net Levy				27,427,554		24,584,471		2,843,083
Uncollected taxes, June 30			_	921,632	_	641,716		279,916
Current year's taxes collected			\$	26,505,922	\$	23,942,755	\$	2,563,167
Current levy collection percentage rate				96.64%	ļ.	<u>97.39%</u>		90.15%

### ANALYSIS OF CURRENT TAX LEVY - COUNTY-WIDE LEVY FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2008

#### Secondary Market Disclosures:

A	ssessed valuation:			
	Assessment ratio		100	0%
	Real property	\$ 3	,554,329,14	44
	Personal property		434,119,76	60
	Public service	_	104,176,9	01
	Total assessed value	4	,092,625,80	05
	Tax rate per \$100		0.67	00
	Levy (includes discoveries, releases, and abatements	\$	27,427,5	<u>54</u>
	In addition to the County-wide rate, the following table lists the levies by the County on behalf of fire protection districts for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007:			
	Fire Protection Districts	\$	1,702,0	36

#### STATISTICAL SECTION

The information presented in this section is provided for additional analysis purposes only and has not been subjected to audit verification as presented.

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#### Stanly County, North Carolina Net Assets by Component Last Six Fiscal Years (accrual basis of accounting)

	Fiscal Year							
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008		
Governmental activities								
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$10,698,835	\$10,887,087	\$11,200,155	\$12,190,805	\$ 9,896,831	\$13,933,344		
Restricted	55,304	61,691	50,431	71,510	121,967	65,839		
Unrestricted	(3,610,061)	(3,189,828)	_(4,783,194)	_(3,676,463)	1,856,585	1,284,464		
Total Governmental activities net assets	\$ 7,144,078	\$ 7,758,950	\$ 6,467,392	\$ 8,585,852	\$11,875,383	\$15,283,647		
Business-type activities								
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$23,832,478	\$29,165,629	\$30,444,727	\$30,892,567	\$34,317,479	\$ 33,344,464		
Unrestricted	4,133,013	1,305,445	576,013	2,176,979	2,198,765	2,532,023		
Total business-type activities net assets	\$27,965,491	\$30,471,074	\$31,020,740	\$33,069,546	\$36,516,244	\$35,876,487		
Primary government								
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$34,531,313	\$40,052,716	\$41,644,882	\$43,083,372	\$44,214,310	\$47,277,808		
Restricted	55,304	61,691	50,431	71,510	121,967	65,839		
Unrestricted	522,952	(1,884,383)	_(4,207,181)	(1,499,484)	4,055,350	3,816,487		
Total primary government net assets	\$35,109,569	\$38,230,024	\$37,488,132	\$41,655,398	\$48,391,627	\$51,160,134		

#### Stanly County, North Carolina Changes in Net Assets Last Six Fiscal Years (accrual basis of accounting)

	Fiscal Year						
Expenses	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
Governmental activities:							
General government	\$ 3,681,482	\$ 3,943,999	\$ 7,211,199	\$ 4,507,077	\$ 4,763,517	\$ 5,563,922	
Public safety	8,501,449	9,208,320	10,271,412	10,901,818	11,144,226	12,089,074	
Transportation	615,484	627,172	722,422	799,798	814,513	850,441	
Environmental protection	793,220	867,293	899,015	927,806	1,000,097	1,031,633	
Economic and physical development	1,352,313	1,282,716	1,529,470	2,001,170	1,888,101	2,344,873	
Human services	13,141,648	13,402,271	14,330,481	15,746,398	16,379,896	16,086,711	
Education	18,425,835	14,665,895	16,478,097	14,524,281	14,888,711	14,267,912	
Culture and recreation	1,545,035	1,509,613	1,384,589	1,552,261	1,668,597	1,800,314	
Interest on long-term debt	1,356,195	1,201,997	1,136,626	1,085,577	1,234,712	1,193,541	
Total governmental activities expenses	49,412,661	46,709,276	53,963,311	52,046,186	_53,782,370	55,228,419	
Business-type activities:						0.077.000	
Water and sewer	2,728,878	2,852,826	3,127,806	2,852,463	2,857,210	3,377,002	
Airport	1,188,525	1,377,782	1,444,977	1,445,778	1,670,370	1,588,558	
Total business-type activities	3,917,403	4,230,608	4,572,783	4,298,241	4,527,580	4,965,560	
Total primary governmental expenses	\$ 53,330,064	\$ 50,939,884	\$ 58,536,094	\$ 56,344,427	\$ 58,309,950	\$ 60,193,979	
Program Revenues							
Governmental activities:							
Charges for services:							
General government	\$ 565,380	\$ 596,905	\$ 4,261,895	\$ 1,668,751	\$ 1,579,480	\$ 1,668,625	
Public safety	2,278,536	2,120,800	1,824,146	2,022,339	2,396,682	2,579,945	
Transportation	243,890	266,612	304,235	303,563	312,282	375,280	
Environmental protection	714,625	706,657	769,537	740,437	857,834	848,824	
Economic and physical development	32,612	28,230	6,625	13,081	12,480	23,135	
Human services	941,148	1,647,522	1,698,934	1,910,676	2,157,094	1,894,767	
Culture and recreation	121,043	96,867	24,497	27,714	36,857	79,893	
Operating grants and contributions	8,250,279	7,996,207	8,458,500	11,035,610	8,832,742	9,111,529	
Capital grants and contributions	1,059,978	53,048	29,503	164,368	1,842,159	986,481	
Total governmental activities program revenues	14,207,491	13,512,848	17,377,872	17,886,539	18,027,610	17,568,479	
Business-type activities:							
Charges for services:		200200		0.700.050	0.705.000	2.004.722	
Water and sewer	2,252,317	2,415,287	2,535,305	2,762,650	2,725,228	3,004,732	
Airport	251,514	261,181	334,406	397,830	429,644	457,087	
Operating grants and contributions		0.440.405	1 700 002	1 007 601	3,757,664	17,949 216,801	
Capital grants and contributions	2,293,083	3,142,125	1,789,803	1,007,601		The state of the s	
Total business-type activities program revenues	4,796,914	5,818,593	4,659,514	4,168,081	6,912,536	3,696,569	
Total primary governmental program revenues	\$ 19,004,405	\$ 19,331,441	\$ 22,037,386	\$ 22,054,620	\$ 24,940,146	\$ 21,265,048	
Net (expense)/revenue		12022		0/04/1700:5	0/05 754 700	6/07 650 040	
Governmental activities	\$ (35,205,170)				\$ (35,754,760)	\$ (37,659,940)	
Business-type activities	879,511	1,587,985	86,731	(130,160)	2,384,956	(1,268,991)	
Total primary governmental net expense	\$ (34,325,659)	\$(31,608,443)	\$ (36,498,708)	\$ (34,289,807)	<u>\$ (33,369,804)</u>	\$ (38,928,931)	

#### General Revenues and Other Changes in

Net Assets	Fiscal Year									
Governmental activities:	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008				
Taxes				11211111		0.00 100 150				
Ad valorem taxes	\$ 24,929,899	\$ 25,024,239	\$ 25,255,507	\$ 27,029,395	\$ 27,468,013	\$ 29,160,452				
Local option sales tax	7,097,667	8,684,938	9,407,446	9,922,637	10,605,369	10,695,767				
Other taxes	416,498	491,953	523,941	557,210	579,632	574,991				
Unrestricted grants and contributions	12,226	5,936	-	-						
Interest earned on investments	255,131	246,635	294,656	921,555	1,393,065	1,235,530				
Miscellaneous	19,213	262,448	249,947	-		-				
Gain (loss) on sale of capital assets	(79,506)	-		-	-	•				
Transfers in (out)	(973,724)	(904,849)	(437,616)	(2,152,690)	(1,001,788)	(598,536)				
Total governmental activities	31,677,404	33,811,300	35,293,881	36,278,107	39,044,291	41,068,204				
Business-type activities:										
Ad valorem taxes	85	-	-			3				
Interest earned on investments	26,163	12,749	25,319	26,276	59,954	30,698				
Miscellaneous	114,010	-	-	-	-					
Gain (loss) on sale of capital assets	(155,210)	-			-	•				
Transfers in (out)	973,724	904,849	437,616	2,152,690	1,001,788	598,536				
Total business-type activities	958,772	917,598	462,935	2,178,966	1,061,742	629,234				
Total primary government	\$ 32,636,176	\$ 34,728,898	\$ 35,756,816	\$ 38,457,073	\$ 40,106,033	\$ 41,697,438				
Change in Net Assets										
Governmental activities	\$ (3,527,766)	\$ 614,872	\$ (1,291,558)	\$ 2,118,460	\$ 3,289,531	\$ 3,408,264				
Business-type activities	1,838,283	2,505,583	549,666	2,048,806	3,446,698	(639,757)				
Total primary government	\$ (1,689,483)	\$ 3,120,455	\$ (741,892)	\$ 4,167,266	\$ 6,736,229	\$ 2,768,507				

#### Stanly County, North Carolina Fund Balances of Governmental Funds Last Six Fiscal Years (modified accrual basis of accounting)

	Fiscal Year										
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008					
General Fund											
Reserved	\$ 3,689,921	\$ 4,549,925	\$ 5,575,709	\$ 4,206,084	\$ 5,249,619	\$ 3,590,746					
Unreserved	10,560,386	10,601,862	10,931,952	11,756,250	12,250,938	15,452,332					
Total General Fund	\$14,250,307	\$15,151,787	\$16,507,661	\$15,962,334	\$17,500,557	\$19,043,078					
All other governmental funds											
Reserved	\$ -	\$ 27,119	\$ 24,928	\$ 59,382	\$ 105,640	\$ 30,977					
Unreserved, reported in:											
Special revenue funds	6,023,236	3,967,446	590,577	482,567	464,056	514,312					
Capital projects funds	-	400,658	208,637	665,307	3,554,882						
Total all other governmental funds	\$ 6,023,236	\$ 4,395,223	\$ 824,142	\$ 1,207,256	\$ 4,124,578	\$ 545,289					

## Stanly County, North Carolina Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds Last Six Fiscal Years (modified accrual basis of accounting)

Fiscal Year 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 Revenues \$24,644,601 \$24,978,882 \$25,328,973 \$26,829,328 \$27,519,067 \$29,225,384 Ad valorem taxes 10,605,369 10,695,767 7,097,665 8,684,938 9,407,446 9,922,637 Local option sales taxes 579,632 574,991 557,210 Other taxes and licenses 416,501 570,076 523,941 8,173 12,226 5,936 5,763 6,080 5,657 Unrestricted intergovernmental 9,664,623 Restricted intergovernmental 8,301,818 7,627,446 8,250,771 10,365,169 10,258,260 945,668 927,965 915,083 813,844 Permits and fees 468,084 750,320 6,087,739 4,794,619 4,626,431 4,897,601 5,734,916 5,984,898 Sales and services 286,217 827,006 1,286,592 1,146,477 Investment earnings 391,940 229,301 834,809 706,272 714,807 495,751 528,194 748,556 Miscellaneous 46,623,205 50,199,588 55,890,999 57,873,712 59,063,629 48,166,287 Total revenues **Expenditures** 5,183,353 3,933,312 4,219,004 General government 3,169,773 3,332,574 3,664,082 9,779,612 10,245,837 13,933,485 14,967,299 Public safety 8,487,712 8,681,718 627,756 712,320 732,129 797,230 477,461 543,815 Transportation 1,026,214 789,005 873,394 895,520 923,604 975,779 Environmental protection 2,005,105 1,912,875 2,348,929 1,292,366 1,525,184 1,157,470 Economic and physical development 13.243.827 13,370,134 14,307,611 15,729,303 16,415,126 16,202,140 Human services 14,888,711 11,156,431 18,425,835 14,665,894 16,290,282 14,318,186 Education 1,393,480 1,449,484 1,468,388 1,604,432 1,301,922 Culture and recreation 1,319,469 678,811 4,275,976 1,447,520 1,357,952 1,021,639 2,150,608 Capital Outlay Debt service 1,530,401 1,728,156 1,333,098 Principal 1,253,005 1,253,005 1,319,567 1,211,702 1,152,446 1,099,665 1,161,670 1,323,627 1,315,197 Interest and other charges 53,900,522 57,916,379 60,501,862 47,987,971 51,977,179 51,094,704 Total expenditures Excess of revenues (4,471,499)(1,438,233)178,316 (1,777,591)1,990,477 (42,667)over (under) expenditures Other financing sources (uses) 5,500,000 **Debt Proceeds** 595,036 1,042,813 420,000 90,561 580,000 245,167 Transfers from other funds (1,246,955)(1,193,572)(2,732,690)Transfers to other funds (2,016,537)(1,324,849)(528, 177)Sale of capital assets 26,781 Total other financing 4,498,212 (946, 943)(904,849)(437,616)(2,152,690)(598,536)sources (uses) (726,533) \$ (2,215,207) \$ (162,213) \$ 4,455,545Net change in fund balances \$ (5,418,442) \$ Debt services as a percentage of noncapital 5.3% 4.7% 4.7% 5.2% 5.5% 4.9% expenditures

#### Stanly County, North Carolina Governmental Activities Tax Revenues by Source Last Ten Fiscal Years (accrual basis of accounting)

Fiscal Year		Property Tax		Sales Tax	F	ranchise Tax	0	ccupancy Tax	F	Property Excise Tax	lr	itangible Tax	C	Other Tax		Total
	_		<u>_</u>		<u>_</u>		Φ.		<u>_</u>		<u></u>		<u>_</u>		6	
1999	\$	16,218,662	\$	6,995,893	\$	57,760	\$	-	\$	125,186	\$	490,287	\$	-	\$	23,887,788
2000		17,606,833		7,278,261		123,099		-		118,573		484,977		-		25,611,743
2001		19,258,393		7,227,876		104,576		-		129,747		486,093		27,393		27,234,078
2002		24,031,580		7,278,661		116,860		91,583		151,271		491,512		29,503		32,190,970
2003		24,929,899		7,097,667		124,121		162,097		122,057		-		8,224		32,444,065
2004		25,024,239		8,684,938		131,244		179,150		173,016		-		8,544		34,201,131
2005		25,255,507		9,407,446		138,938		184,879		185,316		-		14,808		35,186,894
2006		27,029,395		9,922,637		133,670		199,699		207,718		-		16,123		37,509,242
2007		27,468,013		10,605,369		153,011		192,680		216,215		-		17,726		38,653,014
2008		29,160,452		10,695,767		139,719		215,575		202,558		-		17,139		40,431,210

#### Stanly County, North Carolina General Governmental Tax Revenues By Source Last Ten Fiscal Years (modified accrual basis of accounting)

Fiscal Year	Property Tax	Sales Tax	Franchise Tax	Occupancy Tax	Property Excise Tax	Intangible Tax	Other Tax	Total
1999	\$ 16,218,662	\$ 6,995,893	\$ 57,760	\$ -	\$ 125,186	\$ 490,287	\$ -	\$ 23,887,788
2000	17.606.833	7,278,261	123,099	_	118,573	484,977	-	25,611,743
2001	19,258,393	7,227,876	104,576	-	129,747	486,093	27,393	27,234,078
2002	24.031.580	7,278,661	116,860	91,583	151,271	491,512	29,503	32,190,970
2003	24.644.601	7,097,667	124,121	162,097	122,057	-	8,224	32,158,767
2004	24,978,882	8,684,938	131,244	179,150	173,016	-	8,544	34,155,774
2005	25,328,973	9,407,446	138,938	184,879	185,316	-	14,808	35,260,360
2006	26,829,328	9,922,637	133,670	199,699	207,718	-	16,123	37,309,175
2007	27.519.067	10,605,369	153,011	192,680	216,215	-	17,726	38,704,068
2008	29,225,384	10,695,767	139,719	215,575	202,558	-	17,139	40,496,142

## Stanly County, North Carolina Assessed Value and Estimated Actual Value of Taxable Property Last Seven Fiscal Years

		Real Pro	perty	Persona	Il Property	Less:	Total Taxable	Total Direct	Estimated Actual	Assessed Value as a	
Fiscal Year	_	Residential Property	Commercial Property	Motor Vehicles	Other	Tax Exempt Real Property	Assessed Value	Tax Rate	Taxable Value	Percentage of Actual Value	
0000	•	4 004 042 045	\$ 265,236,527	\$404,433,570	\$1.340.530.512	\$ 492.330.928	\$3,449,682,696	0.6675	\$3,449,682,696	100%	
2002	\$	1,931,813,015		and the second s		525,249,495	3,533,959,154	0.6675	3,533,959,154	100%	
2003		1,971,026,440	276,214,095	407,678,432	1,404,289,682					100%	
2004		2.009,269,613	283,643,078	401,540,778	1,455,386,443	618,158,151	3,531,681,761	0.6675	3,531,681,761		
		2.050,000,000	290,000,000	404,465,835	1,467,503,839	650,000,000	3,561,969,674	0.6675	3,561,969,674	100%	
2005						708.015,435	3,933,914,896	0.6450	3.933.914.896	100%	
2006		2,530,377,851	343,500,422	454,259,606	1,313,792,452				-1	100%	
2007		2.304,600,237	355,608,820	420,101,573	1,760,360,739	847,501,363	3,993,170,006	0.6450	3,993,170,006		
2008		2,758,609,886	957,073,583	406,812,810	342,065,414	371,935,888	4,092,625,805	0.6700	4,092,625,805	100%	

Source: Stanly County Tax Assessor

Note: Data not available before Fiscal Year 2002.

# Stanly County, North Carolina Property Tax Rates - Direct and Overlapping Governments Last Ten Fiscal Years

							Oakboro	
Fiscal Year Ended	Locust Fire	Center Rural Fire	Endy Fire	Ridgecrest Fire	Aquadale Fire	Eastside Fire	Rural Fire	New London Fire
June 30	District	District	District	District	District	District	District	District
1999	0.0600	0.0500	0.0400	0.0500	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0400	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2001	0.0800	0.0500	0.0400	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2002	0.0800	0.0500	0.0400	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2003	0.0800	0.0500	0.0400	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2004	0.0800	0.0500	0.0400	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2005	0.0800	0.0500	0.0400	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2006	0.0800	0.0500	0.0600	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2007	0.0800	0.0500	0.0600	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500
2008	0.0800	0.0500	0.0600	0.0800	0.0500	0.0800	0.0400	0.0500

	Stanly County	City of Albemarle	Town of Oakboro	Town of Badin	Town of Norwood	Town of Locust	Stanfield Annex	Town of Stanfield
1998	0.6675	0.5600	0.4700	0.2400	0.4000	0.3200	N/A	0.3700
1999	0.6675	0.5600	0.4700	0.2400	0.4000	0.3200	N/A	0.3700
2000	0.6975	0.5800	0.4700	0.2400	0.4000	0.3200	N/A	0.4000
2001	0.7575	0.6100	0.4400	0.2500	0.4000	0.3700	N/A	0.4000
2002	0.6675	0.5400	0.4400	0.2300	0.4000	0.3600	N/A	0.3800
2003	0.6675	0.5400	0.4400	0.2530	0.4000	0.3600	0.3167	0.3800
2004	0.6675	0.5400	0.4400	0.3000	0.4000	0.3600	N/A	0.3800
2005	0.6675	0.5600	0.4400	0.3200	0.4000	0.3600	N/A	0.3800
2006	0.6450	0.5600	0.4400	0.3200	0.4000	0.3600	N/A	0.3800
2007	0.6450	0.5600	0.4400	0.3400	0.4000	0.3600	N/A	0.3800
2008	0.6700	0.5600	0.4100	0.3600	0.4000	0.3600	N/A	0.3800

All tax rates are expressed in dollars of tax per \$100 of assessed valuation. For the above years, the tax levies were assessed at one hundred percent (100%) of the actual value.

Maximum Combined County Tax Rate - Stanly County plus the highest fire district tax rate.

Maximum Combined City Tax Rate - Stanly County plus the highest city or township tax rate(s).

Southside Fire District	Rocky River District	Bethany Fire District	Richfield Fire District	Millingport Fire District	Badin- Yakin Fire District	Piney Point Water District
0.1000	0.0600	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	N/A	0.0860
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	N/A	0.0860
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	N/A	0.0860
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	N/A	N/A
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	0.0500	N/A
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	0.0500	N/A
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	0.0500	N/A
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	0.0500	N/A
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	0.0500	N/A
0.1000	0.0800	0.0500	0.0700	0.0500	0.0500	N/A

Town of New London	Town of Richfield	Town of Red Cross	Red Cross Annex	Town of Misenheimer	Municipal Service	City Schools Higher Standard	Maximum Combined County Tax Rate	Maximum Combined City Tax Rate
0.1600	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.0400	0.7675	1.2275
0.1600	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.1000	N/A	0.7675	1.2275
0.1600	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.1000	N/A	0.7975	1.2775
0.1600	0.1600	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.1000	N/A	0.8575	1.3675
0.1600	0.1500	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.1000	N/A	0.7675	1.2075
0.1600	0.1500	0.1008	N/A	N/A	0.1000	N/A	0.7675	1.2075
0.1600	0.1500	0.1600	0.2242	0.2200	0.1000	N/A	0.7675	1.2075
0.1600	0.1500	0.1600	N/A	0.2200	0.1000	N/A	0.7675	1.2275
0.1600	0.1500	0.1600	N/A	0.2200	0.1000	N/A	0.7450	1.2050
0.1600	0.1500	0.1600	N/A	0.2200	0.1000	N/A	0.7450	1.2050
0.1600	0.1500	0.1600	N/A	0.2200	0.1000	N/A	0.7700	1.2300

### Stanly County, North Carolina Principal Property Taxpayers Current Year and Nine Years Ago

			2008			1999	
<u>Taxpayer</u>	,	Taxable Assessed Value	<u>Rank</u>	Percentage of Total Taxable Assessed <u>Value</u>	Taxable Assessed Value	<u>Rank</u>	Percentage of Total Taxable Assessed <u>Value</u>
APGI	\$	47,715,629	1	1.17%			
Michelin Aircraft Tire Co.		37,528,311	2	0.92%	21,927,670	3	0.94%
Alcoa		30,443,079	3	0.75%	71,326,276	1	3.07%
Duke Energy		29,852,462	4	0.73%	21,639,786	5	0.93%
Union Electric		26,294,476	5	0.65%	11,107,469	9	0.48%
Fiber Composites		24,014,148	6	0.59%			
Concord Telephone Co.		15,345,975	7	0.38%	14,161,431	8	0.61%
Preformed Line Prod		14,811,569	8	0.36%			
Wiscassett Mills		14,744,677	9	0.36%	17,764,988	6	0.76%
Wal Mart		14,713,896	10	0.36%			
Piedmont Natural Gas							
Yadkin Inc.					32,262,978	2	1.39%
Collina and Aikman					21,724,855	4	0.93%
General Signal Ind., Inc.					15,931,815	7	0.69%
Albemarle Fiber and Finishing E.J. Snyder, Inc.					10,470,052	10	0.45%
Totals	\$	255,464,222		<u>6.28</u> %	\$ 238,317,320		<u>10.25</u> %

Source: Stanly County Tax Assessor

### Stanly County, North Carolina Property Tax Levies and Collections Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year Total Ended Levy for				ed within the ear of the Levy	Collections in	_	Total Collections to Date				
June 30	Fiscal Year		Amount	Percentage of Levy	Subsequent Years		Amount	Percentage of Levy			
1999	\$15,584,334	\$	15.021,386	96.39%	\$ 542,942	\$	15,564,328	99.87%			
2000	17,002,740	Ψ	16,394,852	96.42%	543,801		16,938,653	99.62%			
2001	18,880,008		18,137,223	96.07%	527,428		18,664,651	98.86%			
2002	23,202,760		22,217,710	95.75%	691,765		22,909,475	98.74%			
2002	23,570,947		22,498,389	95.45%	755,234		23,253,623	98.65%			
2004	23,615,122		22,627,355	95.82%	983,334		23,610,689	99.98%			
2005	23,837,624		22,937,907	96.23%	1,008,706		23,946,613	100.46%			
2006	25.446.392		24,452,587	96.09%	799,246		25,251,833	99.24%			
2007	25,771,587		24.856.027	96.45%	973,208		25,829,235	100.22%			
2007	27,427,554		26,505,922	96.64%	974,054		27,479,976	100.19%			

### Stanly County, North Carolina Ratio of Outstanding Debt by Type Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year		Governmental Activities				Busi	ness	-type Activ	/itie	s					
		General Obligation Bonds		Capital Leases		General Obligation Bonds		Capital Leases		Revolving Loan		Total Primary Government	Percentage of Personal Income		Per Capita
	1999	\$ -	\$	4,394,295	\$	2,934,600	\$	955,789	\$		\$	8,284,684	0.76%	\$	148.99
	2000		7	4.058,436		2,692,900		908,167		438,033		8,097,536	0.68%		141.53
	2001	16,000,000		3,648,753		2,440,700		829,982		431,890		23,351,325	1.76%		401.92
	2002	25,500,000		3,232,926		2,177,200		747,461		409,159		32,066,746	2.36%		545.43
	2003	24,600,000		2,793,300		875,000		660,365		386,428		29,315,093	2.24%		498.61
	2004	23,700,000		2,237,600		760,000		552,076		363,697		27,613,373	2.04%		467.55
	2005	22,800,000		1.818.029		645,000		448,556		340,967		26,052,552	1.89%		440.99
	2006	21,900,000		1.384,931		530,000		341,700		318,235		24,474,866	1.69%		415.45
	2007	21,000,000		6.254.530		415,000		231,396		295,504		28,196,430	1.82%		476.89
	2008	20,100,000		5,426,375		300,000		117,534		272,773		26,216,682	1.56%		433.55

Note: Details regarding the county's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

### Stanly County, North Carolina Ratios of General Bonded Debt Outstanding Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year	General Obligation Bonds	Percentage of Estimated Actual Taxable Value of Property	 Per Capita
1999	\$ 2,934,600	0.12%	\$ 52.77
2000	2,692,900	0.11%	47.07
2001	18,440,700	0.74%	317.40
2002	27,677,200	0.80%	470.76
2003	25,475,000	0.72%	428.89
2004	24,460,000	0.67%	414.16
2005	23,445,000	0.66%	396.85
2006	22,430,000	0.57%	380.74
2007	21,415,000	0.54%	362.19
2008	20,400,000	0.50%	337.36

Note: Details regarding the county's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

# Stanly County, North Carolina Direct and Overlapping Governmental Activities Debt June 30, 2008

Governmental Unit	Debt Outstanding	Estimated Percentage Applicable	Estimated Share of Overlapping Debt
Stanly County	\$ 20,400,000	100%	\$ 20,400,000
City of Albemarle	630,000	100%	630,000
Town of Richfield	10,500	100%	 10,500
Total direct and overlapping debt			\$ 21,040,500



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## Stanly County, North Carolina Legal Debt Margin Information Last Ten Fiscal Years

				F	iscal Year	
	1999		2000		2001	2002
Debt limit	\$185,924,795	\$	194,275,355	\$	198,639,178	\$ 244,327,835
Total net debt applicable to limit	4,394,295	_	4,058,436		19,999,754	28,732,926
Legal debt margin	\$181,530,500	<u>\$</u>	190,216,919	\$	178,639,424	\$ 215,594,909
Total net debt applicable to the limit as a percentage of debt limit	2.36%		2.09%		10.07%	11.76%

## Legal Debt Margin Calculation for Fiscal Year 2008

Assessed value		\$ 4,092,625,805
Debt limit - 8% of assessed value Debt applicable to limit:		327,410,064
General obligation bonds	\$ 20,400,000	
Revolving loan	272,773	
Capital lease obligation	5,543,909	
Total debt	\$ 26,216,682	
Less-Statutory deductions	690,308	
Total amount of debt applicable to degal debt margin	debt limit	25,526,374 \$ 301,883,690

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			Fiscal Year		
2003	2004	2005	<u>2006</u>	2007	2008
\$282,142,285	\$282,534,541	\$284,957,574	\$314,713,191	\$319,453,600	\$327,410,064
24,600,000	23,700,000	22,800,000	23,284,931	27,254,530	25,526,374
\$257,542,285	\$258,834,541	<u>\$262,157,574</u>	<u>\$291,428,260</u>	\$292,199,070	<u>\$301,883,690</u>
8.72%	8.39%	8.00%	7.40%	8.53%	7.80%

## Stanly County, North Carolina Demographic and Economic Statistics Last Ten Fiscal Years

			Per							
Capita										
Fiscal Year	Population (1)	Personal Income	Personal Income (2		School Enrollment (4)	Unemployment Rate (5)				
1999	55,606	\$1,085,929,574	\$ 19,52	9 36.5	10,189	3.6%				
2000	57,214	1,184,558,656	20,70	37.0	10,187	4.0%				
2001	58,100	1,325,609,600	22,81	6 37.0	10,186	7.6%				
2002	58,792	1,357,507,280	23,09	37.2	10,204	8.3%				
2003	58,794	1,311,517,758	22,30	7 37.2	10,184	9.1%				
2004	59,060	1,355,604,180	22,95	36.9	9,903	7.2%				
2005	59,078	1,379,707,612	23,35	36.9	9,868	5.9%				
2006	58,912	1,452,298,624	24,65	38.0	9,588	5.5%				
2007	59,126	1,552,116,626	26,25	38.2	9,687	4.9%				
2008	60,470	1,682,517,280	27,82	24 39.0	9,650	5.8%				

#### Sources:

- (1) N.C. Department of Commerce North Carolina Economic Development Intelligence System
- (2) N.C. Employment Security Commission Workforce In-Depth
- (3) N.C. Department of Commerce North Carolina Economic Development Intelligence System
- (4) Stanly County Board of Education
- (5) N.C. Employment Security Commission Workforce In-Depth

## Stanly County, North Carolina Principal Employers Current Year

2008

Employer	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total County Employment
Stanly County Schools	1,443	1	4.87%
Stanly Regional Medical Center	757	2	2.55%
Stanly County Government	599	3	2.02%
Collins & Aikman	450	4	1.52%
Michelin Aircraft	360	5	1.21%
Wal-Mart	325	6	1.10%
Albemarle Correctional	317	7	1.07%
City of Albemarle	295	8	1.00%
Shult Manufacturing	260	9	0.88%
Clayton Mobile Homes	<u>204</u>	10	0.69%
Total	5,010		<u>16.91</u> %

Source: Stanly County Economic Development Commission

Note: Data not available for 1999.

## Stanly County, North Carolina Full-time Equivalent County Government Employees by Function Last Nine Fiscal Years

Note: Data not available before Fiscal Year 2000

Total

## Stanly County, North Carolina Operating Indicators by Function Last Three Fiscal Years

	Fiscal Year		
	2006	2007	2008
Function			
Public Safety			
Arrests	1,819	1,712	3,471
Civil papers serviced	1,060	1,166	13,269
Average daily jail population	83	92	91
Dispatched EMS calls	6,297	6,370	6,885
EMS move up calls	2,748	2,695	5,270
Building permits issued	642	710	651
Animals entering shelter	4,358	4,211	3,313
Animals euthanized	3,201	2,866	2,404
911 calls logged for service	102,834	107,118	110,472
Transportation			
Service hours	26,180	20,713	28,277
Miles driven	413,044	392,079	427,665
Trips	82,878	77,888	72,967
Environmental protection			
Discarded materials collected (tons/day)	19	20	19
Recycleables collected (tons/day)	2	2	2
Human services			
Food and logding permits	127	114	50
Food and lodging inspections made	917	836	627
Wells inspected	155	168	145
Culture and recreation			
Library books checked out	197,718	209,100	220,331
Library cards issued	2,763	4,043	1,287
Water and sewer			
Number of water customers	3,859	3,979	3,756
Average monthly water demand			
(Gallons)	24,216,807	26,290,707	53,000,000
Number of sewer customers	648	624	650
Average sewage collected monthly			
(Gallons)	31,199,628	20,217,286	12,000,000
Airport			
Operations		40.044	10.710
(Take-offs and/or landings)	11,451	13,844	13,718

Sources: Various departments

Note: Data not available before Fiscal Year 2006.

<sup>\*</sup> This change is due to less I&I in the system.

#### Stanly County, North Carolina Capital Asset Statistics by Function Last Three Fiscal Years

	Fiscal Year		
	2006	2007	2008
Function			
Public safety			
Detention center	1	1	1
Patrol units	51	46	48
EMS ambulances	8	9	9
Transportation			
Transit vehicles	29	24	18
Environmental protection			
Convenience centers	9	9	9
Sanitary landfill	0	0	0
Culture and recreation			
Museums	3	3	3
Civic center	1	1	1
Water and sewer			
Miles of water mains	150	150	162
Number of wastewater plants	1	1	1
Miles of sanitary sewer	26	26	33
Airport			
Runways	2	2	2
Hangar Spaces	30	30	30

Sources: Various departments

Note: This data not available before Fiscal Year 2006.