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Comprehensive Annual Financial Report Year ended December 31, 2006



Ramsey County Court House

Ramsey County, Minnesota 15 W. Kellogg Blvd., #270 St. Paul, Minnesota 55102

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

(Dollars in thousands	except per capita amounts)	2006		2005	Percent Change
Government-wid	e Financial Statements:				
Assets		\$ 1,001,727	\$	939,385	6.6%
Liabilities		\$ 308,500	\$	314,069	(1.8%)
Net Assets		\$ 693,227	\$	625,316	10.9%
Government-wid	e Financial Statements:				
Revenues		\$ 577,711	\$	532,290	8.5%
Expenses		\$ 509,800	\$	494,346	3.1%
Increase in Net	Assets	\$ 67,911	\$	37,944	
Expense per Cap	oita	\$ 989.41	\$	959.09	3.2%
Investment/Casl	h Ratio	99.0%		99.0%	-
Average Investm	nent Yield	4.7%		3.6%	30.6%
General Obligation	on Debt	\$ 213,400	\$	218,607	(2.4%)
Net General Oblig	gation Debt Per Capita	\$ 342.80	\$	355.03	(3.4%)
Bond Ratings	Moody's Investor Services	Aaa		Aaa	
	Standard & Poor's	AAA		AAA	
Property Taxes	Levy (General County)	\$ 222,719	\$	209,638	6.2%
-	Net Tax Capacity Rates	41.97		43.55	(3.6%)
	Net Tax Capacity	\$ 478,384	\$	429,417	11.4%
	Market Values	\$ 41,244,140	\$ 3	86,745,140	12.2%
Number of Budge	eted Employees (FTE)	3,743.48		3,647.58	2.6%

Comprehensive Annual Financial Report

of the

County of Ramsey, Minnesota

Year Ended December 31, 2006

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

	District
Tony Bennett, Chair	1
Jan Parker	2
Janice Rettman	3
Toni Carter	4
Rafael Ortega	5
Jim McDonough	6
Victoria Reinhardt	7

David Twa County Manager

Prepared by: Budgeting & Accounting Office of the County Manager's Department

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RAMSEY COUNTY LIST OF PRINCIPAL OFFICIALS December 31, 2006

	Name	Term Expires
	ELECTED	
Commissioners:		
1st District	Tony Bennett, Chair	January 2009
2nd District	Jan Parker	January 2009
3rd District	Janice Rettman	January 2011
4th District	Toni Carter	January 2011
5th District	Rafael Ortega	January 2011
6th District	Jim McDonough	January 2011
7th District	Victoria Reinhardt	January 2009
County Attorney	Susan Gaertner	January 2011
County Sheriff	Bob Fletcher	January 2011

APPOINTED

County Manager	David Twa	Indefinite
Assessor	Stephen Baker	December 31, 2008
Property Records &		
Revenue Director	Dorothy McClung	Indefinite
Information Services Director	Mary Mahoney	Indefinite
Community Corrections Director	Carol Roberts	Indefinite
Parks & Recreation Director	Gregory Mack	Indefinite
County Engineer	Kenneth Haider	May 30, 2009
Community Human Services Director	Monty Martin	Indefinite
Public Health Director	Robert Fulton	Indefinite

CIVIL SERVICE APPOINTMENTS

Human Resources Director

Budgeting & Accounting Director

Gail Blackstone

Julie Kleinschmidt



Office of the County Manager

David J. Twa, County Manager

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June 19, 2007

Honorable Chair and Commissioners Ramsey County Board of Commissioners Room 220 Court House St. Paul. Minnesota 55102

Commissioners:

The comprehensive annual financial report of Ramsey County is submitted for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2006. This report was prepared by the Office of Budgeting & Accounting. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the presented data and completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with County management. This report conforms to generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as set forth in the pronouncements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

We believe the data are accurate in all material aspects, and set forth the financial position and results of operations of the County, as measured by the financial activity of its various funds, and all disclosures necessary to enable maximum understanding of the County's financial affairs.

Copies of this report will be sent to elected officials, County management, credit rating agencies, financial institutions, and governmental agencies, which have expressed an interest in Ramsey County's financial affairs.

The accompanying report consists of three parts:

- 1. Introductory Section including this transmittal letter;
- 2. Financial Section including the financial statements and supplemental data of the County, accompanied by the State Auditor's report;
- 3. Statistical Section including a number of tables of data depicting the financial history of the County for the past ten years, and information on overlapping governments, demographic, and other miscellaneous information.

The County is required to undergo an annual single audit in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and U.S. Office of Management & Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations." The schedule of expenditures of federal awards is included in this report on Schedule 10. The findings and recommendations and auditor's report on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations will be included in the Auditor's Management and Compliance letter to the County and is not part of this report.

GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements in the form of a Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A). This letter of transmittal is designed to complement the MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The County's MD&A can be found immediately following the report of the independent auditors.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Ramsey County has an area of 170.2 square miles (107,520 acres) and is the State's second most populous county. Ramsey County was organized on October 27, 1849 and is governed by the general laws of the State of Minnesota. On November 6, 1992, the County became the first Home Rule Charter County in the State. The City of Saint Paul comprises slightly less than half of the County's total taxable value, and is the Minnesota State Capital and the County Seat.

GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION AND SERVICES

A seven-member Board of Commissioners determines County policy and decides how money should be spent for the well-being of the people it represents. All members serve overlapping four-vear terms of office. Each member also serves on numerous other boards and committees.

The Board appoints the County Manager who is the chief administrative officer of the County. The County Manager is responsible for the administration of Board policy and for the management of the various county departments.

The County provides a full range of services contemplated by statute. This includes public safety, recreation, public works, health services, judicial, cultural, human services, vital statistics, and tax assessment and collection. The County also operates, as enterprise funds, a nursing home and a home for developmentally disabled residents.

REPORTING ENTITY

The financial reporting entity includes all funds of the County including component units. Component units are legally separate entities for which the primary government is financially accountable. The criteria used in determining the reporting entity are consistent with the GASB Statement 14.

Blended component units are legally separate entities which, in substance, are part of the primary government's operation and, therefore, part of the primary government. Accordingly, the Ramsey County Regional Railroad Authority and the Ramsey County Housing & Redevelopment Authority are reported as special revenue funds.

MAJOR COUNTY INITIATIVES

Ramsey County Riverfront Properties

A potential sale of the former Adult Detention Center and the "F" building in the Ramsey County Government Center-West (RCGC-West) complex did not materialize in the fall of 2006. On November 14, 2006, the County Board authorized selling the County-owned property, including all buildings and structures, located on the riverfront from and including RCGC-West, and going East to, but not including the RCGC-East (Riverfront Properties).

The County has entered into an agreement with United Properties to serve as agent in the sale of the Riverfront Properties. The Riverfront Properties represent a highly unique redevelopment opportunity in the Central Business District of St. Paul, Minnesota. The County anticipates receiving multiple proposals through a date certain offering process due on June 15, 2007.

Public Safety Communication System/800 MHz Project

The County initiated this \$35 million project in 2004 to design and construct a new Countywide Public Safety Communications System using 800 MHz technology. The County completed development of a subsystem to the regional and state radio system in 2006. The system includes radios, antennas, shelters, microwave and fiber optic connections, and backup power for the County's seven base radio stations. Suburban communities began transitioning to the system in

2006. All municipalities in the County are working together, under the County's leadership, to develop this system that will allow public safety agencies (police, fire, emergency medical services, and homeland security) to communicate with each other and throughout the region and state.

In 2006, construction began on a new emergency communication center on the Saint Paul/Ramsey County Law Enforcement Campus. A backup communication center will be developed at the Ramsey County Sheriff's Patrol Station in Arden Hills. Three of the four existing dispatch centers in the County are merging covering all dispatching activities in the County except in one municipality. Services for these communities will be provided at the new state-of-the-art center that will be operated by the County. The emergency communications center begins operations in the summer of 2007.

Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP)

Since September 11, 2001, all governments, at various levels, have become more cognizant of their ability to continue operations in the event of a disaster or emergency. The Federal Emergency Management Agency has provided states and local governments with planning guidelines for the continuity of government operations. Ramsey County is currently developing its Continuity of Operations Plan, which will provide guidance to County departments to carry out responsibilities and ensure essential functions are continued in an emergency, or threat of emergency, that could affect normal operations of County business. The Plan will be reviewed and revised on an ongoing basis.

Library Facilities

Phase I of a multi-year upgrade and expansion of the County's Library facilities will be complete in the spring of 2007 with the opening of the new Maplewood Library. Phase II will begin in late summer of 2007 with the preparation of a "master planning process" for the remaining Library facilities.

90 West Plato Boulevard

On November 28, 2006, the County Board authorized the purchase of 90 West Plato Boulevard, an 82,000 net rentable square foot facility, to accommodate the relocation of the Department of Property Records and Revenue from the RCGC-West building. The County has entered into a contract with Kraus-Anderson Construction Company for design/build services related to the remodeling of the 90 West Plato Boulevard facility. Occupancy of the facility is planned for November of 2007.

Ramsey County Correctional Facility (RCCF)

On May 2, 2006, the County Board approved the RCCF Expansion and Remodeling Project. Construction of this \$18 million project is scheduled to begin in the spring of 2007, with completion in the fall of 2008.

Excess County Property

On July 25, 2006, the County Board approved the sale of the former Public Works site to the City of Shoreview. The property was sold in 2006. In November 2006, the County Board authorized and/or reaffirmed the desire to sell the Taco John's site, the former Sheriff Patrol Station, and the former Maplewood Library. It is anticipated that all three properties will be sold in 2007.

Union Depot

The Regional Railroad Authority is pursuing the redevelopment of the Union Depot, located in downtown St. Paul, to serve as a multi-modal transit hub where Amtrak, intracity bus, light rail transit, commuter rail, and intercity buses will meet for a seamless transfer. Ramsey County's Regional Railroad Authority purchased 11 acres of property and is in negotiations with the Post Office and the City of St. Paul to purchase additional property to implement the build out of the transit hub. It is anticipated the U.S. Post Office will move operations in 2010, clearing a path for

implementation of the first phase of the transit hub. The Union Depot Project was awarded \$50 million in federal funds for the renovation of the Union Depot.

Central Corridor and Other Transit Initiatives

The Central Corridor light rail transit project was given permission by the Federal Transit Administration to begin preliminary engineering in December 2006. The project is estimated to cost \$930 million and serve 43,000 passengers daily, beginning in 2014. Ramsey County Regional Railroad Authority is one of the funding sources of the project. Transit initiatives are underway in the Rush Line, Red Rock, and Robert Street Corridors.

Two-Year Budget

In 2005, the Ramsey County Board of Commissioners adopted its first two-year budget for 2006-2007. The purpose of the two-year budget is to improve financial management; improve long-range and strategic planning; and better linking of operating and capital activities with spending. The second year of the biennium focused on departments outcomes and performance measures to provide more meaningful information to the County Board and the public, and should eventually more closely link the budget to the goals set by the County Board.

Other Post-Employment Benefits (Retiree Health Insurance)

The County has been reviewing its post-employment benefit policies for several years. Changes to the health insurance benefits for retirees have been made to control costs while still providing benefits to the retirees. While the unfunded actuarial liability is expected to be large, the County Board set aside over \$18 million in 2006 to start addressing funding concerns in the future.

COUNTY DEBT POLICY

The Joint Property Tax Advisory Committee, created by State Statute, is made up of elected officials from Ramsey County, the City of Saint Paul and the Saint Paul Public Schools. Their charge is to reduce the overall tax burden on Saint Paul citizens through tax reform legislation, integration/consolidation of service delivery and creation of joint ventures.

As a member of this Committee, the County will issue debt only for financing capital assets that, because of their long-term nature or because of budgetary constraints, cannot be acquired from current or budgeted resources. Debt is not used for operational needs.

Debt issues of the County will be sold competitively unless a unique circumstance dictates a negotiated or private placement sale.

The County strives to maintain the highest possible credit rating on its debt obligations.

Ramsey County's debt program is monitored and measured against financial industry standard benchmarks including benchmarks adopted by the Joint Property Tax Advisory Committee as described in the 2005 report on General Obligation Debt Overlapping on the Saint Paul Tax Base.

In addition to these debt management benchmarks, the group has recommended that the participating jurisdictions expand their efforts to jointly use facilities and transfer facilities between member jurisdictions as needs change.

INDEPENDENT AUDIT

Minnesota State Law requires an audit to be made of the books of account, financial records, and transactions of the County. This requirement has been complied with and the Auditor's report has been included in this report.

In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state laws, the audit is also designed to meet the requirements of the federal Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and related OMB Circular A-133. The County's Auditors will issue a management and compliance letter covering the review made as part of the examination of Ramsey County's system of internal control and compliance with applicable legal provisions. This letter also reflects the results of the County's single audit under provisions of the OMB Circular A-133.

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT FOR EXCELLENCE IN FINANCIAL REPORTING

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to Ramsey County for its comprehensive annual financial report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005. This is the 32nd year the County has received this award. 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. Such reports must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements.

A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe our current report continues to conform to Certificate of Achievement Program requirements, and we are submitting it to GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate.

In addition, the County also received the GFOA's Award for Distinguished Budget Presentation for the 2006 annual approved budget. The County has received this award for the past 23 years. In order to qualify for the Distinguished Budget Presentation Award, the County's budget document was judged to be proficient in several categories including policy documentation, financial planning, and organization.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The preparation of this report is the result of the dedicated service of all the financial staff of the County. We would like to express our appreciation to all staff that assisted and contributed to its preparation. We would also like to thank the County Board of Commissioners for their support in maintaining the highest standards of professionalism in the management of the County's finances.

Sincerely,

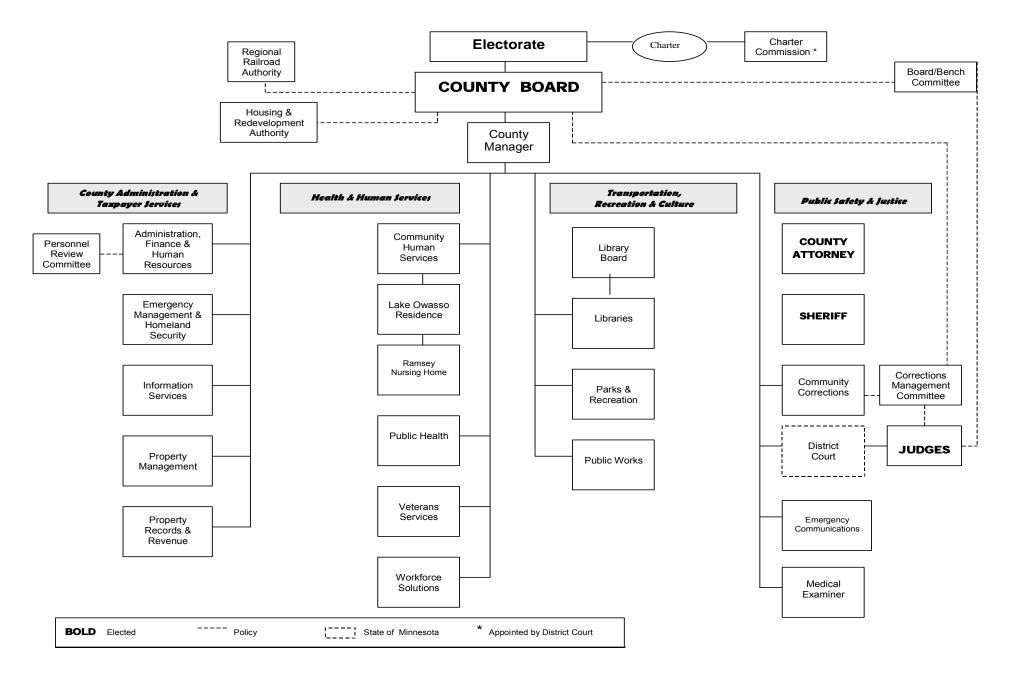
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County Manager

Julie Kleinschmidt, Director Budgeting & Accounting

Julie Kleinschmidt

RAMSEY COUNTY ORGANIZATION CHART



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of County Commissioners Ramsey County

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Ramsey County, Minnesota, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Ramsey County's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. The prior year partial comparative information has been derived from the County's 2005 financial statements and, in our report dated May 26, 2006, we expressed unqualified opinions on the respective financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free 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 financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Ramsey County as of December 31, 2006, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) and the Required Supplementary Information Other Than MD&A, as listed in the table of contents, 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 the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Ramsey County's basic financial statements. The major debt service fund budget and actual schedule, combining statements, and supplementary information listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 19, 2007, on our consideration of Ramsey County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide 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.

REBECCA OTTO STATE AUDITOR

June 19, 2007

GREG HIERLINGER, CPA DEPUTY STATE AUDITOR

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Ramsey County offers readers of the County's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the County for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2006. Readers are encouraged to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information that has been furnished in the letter of transmittal, which can be found on pages 10-14 of this report.

Financial Highlights

- The assets of Ramsey County's governmental activities exceeded its liabilities at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$689,646,694 (net assets). Of this amount, \$167,942,820 (unrestricted net assets) may be used to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.
- The government's total net assets increased by \$67,911,357.
- As of the close of the current fiscal year, the County's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$312,832,868, an increase of \$35,749,739 in comparison with the prior year.
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance for the general fund was \$155,942,520, or 40% of total general fund expenditures.
- The County's total General Obligation debt decreased by \$4,675,000 (2.3%) during the current fiscal year.

Overview of the Financial Statements

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

Government-wide Financial Statements - The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide a broad overview of the County's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The Statement of Net Assets presents information on all of Ramsey County's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net assets. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the County is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the County's net assets changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net assets are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., uncollected taxes and earned but unused vacation leave).

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the County that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the County include general government, public safety, highways and streets, sanitation, health, human services, conservation of natural resources, economic development, and culture and recreation. The business-type activities of the County include a nursing home, a home for developmentally delayed residents, special law enforcement services for certain municipalities, and a golf course.

The government-wide financial statements include not only the County itself (known as the primary government), but also a legally separate Regional Railroad Authority and a legally separate Housing & Redevelopment Authority for which Ramsey County is financially accountable. Although legally separate, the County Board of Commissioners serves as the governing board of these organizations. Therefore, they function as departments of the County, and have been included as an integral part of the primary government.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 32-34 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements - A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The County, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the County can be divided into three categories: 1) governmental funds, 2) proprietary funds, and 3) fiduciary funds.

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

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

The County maintains four governmental fund types: General, Special Revenue, Debt Service, and Capital Projects. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the general fund, capital projects fund, and the debt service fund, which are considered to be major funds. Data from the other governmental funds are combined into

a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each of these nonmajor governmental funds is provided in the form of combining statements elsewhere in this report.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 35-36 of this report.

2) The County maintains two different types of proprietary funds: 1) Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. The County uses enterprise funds to account for its Nursing Home, Lake Owasso Residence, Ponds at Battle Creek, and Law Enforcement Services operations.
2) Internal service funds are an accounting device used to accumulate and allocate costs internally among the County's various functions. The County uses internal service funds to account for its Information Services, Firearms Range, and part of its Property Management operations. Because these services predominantly benefit governmental rather than business-type functions, they have been included within governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements.

Proprietary funds provide the same type of information as the government-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The proprietary fund financial statements provide separate information for the Lake Owasso Residence and Ponds at Battle Creek, which are considered major funds. Data for the other two enterprise funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each nonmajor enterprise fund is provided in the form of combining statements elsewhere in this report. Conversely, internal service funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation in the proprietary fund financial statements. Individual fund data for the internal service funds is provided in the form of combining statements elsewhere in this report.

The basic proprietary fund financial statements can be found on pages 38-41 of this report.

3) Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statement because the resources of those funds are not available to support the County's own programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds. Data from the fiduciary funds are combined into a single aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each fiduciary fund is provided in the form of combining statements elsewhere in this report.

The basic fiduciary fund financial statements can be found on pages 42-43 of this report.

Notes to the Financial Statements - The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 44-75 of this report.

Other Information - In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report presents certain required supplementary information on the general fund budget. Required supplementary information can be found on pages 77-79 of this report. Immediately following the required supplementary information is a budget to actual presentation of the Debt Service

Major Fund. After that, the combining statements referred to earlier in connection with nonmajor governmental, enterprise and internal service funds are presented. Combining fund statements and schedules can be found on pages 85-106 of this report.

Government-wide Financial Analysis

As noted earlier, net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the County, assets exceeded liabilities by \$693,227,255 at the close of the most recent fiscal year.

The largest portion of Ramsey County's net assets (63.5%) reflects its investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery, and equipment), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. The County uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the County's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

NET ASSETS

	Government	overnmental Activities Busine		e Activities	<u>Tot</u>	<u>al</u>
	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
Current and Other Assets	\$394,494,295	\$358,233,286	\$ 6,734,484	\$ 6,955,327	\$ 401,228,779	\$365,188,613
Capital Assets	590,521,396	563,782,988	9,977,227	10,413,413	600,498,623	<u>574,196,401</u>
Total Assets	985,015,691	922,016,274	16,711,711	17,368,740	1,001,727,402	939,385,014
Long-term Liabilities						
Outstanding	208,607,453	218,596,145	10,202,644	10,521,680	218,810,097	229,117,825
Other Liabilities	86,761,544	82,092,867	2,928,506	2,858,424	89,690,050	84,951,291
Total Liabilities	295,368,997	300,689,012	13,131,150	13,380,104	308,500,147	314,069,116
Net Assets:						
Invested in Capital Assets, Net						
of Related Debt	437,027,997	411,727,719	3,520,751	3,656,566	440,548,748	415,384,285
Restricted	84,675,877	92,804,198	50,657	46,163	84,726,534	92,850,361
Unrestricted	167,942,820	116,795,345	9,153	285,907	167,951,973	117,081,252
Total Net Assets	<u>\$689,646,694</u>	<u>\$621,327,262</u>	\$ 3,580,561	\$ 3,988,636	\$ 693,227,255	<u>\$625,315,898</u>

The government's net assets increased by \$67,911,357 during the current fiscal year. This increase is primarily due to increases in infrastructure construction for highways and bridges and building projects.

Governmental Activities - Governmental activities increased the County's net assets by \$68,319,432, thereby accounting for all of the total growth in the net assets. Key elements of this increase are as follows:

• Capital Assets increased by \$26,738,408. The majority of this increase in capital assets was from highway construction and building projects.

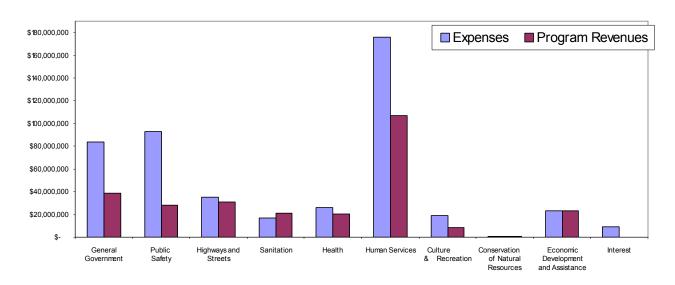
• Property tax and charges for services collections increased. However, some tax increases were a result of the State reducing aid to the County.

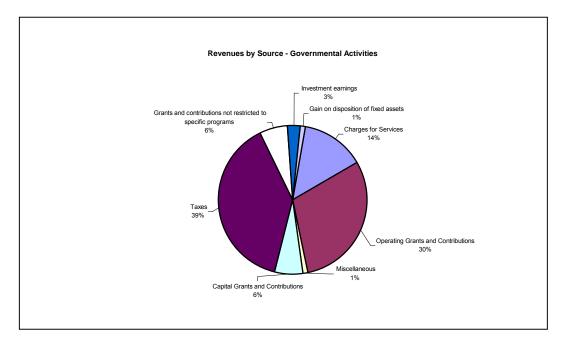
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

	Governmen	tal Activities	Business-typ	e Activities	<u>To</u>	<u>tal</u>
	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
Revenues:						
Program Revenues:						
Charges for Services, Fines & Other	\$ 79,967,637	\$ 68,900,222	\$24,832,147	\$23,845,458	\$104,799,784	\$ 92,745,680
Operating Grants & Contributions	164,691,555	167,033,301	258,573	-	164,950,128	167,033,301
Capital Grants & Contributions	33,294,903	26,312,763	68,018	328,644	33,362,921	26,641,407
General Revenues:						
Property Taxes	217,391,017	198,458,773	-	-	217,391,017	198,458,773
Grants & Contributions Not						
Restricted to Specific Programs	35,053,797	35,262,802	54,170	314,170	35,107,967	35,576,972
Investment Earnings	15,581,358	7,673,916	142,025	137,621	15,723,383	7,811,537
Other	6,391,503	3,971,857	(15,406)	51,186	6,376,097	4,023,043
Total Revenues	552,371,770	507,613,634	25,339,527	24,677,079	577,711,297	532,290,713
Expenses:						
General Government	83,775,008	69,903,388	-	-	83,775,008	69,903,388
Public Safety	93,123,718	103,140,189	-	-	93,123,718	103,140,189
Highways/Streets	35,186,475	26,016,187	-	-	35,186,475	26,016,187
Sanitation	17,071,936	17,850,477	-	-	17,071,936	17,850,477
Health	26,343,037	26,154,048	-	-	26,343,037	26,154,048
Human Services	176,236,609	172,133,597	-	-	176,236,609	172,133,597
Culture & Recreation	18,916,977	21,253,410	-	-	18,916,977	21,253,410
Conservation of Natural Resources	413,943	421,883	-	-	413,943	421,883
Economic Development & Assistance	22,931,445	22,774,299	-	-	22,931,445	22,774,299
Interest	9,433,629	9,259,922	-	-	9,433,629	9,259,922
Lake Owasso Residence	-	-	8,177,791	7,700,741	8,177,791	7,700,741
Ponds at Battle Creek	-	-	701,798	608,504	701,798	608,504
Ramsey Nursing Home	-	-	12,435,723	12,184,848	12,435,723	12,184,848
Law Enforcement Services		_	5,051,851	4,945,064	5,051,851	4,945,064
Total Expenses	483,432,777	468,907,400	26,367,163	25,439,157	509,799,940	494,346,557
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets						
Before Transfers	68,938,993	38,706,234	(1,027,636)	(762,078)	67,911,357	37,944,156
Transfers	(619,561)	(558,561)	619,561	558,561		
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	68,319,432	38,147,673	(408,075)	(203,517)	67,911,357	37,944,156
Net Assets – Beginning	621,327,262	583,179,589	3,988,636	4,192,153	625,315,898	<u>587,371,742</u>
Net Assets – End	<u>\$689,646,694</u>	<u>\$621,327,262</u>	<u>\$ 3,580,561</u>	<u>\$ 3,988,636</u>	<u>\$693,227,255</u>	<u>\$625,315,898</u>

The following charts provide comparisons of governmental activities' program revenues and expenses and also show the sources of governmental activities' revenues.

Expenses and Program Revenues - Governmental Activities



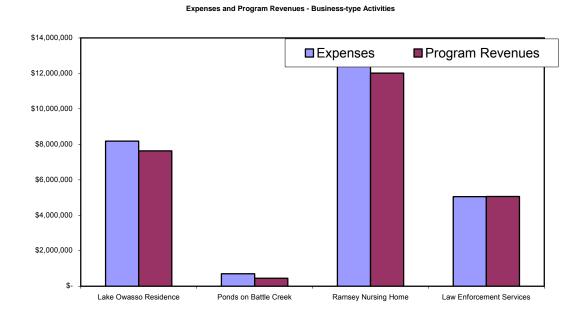


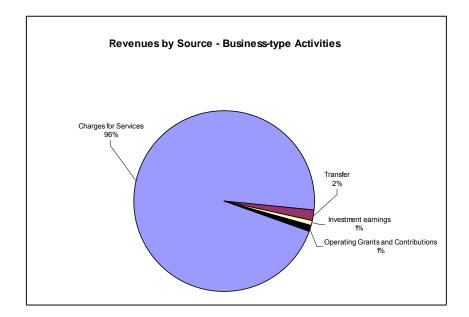
Business-type Activities - Business-type activities decreased the County's net assets by \$408,075, a 10.2% decrease from the previous year. Key elements of this decrease are as follows:

• Lake Owasso Residence had a decrease of net assets of \$213,697 due to capital expenses not included in the reimbursement rate. However, once the long-term debt and interest have been paid, the property reimbursement rate will continue and finance some of the depreciation expense.

 Ponds at Battle Creek had a decrease in net assets of \$204,989 due to an operating loss and interest expense. It is anticipated the Golf Course would operate at a loss the first three years until revenues would be sufficient to cover expenses.

The following charts provide comparisons of business-type activities' program revenues and expenditures and also show the sources of business-type activities' revenues.





Financial Analysis of the Government's Funds

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

Governmental Funds – The focus of the County's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the County's financing requirements. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

As of the end of the current fiscal year, the County's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$312,832,868, a total fund balance increase of \$35,749,738 in comparison with the prior year. Approximately 70.1% of this total amount (\$219,275,891) constitutes unreserved fund balance, which is available for spending at the government's discretion. The remainder of fund balance is reserved to indicate that it is not available for new spending, because it has already been committed (1) to liquidate contracts and purchase orders of the prior period (\$23,620,062); (2) temporary loans to Other Funds (\$8,610,620); or (3) for a variety of other restricted purposes (\$61,326,295).

The General Fund is the chief operating fund of Ramsey County. At the end of the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance of the general fund was \$155,942,520, while total fund balance reached \$175,980,127. As a measure of the General Fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare both unreserved fund balance and total fund balance to total fund expenditures. Unreserved fund balance represents 40% of total General Fund expenditures, while total fund balance represents 45.1% of that same amount.

The fund balance of the County's general fund increased by \$22,359,777 during the current fiscal year. Key factors in this increase are as follows:

- Better interest rates.
- Unspent funds for future OPEB benefits.
- Settlement of tax increment funds.

The Debt Service Fund had a total fund balance of \$55,035,877, all of which is reserved for the payment of debt service. The net decrease in fund balance during the current year in the debt service fund was \$10,501. The decrease was due to using a portion of fund balance to finance future debt payments.

The Capital Projects Fund had a fund balance of \$24,490,979 planned for construction. The fund balance decreased by \$2,286,244, primarily due to completing several major projects.

Proprietary Funds – The County's proprietary funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide financial statements, but in more detail.

Unrestricted net assets of Lake Owasso Residence at the end of the year amounted to \$893,445. The total decrease in net assets for the fund was \$213,697. This was a result of an increase in personal services and interest expense.

Ponds at Battle Creek had a decrease in net assets of \$204,989 due to an operating loss and interest expense. The County has provided a temporary loan to help pay the long-term debt until fees can be generated to cover these costs.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

The difference between the original budget and the final amended budget was an increase of \$11,927,874 in appropriations. Unbudgeted State and Federal revenues became available for additional human service and public safety programs.

The variance of final budget versus actual was due to partially funding future Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) expenses and project grants that have not been completed.

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

Capital Assets – The County's investment in capital assets for its governmental and business type activities as of December 31, 2006, amounts to \$600,498,623 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, buildings, improvements, equipment, park facilities, roads, highways, and bridges. The total increase in the County's investment in capital assets for the current fiscal year was 4.6% (a 4.7% increase for governmental activities and a 4.2% decrease for business-type activities).

Major capital asset events during the current fiscal year included the following:

- A variety of street construction projects continued into 2006; construction in progress as of the end of the current fiscal year had reached \$93,964,733, an increase of \$15,577,997 from the prior year.
- A Public Safety Communications System continued in 2006 totaling \$9,835,983.
- A variety of park improvements were initiated totaling \$1,044,004 in 2006.
- Library construction continued in 2006 totaling \$9,321,225.

Capital Assets (Net of Depreciation)

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
Land	\$ 80,240,213	\$ 76,783,297	\$ 107,073	\$ 107,073	\$ 80,347,286	\$ 76,890,370
Buildings & Improvements	202,690,302	206,783,820	6,446,557	6,572,388	209,136,859	213,356,208
Improvements Other Than Buildings	15,491,031	15,542,165	2,854,901	2,982,980	18,255,932	18,525,145
Equipment	13,222,121	11,500,826	542,696	634,663	13,764,817	12,135,489
Infrastructure	184,938,996	174,902,453	-	-	184,938,996	174,902,453
Construction in Progress	93,938,733	78,270,427	26,000	116,309	93,964,733	78,386,736
Total	\$590,521,396	\$563,782,988	\$9,977,227	\$10,413,413	\$600,498,623	\$574,196,401

Additional information on the County's capital assets can be found in note IV.C on pages 49-50 of this report.

Long-term Debt – At the end of the current fiscal year, the County had total General Obligation bonded debt outstanding of \$194,150,000, which is backed by the full faith and credit of the government.

Outstanding Debt General Obligation and Revenue Bonds

	Governmental Activities		Business-type	Business-type Activities		<u>Total</u>	
	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	
General Obligation Bonds	\$184,720,000	\$189,100,000	\$9,430,000	\$9,725,000	\$194,150,000	\$198,825,000	
Lease Revenue Bonds	12,895,000	13,375,000	<u>-</u> _		12,895,000	13,375,000	
Total	<u>\$197,615,000</u>	\$202,475,000	\$9,430,000	\$9,725,000	\$207,045,000	\$212,200,000	

The County's total bonded debt decreased by \$5,155,000 (2.4%) during the current fiscal year. The decrease was primarily due to various remodeling projects around the County being completed.

The County maintains a "AAA" rating from Standard & Poor's and a "Aaa" rating from Moody's for general obligation debt.

Minnesota state statutes limit the amount of general obligation debt a governmental entity may issue to 2% of its total market value of taxable property in the County. The current debt limitation for the County is \$824,887,926, which is significantly in excess of its outstanding general obligation debt.

Additional information on the County's long-term debt can be found in note IV.I on pages 53-58 of this report.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

- The unemployment rate for the County is currently 3.8%, which is a decrease from a rate of 4.0% a year ago. This compares to the state's average unemployment rate of 4.0% and the national average rate of 4.6%.
- The County is a fully developed urban center. Its roads and transportation system make access to the County easy for all citizens. Its population continues to grow but at a slower pace than in the previous decades. In 1980, the population was 485,765. In 2005 (latest year available), the population estimated by the Metropolitan Council was 515,258.
- Estimated Market Value of Taxable Property in the County increased almost \$4,500,000,000 in 2006 to \$41,244,396,300 or 12.2%. Residential property recorded an increase in value of 12.5% while commercial values increased 9.6%.
- Although many of the above indicators appear to show Ramsey County as economically strong and stable, it is important to be aware of some of the other dynamics that may affect it in the coming years. Ramsey is faced with the problems of older urban Counties. Its

infrastructure of roads and bridges are aging and will require replacement and rebuilding in the coming years. Taxes will have to be used to effect these changes. This issue has been addressed by a functional consolidation of roads plan developed in 1993. The plan, which is complete, upgrades many roads and bridges in the County. Municipalities will become responsible for maintaining certain County roads and transfer major arterials to the County. This functional alignment focused additional funds to roads and allowed further use of County State aid funds.

All of these factors were considered in preparing the County's budget for the 2006 fiscal year.

During the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance in the general fund was \$155,942,520. The County has appropriated \$318,136 of this amount for spending in the 2007 fiscal year budget. It is intended that this use of available fund balance will lessen the need to raise taxes during the 2007 fiscal year. The 2007 approved budget included a 3.62% increase in spending. A 6.19% increase in the 2007 Property Tax Levy was approved, in part, to offset the anticipated State revenue reductions and increased public safety initiatives.

Requests for Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of Ramsey County's finances for all those with an interest in the government's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Office of Budgeting & Accounting, Suite 270, 15 West Kellogg Boulevard, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Total

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

Activities 2006 2005 **Activities ASSETS** Current Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents \$ 297.906.467 3.276.415 301.182.882 \$ 267,278,221 Cash with Trustee 18,227,581 3,136,568 21,364,149 21,978,694 Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents 3,000 3,000 1,000 Petty Cash and Change Funds 26,015 20,500 46,515 46,190 60,000 60,000 Imprest Cash 60,000 Cooperative Investment 30,913 30,913 84,255 Receivables (Net): Taxes 2,797,237 2,797,237 1,891,101 3,545,706 387,801 3,174,957 Accounts 3,933,507 Cooperative Investment Receivable 17,244 17.244 Accrued Interest 3,327,827 47,383 3,375,210 2,271,356 Internal Balances 1,953,811 (1,953,811)Due from Other Governments 31,683,630 1,679,009 33,362,639 34,354,820 18,642,000 Lease Receivable 19,302,000 18,642,000 13,009,781 13,009,781 11,727,509 Loan Receivables Prepaid Items 105,003 105,003 184,623 Inventories 1,532,228 54,191 1,586,419 1,305,653 6,696,213 **Total Current Assets** 392,820,286 399,516,499 363,660,379 Non Current Assets: Advance to Other Governments 57,893 57,893 57,893 Advance to Other Organizations 343,121 343,121 55,621 **Deferred Charges** 1,272,995 38,271 1,311,266 1,414,720 Capital Assets not being Depreciated: Land 80.240.213 107.073 80.347.286 76.890.370 Construction in Progress 93,938,733 26,000 93,964,733 78,386,736

34,136,187

11,574,166

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252,789,338

Governmental

Business-type

3,654,711

9,491,866

1,567,077

2,471,136

(7,340,636)

10,015,498

16,711,711

37,790,898

13,141,243

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357,587,007

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The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Capital Assets being Depreciated: Improvements other than Buildings

Less: Accumulated Depreciation

Building Improvements

Total Non Current Assets

Buildings

Equipment

Infrastructure

Total Assets

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Governmental	Business-type	Total			
	Activities	Activities	2006	2005		
LIABILITIES						
Current Liabilities:						
Salaries Payable	8,554,470	771,814	9,326,284	8,976,709		
Accounts Payable	16,425,469	274,246	16,699,715	18,881,208		
Contracts Payable	3,632,676	-	3,632,676	2,872,986		
Interest Payable, Current	3,996,125	200,167	4,196,292	4,162,760		
Unamortized Premium on Bonds	263,072	3,999	267,071	4,482,750		
Loan Payable, Current	18,482	-	18,482	7,309		
Capital Lease, Current	51,960	-	51,960	48,600		
Due to Other Governments	5,804,458	305,950	6,110,408	4,736,287		
General Obligation and Revenue Bonds						
Payable, Current	20,740,000	310,000	21,050,000	12,070,000		
Claims and Judgments Payable, Current	2,076,737	-	2,076,737	2,489,239		
Vacation and Compensatory Time Payable	14,369,696	1,062,330	15,432,026	14,663,490		
Current Liabilities Payable from Restricted Assets:						
Customer Deposits Payable	3,000	-	3,000	1,000		
Total Current Liabilities	75,936,145	2,928,506	78,864,651	73,392,338		
Non Current Liabilities:		· · ·				
Advance from other Governments	6,150,483	-	6,150,483	5,956,340		
Unearned Revenue	4,674,916	-	4,674,916	5,602,613		
General Obligation and Revenue Bonds						
Payable, Long-term	183,117,000	9,120,000	192,237,000	206,537,000		
Unamortized Premium on Bonds	4,040,622	246,673	4,287,295	246,673		
Loans Payable, Long-term	52,413	,	52,413	3,385		
Capital Lease, Long-term	55,552	_	55,552	107,512		
Compensated Absences Payable	17,615,891	835,971	18,451,862	18,712,755		
Claims and Judgments Payable, Long-term	3,725,975	,	3,725,975	3,510,500		
Total Non Current Liabilities	219,432,852	10,202,644	229,635,496	240,676,778		
Total Liabilities	295,368,997	13,131,150	308,500,147	314,069,116		
NET ASSETS						
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	437,027,997	3,520,751	440,548,748	415,384,285		
Restricted for:						
Debt Service	55,035,877	-	55,035,877	47,927,313		
Capital Projects	7,136,167	50,657	7,186,824	2,397,863		
Solid Waste	20,565,333	-	20,565,333	16,434,800		
Other Purposes	1,938,500	-	1,938,500	1,664,862		
Unrestricted	167,942,820	9,153	167,951,973	141,506,775		
Total Net Assets	\$ 689,646,694	\$ 3,580,561	\$ 693,227,255	\$ 625,315,898		

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

			Program Revenues			Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets										
		_		ees, Fines, Charges		Operating Grants and		Capital Frants and	G	overnmental		ısiness-type		Tota	al	
<u>Functions/Programs</u>		Expenses		and Other	<u></u>	ontributions	Co	ntributions		Activities		Activities		2006		2005
Governmental Activities:																
General Government	\$	83,775,008	\$	25,586,857	\$	11,750,858	\$	1,256,573	\$	(45,180,720)	\$	-	\$	(45,180,720)	\$	(31,415,232)
Public Safety		93,123,718		8,350,392		13,857,784		6,195,938		(64,719,604)		-		(64,719,604)		(75,412,886)
Highways and Streets		35,186,475		2,451,634		4,261,815		24,239,254		(4,233,772)		-		(4,233,772)		(2,945,134)
Sanitation		17,071,936		19,659,083		1,506,761		-		4,093,908		-		4,093,908		421,897
Health		26,343,037		8,166,676		11,983,024		-		(6,193,337)		-		(6,193,337)		(5,372,706)
Human Services		176,236,609		7,773,517		98,980,847		-		(69,482,245)		-		(69,482,245)		(71,959,284)
Culture and Recreation		18,916,977		6,010,116		677,345		1,603,138		(10,626,378)		-		(10,626,378)		(13,139,570)
Conservation of Natural Resources		413,943		302,760		77,584		-		(33,599)		=		(33,599)		(59,922)
Economic Development and Assistance		22,931,445		1,666,602		21,595,537		-		330,694		-		330,694		2,481,645
Interest		9,433,629		-		-		-		(9,433,629)		-		(9,433,629)		(9,259,922)
Total Governmental Activities		483,432,777		79,967,637		164,691,555		33,294,903		(205,478,682)		-		(205,478,682)		(206,661,114)
Business-type Activities:																
Lake Owasso Residence		8,177,791		7,630,384		-		_		_		(547,407)		(547,407)		(222,717)
Ponds at Battle Creek		701,798		446,901		-		-		-		(254,897)		(254,897)		(177,769)
Ramsey Nursing Home		12,435,723		11,949,961		-		68,018		-		(417,744)		(417,744)		(533,179)
Law Enforcement Services		5,051,851		4,804,901		258,573		-		-		11,623		11,623		(331,390)
Total Business-type Activities		26,367,163		24,832,147		258,573		68,018		-		(1,208,425)		(1,208,425)		(1,265,055)
Total Government	\$	509,799,940	\$	104,799,784	\$	164,950,128	\$	33,362,921		(205,478,682)		(1,208,425)		(206,687,107)		(207,926,169)
	Gene	ral revenues:														
	Prop	perty Taxes								217,391,017		=		217,391,017		198,458,773
	Gra	nts and Contributi	ons 1	Not Restricted to	Spec	ific Programs				35,053,797		54,170		35,107,967		35,576,972
	Inve	stment Earnings								15,581,358		142,025		15,723,383		7,811,537
	Miso	cellaneous								3,032,751		1,575		3,034,326		3,498,023
	Gain (Loss) on Disposit	on o	f Capital Assets						3,358,752		(16,981)		3,341,771		525,020
	Trans	fer								(619,561)		619,561		-		-
	To	otal General Reve	nues	and Transfers						273,798,114		800,350		274,598,464		245,870,325
	(Change in Net Ass	ets							68,319,432		(408,075)		67,911,357		37,944,156
	Net As	ssets - Beginning								621,327,262		3,988,636		625,315,898		587,371,742
	Net As	ssets - Ending							\$	689,646,694	\$	3,580,561	\$	693,227,255	\$	625,315,898

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Total

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

WITH COMPAR	ATIVE TOTAL	ON DECEM		Other	Governmental				
		546	•	Capital Governmental		nds			
ACCETC	General	Debt Service	Projects	Funds	2006	2005			
ASSETS Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 171,880,028	\$ 17,595,986	\$ 35,199,523	\$ 61,526,344	\$ 286,201,881	\$ 252,388,552			
Cash with Trustee	φ 17 1,000,020	17,856,745	370,836	φ 01,320,3 44	18,227,581	18,810,477			
Petty Cash and Change Funds	23,030	17,000,740	370,030	2,910	25,940	25,615			
Imprest Cash	60,000	_	_	2,310	60,000	60,000			
Receivables (Net):	00,000				00,000	00,000			
Taxes	3,891,688	366,283	-	307,804	4,565,775	3,606,001			
Accounts	1,342,412	-	774	2,194,922	3,538,108	2,842,974			
Accrued Interest	2,938,838	304,977	1,527	82,485	3,327,827	2,239,925			
Due from Other Funds	436,821	506,169	-	1,386	944,376	799,963			
Due from Other Governments	22,150,442	· -	4,202,824	5,220,831	31,574,097	32,986,418			
Lease Receivable	-	18,642,000	-	-	18,642,000	19,302,000			
Loans Receivable	6,245,000	250,000	-	6,514,781	13,009,781	11,727,509			
Inventories	1,469,116	-	-	55,847	1,524,963	1,238,326			
Advance to Other Funds	8,041,606	-	175,000	-	8,216,606	10,865,606			
Advance to Other Governments	50,893	-	-	7,000	57,893	57,893			
Advance to Other Organizations	343,121	-	-	-	343,121	55,621			
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents	2,000				2,000				
Total Assets	218,874,995	55,522,160	39,950,484	75,914,310	390,261,949	357,006,880			
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities:									
Salaries Payable	7,375,272	_	-	927,777	8,303,049	8,033,717			
Accounts Payable	13,789,517	_	1,316,568	759,408	15,865,493	17,530,190			
Contracts Payable	-	_	3,368,173	264,503	3,632,676	2,872,986			
Due to Other Funds	916,211	_	1,494	365,036	1,282,741	1,305,027			
Due to Other Governments	3,266,801	_	189,108	2,162,942	5,618,851	4,280,995			
Deferred Revenue	15,942,054	366,283	3,938,480	9,397,759	29,644,576	30,321,256			
Advance from Other Funds	10,542,004	-	2,130,000	4,711,000	6,841,000	9,490,000			
Advance from Other Governments	1,514,801	120,000	4,515,682		6,150,483	5,956,340			
Claims and Judgments Payable	88,212	120,000	4,515,002	_	88,212	133,239			
Liabilities Payable from Restricted Assets	2,000	_			2,000	100,200			
Total Liabilities	42,894,868	486,283	15,459,505	18,588,425	77,429,081	79,923,750			
Fund Balances:	42,094,000	400,203	13,439,303	10,300,423	77,429,001	19,923,130			
Reserved for:									
Encumbrances	9,930,871	-	11,651,041	2,038,150	23,620,062	22,228,563			
Advances	8,435,620	-	175,000	-	8,610,620	10,972,120			
Inventories	1,469,116	-	-	55,847	1,524,963	1,238,326			
Petty Cash	83,030	-	-	2,810	85,840	85,515			
Aggregate Material Pit Restoration	118,970	-	-	-	118,970	114,604			
Debt Service with Trustee	-	18,131,722	-		18,131,722	17,974,866			
Debt Service Fund	-	18,262,155	-	4,560,645	22,822,800	17,769,512			
Lease Receivable	-	18,642,000	-	-	18,642,000	19,302,000			
Unreserved, Reported in:	1EE 040 E00				155 040 500	125 072 124			
General Fund	155,942,520	-	-	50,668,433	155,942,520 50,668,433	135,073,134			
Special Revenue Funds Capital Projects Fund	-	-	12,664,938	50,000,455	12,664,938	40,037,182 12,287,308			
Total Fund Balances	175,980,127	55,035,877	24,490,979	57,325,885	312,832,868	277,083,130			
					312,032,000	211,003,130			
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances Amounts reported for governmental activiti because: Capital assets used in governmental act				\$ 75,914,310					
are not reported in the funds. Other long-term assets are not available					587,420,769	560,347,674			
therefore, are deferred in the funds. Internal services funds are used by man information systems and property mana assets and liabilities of the internal servin the Statement of Net Assets.	agement to charge agement services to	the costs of manaç o individual funds.	gement The		23,162,546	22,965,167 13,493,650			
Long-term liabilities, including bonds pay	able, are not due a	and payable in the o	current		,,	,,			
period, and therefore are not reported i		- -			(247,733,977)	(252,562,359)			
Net assets of governmental activities					\$ 689,646,694	\$ 621,327,262			
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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

			Capital	Other Governmental	Governn	Total Governmental Funds			
	General	Debt Service	Projects	Funds	2006	2005			
REVENUES			_						
Taxes	\$ 178,759,012	\$ 16,695,047	\$ -	\$ 21,220,591	\$ 216,674,650	\$ 197,333,878			
Licenses and Permits	619,459	-	-	775,421	1,394,880	1,410,846			
Intergovernmental	169,360,189	1,038,495	32,528,016	39,763,817	242,690,517	216,905,306			
Private Grants and Donations	139,492	-	-	283,324	422,816	621,000			
Charges for Services	40,660,735	-	-	21,382,773	62,043,508	64,869,125			
Fines and Forfeitures	7,200	-	4.050	738,771	745,971	761,722			
Sales	1,575,167	-	1,252	1,273,630	2,850,049	2,804,900			
Rental Income Investment Earnings	1,350,838	1,615,761	1,487,484	307,372 1,969,144	1,658,210 17,560,179	1,387,051			
Program Recoveries - Community	12,487,790	1,015,701	1,407,404	1,909,144	,	9,187,327			
Human Services	3,790,928	-			3,790,928	3,948,060			
Miscellaneous	4,361,295		287,757	880,564	5,529,616	7,104,859			
Total Revenues	413,112,105	19,349,303	34,304,509	88,595,407	555,361,324	506,334,074			
EXPENDITURES Current:									
General Government	72,161,466	-	-	15,418,334	87,579,800	88,857,578			
Public Safety	92,744,242	-	-	1,233,908	93,978,150	89,586,294			
Highways and Streets	14,898,949	-	-	-	14,898,949	14,321,647			
Sanitation	641,305	-	-	16,385,988	17,027,293	17,852,048			
Health	18,763,245	-	-	8,857,427	27,620,672	26,459,940			
Human Services	178,310,893	-	-	169,005	178,479,898	174,403,870			
Culture and Recreation	9,114,241	-	-	8,702,152	17,816,393	17,452,152			
Conservation of Natural Resources	406,016	-	-	-	406,016	438,555			
Economic Development and Assistance	-	-	-	22,915,902	22,915,902	22,734,910			
Capital Projects:			4 005 005		4.005.005	0.550.000			
General Government	- 040.050	-	1,385,385	-	1,385,385	3,553,088			
Public Safety	613,358	-	11,313,799	-	11,927,157	11,115,395			
Highways and Streets	1,831,786	-	25,838,308	-	27,670,094	17,386,561			
Health	-	-	121,250	-	121,250	30,275			
Human Services	587,489	-	108,346 8,330,915	-	108,346 8,918,404	317,926			
Culture and Recreation Conservation of Natural Resources	307,409	-	4,168	-	4,168	6,556,647			
Debt Service:	-	-	4,100	-	4,100	-			
Bond Issuance Costs			70,093		70,093	134,111			
Principal Retirement	60,252	11,775,000	70,093	-	11,835,252	11,913,241			
Interest	11,699	9,361,854	_	_	9,373,553	9,660,213			
Total Expenditures	390,144,941	21,136,854	47,172,264	73,682,716	532,136,775	512,774,451			
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues	390, 144,941	21,130,034	47,172,204	13,002,110	552,150,775	512,774,451			
Over (Under) Expenditures	22,967,164	(1,787,551)	(12,867,755)	14,912,691	23,224,549	(6,440,377)			
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)									
Xcel Energy Loan Proceeds	76,940	-	_	_	76,940	-			
Bonds Issued	, -	-	6,750,000	_	6,750,000	17,575,000			
Discount/Premium on Sale of Bonds	-	-	31,046	_	31,046	1,057,776			
Sale of Capital Assets	-	-	6,000,000	-	6,000,000	756,306			
Redemption of Refunded Bonds	-	-	-	-	-	(10,505,000)			
Transfers In	1,127	1,777,050	-	553,362	2,331,539	226,989			
Transfers Out	(685,454)		(1,839,535)	(425,984)	(2,950,973)	(805,676)			
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(607,387)	1,777,050	10,941,511	127,378	12,238,552	8,305,395			
Net Change in Fund Balances	22,359,777	(10,501)	(1,926,244)	15,040,069	35,463,101	1,865,018			
Fund Balances - Beginning	153,344,699	55,046,378	26,777,223	41,914,829	277,083,129	272,974,120			
Prior Period Adjustment	-	-	(360,000)	360,000	-	2,091,000			
Fund Balances - Beginning, as Restated Increase (decrease) in reserve for inventories	153,344,699 275,651	55,046,378	26,417,223	42,274,829 10,987	277,083,129 286,638	275,065,120 152,992			
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 175,980,127	\$ 55,035,877	\$ 24,490,979	\$ 57,325,885	\$ 312,832,868	\$ 277,083,130			

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE AMOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	2006	2005
Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds (Exhibit 4)	\$ 35,463,101	\$ 1,865,018
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities (Exhibit 2) are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period.	29,860,121	25,922,835
The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e., sales, trade-ins, and donations) is to decrease net assets.	(2,787,026)	(854,029)
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.	197,379	8,167,679
The issuance of long-term debt (e.g. bonds) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net assets. Also, the governmental funds report the effect of issuance costs, premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items.	4,977,266	3,785,465
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 governmental funds.	137,626	(1,519,078)
Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of management information systems and property management services to individual funds.	367,379	675,976
The net revenue of certain activities of internal service funds is reported with governmental activities.	 103,586	 103,807
Net change in net assets of governmental activities (Exhibit 2)	\$ 68,319,432	\$ 38,147,673

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

Business-type Activities - Enterprise Funds Ponds at Other **Governmental Activities -**Lake Owasso Battle **Enterprise** Total Internal Service Funds 2005 Funds 2006 2006 2005 Residence Creek **ASSETS** Current Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents 1,766,092 506,069 3,547,431 11,342,238 1,004,254 3,276,415 \$ 11.704.586 Cash with Fiscal Agent 3,136,568 3,136,568 3,168,217 Petty Cash and Change Funds 14,000 20,500 20,500 75 6,500 75 Cooperative Investment 30,913 30,913 84,255 387,801 314,035 17,948 Accounts Receivable (Net) 5,013 382,788 7,598 Cooperative Investment Receivable 17.244 17.244 31,431 Accrued Interest Receivable 47,383 47,383 Due from Other Funds 1,030,961 947,514 1,296,342 Due from Other Governments 637,933 1,041,076 1,679,009 109,533 72,060 42,225 Prepaid Items 105,003 142,398 Inventories 26,344 27,847 54,191 61,513 7.265 5.814 Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents 1.000 1.000 8,565,949 **Total Current Assets** 5,620,820 511,082 2,518,122 8,650,024 12,966,021 12,529,047 Noncurrent Assets: **Deferred Charges** 26,248 12,023 38,271 39,684 Capital Assets: 7.873 99.200 107.073 107.073 I and Improvements Other Than Buildings 2 581 891 19,698 6,973 648 856 423.964 3,654,711 3,654,711 Buildings 4,040,708 933,506 4,517,652 9,491,866 9,491,866 **Building Improvements** 23,348 1,543,729 1,567,077 1,373,447 7,495,865 6,896,681 Equipment 489,318 379,646 1,602,172 2,471,136 2,437,578 8,573,939 8,751,358 Construction in Progress 26,000 26,000 116,309 127,693 (1,187,799)(683,992)(6,767,571)(12,988,875) Less Accumulated Depreciation (5,468,845)(7,340,636)(12,347,391)Total Capital Assets (Net of Accumulated Depreciation) 4,022,304 3,223,074 2,743,872 9,977,227 10,413,413 3,100,627 3,435,314 Total Noncurrent Assets 10,015,498 10,453,097 4,048,552 3,223,074 2,743,872 3,100,627 3,435,314 9,669,372 3,734,156 18,665,522 **Total Assets** 5,261,994 19,019,046 16,066,648 15,964,361 LIABILITIES **Current Liabilities:** 771,814 Salaries Payable 257.069 2.295 512.450 709.424 251.421 233.568 2,610 Accounts Payable 38,743 274,246 317,603 232,893 559,976 1,033,415 Interest Payable 141,284 58,883 200,167 147,144 Unamortized Bond Discount/Premium 3,999 3,999 4,265 Loan Payable 2,339 4,750 Due to Other Funds 9.345 512.129 54.764 576,238 276,614 116.358 165.836 Due to Other Governments 10,032 305,950 400,895 339 295.579 33,761 15,821 170,000 General Obligation Bonds Payable - Current 310,000 295,000 140.000 Vacation and Compensatory Time Payable 352,312 4,765 705,253 1,062,330 984,093 485,286 427,572 Payable from Restricted Assets: 1,000 Customer Deposits Payable 1,000 978,785 725,020 1,800,939 3,504,744 3,135,038 1,881,962 Total Current Liabilities 1,450,141 Noncurrent Liabilities: Loan Payable 335 3,011 9,430,000 General Obligation Bonds Payable 6,210,000 2,910,000 9,120,000 Unamortized Bond Discount/Premium 246,673 246,673 246,673 Advance from Other Funds 378,206 1,375,606 1,375,606 947.400 50.000 Compensated Absences Payable 3,229 439,649 835.971 845,007 653,651 583,824 393.093 **Total Noncurrent Liabilities** 7,227,972 3,860,629 489,649 11,578,250 11,897,286 653,986 586,835 **Total Liabilities** 8,206,757 4,585,649 2,290,588 15,082,994 15,032,324 2,104,127 2,468,797 NET ASSETS Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt 569,170 207,709 2,743,872 3,520,751 3,656,566 3,100,627 3,435,314 Restricted for Capital Projects 50,657 50,657 46,163 Unrestricted 893,445 ,109,859) 227.534 11,120 283,993 10,861,894 10,060,250 **Total Net Assets** 1,462,615 (851,493) 2,971,406 3,582,528 3,986,722 13,962,521 13,495,564 Adjustment to reflect the consolidation of internal service fund activities related to enterprise funds. (1,967)1.914

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Net Assets of Business-Type Activities

3,988,636

3,580,561

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

Business-type Activities - Enterprise Funds

	Ponds at Other Lake Owasso Battle Enterprise			Total			Governmental Activities - Internal Service Funds						
	Residen			Creek	Funds		2006		2005		2006		2005
OPERATING REVENUES:													
Charges for Services	\$ 7,630	384	\$	390,230	\$ 16,721,624	\$	24,742,238	\$	23,731,365	\$	18,712,266	\$	18,593,579
Sales		-		-	763		763		1,510		5,136		2,167
Rental Income		-		53,668	-		53,668		52,408		-		-
Miscellaneous	-			3,003	32,475		35,478		60,175		168,319		25,946
Total Operating Revenues	7,630	384		446,901	16,754,862		24,832,147		23,845,458		18,885,721		18,621,692
OPERATING EXPENSES:													
Personal Services	6,510	964		234,690	13,294,573		20,040,227		19,078,317		7,615,033		6,768,025
Other Services and Charges	708	935		123,469	2,857,571		3,689,975		4,109,237		9,542,256		9,777,302
Supplies	354	517		69,880	971,903		1,396,300		1,196,995		397,385		431,387
Depreciation	214	606		131,631	360,802		707,039		700,601		888,776		888,546
Total Operating Expenses	7,789	022		559,670	17,484,849		25,833,541		25,085,150		18,443,450		17,865,260
	(158	638)		(112,769)	(729,987)		(1,001,394)		(1,239,692)		442,271		756,432
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):													
Intergovernmental Revenue	19.	968		_	292,775		312,743		314,170		24,008		24,132
Investment Earnings	113			-	28,701		142,025		137,622		-		-
Amortization of Bond Issuance Costs		610)		(536)	· -		(1,146)		(1,149)		-		-
Interest Expense	(386			(141,684)	-		(528,595)		(354,180)		-		-
Gain (Loss) on Disposal of Capital Assets		-		-	(23,188)		(23,188)		25,905		805		541
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Capital Assets		-		-	6,207		6,207		20,555		-		-
Miscellaneous Revenue					1,575		1,575		4,725		=_		-
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)	(254			(142,220)	306,070		(90,379)		147,648		24,813		24,673
Income before Contributions and Transfers	(412	867)		(254,989)	(423,917)		(1,091,773)		(1,092,044)		467,084		781,105
Capital Contributions		-		-	68,018		68,018		328,644		-		-
Transfers In	199	170		50,000	370,391		619,561		558,561		-		-
Transfers Out											(127)		-
Change in Net Assets	(213	697)		(204,989)	14,492		(404,194)		(204,839)		466,957		781,105
Total Net Assets - Beginning	1,676	312		(646,504)	2,956,914						13,495,564		12,714,459
Total Net Assets - Ending	\$ 1,462		\$	(851,493)	\$ 2,971,406	• •				\$	13,962,521	\$	13,495,564
Adjustment to reflect the consolidation of into	ernal service	fund ac	tivities	3		_							
related to enterprise funds.							(3,881)		1,322				
Change in Net Assets of Business-type Activ	vities (Exhibit	2)				\$	(408,075)	\$	(203,517)				
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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE TEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005 Business-type Activities - Enterprise Funds							
	Lake Owasso Residence	Ponds at Battle Creek	Other Enterprise Funds	•	tal 2005	Governmenta Internal Serv 2006	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	11001001100						
Receipts from Customers and Users Receipts from Interfund Services Provided	\$ 7,607,290 -	\$ 445,964 -	\$ 16,273,297 -	\$ 24,326,551 -	\$ 24,107,220	\$ 1,414,313 17,360,839	\$ 11,775,872 7,265,382
Payments to Suppliers Payments to Employees Payments for Interfund Services Used Net Cash Provided (Used) for	(1,057,710) (6,433,397) -	(193,553) (233,722)	(3,995,540) (13,241,787)	(5,246,803) (19,908,906)	(5,704,243) (19,009,344) (450)	(8,804,745) (7,469,639) (1,603,930)	(9,729,940) (6,682,057) (425,779)
Operating Activities	116,183	18,689	(964,030)	(829,158)	(606,817)	896,838	2,203,478
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES							
Intergovernmental Revenue Transfers In	19,968 199,170	-	292,775 357,906	312,743 557,076	314,170 557,076	24,008	24,132
Transfers Out Interfund Loans Miscellaneous Revenue	- - -	204,803	- - 1,575	204,803 1,575	4,725	(127) - -	- - -
Net Cash Provided (Used) for Noncapital Financing Activities	219,138	204,803	652,256	1,076,197	875,971	23,881	24,132
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND							
RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Interfund Loans	_	278,513	_	278,513	_	_	_
Proceeds from the Sale of Capital Assets Proceeds from Refunding Bonds	- -		25,530	25,530	41,555 3,168,217	805	797
Purchases of Capital Assets	(5,645)	(135,000)	(239,701)	(380,346)	(246,934)	(554,089)	(736,998)
Principal Paid on Capital Debt	(160,000)	(143,513)	-	(303,513)	(285,000)	-	-
Interest Paid on Capital Debt	(332,059)	-	-	(332,059)	(286,503)	-	-
Disposal of Capital Assets Repayment of Loan	<u> </u>				45,245 	(5,087)	(5,240)
Net Cash Provided (Used) for Capital and Related Financing Activities	(497,704)		(214,171)	(711,875)	2,436,580	(558,371)	(741,441)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES							
Proceeds from Sale of Investments Dividend Received			32,521 32,278	32,521 32,278	25,067		
Gain on Sale of Investment	- 07 272	-	-	- 07 272	25,619	-	-
Interest Income Net Cash Provided (Used) for	97,372			97,372			
Investing Activities	97,372		64,799	162,171	50,686		
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(65,011)	223,492	(461,146)	(302,665)	2,756,420	362,348	1,486,169
Cash and Cash Equivalents, January 1	4,974,171	282,577	1,479,400	6,736,148	3,979,728	11,343,313	9,857,144
Cash and Cash Equivalents, December 31	\$ 4,909,160	\$ 506,069	\$ 1,018,254	\$ 6,433,483	\$ 6,736,148	\$ 11,705,661	\$ 11,343,313

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

Business-type Activities - Enterprise Funds Ponds at Other Governmental Activities -**Battle Lake Owasso** Enterprise Total **Internal Service Funds** 2006 2005 Residence Creek **Funds** 2006 2005 **Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net** Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: Operating Income (Loss) 442,271 (158,638)(112,769)(729,987)\$ (1,001,394)\$ (1,239,692)756,432 Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: 707,039 Depreciation Expense 214,606 131,631 360,802 700,601 888,776 888,545 Noncash Transfers 12,485 12,485 1,485 Provision for Uncollectible Accounts 30,000 30,000 (9,500)Loan Payable included in Electrical Expense 13.001 Changes in Assets and Liabilities: (Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable (23.094)(938)(102,828)(126,860)(32,350)(8,506)(11,185)(Increase) Decrease in Due from Other Funds (83,447)377,201 (Increase) Decrease in Due from Other Governments (359,573)275,933 (37,453)53,544 (359,573)(Increase) Decrease in Prepaid Items 42,225 42,225 (42,225)37,395 39,295 3,874 7,322 (Increase) Decrease in Inventories 3,448 (5,699)(1,451)(95)Increase (Decrease) in Salaries Payable 26,252 385 35,753 62,390 25,663 17,853 1,353 Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable (3,897)(569)(38,891)(43,357)59,465 (454,634)11,499 Increase (Decrease) in Due to Other Funds 4,713 122 (138,526)(133,691)(204,366)(49,427)(20, 178)Increase (Decrease) in Due to Other Governments 1,477 (24)(96,398)(94,945)73,557 17,920 9,447 Increase (Decrease) in Estimated Payable (253,000)for Outstanding Claims Increase (Decrease) in Vacation and 33,668 45,741 78,237 37,967 57,714 51,415 (1,172)Compensatory Time Payable Increase (Decrease) in Compensated 17,648 2,023 (28,707)(9.036)5,344 69,827 33,204 Absences Payable

18,689

Noncash Capital and Related Financing Activity:

Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities

Contributions of Capital Assets in the Ramsev Nursing Home Fund amounted to \$65.860 and \$317.928 in 2006 and 2005 respectively.

116,183

The fair value of Ramsey Nursing Home Investment decreased by \$50,847 in 2005, and decreased by \$53,342 in 2006.

Disposal of Capital Assets had a Net Book Value of \$23,188 in 2006 and \$1,046 in 2005 for the Ramsey Nursing Home.

The Internal Service Funds disposed of capital assets with a net book value of zero.

Transfer In of \$50,000 from Capital Projects Funds was used to reduce Due to Other Funds for Ponds at Battle Creek.

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

(964,030)

(829, 158)

(606,817)

896,838

2,203,478

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

Private Purpose Agency Fund Trust Funds 2006 2005 2006 2005 **ASSETS** Cash and Cash Equivalents \$ 2,545,416 \$ 2,529,067 33,140,053 \$ 32,289,596 Petty Cash and Change Funds 50 50 Receivables: Taxes 205 Accounts 773 18,911,342 21,310,346 Due from Other Governments 55,120 436,240 Advance to Other Governments 50,893 50,893 2,546,189 2,529,067 52,157,663 **Total Assets** 54,087,125 **LIABILITIES** Salaries Payable 6,426 9.021 Custodial Payable 15,852 7,392 36,354,192 32,824,607 Due to Other Governments 15,797,045 21,253,497 **Total Liabilities** 15,852 7,392 52,157,663 54,087,125 **NET ASSETS**

2,530,337

\$

2,521,675

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Held in trust for private purposes

2,530,337

2,521,675

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE AMOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

Private Purpose Trust Funds 2006 2005 **ADDITIONS** Receipts from Clients \$ 12,804,044 \$ 12,792,773 **Investment Earnings** 11,304 4,959 12,815,348 12,797,732 **Total Additions DEDUCTIONS** Payments to Clients or on Behalf of Clients 12,806,686 12,504,297 Change in Net Assets 8,662 293,435 Net assets - Beginning 2,521,675 2,228,240

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

Net assets - Ending

Ramsey County, Minnesota Notes to the Basic Financial Statements December 31, 2006

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I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Reporting Entity

Ramsey County, Minnesota, was created by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota in 1849. The County operated under a County Board-Executive Director form of government until November 6, 1992. On November 6, 1992, Ramsey County became the first County in the State to be governed by a home-rule charter. The Charter defines the powers and structure of the County. The seven members of the Board of County Commissioners are elected by district for four years. The County Manager is appointed by the Board on an indefinite basis.

The accounting practices of Ramsey County, Minnesota, conform to generally accepted accounting principles applicable to governmental units. This financial report has been prepared in conformity with Governmental Accounting Standard Board Statement No. 33, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Transactions, as amended, Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments, as amended, and Statement No. 38, Certain Financial Statement Note Disclosures. The following is a summary of significant accounting principles.

As required by generally accepted accounting principles, these financial statements present Ramsey County and its component units. The component units discussed below are included in the County's reporting entity because of the significance of their operations or financial relationships with the County.

Blended Component Units:

The Ramsey County Regional Railroad Authority was created by the Ramsey County Board pursuant to State statute. The seven member Regional Railroad Authority Board is appointed by the Ramsey County Board of Commissioners. Currently, the Regional Railroad Authority consists of the seven Ramsey County Commissioners. The Authority has the power to levy taxes, issue bonds and enter into contracts and agreements. The Authority is solely liable for its obligations. Separate financial statements can be obtained from Ramsey County Budgeting & Accounting Office.

The Ramsey County Housing & Redevelopment Authority was created in 1993 by the Ramsey County Board pursuant to State Statute. The five member Housing & Redevelopment Authority is appointed by the Ramsey County Board of Commissioners. Currently, the Housing & Redevelopment Authority consists of five members from the Ramsey County Board. The Authority's financial activities are presented in the Housing & Redevelopment Authority Special Revenue Fund. Separate financial statements are not available.

Joint Ventures:

A joint powers agreement between Ramsey and Washington Counties created the Ramsey/Washington County Resource Recovery Project Board as a joint venture to administer the Resource Recovery Facility. The Project Board is composed of four representatives from Washington County appointed by the Washington County Board and five Ramsey County Commissioners appointed by the Ramsey County Board. All administrative decisions are made by the Project Board except for: budget approval, levying taxes or assessing service charges and establishing the tipping fee to be charged at the facility which require the approval of the County Boards. Details of Ramsey County's share of the joint venture can be found in Note V. Separate financial statements can be obtained from Ramsey County Budgeting & Accounting Office.

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

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

activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Certain indirect costs have been included as part of the program expenses reported for the various functional activities. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment; and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide, proprietary fund, and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned, and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Shared revenues are generally recognized in the period the appropriation goes into effect. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources* measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Ramsey County considers all revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after the end of the current period. Property and other taxes, shared revenues, licenses, and interest are all considered to be susceptible to accrual. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on general long-term debt, compensated absences, and claims and judgments, which are recognized as expenditures to the extent that they have matured. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Property taxes, licenses, and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

The *general fund* is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those accounted for in another fund.

The *debt service fund* accounts for the resources accumulated and payments made for principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt of governmental funds.

The *capital projects fund* accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities and infrastructure (other than those financed by proprietary funds).

The County reports the following major proprietary funds:

The *Lake Owasso Residence fund* provides residential treatment services to 64 people who are developmentally delayed or have related conditions ages 16 through adult.

Ponds at Battle Creek is a golf course on 80 acres of land owned by Ramsey County Community Corrections Department. The course will not only expand golf services to County residents, but also provide transferable work opportunities for workhouse inmates under the Productive Day Program.

Additionally, the government reports the following fund types:

Internal service funds are used to account for goods or services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of the County, or other governments, on a cost-reimbursement basis.

- Data Processing to provide electronic data processing services to County departments and other governmental units.
- General County Buildings to account for rents received from occupants of several County Buildings and to pay all expenses incurred in operating and maintaining the building.
- Telecommunications to account for all expenses incurred in operating the telephone system in the Ramsey County Buildings.
- Firearms Range to provide a Firearms Range to law enforcement personnel of the County and other local governments.

The *private-purpose trust funds* are used to account for client resources held in trust to pay expenses on their behalf and missing heir funds until they are located.

The County has an *agency fund*, which is custodial in nature and does not present results of operations or have a measurement focus. The agency fund is accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. This fund is used to account for assets that the County holds for others in an agency capacity, including pass-through funds that are equivalent to pure cash conduits; inmate and other governmental agency funds held in the custody of the County; and revenues collected on behalf of other governmental units related to property taxes.

Private-sector standards of accounting and financial reporting issued prior to December 1, 1989, generally are followed in both the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with or contradict guidance of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. Governments also have the option of following subsequent private-sector guidance for their business-type activities and enterprise funds, subject to this same limitation. The County has elected not to follow subsequent private-sector guidance.

Amounts reported as program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services, or privileges provided; (2) operating grants and contributions, as well as any related interest earnings; and (3) capital grants and contributions, as well as any related interest earnings. 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 nonoperating 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 the Lake Owasso Residence, Ponds at Battle Creek, Ramsey Nursing Home, and Law Enforcement Services enterprise funds, and of the government's internal service funds are charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds and internal service 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 nonoperating revenues and expenses.

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

D. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

1. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Ramsey County has defined cash and cash equivalents to include cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition. Additionally, each fund's equity in the County's investment pool is treated as a cash equivalent because the funds can deposit or effectively withdraw cash at any time without prior notice or penalty.

2. Deposits and Investments

The cash balances of substantially all funds are pooled and invested for the purpose of increasing earnings through investment activities. Pooled and fund investments are reported at their fair value at December 31, 2006, based on market prices. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 385.07, investment earnings on cash and pooled investments of governmental and fiduciary funds are credited to the General Fund. Other funds received investment earnings based on other state statutes, grant agreements, contracts, and bond covenants. Pooled investment earnings for 2006 were \$12,487,790.

3. Receivables and Payables

Activity between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as either "due to/from other funds" (i.e., the current portion of interfund loans) or "advances to/from other funds" (i.e., the non-current portion of interfund loans). All other outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds." Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

Advances between funds, as reported in the fund financial statements, are offset by a fund balance reserve account in applicable governmental funds to indicate that they are not available for appropriation and are not expendable available financial resources.

All trade and property tax receivables are shown net of an allowance for uncollectibles. Trade accounts in excess of 120 days comprise the trade accounts receivable allowance for uncollectibles. The property tax receivable allowance is equal to 1% of the current year's property tax levy.

Property taxes are levied as of January 1 on property values assessed as of the same date. The tax levy is divided into two billings: the first billing (due from property owners on May 15th) and the second billing (due on October 15th or November 15th). Taxes, which remain unpaid by property owners at December 31, are considered delinquent.

4. Inventories and Prepaid Items

Inventory is valued at cost using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method. Inventory consists of expendable supplies held for consumption. The cost is recorded as an expenditure at the time of purchase on the fund financial statements and converted to the consumption method for the government-wide statements.

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

5. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (e.g. roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items), are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the County as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years, as well as certain exceptions that are considered to be high risk to theft. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of donation.

General infrastructure assets acquired prior to January 1, 2002 consist of the road network assets that were acquired or that received substantial improvements subsequent to July 1, 1980 and are reported at actual historical cost. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed.

Property, plant, and equipment of the primary government is depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	10-50
Building Improvements	5-20
Infrastructure	20-75
Improvements Other Than Buildings	10-20
Machinery and Equipment	2-20

6. Compensated Absences

It is the County's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation and sick pay benefits. Under the County's personnel policies and union contracts, County employees are granted vacation and sick leave in varying amounts based on length of services. Certain County employees are also granted compensatory time. Unused accumulated vacation leave, compensatory time, and vested sick leave are paid to employees upon termination. Unvested sick leave is available to employees in the event of illness-related absences and is not paid to employees upon termination. Each permanent employee earns up to 25 days vacation leave and 15 days of sick leave per year.

7. Long-term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements and 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. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as issuance costs, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges and amortized over the term of the related debt.

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

8. Restricted Assets/Fund Equity

Certain funds of the County are classified as restricted assets on the statement of net assets because the restriction is either imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation or imposed externally by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments. Therefore, their use is limited by applicable laws and regulations. These legal restrictions include:

Debt Service	\$55,035,877
Capital Projects	7,186,824
Solid Waste	20,565,333
Aggregate Material	118,970
Criminal Forfeiture	401,732
Underground Storage Tanks	100,000
County Recorder's Equipment	1,043,663
Election Equipment	<u>274,135</u>
	<u>\$84,726,534</u>

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

9. Estimates in Financial Statements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

E. Prior Year Comparative Data

The basic financial statements include partial prior year comparative information. Such information does not include all of the information required to constitute a presentation in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the County's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2005, from which such partial information was derived.

II. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

A. 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. One element of that reconciliation explains that "long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds." The details of this \$247,733,977 difference are as follows:

Bonds and Notes Payable	\$203,857,000
Loans Payable	68,222
Capital Lease	107,512
Less: Deferred Charge for Issuance Costs	
(Amortized Over the Life of the Debt)	(1,272,995)
Accrued Interest Payable	3,996,125
Unamortized Premium on Bonds	4,303,694
Estimated Payable for Outstanding Claims	5,714,500
Compensated Absences Payable, Vacation, & Comp Time Payable	30,846,649
Due to Other Governments	<u>113,270</u>
Net Adjustment to Reduce Fund Balance – Total Governmental	
Activities to Arrive at Net Assets – Governmental Activities	<u>\$247,733,977</u>

B. Explanation of Certain Differences Between the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances 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. One element of that reconciliation explains, "Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense." The details of this \$29,860,121 difference are as follows:

Capital Outlay	\$ 49,793,118
Depreciation Expense	(19,932,997)
Net Adjustment to Increase Changes in Fund Balances – Total	
Governmental Funds to Arrive at Changes in Net Assets of	
Governmental Activities	\$ 29,860,121

The second element of that reconciliation states that "The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e. sales, trade-ins, and donations) is to decrease net assets."

In the statement of activities, only the loss on the sale of capital assets is reported. However, in the governmental funds, the proceeds from the sale increase financial resources. Thus, the change in net assets differs from the change in fund balance by the net book value of the capital assets sold. The details of this \$2,787,026 difference is as follows:

Loss on Disposal/Sale of Capital Assets \$(2,787,026)

Another element of that reconciliation states that "the issuance of long-term debt (e.g. bonds) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net assets. Also, governmental funds report the effect of issuance costs, premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities." The details of this \$4,977,266 difference are as follows:

Debt issued or Incurred:	
Issuance of General Obligation Bonds	\$(6,750,000)
Unamortized Premium on Sale of Bonds	(31,046)
Proceeds from Loans from Xcel Energy	(76,940)
Principal Repayments:	
General Obligation Debt	11,610,000
Redemption of Refunded Bond Issuances	-
Capital Loan from State of Minnesota for Pedestrian Tunnel	165,000
Payments on Capital Lease Obligation for Food Service Equipment – LEC	48,600
Payments on Xcel Energy Loans	<u>11,652</u>
Net adjustment to Increase Changes in Fund Balances – Total Governmental	
Funds to Arrive at Changes in Net Assets of Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 4,977,266</u>

Finally, the reconciliation states, "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 governmental funds." The details of this \$137,626 difference are as follows:

Compensated Absences	\$(310,901)
Claims and Judgments	152,000
Accrued Interest	19,491
Arbitrage Expense	(113,270)
Bond Issuance Costs	70,093
Amortization of Bond Issuance Costs	(172,134)
Amortization of Bond Premium	205,837
Offset Operating Transfer from Internal Service Funds	(127)
Inventory (Change From Consumption to Purchase Method)	<u> 286,637</u>
Net Adjustment to Decrease Net Changes in Fund Balances – Total	
Governmental Funds to Arrive at Changes in Net Assets of	
Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 137,626</u>

III. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A. Deficit Fund Equity

The Ponds at Battle Creek Enterprise Fund showed a net loss of \$112,769 for the year, resulting in a deficit of net assets of \$851,493.

The Workforce Solutions Special Revenue Fund reported a net change in Fund Balance of \$6,388 for 2006, decreasing the negative Fund Balance to \$4,142. It is expected future revenues will eliminate the negative Fund Balance.

B. Restatement of Fund Equity

In the 2005 financial statements, intergovernmental revenue was overstated in the Capital Projects Fund and understated in the Parks and Recreation Special Revenue Fund by \$360,000 because that amount should have been recorded as an advance to and from other funds. Beginning fund balance was restated in both funds by \$360,000.

C. Budgetary Information

The County Board adopts an annual budget for certain Special Revenue Funds (County Library, Solid Waste/Recycling Service Fee, Saint Paul Public Health JPA, Regional Railroad Authority, and Forfeited Tax Sale), the County Debt Service Fund, and Regional Railroad Authority Debt Service

Fund. These budgets are prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Annual budgets are not adopted for the Capital Project Fund, Regional Railroad Authority Capital Project Fund, and certain Special Revenue Funds. Some of these funds have budgets, which are approved at the time the project or budget is initially authorized and overlap fiscal years. Other Special Revenue Funds are not budgeted. The following Special Revenue Funds either have budgets that overlap the County's fiscal year or are not budgeted: Housing & Redevelopment Authority, Workforce Solutions, State Funding for Courts, State Public Defender, Gifts and Donations, Sheriff, Corrections, Property Records, County Attorney, Health Promotion/Health Improvement, Parks & Recreation, Nursing Home Patients Activity, and Law Library. The Capital Projects Fund, Regional Railroad Authority Capital Projects Fund, and those Special Revenue Funds, whose budgets overlap fiscal years, are not consistent with the County's method of financial reporting; therefore, comparisons between the results of operations and budgets in these funds are not relevant and are not presented.

Based on a process established by the County Manager and staff, all departments of the government submit requests for appropriations to the County Manager every two years. After review, analysis and discussions with the departments, the County Manager's proposed budget is presented to the County Board for review. The Board holds public hearings and a final budget must be prepared and adopted no later than December 31.

The appropriated budget is prepared by fund, function, and department. Budgets may be amended during the year with the approval of the County Manager or County Board as required by the County's Administrative Code. The County Manager is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts within departments or appropriate certain revenues received in excess of the original budget estimate. Transfers of appropriations between departments and other transfers of appropriations require County Board approval. Supplemental appropriations are reviewed by the County Manager's office and submitted to the County Board for their approval. If approved, the adjustments are implemented by the Budgeting and Accounting Office by budget revision. Supplemental appropriations required during the year were immaterial. Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the department level. All appropriations, except Capital Project Fund and Regional Railroad Authority Capital Project Fund, which are not expended, encumbered, or reserved, as described above, lapse at year end.

Encumbrance accounting is employed in governmental funds. Encumbrances (e.g., purchase orders, contracts, capital reserves, and other commitments for the expenditure of monies) outstanding at year end are reported as reservations of fund balances and do not constitute expenditures or liabilities because the commitments will be reappropriated and honored during the subsequent year.

IV. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

A. Deposits and Investments

Reconciliation of County's total cash and investments to the basic financial statements follows:

Government-wide Governmental Activities Cash and Cash equivalents Cash with trustee Restricted cash Petty cash Imprest cash	\$297,906,467 18,227,581 3,000 26,015 60,000
Business-type activities Cash and Cash equivalents Cash with trustee Petty cash Cooperative investment	3,276,415 3,136,568 20,500 30,913
Fiduciary funds Cash and Cash equivalents Petty cash	33,140,053 50
Private Purpose Trust funds Cash and Cash equivalents	2,545,416
Cash and Investments	<u>\$358,372,978</u>
Deposits Investments Investments with trustee Cooperative investment Petty Cash	\$ 8,800,205 328,131,146 21,364,149 30,913 46,565
Total Cash and Investments	<u>\$358,372,978</u>

1. Deposits

Minn. Stat. §§ 118A.02 and 118A.04 authorize the County to designate a depository for public funds and to invest in certificates of deposit. Minn. Stat. § 118A.03 requires that all district deposits be protected by insurance, surety bond, or collateral. The market value of collateral pledged shall be at least ten percent more than the amount on deposit plus accrued interest at the close of the financial institution's banking day, not covered by insurance or bonds.

Authorized collateral includes treasury bills, notes and bonds; issues of U.S. government agencies; general obligations rated "A" or better, revenue obligations rated "AA" or better; irrevocable standard letters of credit issued by the Federal Home Loan Bank; and certificates of deposit. Minnesota Statutes require that securities pledged as collateral be held in safekeeping in a restricted account at the Federal Reserve Bank or in an account at a trust department of a commercial bank or other financial institution that is not owned or controlled by the financial institution furnishing the collateral.

Custodial Credit Risk-Deposits. Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a financial institution failure, the County's deposits may not be returned to it. The County does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of December 31, 2006, the County's deposits were not exposed to custodial credit risk.

2. Investments

Minn. Stat. §§ 118A.04 and 118A.05 generally authorize the following types of investments as available to the County:

- (a) securities which are direct obligations or are guaranteed or insured issued of the United States, its agencies, or instrumentalities, or organizations created by an act of Congress, except mortgage-backed securities defined as "high risk" by Minn. Stat. § 118A.04, subd. 6;
- (b) mutual funds through shares of registered investment companies provided the mutual fund receives certain ratings depending on its investments;
- (c) general obligations of the State of Minnesota and its municipalities, and in certain state agency and local obligations of Minnesota and other states provided such obligations have certain specified bond ratings by a national bond rating service;
- (d) bankers' acceptances of United States banks;
- (e) commercial paper issued by United States corporations or their Canadian subsidiaries that is rated in the highest quality category by two nationally recognized rating agencies and matures in 270 days or less; and
- (f) with certain restrictions, in repurchase agreements, securities lending agreements, joint powers investment trusts, and guaranteed investment contracts.

Interest Rate Risk. Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in the market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The County minimizes its exposure to interest rate risk by investing in both shorter and longer-term investments and by timing cash flows from maturities so that a portion of the portfolio is maturing or coming close to maturity evenly over time as necessary to provide the cash flow and liquidity needed for operations.

Ramsey County has adopted a simulation model of reporting of its investments and their sensitivity to fluctuation in interest rates to comply with Government Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 40, "Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosures". As presented, assumptions are made of interest rate changes of 50, 100, 150, and 200 basis points; it also assumes that interest rate changes occurred on December 31, 2006. The investment portfolio has an average book yield of 4.57%, modified duration of 2.81 years and an effective duration of 1.71 years.

Ramsey County:	+50 Basis Pts	+100 Basis Pts	+150 Basis Pts	+200 Basis Pts
U.S. Agency Securities:				
Federal Home Loan	\$123,267,169	\$123,172,798	\$123,078,426	\$122,984,055
Federal Home Loan Mtg. Corp.	29,653,785	29,426,691	29,199,596	28,971,621
Federal National Mtg. Assn.	20,841,641	20,749,533	20,657,424	20,565,316
Federal Farm Credit	11,755,229	11,697,939	11,640,648	11,583,357
Overseas Private Investment Corp	155,065	155,065	155,065	155,065
Commercial Paper (each <5%)	141,987,390	141,987,390	141,987,390	141,987,390
Griffin Bldg Revenue Bonds: Project				
Money Market Savings Acct	370,836	370,836	370,836	370,836
Griffin Bldg Revenue Bonds: DS.				
Money Market Savings Acct	786,717	786,717	786,717	786,717
Griffin Bldg Revenue Bonds: RF				
Money Market Savings Acct	2,162	2,162	2,162	2,162
Federal Home Loan	1,083,035	1,083,035	1,083,035	1,083,035
US Treasury SLUG's	19,121,399	19,121,399	19,121,399	19,121,399
Total Investments	\$349,024,428	<u>\$348,553,565</u>	<u>\$348,082,698</u>	\$347,610,007

The Ramsey County Board of Commissioners officially approved Ramsey County's investment policy in September of 1998. In November of 1999, a few changes were made to the policy, which were also approved by the Ramsey County Board. The policy is a bit more restricted than what is prescribed in Chapter 118A of Minnesota Statutes governing the investment of public funds. Ramsey County's policy restricts Agency Debentures to be up to 60% of the portfolio, Structured Agency Notes up to 30% with no inverses, Agency Mortgage Pass-Thru's up to 30%, Agency CMO's up to 30%, Municipal Bonds up to 30%, and Bankers Acceptances up to 50%. Commercial Paper, Certificates of Deposits, Repurchase Agreements, and GIC's are consistent with language of Chapter 118A.

Chapter 118A of the Minnesota Statutes allows Reverse Repurchase agreements as an investment to create leverage. The Ramsey County policy currently does not allow the use of Reverse Repurchase Agreements, Options, or Future Contracts.

Credit Risk. Generally, credit risk is the risk that an issuer of an investment will not fulfill its obligation to the holder of the investment. This is measured by the assignment of a rating by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization. It is the County's policy to invest only in securities that meet the ratings requirements set by state statute.

The County's exposure to credit risk as of December 31, 2006, is as follows:

Ramsey County:	Credit <u>Risk</u>	Custody Credit Risk	<u>Par</u>	Fair <u>Value</u>	% of Total <u>Portfolio</u>
U.S. Agency Securities:					
Federal Home Loan	AAA / Aaa	Custody (a)	124,700,000	123,362,141	35.35%
Federal Home Loan Mtg. Corp.	AAA / Aaa	Custody (a)	30,000,000	29,880,280	8.51%
Federal National Mtg. Assn.	AAA / Aaa	Custody (a)	21,000,000	20,933,750	5.95%
Federal Farm Credit	AAA / Aaa	Custody (a)	12,000,000	11,812,520	3.40%
Overseas Private Investment Corp	n.a.	Custody (a)	165,569	155,065	0.05%
Commercial Paper (each <5%)	A1+P1	Custody (a)	143,500,000	141,987,390	40.68%
Ramsey County's Portfolio			<u>331,365,569</u>	328,131,146	
Escrow Accounts:					
Griffin Bldg Revenue Bonds: Project Fund					
Money Market Savings Account	n.a	Escrow (b)	370,836	370,836	0.11%
Griffin Bldg Revenue Bonds: DS. Fund					
Money Market Savings Account	n.a.	Escrow (b)	786,717	786,717	0.22%
Griffin Building Revenue Bonds:					
Money Market Savings Account	n.a.		2,162	2,162	
Federal Home Loan	AAA / Aaa	Escrow (b)	1,080,000	1,083,035	0.31%
US Treasury SLUG's	n.a.	Escrow (b)	19,121,399	19,121,399	5.42%
Escrow Account Totals			21,361,114	21,364,149	
Total Investments			<u>352,726,933</u>	<u>349,495,295</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

- (a) Securities held in custody are in Ramsey County's name.
- (b) Securities held by the escrow agent.

Concentration of Credit Risk. The concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss that may be caused by the County's investment in a single issuer. It is the County's policy that U.S. Treasury Securities, U.S. Agency Securities, and obligations backed by U.S. Treasury and/or U.S. Agency Securities, may be held without limit.

Custodial Credit Risk. The custodial credit risk for investments is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty to a transaction, a government will not be able to recover the value of investment or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. Ramsey County's policy states all securities purchased by the county will be held by a third party safekeeping agency appointed as custodian by the County, consistent with Section 118A.06 of the Minnesota Statutes.

The custodian shall issue a safekeeping receipt to the County for each transaction detailing all pertinent aspects of the specific security and the name and account which the security is held. All security transactions entered into by the County, with the exception of money market mutual funds, fixed income mutual fund, and repurchase agreements, shall be conducted on a delivery versus payment basis. At December 31, 2006, all of the investments held in escrow accounts listed above totaled \$21,364,149 and were subject to custodial credit risk.

B. Receivables

Governmental funds report *deferred revenue* in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received, but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, the various components of *deferred revenue* and *unearned revenue* reported in the governmental funds were as follows:

	<u>Unavailable</u>	<u>Unearned</u>
Delinquent Property Taxes Receivable	\$ 4,565,775	\$ -
Receivables that do not provide Current		
Financial Resources	7,255,489	-
Loans Receivable	12,717,225	-
Forfeited Tax Sale Contracts Receivable	431,171	-
Grant Drawdowns Prior to Meeting Eligibility Requirements		3,174,916
Earnest Money	<u>-</u> _	<u>1,500,000</u>
	<u>\$24,969,660</u>	<u>\$4,674,916</u>

Direct financing leases:

PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION

Using loan funds obtained through an agreement with the Minnesota Public Facilities Authority, the County built a pedestrian connection from the RiverCentre complex to the core downtown St. Paul area. Under an agreement with the City of St. Paul, the City is required to make lease payments to the County in an amount equal to 105% of the loan payments due from the County to the Minnesota Public Facilities Authority.

The City is responsible for the operation and maintenance of the pedestrian connection. At the expiration of the term of the lease in the year 2030, the connection will become the sole property of the City. As a result, the pedestrian connection is not included in the County's capital assets.

Terms of the lease are as follows:

Years Ended December 31	Lease Receivable
2007	\$ 394,088
2008	392,985
2009	396,702
2010	395,060
2011-2015	1,968,321
2016-2020	1,961,564
2021-2025	1,951,931
2026-2030	<u>1,944,962</u>
	9,405,613
Less Interest	<u>(3,163,613)</u>
Present Value of	
Lease Receivable	<u>\$6,242,000</u>

BENZ BUILDING

Issuing \$13,845,000 of lease revenue bonds in 2003, the County renovated and remodeled the Benz Building to be used for the Saint Paul Police Headquarters Facility and leased by the City of Saint Paul. The term of the lease is for 20 years beginning January 1, 2004 to December 31, 2023. The City of Saint Paul will pay base rent on a semi-annual basis equal to the debt service payment including principal and interest.

The City may buy out the lease and exercise a purchase option at any time during the lease as well as purchase the property for \$1,500,000 at the end of the lease term. As a result, the building is not included in the County's capital assets.

Terms of the lease are as follows:

Years Ended December 31	Lease Receivable
2007	\$ 1,046,217
2008	1,048,368
2009	1,049,818
2010	1,055,568
2011-2015	5,246,907
2016-2020	5,373,463
2021-2023	3,218,100
	18,038,441
Less Interest	<u>(5,638,441)</u>
Present Value of	
Lease Receivable	\$12,400,000

REGIONS HOSPITAL

The lease agreement granted Regions Hospital use of the property through December 2046 under the condition that it (i) provide care to the indigent of Ramsey County throughout the lease term; (ii) pay all taxes, utilities, maintenance, and insurance costs with respect to the property; (iii) use its best efforts to continue providing, and consult with the Ramsey County Board of Commissioners before discontinuing, its major or unique services, including but not limited to the trauma center, burn unit, graduate medical education, and research services; and (iv) not assign the lease to a for-profit corporation.

The property leased is classified as a capital lease and is not included in the County's capital assets. The lease requires that a minimum dollar amount of indigent care be provided to Ramsey County residents. In the event the value of charity care does not meet the lease requirement, the Hospital can fulfill the obligation by making capital improvements to the hospital property. The value of charity care is reduced by Ramsey County's direct cash support, if any.

C. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2006 was as follows:

	Beginning <u>Balance</u>	<u>Increases</u>	<u>Decreases</u>	Ending <u>Balance</u>
Governmental activities: Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 76,783,297	\$ 3,502,584	\$ (45,668)	\$ 80,240,213
Construction in progress Total capital assets, not being depreciated	78,270,427 155,053,724	<u>17,649,343</u> 21,151,927	(1,981,037) (2,026,705)	93,938,733 174,178,946
			-	
Capital assets, being depreciated: Buildings	252,760,206	1,955,692	(1,926,560)	252,789,338
Building Improvements	10,296,227	691,480	(0.004.404)	10,987,707
Improvements other than buildings Equipment	35,339,849 60,130,548	1,743,931 6,475,623	(2,361,134) (3,894,272)	34,722,646 62,711,899
Infrastructure	339,378,052	18,208,955	<u> </u>	357,587,007
Total capital assets being depreciated	697,904,882	<u>29,075,681</u>	<u>(8,181,966)</u>	718,798,597
Less accumulated depreciation for:	(50.007.400)	(5.004.000)	4 000 504	(54,000,045)
Buildings Building Improvements	(50,997,183) (5,275,430)	(5,034,366) (989,298)	1,209,534	(54,822,015) (6,264,728)
Improvements other than buildings	(19,797,684)	(1,720,099)	2,286,168	(19,231,615)
Equipment Infrastructure	(48,629,722) (164,475,599)	(4,905,598) (8,172,412)	4,045,542	(49,489,778) (172,648,011)
Total accumulated depreciation	(289,175,618)	(20,821,773)	7,541,244	(302,456,147)
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	408,729,264	8,253,908	(640,722)	416,342,450
Governmental activities capital assets, net	563,782,988	29,405,835	(2,667,427)	590,521,396
Business-type activities:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:	407.070			407.070
Land Construction in progress	107,073 116,309	26,000	(116,309)	107,073 26,000
Total capital assets, not being				
Depreciated	223,382	26,000	(116,309)	133,073
Capital assets, being depreciated:	0.404.000			0.404.000
Buildings Building improvements	9,491,866 1,373,447	- 193,630	- -	9,491,866 1,567,077
Improvements other than buildings	3,654,711	-	<u>-</u>	3,654,711
Equipment Total capital assets being depreciated	2,437,578 16,957,602	209,904 403,534	<u>(176,346)</u> (176,346)	2,471,136 17,184,790
	10,007,002		(170,040)	<u> 17,104,730</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for: Buildings	(3,598,714)	(244,219)	_	(3,842,933)
Building improvements	(694,211)	(75,242)	-	(769,453)
Improvements other than buildings	(671,731)	(128,079)	400.074	(799,810)
Equipment Total accumulated depreciation	(1,802,915) (6,767,571)	<u>(259,499)</u> <u>(707,039)</u>	133,974 133,974	(1,928,440) (7,340,636)
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	10,190,031	(303,505)	(42,372)	9,844,154
Business-type activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 10,413,413</u>	\$ (277,505)	\$ (158,681 <u>)</u>	\$ 9,977,227

Depreciation expense was charged to functions / programs as follows:

Governmental activities:	
General government	\$ 3,672,856
Public safety	3,465,120
Highways and streets, including depreciation of infrastructure assets	9,538,084
Health	263,383
Human Services	534,138
Culture and recreation	2,346,331
Conservation of natural resources	21,206
Economic development and assistance	91,879
Capital assets held by the County's internal service funds are charged to	
the various functions based on their usage of the assets	888,776
Total depreciation expense – governmental activities	\$20,821,773
Business-type activities:	
Lake Owasso Residence	\$214,606
Ramsey Nursing Home	233,837
Ponds at Battle Creek	131,631
Law Enforcement Services	126,965
Total depreciation expense – business-type activities	\$707,039

Construction Commitments

The government has active construction projects as of December 31, 2006. The projects include widening and construction of existing streets and bridges, and the construction of new county building facilities. At year-end the government's commitments with contractors are as follows:

<u>Project</u>	<u>Spent-to-date</u>	Remaining Commitment
Road and bridge construction	\$37,465,621	\$ 6,516,316
County building facilities	9,258,166	<u>5,818,445</u>
	<u>\$46,723,787</u>	<u>\$12,334,761</u>

D. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

The composition of interfund balances as of December 31, 2006, is as follows:

Due to/from other funds:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	<u>Amount</u>
General	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	\$ 310,240
	Lake Owasso Residence	2,118
	Ponds at Battle Creek	1,127
	Capital Projects Fund	1,494
	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	46,201
	Internal Service Funds	75,641
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	General	1,386
Debt Service	Ponds at Battle Creek	506,169
Internal Service Funds	General	914,825
	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	54,796
	Lake Owasso Residence	7,227
	Ponds at Battle Creek	4,833
	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	8,563
	Internal Service Funds	40,717
Total		<u>\$1,975,337</u>

These balances reflect the interfund goods and services provided and not paid at year-end but expected to be paid in the subsequent year.

Advances are usually loans that are outstanding more than one year.

Advances to / from other funds:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	<u>Amount</u>
General	Capital Projects Fund	\$2,130,000
	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	4,711,000
	Lake Owasso Residence	378,206
	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	50,000
	Ponds at Battle Creek	772,400
Capital Projects	Ponds at Battle Creek	175,000
Total		\$8,216,606

These balances are primarily working capital loans made to other funds and not scheduled to be paid back in the subsequent year.

Interfund transfers:

			Transfer In		
	<u>General</u>	Capital <u>Projects</u>	Nonmajor <u>Governmental</u>	Internal Service <u>Funds</u>	<u>Total</u>
Transfer out:					
General	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,000	\$ 127	\$ 1,127
Debt Service	-	1,777,050	-	=	1,777,050
Nonmajor					
Governmental	128,378	-	424,984	-	553,362
Lake Owasso Residence	199,170	-	-	-	199,170
Ponds at Battle Creek	-	50,000	-	-	50,000
Nonmajor Enterprise	<u>357,906</u>	12,485			370,391
Total transfers out	\$685,454	\$1,839,535	\$ <u>425,984</u>	\$ 127	\$ <u>2,951,100</u>

Transfers are used to move revenues from the General Fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds and move restricted funds to the Debt Service Fund. Also move revenues from Refunded Bonds from Debt Service Fund to the Agency Fund.

E. HRA Conduit Debt Obligations

The HRA has issued Rental Housing Revenue Bonds to facilitate the development of housing facilities designed for occupancy by persons of low or moderate income which improves the economic and housing conditions of the County. The bonds are secured by the financed property and are payable solely from the revenues of the housing projects. The HRA has issued Revenue Bonds to facilitate the development of enterprises engaged in providing health care services to residents of Ramsey County. The bonds are secured by the financial property and are payable solely from the revenues of the health care operation.

The bonds do not constitute a charge, lien, or encumbrance, legal or equitable, upon any property or funds of the HRA, nor is the HRA subject to any liability thereon. Accordingly, the bonds are not reported as liabilities in the accompanying financial statements.

Conduit bonds have an outstanding principal balance of \$105.7 million at December 31, 2006. There were seven conduit bond issuances at December 31, 2006.

F. Leases payable

Operating Leases

The county leases real estate and equipment under leases expiring at various dates through 2015. Total costs for such leases were \$1,850,621 for year ended December 31, 2006. The future minimum lease payments for these leases are as follows:

Year Ending Dec. 31	General Fund
2007	\$1,960,593
2008	1,414,056
2009	1,151,835
2010	732,499
2011	309,297
2012-2015	359,645
Total	\$5,927,925

Capital Leases

Ramsey County has entered into a lease agreement as lessee for financing the acquisition of food service equipment at the new Adult Detention Center. This lease agreement qualifies as a capital lease for accounting purposes and, therefore, has been recorded at the present value of the future minimum lease payments as of the inception date.

The assets acquired through capital leases are as follows:

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
Asset:	
Equipment	\$296,955
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The future minimum lease obligations and the net present value of these minimum lease payments as of December 31, 2006, were as follows:

Year Ending December 31	Governmental Activities
2007	\$ 59,391
2008	_59,391
Total minimum lease payments	118,782
Less: amount representing interest	<u>(11,270)</u>
Present value of minimum lease payments	\$ <u>107,512</u>

G. Loans payable

The County has taken advantage of the Xcel Energy Local Government Energy Conservation Program to complete energy retrofits of various County buildings. Xcel's program provides no interest loans for building energy retrofits, based on energy savings generated; a one-time bounty for reduced kilowatt consumption and partial funding for engineering audits and design services.

Based on Xcel's program guidelines, after an assessment of needs has been made of energy conservation measures, a loan application, limited to two times the annual energy consumption, is submitted to Xcel for all construction and equipment costs. After the application has been approved by Xcel, the energy conservation project is competitively bid, and construction/installation completed. Upon completion of the project, a loan agreement is submitted to Xcel, and Xcel then issues the loan

proceeds and sets up a repayment schedule through the monthly electric/gas bills. At that time, Xcel also pays the actual engineering costs up to 15% of the loan amount.

Since Xcel loan proceeds are not received until project completion, the County must provide upfront funding for projects, which have received application approval from Xcel. All outstanding applications have been approved as of December 31, 2006. The future minimum loan payments are:

	Government
Year Ending Dec. 31	<u>Activities</u>
2007	\$19,651
2008	17,349
2009	16,190
2010	14,555
2011	6,026
Total minus Loan payments	73,771
Less: Interest	2,874
Present Value of Minimum	
Loan Payments	<u>\$70,895</u>

H. Sick Leave, Vacation, and Compensatory Time

Under the County's personnel policies and union contracts, county employees are granted vacation and sick leave in varying amounts based on length of service. Certain employees are also granted compensatory time. Unused accumulated vacation, vested sick leave, and compensatory time are paid to employees upon termination. Each permanent employee earns up to 25 days vacation leave and 15 days of sick leave per year.

I. Long Term Obligations

General Obligation Bonds and Notes

The county issues general obligation bonds and notes to provide funds for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities. General obligation bonds and notes have been issued for both governmental and business-type activities. The outstanding amount of general obligation bonds and notes issued in prior years was \$205,232,000. During the year, general obligation bonds totaling \$6,750,000 were issued to provide funding for various capital projects and to refinance certain general obligation bonds.

The following is a list of the long-term debt transactions of the County for the year ended December 31, 2006:

GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES:	Payable <u>January 1</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deductions</u>	Payable December 31	Due Within One Year
General Obligation Bonds	\$189,100,000	\$ 6,750,000	\$11,130,000	\$184,720,000	\$20,075,000
Note Payable Lease Revenue Bonds	6,407,000	-	165,000 <u>480,000</u>	6,242,000 12,895,000	170,000 <u>495,000</u>
Total General Obligation Bonds,	13,375,000		460,000	12,695,000	495,000
Notes Payable, and Lease					
Revenue Bonds	208,882,000	6,750,000	11,775,000	203,857,000	20,740,000
Loans Payable:					
Governmental Funds	2,933	76,940	11,652	68,221	16,143
Internal Service Funds:					
General County Buildings	<u>7,761</u>		5,087	2,674	2,339
Total Loans Payable	<u>10,694</u>	76,940	<u>16,739</u>	<u>70,895</u>	<u>18,482</u>
Capital Lease Claims and Judgments Payable	<u>156,112</u>	_	48,600	107,512	<u>51,960</u>
Governmental Funds	5,999,739	2,182,934	2,379,961	5,802,712	2,076,737
Governmental Funds	<u> </u>	2,102,304	2,575,501	0,002,712	2,010,131
Compensated Absences:					
Governmental Funds	30,535,749	14,836,979	14,526,077	30,846,651	13,884,410
Internal Service Funds: Data Processing	677,491	393,044	202.057	747,478	226 004
General County Buildings	290,472	190,087	323,057 137,409	343,150	326,091 137,181
Telecommunication	43,433	32,101	27,226	48,308	22,014
Total Compensated Absences	31,547,145	<u>15,452,211</u>	15,013,769	31,985,587	14,369,696
Governmental Activities					
Long-term Liabilities	<u>246,595,690</u>	<u>24,462,085</u>	<u>29,234,069</u>	<u>241,823,706</u>	<u>37,256,875</u>
BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES:					
General Obligation Bonds:					
Enterprise Funds:					
Lake Owasso Residence	6,540,000	-	160,000	6,380,000	170,000
Ponds at Battle Creek	3,185,000		135,000	3,050,000	140,000
Total General Obligation Bonds	9,725,000		295,000	9,430,000	310,000
Compensated Absences:					
Enterprise Funds:					
Lake Owasso Residence	694,089	382,411	331,096	745,404	352,312
Ponds at Battle Creek	7,143	5,574	4,723	7,994	4,765
Ramsey Nursing Home	830,585	462,953	453,417	840,121	400,472
Law Enforcement Services	297,283	280,214	272,716	304,781	304,781
Total Compensated Absences	1,829,100	<u>1,131,152</u>	1,061,952	<u>1,898,300</u>	1,062,330
Business-Type Activities Long- Term Liabilities	<u>\$ 11,554,100</u>	<u>\$ 1,131,152</u>	\$ 1,356,952	<u>\$ 11,318,300</u>	<u>\$ 1,372,330</u>

Internal Service funds predominantly serve the governmental funds. Accordingly, long-term liabilities for them are included as part of the above totals for governmental activities. Also, for the governmental activities, claims and judgments and compensated absences are generally liquidated by the General Fund.

Long-term debt payable at December 31, 2006 comprises the following individual issues:

COUNTY GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT:

County-wide General Obligation Bonds:

\$17,570,000 1996A Capital Improvement Plan Series Bonds, due in annual installments of \$725,000 to \$1,160,000 through February 1, 2016 - interest at 5.385%	\$ 9,235,000
\$2,485,000 1998 Capital Improvement Plan Series A Bonds, due in annual installments of \$240,000 to \$295,000 through February 1, 2008 - interest at 4.3992%	580,000
\$4,865,000 1998 Capital Improvement Plan Refunding Series B Bonds, due in annual installments of \$625,000 to \$830,000 through February 1, 2007 -interest at 4.3682%	625,000
\$5,485,000 1999 Capital Improvement Plan Series A Bonds, due in annual installments of \$145,000 to \$440,000 through February 1, 2019 - interest at 4.5494%	3,065,000
\$12,335,000 2000 Capital Improvement Plan Series 2000A, due in annual installments of \$450,000 to \$820,000 through February 1, 2020 – interest at 5.7653%	8,795,000
\$4,045,000 2000 Capital Improvement Plan Series 2000A, due in annual Lake Owasso installments of \$140,000 to \$340,000 through February 1, 2020 – interest at 5.7653%	3,445,000
\$11,210,000 2001 Capital Improvement Plan Series 2001A, due in annual installments of \$405,000 to \$740,000 through February 1, 2021 – interest at 4.7863%	8,400,000
\$31,160,000 2002 Capital Improvement Plan Series 2002A, due in annual installments of \$260,000 to \$5,655,000 through February 1, 2022 – interest at 4.9683%	30,055,000
\$3,550,000 Capital Improvement Plan Series 2002A, due in annual Ponds at Battle Creek installments of \$110,000 to \$260,000 through February 1, 2022 – interest at 4.9683%	3,050,000
\$30,885,000 2002 CIP Refunding Series 2002B, due in annual installments of \$1,325,000 to \$3,840,000 through February 1, 2015 – interest at 4.5544%	23,895,000
\$4,400,000 2002 State Aid Street Bonds Series 2002C, due in annual installments of \$85,000 to \$285,000 through February 1, 2028 – interest at 4.525%	4,080,000
\$27,015,000 2003 Capital Improvement Plan Series 2003A, due in annual installments of \$910,000 to \$1,905,000 through February 2023 – interest at 3.7818%	24,085,000
\$12,910,000 2004 Capital Improvement Plan Refunding Bonds 2004A due in annual installments of \$210,000 to \$1,280,000 through February 1, 2017 – interest at 2.5-4%	11,365,000
\$31,960,000 2004 General Obligation Bond Capital Improvement Plan Bonds 2004D due in annual installments of \$645,000 to \$2,790,000 through February 1, 2024 – interest at 3.5-5%	27,710,000

\$9,750,000 2004 General Obligation Bonds 2004E, due in annual installments of \$325,000 to \$705,000 through February 1, 2024 – interest at 3.25-4.6%	8,720,000
\$2,500,000 2005 General Obligation Bonds 2005A, due in annual installments of \$215,000 to \$295,000 through February 1, 2015 – interest at 3.25-4%	2,285,000
\$15,075,000 2005 General Obligation Capital Improvement Plan Refunding Bonds, Series 2005B due in annual installments of \$815,000 to \$1,615,000 through February 1, 2020 – interest at 3.5-5%	15,075,000
\$2,935,000 2005 General Obligation Capital Improvement Plan Refunding Bonds, Series 2005B, due in annual Lake Owasso installments of \$195,000 to \$310,000 through February 1, 2020 – interest at 4-5%	2,935,000
\$6,750,000 2006 General Obligation Bonds 2006A, due in annual installments of \$210,000 to \$495,000 through February 1, 2026 – interest at 3.85-4.30%	6,750,000
Total County General Obligation Debt	194,150,000
Notes Payable: \$6,872,000 2001 General Obligation Notes due in annual installments of \$150,000 to \$372,000 through August 30, 2030 – interest at 3.59%.	6,242,000
REVENUE BONDS: \$13,845,000 2003 Public Facility Lease Revenue Bonds, Series 2003A due in annual installments of \$470,000 to \$1,025,000 through December 1, 2023 – interest at 4.4375%	12,895,000
Total General Obligation Debt and Revenue Bond Debt	\$ <u>213,287,000</u>

Annual Requirement to Amortize Long-Term Debt

The annual requirements to amortize all long-term debt outstanding as of December 31, 2005, carrying interest rates of 3.5% to 5.77% are:

Years Ending	Governmer	ntal Activities	Business-T	ype Activities
December 31	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Principal</u>	Interest
2007	\$ 20,740,000	\$ 8,989,749	\$ 310,000	\$ 473,583
2008	19,105,000	8,003,623	3,420,000	369,094
2009	11,660,000	7,297,724	345,000	264,831
2010	11,595,000	6,804,977	355,000	250,831
2011	11,850,000	6,296,240	365,000	236,331
2012-2016	63,230,000	22,859,917	2,090,000	905,684
2017-2021	44,610,000	10,306,104	2,285,000	334,156
2022-2026	19,085,000	1,682,430	260,000	6,663
2027-2030	1,982,000	158,189	-	<u>-</u>
				_
Total	\$203,857,000	\$72,398,953	\$9,430,000	\$2,841,173

The County is subject to Minn. Stat., Sect. 475.53, Subd. 1, as amended January 31, 1990, which limits the amount of bonded debt (exclusive of revenue bonds) that the County may have outstanding to 2 percent of the market value of property within the County. At December 31, 2006, the statutory limit for the County was \$824,887,926 providing a debt margin of \$661,009,803.

There is \$36,393,877 available in the Debt Service Fund to service the General Obligation Bonds. There are a number of limitations and restrictions contained in the various bond indentures. The County is in compliance with all significant limitations and restrictions.

The County's proportionate share of debt at December 31, 2006 of all local governmental units which provide services within the County's boundaries, and which must be borne by properties in the County, is summarized below:

Direct Dalet	Outstanding	Percentage Applicable To the County	County's Share <u>Of Debt</u>
<u>Direct Debt</u> Ramsey County	\$ 213,287,000	100.00%	\$ 213,287,000
Overlapping Debt			
Cities	26,900,000	11.82%	3,180,550
School Districts	189,225,000	64.69%	122,413,626
Other	175,350,000	15.80%	27,705,300
Underlying Debt			
Cities and Towns	157,797,880	100.00%	157,797,880
School Districts	511,395,647	100.00%	511,395,647
Other	<u>14,397,011</u>	100.00%	14,397,011
TOTAL	\$ <u>1,288,352,538</u>		\$ <u>1,050,177,014</u>

RAP Lease Purchase Agreement and Certificates of Participation

In 1996, Ramsey County entered into a lease-purchase agreement with Norwest Bank Minnesota, National Association (Trustee), whereby the Trustee issued \$3,465,000 in Certificates of Participation (COPS) to finance the acquisition of land and a building located in St. Paul. Subsequently, Ramsey County sub-leased the facility to Ramsey Action Program (RAP) to be developed into a one-stop service center housing a variety of programs offered by RAP and other non-profit and public agencies dedicated to relieving poverty. The COPS represent proportionate interests in lease payments to be made under the lease-purchase agreement. The County is obligated through the lease-purchase agreement to make all lease payments and other obligations of the County under the lease. RAP is obligated under the sub-lease agreement to pay directly the Trustee, as agent and on behalf of the County, monthly lease payments in an amount equal to the annual expenses of the County due to the Trustee. RAP will own the land and the building at the conclusion of the agreement.

The original 1996 Series COPS issue was refunded in 2004, via the issue 2004B of \$1,855,000 Refunding Certificates of Participation (tax exempt), and issue 2004C of \$620,000 Refunding Certificates of Participation (taxable). The taxable portion of the issue was requested by RAP to allow for sub-leasing of the property to for-profit tenants. As of December 31, 2006, the outstanding balance of the 2004B Refunding COPS (tax exempt) is \$1,855,000 and the 2004C Refunding COPS (taxable) is \$465,000. The outstanding debt will be paid off on January 1, 2017 for the 2004B Refunding COPS and January 1, 2010 for the 2004C Refunding COPS. The terms of the refunding agreement transferred trustee rights to Wells Fargo Bank, National Association.

Bond Refundings

In 2005, the County issued \$18,010,000 General Obligation Capital Improvement Plan Refunding Bonds Series 2005B to refund the 1996A and 2000A series General obligation Capital Improvement Plan bonds. These are crossover refundings with the proceeds deposited with an escrow agent. The 1996A series will be called on February 1, 2007, and the series 2000A series will be called on

February 1, 2008, and be redeemed with proceeds of the escrow account. On February 1, 2008, the County will "crossover" and begin making payments on the 2005B General Obligation Capital Improvement Plan Refunding bonds.

J. Rental and Lease Income

Parking Lot:

The County leases land in the City of Little Canada to Taco John's of Minnesota, which is used as a part of their parking lot. The cost of the land carried on the County's books is \$28,500. The lease period runs through May 6, 2011, and requires the following payments:

2007	\$ 3,400
2008	3,503
2009	3,608
2010	3,716
2011	_1, <u>567</u>
Total	\$15.794

Woodview Detention Center:

The County has rented the Woodview Detention Center to the Volunteers of America to be used for office space. The cost of the Center carried on the County's books is \$499,009. Depreciation is \$9,458 per year with a net book value of \$169,179 at the end of 2006. The lease requires monthly payments of \$12,500 through December 31, 2008.

Roseville Library:

The County Library rents 1,800 square feet of space to Dunn Brothers Coffee in the Roseville Library. The cost of the Roseville Library carried on the County's books is \$4,585,450. Depreciation is \$91,709 per year with a net book value of \$3,036,831 at the end of 2006. The lease period runs through January 2008, and requires the following payments:

	Annual
	<u>Installments</u>
2007	\$65,000
2008	<u>5,416</u>
	\$70,416

K. Unreserved - Fund Balance

In the fund financial statements, Unreserved Fund Balances were designated to show the portion segregated from unreserved spendable resources as follows:

Designated for:	General <u>Fund</u>	Capital Projects <u>Fund</u>	Other Governmental <u>Funds</u>
Capital Expenditures	\$ 7.066.67	70 \$12,664,938	\$ 391,183
Subsequent Years' Budget/Expenditure	5,122,69		20,745,921
2008 Budget	67,1	14 -	-
Loan to Ponds	2,747,78	31 -	-
Affordable Housing	840,73	- 39	620,484
Road Projects	2,600,00	- 00	-
Other Post-Employment Benefits	18,976,65	- 50	219,264
Cash Flow	82,016,18	35 -	3,288,514
Asset Replacement			50,000
Solid Waste Management			5,372,904
Resource Recovery Project			14,424,327
Health Promotion/Health Improvement		-	127,965
Self Insurance	<u>5,912,29</u>		<u> </u>
Total Designated	125,350,13		
Undesignated	30,592,38	<u> </u>	5,427,871
Total Unreserved	\$155,942,52	<u> \$12,664,938</u>	<u>\$50,668,433</u>

L. Investment Earnings:

Generally accepted accounting principles require the County to record the difference between the market value and cost of investments. This difference is included as a gain or loss in investment earnings. In 2006, the investment earnings for the General Fund, including unrealized losses on investments, is as follows:

Interest on Investments	\$14,138,556
Unrealized Loss on Investments	(1,650,766)
	\$12,487,790

V. OTHER INFORMATION

A. 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; and natural disasters. The County currently reports all of its risk management activities in its General Fund except for Solid Waste risk management activities which are reported in the Solid Waste/Recycling Service Fee Special Revenue Fund and the Ramsey Nursing Home risk management activities which are reported in the Ramsey Nursing Home Enterprise Fund. Premiums are paid into the General Fund by the other funds and are available to pay claims, claim reserves, and administrative costs of the program.

Liabilities of the fund are reported when it is probable that a loss has occurred and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. Liabilities include an amount for claims that have been incurred but not reported (IBNRs). The result of the process to estimate the claims liability is not an exact amount as it depends on many complex factors, such as inflation, changes in legal doctrines, and damage awards. Accordingly, claims are reevaluated periodically to consider the effects of inflation, recent claim settlement trends (including frequency and amount of pay-outs), and other economic and social factors. The estimate of the claims liability also includes amounts for incremental claim adjustment expenses regardless of whether allocated to specific claims. Estimated recoveries, for example from salvage or subrogation, are another component of the claims liability estimate. Changes in the balances of claims liabilities during the past two years are as follows:

Unpaid claims, beginning of fiscal year Incurred claims (including IBNRs) Claim payments	Year Ended <u>12/31/06</u> \$5,999,739 2,182,934 <u>2,379,961</u>	Year Ended 12/31/05 \$4,474,500 3,421,647 1,896,408
Unpaid claims, end of fiscal year	<u>\$5,802,712</u>	\$5,999,739

The County carries commercial insurance for:

- 1) Ramsey Nursing Home (self-insured for workers compensation),
- 2) Lake Owasso Residence,
- 3) Law Enforcement Service, and
- 4) Job Training Partnership Act (Administration of program only)

The County also participates in the Workers Compensation Reinsurance Association (WCRA) as required by State law. Ramsey County is responsible for costs up to \$1,560,000 for any claim. The WCRA becomes responsible for the amount in excess of \$1,560,000. The limit changes each year. A premium is paid by the County to the association based on the County's total salary costs.

At December 31, 2006, Solid Waste/Recycling Service Fee Special Revenue Fund investments of \$1,000,000 were held for the purpose of funding the County's future claims liability. As a result, \$1,000,000 of Solid Waste/Recycling Service Fee Special Revenue Fund balance is designated for payment of future claims liabilities.

There were no significant reductions in insurance or increases in expenditures from the County's self-insurance accounts from the previous year or settlements in excess of insurance coverage or self-insurance balances for any of the past three fiscal years.

B. Subsequent Event

On May 8, 2007, the Ramsey County Board authorized the sale of the \$20,860,000 2007A General Obligation Capital Improvement Plan bonds. These bonds, with maturities of February 1, 2008 through 2027, are to be used to acquire and construct County capital improvement projects authorized in the County's 2006-2007 Capital Improvement Plan. The bids for this issue will be taken on June 4th with the County Board awarding the sale to the bidder with the lowest Total Interest Costs (TIC) on June 5th.

The County Board, on January 16, 2007, approved the sale of the Maplewood Library for \$3,300,000. A new Library in Maplewood is under construction.

The County Board, on June 5, 2007, also approved the sale of the site known as the Taco Johns Site for \$1,801,000.

C. Contingent Liabilities

GRANTS

The County receives significant financial assistance from numerous federal, state, and local governmental agencies in the form of grants and entitlements. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements. The financial assistance received may be subject to an audit pursuant to OMB Circular A-133 or audits by the grantor agency.

D. Joint Ventures

RESOURCE RECOVERY PROJECT

Ramsey and Washington Counties have jointly entered into a construction agreement and a service agreement with Xcel Energy to build and operate a resource recovery facility which would produce refuse derived fuel to be burned at Xcel's electric plants. The service agreement was amended in 1993 to transfer Xcel's duties to its subsidiary NRG Energy Inc. (NRG). In 2005, NRG became a publicly held company and was no longer a subsidiary of Xcel. The service agreement obligates the Counties to deliver 280,800 tons of solid waste per year to the project and pay NRG a service fee based on each ton of solid waste handled by the facility subject to a minimum fee based on 280,800 tons per year minimum and subject to certain other adjustments. NRG is obligated to accept, process, transport, and dispose of most of the Counties' waste for twenty years.

The joint powers agreement, as discussed in Note 1, established the apportionment between the two Counties of the administrative costs and service fee payments to NRG. The first year of operations began at 80% Ramsey County and 20% Washington County and was adjusted retroactively to 73% Ramsey County and 27% Washington County based on the actual proportion of waste delivered from each County to the facility, as determined by NRG. The joint powers agreement provides for an annual adjustment of these cost allocation percentages.

From 1990 through 1993, the Counties financed the entire Service Fee, plus Project Board administrative costs, from the tipping fee charged at the facility. During 1993 and 1994, several court decisions directed that counties could not prohibit solid waste from being delivered out of state. In order to ensure environmentally responsible management of solid waste in Ramsey and Washington Counties, both counties approved lowering the tipping fee at the Newport Resource Recovery Facility, from \$66.79 per ton to \$50 per ton, effective January 1, 1994. It became necessary to collect part of the revenue needed to operate the Newport Resource Recovery Facility from the generators of waste. Ramsey and Washington Counties continued the tipping fee at \$50 per ton until the tipping fee was lowered to \$38 per ton effective June 1, 1996. In August of 2005, the tipping fee was lowered to \$34 per ton.

The approved 2006 Project budget for the estimated shortfall in the Service Fee was \$18,512,492, financed by Ramsey and Washington Counties. The 2006 budget for the Service Fee assumed waste deliveries to the Resource Recovery Facility of 345,000 tons. During 2006, 329,004 tons of solid waste was delivered to the facility from Ramsey and Washington Counties. The facility also accepted 84,817 tons of out of County waste. 278,156 tons were processed into 224,436 tons of refuse derived fuel (RDF). Process residue and other waste landfilled totaled 65,547 tons. The facility operation resulted in a 76.0% reduction in solid waste being landfilled.

In June 2001, Ramsey and Washington Counties both approved a process to fully explore and consider development and implementation of a public collection system for solid waste. The process was to engage participation of residents, municipalities, solid waste haulers, businesses, and citizen groups as the counties consider development and implementation of a public solid waste collection system. The timeline for this process would allow for potential implementation of public collection in January 2003. During 2002, the Counties both decided not to implement public collection and instead decided to change the method for collecting the solid waste fee. Beginning in 2003, the fee is collected by waste haulers from the waste generators. This change removes the fee from the property tax statements and more closely ties the fee to the waste generator.

In October 2006, the Facility was sold by NRG to Resource Recovery Technology (RRT). The Counties approved the sale and have entered into a new processing agreement with RRT. The new agreement is effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2012. The terms of the agreement call for payments to RRT for each ton of Ramsey Washington MSW delivered to the facility up to a maximum of 350,000 tons. The payment to RRT starts at \$40 per ton delivered for 2007 and 2008. The fee is then reduced to \$33 per ton in 2009, \$20 per ton in 2010, \$15 per ton in 2011, and \$10 per

ton in 2012. The agreement also calls for a Hauler Rebate Program to be established by the Resource Recovery Project. The Rebate Program began January 1, 2007, and calls for a rebate to be paid to the haulers for each ton of Ramsey Washington MSW delivered to the facility. The amount of the rebate in 2007 is \$12 per ton delivered. The new agreement calls for RRT to contract with haulers and landfills so the project has terminated all contracts with those entities effective December 31, 2006.

The joint powers agreement also selected Ramsey County to be the administrative entity for the Project Board, effective January 1, 1987. Prior to January 1, 1987, Washington County administered project funding from proceeds of \$4,000,000 General Obligation Bonds of 1983. The bonds were issued pursuant to the joint powers agreement to finance preliminary costs for the planning and acquisition of the Resource Recovery Facility. Ramsey County has paid its share of the principal and interest on the bonds, which was set at two-thirds at the time of the bond issuance.

Summary financial information for this joint venture as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006 have been subjected to audit in the following table:

	Total	Ramsey County's
	<u>Project</u>	<u>Share</u>
Total Fund Assets	\$ 7,885,062	\$ 5,756,095
Total Fund Liabilities	1,944,295	1,419,335
Total Fund Balance	5,940,767	4,336,760
Total Revenues	13,253,903	9,675,349
Total Expenditures	13,318,393	9,722,427
Net (Decrease) in Fund Balance	\$ (64,490)	\$ (47,078)

VERIFICATION COLLABORATIVE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Ramsey County entered into a joint powers agreement pursuant to the provisions of Minnesota Statute Sect. 471.59, to oversee any entity under contract to provide vendor certification services to the members of the Inclusiveness in Contracting Collaborative and to handle appeals of vendor certification status and other certification-related matters that may arise from time to time. The committee is composed of one representative of each of the members. Ramsey County joined with Hennepin County, the City of Minneapolis, the City of St. Paul, and Independent School District 625. Currently, a fiscal agent is not needed.

E. Jointly Governed Organizations

Ramsey County, in conjunction with other local governments and various private organizations have formed the collaboratives listed below:

- North Suburban Collaborative: The collaborative was established to receive and expend grant funds on new prevention and early intervention children services. The Roseville School District is the fiscal agent. Ramsey County has no operational or financial control over the collaborative. Financial statements are available from the Roseville School District, 1251 West County Road B2, Roseville, MN 55113.
- Children's Mental Health Collaborative: The collaborative was established to receive and expend grant funds on new prevention and early intervention children's mental health issues. Ramsey County is the fiscal agent. Ramsey County has no operational or financial control over the collaborative. Currently, the collaborative is not required to be audited.
- Saint Paul-Ramsey County Children's Initiative Collaborative: The collaborative was established
 to receive and expend grant funds on new prevention and early intervention family services.
 Ramsey County is the fiscal agent. Ramsey County has no operational or financial control over

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the collaborative. Currently, the collaborative is not required to be audited. Therefore, no audited financial statements are available.

- Ramsey County LCTS Collaborative Partnership: The collaborative was established to receive
 and redistribute grant funds to other collaboratives. Ramsey County is the fiscal agent. Ramsey
 County has no operational or financial control over the collaborative. Currently, the collaborative
 is not required to be audited. Therefore, no audited financial statements are available.
- Inclusiveness Contracting Collaborative: The collaborative was established to create a centralized program for certification of businesses in the members' respective small businesses, minority-owned business, or women-owned business enterprise programs. An outside contractor, Impact Inc. is the fiscal agent. Ramsey County has no operational or financial control over the collaborative. Currently, the collaborative is not required to be audited. Therefore, no audited financial statements are available.

F. Defined Benefit Pension Plans - Statewide

Plan description:

All full-time and certain part-time employees of Ramsey County are covered by defined benefit pension plans administered by the Public Employees Retirement Association of Minnesota (PERA). The PERA administers the Public Employees Retirement Fund, the Public Employees Police and Fire Fund, and the Public Employees Correctional Fund, which are cost sharing, multiple-employer retirement plans. These plans are established and administered in accordance with Minn. Stat. chs. 353 and 356.

Public Employees Retirement Fund members belong to either the Coordinated Plan or the Basic Plan. Coordinated Plan members are covered by Social Security, and Basic Plan members are not. All new members must participate in the Coordinated Plan. All police officers, fire fighters, and peace officers, who qualify for membership by statute, are covered by the Public Employees Police and Fire Fund. Members who are employed in a County correctional institution and have direct contact with inmates, are covered by the Public Employees Correctional Fund.

The PERA provides retirement benefits as well as disability benefits to members and benefits to survivors upon death of eligible members. Benefits are established by state statute and vest after three years of credited service. The retirement benefits are based on a member's highest average salary for any five successive years of allowable service, age, and years of credit at termination of service.

Two methods are used to compute benefits for Coordinated and Basic Plan members. The retiring member receives the higher of a step-rate benefit accrual formula (Method 1) or a level accrual formula (Method 2). Under Method 1, the annuity accrual rate for a Basic Plan member is 2.2 percent of average salary for each of the first ten years of service and 2.7 percent for each thereafter. For a Coordinated Plan member, the annuity accrual rate is 1.2 percent of average salary for each of the first ten years and 1.7 percent for each successive year. Under Method 2, the annuity accrual rate is 2.7 percent of average salary for Basic Plan members and 1.7 percent for Coordinated Plan members for each year of service. For the Public Employees Police and Fire Fund members, the annuity accrual rate is 3.0 percent of average salary for each year of service. For Public Employees Correctional Fund members, the annuity accrual rate is 1.9 percent of average salary for each year of service.

For all Public Employees Retirement Fund members, whose annuity is calculated using Method 1, and for all Public Employees Police and Fire Fund and Public Employees Correctional Fund members, a full annuity is available when age plus years of service equal 90. A reduced retirement annuity is also available to eligible members seeking early retirement.

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The benefit provisions stated in the previous paragraphs of this section are current provisions and apply to active plan participants. Vested, terminated employees, who are entitled to benefits but are not yet receiving them, are bound by the provisions in effect at the time they last terminated public service.

The PERA issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the Public Employees Retirement Fund, the Public Employees Police and Fire Fund, and the Public Employees Correctional Fund. That report may be obtained on the web at mnpera.org; by writing to PERA at 60 Empire Drive, Suite 200, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55103-2088; or by calling (651) 296-7460 or 1-800-652-9026.

Funding policy:

Pension benefits are funded from member and employer contributions and income from the investment of fund assets. Minn. Stat. ch. 353 sets the rates for employer and employee contributions. These statutes are established and amended by the state legislature. The County makes annual contributions to the pension plans equal to the amount required by state statutes. Public Employees Retirement Fund Basic Plan members and Coordinated Plan members were required to contribute 9.10 and 5.50 percent, respectively, of their annual covered salary in 2006. Contribution rates in the Coordinated Plan increased in 2007 to 5.75 percent. Public Employees Police and Fire Fund members were required to contribute 7.00 percent of their annual covered salary. That rate increased to 7.80 percent in 2007. Public Employees Correctional Fund members are required to contribute 5.83 percent of their annual covered salary.

The County is required to contribute the following percentages of annual covered payroll in 2006 and 2007:

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
Public Employee Retirement Fund		
Basic Plan Members	11.78%	11.78%
Coordinated Plan Members	6.00%	6.25%
Public Employees Police and Fire Fund	10.50%	11.70%
Public Employees Correctional Fund	8.75%	8.75%

The County's contributions for the years ending December 31, 2006, 2005, and 2004, for the Public Employees Retirement Fund, the Public Employees Police and Fire Fund, and the Public Employees Correctional Fund, were:

	Public	Public	Public
	Employees	Employees	Employees
	Retirement	Police & Fire	Correctional
<u>Year</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fund</u>
2006	\$9,725,396	\$1,692,628	\$1,492,234
2005	8,878,364	1,453,899	1,394,596
2004	9,013,835	1,481,914	1,395,897

These contributions are equal to the contractually required contributions for each year as set by state statute.

Defined Contribution Plan

The Public Employees Defined Contribution Plan is a multiple-employer deferred compensation plan for local government officials, except elected County Sheriffs. The plan is established and administered in accordance with Minn. Stat. Ch 353D. The plan is a tax qualified plan under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and all contributions by or on behalf of employees are tax deferred until time of withdrawal.

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Plan benefits depend solely on amounts contributed to the plan plus investment earnings, less administrative expenses. Minn. Stat. Ch. 353D.03 specifies the employee and employer contribution rates for those qualified personnel who elect to participate. An eligible elected official, who decides to participate, contributes five percent of salary, which is matched by the employer.

No vesting period is required to receive benefits in the Defined Contribution Plan. At the time of retirement or termination, the market value of the member's account is distributed to the member or another qualified plan.

The County's contributions for the years ending December 31, 2006, 2005, and 2004, were \$12,533, \$11,325, and \$9,364, respectively, equal to the contractually required contributions for each year as set by state statute.

G. Post Employment Benefits

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 471.61, Subd. 2a., Ramsey County provides postemployment health care benefits to all full-time employees who meet County eligible requirements. At year-end, 1,046 regular retirees and 486 early retirees meet those eligibility requirements. The County pays the health insurance premiums for regular retirees and their spouses who sign up under one of two different health insurance carriers up to a prescribed maximum.

Early retirees and their spouses receive the same health insurance County contribution as full-time employees. The rates are based on the County's group health policy rates. Expenditures are recognized when the premiums are charged to the departmental budgets. The County also reimburses retirees who retired prior to July 1, 1990, for insurance payments made to the Medicare program. Medicare part "B" insurance payments are reimbursed to retirees on a quarterly basis.

The County's 2006 expenditures for post-employment benefits are:

Regular retirees	\$5,048,809
Early retirees	3,691,616
Medicare "B"	608,822
	\$9,349,247

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA GENERAL FUND

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	BUDGETER	AMOUNTS	ACTUAL AMOUNTS ON BUDGETARY	VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET OVER		
REVENUES	ORIGINAL	FINAL	BASIS	(UNDER)		
	\$ 186,941,467	\$ 177,923,607	\$ 178,759,012	\$ 835,405		
Property Taxes Licenses and Permits	686,483	686,483	619,459	(67,024)		
Intergovernmental	144,725,381	165,808,683	169,360,189	3,551,506		
Private Grants and Donations	144,723,361	313,559	139,492	(174,067)		
Charges for Services	42,245,796	43,023,300	40,660,735	(2,362,565)		
Fines and Forfeitures	13,000	7,200	7,200	(2,302,303)		
Sales	1,140,092	1,430,973	1,575,167	144,194		
Rental Income	1,287,584	1,300,928	1,343,237	42,309		
Investment Earnings	8,400,000	8,400,000	12,400,637	4,000,637		
Program Recoveries - Community	0,400,000	0,400,000	12,400,037	4,000,037		
Human Services	4,033,561	4,194,367	3,790,928	(403,439)		
Miscellaneous	780,761	738,109	1,646,355	908,246		
Total Revenues	390,254,250	403,827,209	410,302,411	6,475,202		
EXPENDITURES Current: General Government:						
County Board of Commissioners	1,473,646	1,502,281	1,485,580	(16,701)		
Charter Commission	8,500	8,595	592	(8,003)		
Courts	2,766,608	2,800,414	2,800,414	(0,003)		
County Manager	8,765,056	9,015,991	8,660,655	(355,336)		
Property Records and Revenue	11,929,354	13,315,303	12,779,926	(535,377)		
Attorney	28,778,973	29,356,430	29,273,685	(82,745)		
Property Management	4,843,226	4,827,017	4,720,247	(106,770)		
Veterans Service Officer	341,737	345,805	345,781	(24)		
Central Services	409,052	410,331	382,729	(27,602)		
Contingency	2,000,000	1,271,728	-	(1,271,728)		
Computer Equipment and Software	5,820,690	5,820,690	3,005,501	(2,815,189)		
Unallocated General Expenditures	16,457,689	13,227,141	5,571,532	(7,655,609)		
Total General Government	83,594,531	81,901,726	69,026,642	(12,875,084)		
Public Safety:						
Emergency Communications	3,441,783	3,441,704	3,350,590	(91,114)		
Sheriff	33,258,807	37,397,315	35,711,958	(1,685,357)		
Community Corrections	53,514,014	54,703,849	53,892,347	(811,502)		
Medical Examiner	1,707,693	1,769,000	1,768,999	(1)		
Total Public Safety	91,922,297	97,311,868	94,723,894	(2,587,974)		
Highways and Streets:						
Public Works	16,302,301	16,927,686	16,340,651	(587,035)		
Sanitation:			-			
Environmental Health	706,832	770,066	599,512	(170,554)		
Health:						
Public Health	18,945,766	19,720,892	16,681,824	(3,039,068)		
Miscellaneous Health	350,000	350,000	350,000			
Total Health	19,295,766	20,070,892	17,031,824	(3,039,068)		

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA GENERAL FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	BUDGETED	AMOUNTS	ACTUAL AMOUNTS ON BUDGETARY	VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET OVER
	ORIGINAL	FINAL	BASIS	(UNDER)
EXPENDITURES (continued)				
Human Services				
Income Maintenance	28,695,283	27,500,667	27,736,126	235,459
Social Services	142,198,254	149,850,215	148,809,148	(1,041,067)
Total Human Services	170,893,537	177,350,882	176,545,274	(805,608)
Culture and Recreation:				
Parks and Recreation	8,374,012	8,673,925	8,471,194	(202,731)
St Paul-Ramsey Historical Society	91,282	91,282	91,282	-
Landmark Center Management	910,706	910,706	899,452	(11,254)
Total Culture and Recreation	9,376,000	9,675,913	9,461,928	(213,985)
Conservation of Natural Resources:				
Extension Service	65,626	65,771	65,764	(7)
Ramsey Conservation District	392,908	392,908	309,868	(83,040)
Total Conservation of Natural Resources	458,534	458,679	375,632	(83,047)
Debt Service:				
Principal Retirement	2,221	12,181	12,179	(2)
Total Expenditures	392,552,019	404,479,893	384,117,536	(20,362,357)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues				
over (under) Expenditures	(2,297,769)	(652,684)	26,184,875	26,837,559
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Xcel Energy Loan Proceeds	-	76,940	76,940	-
Operating Transfers In	15,000	1,005,741	990,741	(15,000)
Operating Transfers Out		(1,675,068)	(1,675,068)	-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	15,000	(592,387)	(607,387)	(15,000)
Net Change in Fund Balances	(2,282,769)	(1,245,071)	25,577,488	26,822,559
Adjustment	(3,217,711)	(3,217,711)	(3,217,711)	-
Fund Balances - Beginning	153,344,699	153,344,699	153,344,699	-
Increase (Decrease) in Reserve for Inventories	-	-	275,651	275,651
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 147,844,219	\$ 148,881,917	\$ 175,980,127	\$ 27,098,210

The notes to the required supplementary information are an integral part of this schedule.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA Notes to the Required Supplementary Information December 31, 2006

Budgetary Information

The County Board adopts an annual budget for the General Fund.

The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances for Governmental Funds is prepared on a GAAP basis. Results of operations included in the Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances Budget and Actual – General Fund are presented on a Non-GAAP budgetary basis. The primary difference between the two bases of accounting is that the "actual on a budgetary basis" column includes encumbrances and does not include expenditures from prior year budget reserves.

Adjustments necessary to convert actual expenditures reported on the budgetary basis in the Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Budget and Actual to the GAAP basis as reported in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Governmental Funds are:

Actual Expenditures – Budgetary Basis	<u>General</u> \$384,117,536
Decrease: Encumbrances Increase:	(14,423,342)
Expenditures in 2006 from December 31, 2005 Expenditures – GAAP Basis	20,450,747 \$390,144,941
Unbudgeted Revenue Encumbrances Expenditures in 2006 from December 31, 2005 Reserves for Encumbrances Adjustment to Reconcile Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Change in Fund Balances – Budget and Actual to Statement of	\$ (2,809,694) (14,423,342)
Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances	<u>\$ 3,217,711</u>

Based on a process established by the County Manager and staff, all departments of the government submit requests for appropriations to the County Manager every two years. After review, analysis and discussions with the departments, the County Manager's proposed budget is presented to the County Board for review. The Board holds public hearings and a final budget must be prepared and adopted no later than December 31.

The appropriated budget is prepared by fund, function, and department. Budgets may be amended during the year with the approval of the County Manager or County Board as required by the County's Administrative Code. The County Manager is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts within departments or appropriate certain revenues received in excess of the original budget estimate. Transfers of appropriations between departments and other transfers of appropriations require County Board approval. Supplemental appropriations are reviewed by the County Manager's office and submitted to the County Board for their approval. If approved, the adjustments are implemented by the Budgeting and Accounting Office by budget revision. Supplemental appropriations required during the year were immaterial. Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the department level. All appropriations, which are not expended, encumbered, or reserved, lapse at year end.

Encumbrance accounting is employed in governmental funds. Encumbrances (e.g., purchase orders, contracts, capital reserves, and other commitments for the expenditure of monies) outstanding at year end are reported as reservations of fund balances and do not constitute expenditures or liabilities because the commitments will be reappropriated and honored during the subsequent year.

MAJOR FUND BUDGET AND ACTUAL SCHEDULE

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA DEBT SERVICE FUND

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGETARY COMPARISONS (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	BUDGETED	AMOUNTS	ACTUAL AMOUNTS ON BUDGETARY	VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET OVER
	ORIGINAL	FINAL	BASIS	(UNDER)
REVENUES				
Property taxes	\$ 16,129,617	\$ 16,129,617	\$ 16,695,047	\$ 565,430
Intergovernmental	1,799,727	1,979,977	1,038,495	(941,482)
Investment Earnings	1,617,204	2,203,311	1,615,761	(587,550)
Total revenues	19,546,548	20,312,905	19,349,303	(963,602)
EXPENDITURES				
Debt service:				
Principal retirement	12,493,000	12,493,000	12,520,000	27,000
Interest	9,087,276	9,853,633	9,485,358	(368,275)
Total expenditures	21,580,276	22,346,633	22,005,358	(341,275)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues				
over (under) Expenditures	(2,033,728)	(2,033,728)	(2,656,055)	(622,327)
Adjustment	2,645,554	2,645,554	2,645,554	-
Fund balances - beginning	55,046,378	55,046,378	55,046,378	-
Fund balances - ending	\$ 55,658,204	\$ 55,658,204	\$ 55,035,877	\$ (622,327)

COMBINING STATEMENTS

NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

To account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than expendable trusts or major capital projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

County Library - To provide a public library system where governmental units do not maintain their own. The tax levy is on suburban property only.

Solid Waste/Recycling Service Fee - To account for collection of the Waste Management Fee, which is a separate fee on the tax statement. These funds are used to pay for solid waste management programs throughout the County. A portion of the funds are remitted to the Resource Recovery Project Board for Ramsey County's share of vendor service fees for operation of a resource recovery facility. The Project Board is a joint venture with Washington County.

Housing & Redevelopment Authority - To account for funds provided by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for development projects in suburban communities benefiting persons of low and moderate income. This fund was formerly known as the Community Development Block Grants Special Revenue Fund.

Workforce Solutions - Originally enacted in 1973 under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) and revised in 1982 by the Federal Government to provide job training and employment opportunities for economically disadvantaged, unemployed, and underemployed persons. In addition, the fund also accounts for state dislocated worker programs and the Minnesota Youth Program. Workforce Solutions also performs services under the MFIP program to assist welfare recipients to prepare for and obtain employment.

State Funding for Courts - To account for funds provided by the State to finance the eventual takeover of the Courts system.

State Public Defender - To account for funds provided by the State to finance the operations of the Public Defender Office under the State takeover of the Courts system.

Saint Paul Public Health JPA – A portion of the Saint Paul Public Health Department was merged into the Ramsey County Public Health Department on July 1, 1997 by a joint powers agreement between Ramsey County and Saint Paul. This fund accounts for some of the activities previously performed by the former Saint Paul Public Health Department.

Gifts and Donations – To account for gifts and donations made for various purposes such as books for the libraries, activities and personal hygiene items for nursing home patients, provision of Home Delivered Meals, etc.

NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS (Continued)

Regional Railroad Authority - To provide for the preservation of a railway corridor for future public transit use and to provide for the preservation and improvement of local rail service.

Sheriff – To account for revenues and expenditures dedicated for specific activities and projects of the Sheriff's Department.

Corrections – To account for revenues from various sources to benefit Community Corrections clients.

Property Records - To account for certain fees which are to be used for providing modern, retrievable information from the county's system of recorded documents and clean up of polluted property.

County Attorney - To account for revenues and expenditures dedicated for specific activities or projects of the County Attorney's Office.

Health Promotion/Health Improvement – To account for funds provided by the County's health insurer for work-site health promotion purposes.

Parks & Recreation – To account for funds provided by grants and donations to develop an inter-city skating program and replace/repair buildings and other improvements in the County's Regional Park & Trail System.

Nursing Home Patients' Activity – To account for revenues from donations, canteen and vending machines, and expenditures for patients' activities and recreational supplies.

Forfeited Tax Sale – To account for all funds collected per State Statute for sale of real estate forfeited for unpaid taxes.

Law Library – To account for revenues and expenditures of the Law Library. Revenue is derived from fees collected from certain litigants and expenditures are primarily law books and operational costs to run the Library.

Regional Railroad Authority Debt Service Fund – To account for revenue dedicated to pay for principal and interest on future long-term debt for the Regional Rail Authority.

Regional Railroad Authority Capital Projects Fund – To account for revenues and expenditures of major capital projects in the Regional Railroad Authority.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

	County Library Special Revenue Fund	Solid Waste/ Recycling Service Fee Special Revenue Fund	Housing and Redevelopment Authority Special Revenue Fund	Workforce Solutions Special Revenue Fund	State Funding For Courts Special Revenue Fund	Funding Public Public Gifts and Railroad or Courts Defender Health JPA Donations Authorit Special Special Special Specia		Regional Railroad Authority Special Revenue Fund	Railroad Authority Sheriff Special Special	
ASSETS										
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 4,540,810	\$ 21,012,571	\$ 773,724	,,	\$ 10	\$ 1,863,789	\$ 3,720,502	\$ 385,619	\$ 13,695,255	\$ 386,147
Petty Cash and Change Funds Receivables (Net):	1,450	50	-	350	-	100	640	-	100	-
Taxes	112,961	12,938	-	-	-	-	-	-	181,905	-
Accounts	7,936	1,476,480	59,512	-	-	-	210,834	-	8,828	-
Accrued Interest	-	-	77,589	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Due from Other Funds	-	-	-	-	-	_	1,386	-	_	-
Due from Other Governments	-	1,209	49,543	4,140,483	431,289	-	539,778	-	16,757	-
Loans Receivable	-	· -	5,979,781	-	· -	_	-	-	-	-
Inventories	5,187	-	-	159	-	_	49,681	-	-	-
Advance to other Governments	-	7,000	-	-	-	_	-	-	_	-
Total Assets	4,668,344	22,510,248	6,940,149	5,337,892	431,299	1,863,889	4,522,821	385,619	13,902,845	386,147
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES Liabilities:										
Salaries Payable	191,472	55,576	5,275	214,568	220,299	134,954	84,452	-	-	-
Accounts Payable	110,540	147,202	78	230,263	-	522	114,337	10,179	18,901	89,977
Contracts Payable	-	-	60,086	-	-	-	79,470	-	124,947	-
Due to Other Funds	6,512	127,094	4,513	78,762	-	-	70	-	73,580	-
Due to Other Governments	6,575	1,602,032	208,950	72,036	-	-	257,402	-	670	2,540
Deferred Revenue	263,734	13,011	5,977,353	246,405	-	1,728,413	5,735	-	196,937	-
Advance from Other Funds			_	4,500,000	211,000					
Total Liabilities	578,833	1,944,915	6,256,255	5,342,034	431,299	1,863,889	541,466	10,179	415,035	92,517
Fund Balances:										
Reserved for:										
Encumbrances	-	768,052	-	-	-	-	223,975	-	1,046,123	-
Inventories	5,187	-	-	159	-	-	49,681	-	-	-
Petty Cash	1,450	50	-	350	-	-	640	-	100	-
Debt Service	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unreserved	4,082,874	19,797,231	683,894	(4,651)			3,707,059	375,440	12,441,587	293,630
Total Fund Balances	4,089,511	20,565,333	683,894	(4,142)			3,981,355	375,440	13,487,810	293,630
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 4,668,344	\$ 22,510,248	\$ 6,940,149	\$ 5,337,892	\$ 431,299	\$ 1,863,889	\$ 4,522,821	\$ 385,619	\$ 13,902,845	\$ 386,147

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Correction Special Revenue	Records Special	County Attorney Special	Health Promotion Health Improvement Special	Parks and Recreation Special Revenue	Nursing Home Patients' Activity Special	Forfeited Tax Sale Special Revenue	Tax Sale Library Special Special		Regional Railroad Authority Capital	Noni Goverr Fu	otal major nmental nds
	Fund	Revenue Fun	d Revenue Fund	Revenue Fund	Fund	Revenue Fund	Fund	<u> Funa</u>	Service Fund	Projects Fund	2006	2005
ASSETS												
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 554,76	7 \$ 3,475,452	\$ 401,732	\$ 127,965	\$ 444,882	\$ 14,992	\$ 101,721	\$ 837,995	\$ 4,560,645	\$ 3,430,866	\$ 61,526,344	\$ 52,202,069
Petty Cash and Change Funds	20	0 -	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	2,910	2,710
Receivables (Net):												
Taxes			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	307,804	177,206
Accounts			_	-	-	-	431,171	161	-	-	2,194,922	889,945
Accrued Interest		- 4,896	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	_	82,485	72,938
Due from Other Funds			_	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	1,386	7,148
Due from Other Governments			_	-	-	-	-	41,772	-	-	5,220,831	5,359,630
Installment Loans Receivable		- 535,000	_	_	_	_	-	-	_	_	6,514,781	5,227,509
Inventories			_	_	_	_	820	_	_	_	55,847	44,860
Advance to other Governments			_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,000	7,000
Total Assets	554,96	7 4,015,348	401,732	127,965	444,882	14,992	533,712	879,948	4,560,645	3,430,866	75,914,310	63,991,015
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LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES												
Liabilities:												
Salaries Payable			_	-	-	-	11,392	9,789	-	-	927,777	954,982
Accounts Payable	17,71) -	-	-	6,880	788	738	11,293	-	-	759,408	6,379,995
Contracts Payable			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	264,503	857,396
Due to Other Funds		- 55,500	-	-	-	-	15,403	3,602	-	-	365,036	288,595
Due to Other Governments	1,75		-	-	-	-	10,987	-	-	-	2,162,942	756,686
Deferred Revenue		- 535,000	-	-	-	-	431,171	-	-	-	9,397,759	8,233,531
Advance from Other Funds		<u> </u>								· 	4,711,000	4,605,000
Total Liabilities	19,46	590,500			6,880	788	469,691	24,684			18,588,425	22,076,185
Fund balances:												
Reserved for:												
Encumbrances			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,038,150	1,830,178
Inventories			-	-	-	-	820	-	-	-	55,847	44,860
Petty Cash	20	0 -	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	2,810	2,610
Debt Service		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,560,645	-	4,560,645	-
Unreserved	535,30			127,965	438,002	14,204	63,201	855,244	-	3,430,866	50,668,433	40,037,182
Total Fund Balances	535,50		401,732	127,965	438,002	14,204	64,021	855,264	4,560,645	3,430,866	57,325,885	41,914,830
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 554,96	7 \$ 4,015,348	\$ 401,732	\$ 127,965	\$ 444,882	\$ 14,992	\$ 533,712	\$ 879,948	\$ 4,560,645	\$ 3,430,866	\$ 75,914,310	\$ 63,991,015

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	County Library Special Revenue Fund	Solid Waste/ Recycling Service Fee Special Revenue Fund	Housing and Redevelopment Authority Special Revenue Fund	Workforce Solutions Special Revenue Fund	State Funding For Courts Special Revenue Fund	State Public Defender Special Revenue Fund	St. Paul Public Health JPA Special Revenue Fund	Gifts and Donations Special Revenue Fund	Regional Railroad Authority Special Revenue Fund	Sheriff Special Revenue Fund
REVENUES										
Taxes	\$ 6,810,442		\$ -	\$ 584,420	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,846,547	\$ -	\$ 2,509,105	\$ -
Licenses and Permits	-	647,236	-	-	-	-	60,585	-	-	67,600
Intergovernmental	736,642	1,345,378	1,821,355	19,910,214	6,730,879	3,846,032	4,168,648	-	849,168	-
Private Grants and Donations	4 000	47 400 050		-	-	-	4,662	170,165	-	92,372
Charges for Services Fines and Forfeitures	1,000 540,875	17,429,950	92,350	-	-	-	1,613,110	-	-	145,419 122,519
Sales	51,960	8,480	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	431,136
Rental Income	268,759		-	_	_	_	-	-	37.713	
Investment Earnings	155,439	986,679	158,675	-	_	_	18,031	9,862	633,216	1,223
Miscellaneous	27,404	98,798	430,712	-	74	-	210,668	-	2,039	7,711
Total Revenues	8,592,521	20,516,521	2,503,092	20,494,634	6,730,953	3,846,032	8,922,251	180,027	4,031,241	867,980
EXPENDITURES Current: General Government Public Safety	-	-	- -	- -	6,730,953 -	3,846,032	- -	3,304 8,063	1,998,990 -	- 866,523
Sanitation	-	16,385,988	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,846,593	10,834	-	-
Human Services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	152,658	-	-
Culture and Recreation	8,148,859	-	0.407.050	-	-	-	-	76,693	-	-
Economic Development and Assistance	0.440.050	10.005.000	2,427,656	20,488,246	0.700.050	- 0.040.000	- 0.040.500	- 054.550	4 000 000	- 000 500
Total Expenditures	8,148,859	16,385,988	2,427,656	20,488,246	6,730,953	3,846,032	8,846,593	251,552	1,998,990	866,523
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues	443,662	4,130,533	75,436	6,388			75,658	(71,525)	2,032,251	1,457
Over (Under) Expenditures OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers In	81,232	-	-	-	-	-	47,146	-	-	-
Transfers Out									(425,984)	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	81,232						47,146		(425,984)	
Net Change in Fund Balances	524,894	4,130,533	75,436	6,388	-	-	122,804	(71,525)	1,606,267	1,457
Fund Balances - Beginning	3,563,079	16,434,800	608,458	(10,689)	-	-	3,848,788	446,965	11,881,543	292,173
Prior Period Adjustment										
Fund Balances - Beginning as Restated Increase (Decrease) in Reserve	3,563,079	16,434,800	608,458	(10,689)	-	-	3,848,788	446,965	11,881,543	292,173
for Inventories	1,538			159	_		9,763			
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 4,089,511	\$ 20,565,333	\$ 683,894	\$ (4,142)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,981,355	\$ 375,440	\$ 13,487,810	\$ 293,630

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Corrections Special Revenue	Property Records Special	County Attorney Special	Health Promotion Health Improvement Special	Parks and Recreation Special Revenue	Nursing Home Patients' Activity Special	Forfeited Tax Sale Special Revenue	Law Library Special Revenue	Regional Railroad Authority Debt	Regional Railroad Authority Capital	To Nonn Govern Fur	najor mental
	Fund	Revenue Fund	Revenue Fund	Revenue Fund	Fund	Revenue Fund	Fund	Fund	Service Fund	Projects Fund	2006	2005
REVENUES												
Taxes	\$ -	\$ 903,550	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,560,645	\$ 3,005,882	\$ 21,220,591	\$ 14,715,979
Licenses and Permits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	775,421	154,907
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-	353,753	-	912	836	-	-	39,763,817	40,252,342
Private Grants and Donations	1,105	-	-	-	15,020	-	-	-	-	-	283,324	384,607
Charges for Services	245,665	1,285,028	-	-	-	-	15,780	554,471	-	-	21,382,773	18,340,867
Fines and Forfeitures	-	-	75,377	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	738,771	744,722
Sales	266,791	-	-	-	-	-	515,263	-	-	-	1,273,630	1,365,766
Rental Income	-	-	-	-	-	-	900	-	-	-	307,372	37,378
Investment Earnings	1,123	4,896	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,969,144	1,293,394
Miscellaneous	16,993		30,600	35,092	330	7,961	12,182				880,564	1,002,194
Total Revenues	531,677	2,193,474	105,977	35,092	369,103	7,961	545,037	555,307	4,560,645	3,005,882	88,595,407	78,292,156
EXPENDITURES												
Current:												
General Government	_	1,670,842	22,778	_	_	_	587,158	558,277	_	_	15,418,334	20,640,188
Public Safety	359,322		,	_	_	_	-	-	_	_	1,233,908	1,114,106
Sanitation	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	16,385,988	16,645,305
Health	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	8,857,427	9,608,890
Human Services	_	_	_	_	_	16,347	_	_	_	_	169,005	100,326
Culture and Recreation	_	_	_	_	476,600	10,047	_	_	_	_	8,702,152	8,552,186
Economic Development and Assistance	_	_	_	_	470,000	_	_	_	_	_	22,915,902	22,494,910
•	359,322	1,670,842	22,778		476,600	16,347	587,158	558,277			73,682,716	79,155,911
Total Expenditures	359,322	1,070,042	22,110	<u>-</u>	470,000	10,347	367,136	556,277			73,002,710	79,100,911
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues	172,355	522,632	83,199	35,092	(107,497)	(8,386)	(42,121)	(2,970)	4,560,645	3,005,882	14,912,691	(863,755)
Over (Under) Expenditures OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)												
Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85,000
Transfers In	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	424,984	553,362	7,631
Transfers Out											(425,984)	(110,000)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)										424,984	127,378	(17,369)
Net Change in Fund Balances	172,355	522,632	83,199	35,092	(107,497)	(8,386)	(42,121)	(2,970)	4,560,645	3,430,866	15,040,069	(881,124)
Fund Balances - Beginning	363,152	2,902,216	318,533	92,873	185,499	22,590	106,615	858,234	-	_	41,914,829	42,801,844
Prior Period Adjustment	-	-	-	-	360,000	-	-	-	-	_	360,000	-
Fund Balances - Beginning as Restated Increase (Decrease) in Reserve	363,152	2,902,216	318,533	92,873	545,499	22,590	106,615	858,234	-	-	42,274,829	42,801,844
for Inventories							(473)				10,987	(5,890)
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 535,507	\$ 3,424,848	\$ 401,732	\$ 127,965	\$ 438,002	\$ 14,204	\$ 64,021	\$ 855,264	\$ 4,560,645	\$ 3,430,866	\$ 57,325,885	\$ 41,914,830

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COUNTY LIBRARY FUND SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGETARY COMPARISONS (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

		BUDGETE) AM	OUNTS	ΑM	ACTUAL OUNTS ON IDGETARY	1	RIANCE WITH IAL BUDGET OVER
	ORIGINAL			FINAL		BASIS		(UNDER)
REVENUES								
Taxes	\$	7,044,849	\$	6,743,919	\$	6,810,442	\$	66,523
Intergovernmental		310,298		727,349		736,642		9,293
Charges for Services		1,350		1,350		1,000		(350)
Fines and Forfeitures		520,000		520,000		540,875		20,875
Sales		55,000		55,000		51,960		(3,040)
Rental Income		157,000		157,000		268,759		111,759
Investment Earnings		75,000		155,000		155,439		439
Miscellaneous		-		24,370		27,404		3,034
Total Revenues		8,163,497		8,383,988		8,592,521		208,533
EXPENDITURES Current:								
Culture and Recreation		8,163,497		8,465,220		8,314,588		(150,632)
Total Expenditures		8,163,497		8,465,220		8,314,588		(150,632)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues								
over (under) expenditures				(81,232)		277,933		359,165
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES	S)							
Transfers In						81,232		81,232
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		-		-		81,232		81,232
Net Change in Fund Balances		-		(81,232)		359,165		440,397
Adjustment		165,729		165,729		165,729		-
Fund Balances - Beginning Increase (Decrease) in Reserve		3,563,079		3,563,079		3,563,079		-
for Inventories		_		_		1,538		1,538
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	3,728,808	\$	3,647,576	\$	4,089,511	\$	441,935

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING SERVICE FEE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGETARY COMPARISONS (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	BUDGETED) AM	OUNTS	 TUAL ON A	VARIANCE VITH FINAL BUDGET OVER
	RIGINAL		FINAL	 BASIS	(UNDER)
REVENUES					
Licenses and Permits	\$ 709,000	\$	709,000	\$ 647,236	\$ (61,764)
Intergovernmental	1,333,648		1,341,660	1,345,378	3,718
Charges for Services	15,897,376		15,897,376	17,429,950	1,532,574
Sales	7,680		7,680	8,480	800
Investment Income	-		-	986,679	986,679
Miscellaneous	88,365		88,365	98,798	10,433
Total Revenues	 18,036,069		18,044,081	20,516,521	2,472,440
EXPENDITURES Current:					
Sanitation	21,007,584		21,222,096	16,664,867	(4,557,229)
Total Expenditures	21,007,584		21,222,096	16,664,867	(4,557,229)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues					
over (under) expenditures	 (2,971,515)		(3,178,015)	 3,851,654	7,029,669
Adjustment	278,879		278,879	278,879	-
Fund Balance-Beginning	 16,434,800		16,434,800	 16,434,800	-
Fund Balance-Ending	\$ 13,742,164	\$	13,535,664	\$ 20,565,333	7,029,669

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA SAINT PAUL PUBLIC HEALTH JPA SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGETARY COMPARISONS (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

		BUDGETED	AMO			TUAL ON A	VARIANCE FINAL BUI OVER	OGET
	OF	RIGINAL		FINAL		BASIS	(UNDEI	R)
REVENUES								
Taxes	\$	2,846,547	\$	2,846,547	\$	2,846,547	\$	-
Licenses and Permits		59,000		59,000		60,585		1,585
Intergovernmental		4,074,480		5,078,766		4,168,648	(9	10,118)
Private Grants & Donations		-		-		4,662		4,662
Charges for Services		1,613,233		1,613,233		1,613,110		(123)
Investment Earnings		-		16,660		18,031		1,371
Miscellaneous		-		-		210,668	2	10,668
Total Revenues		8,593,260		9,614,206		8,922,251	(6	91,955)
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Health		8,593,260		9,661,352		6,559,389	(3,1	01,963)
Total Expenditures		8,593,260		9,661,352		6,559,389	(3,1	01,963)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues								
over (under) expenditures	-			(47,146)		2,362,862	2,4	10,008
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Operating Transfers In				47,146		47,146		-
Net Change in Fund Balance		-		-		2,410,008	2,4	10,008
Adjustment		(2,287,204)		(2,287,204)		(2,287,204)		-
Fund Balance - Beginning		3,848,788		3,848,788		3,848,788		-
Increase (Decrease) in Reserve						0.700		0.700
for Inventories	•	1 561 504	•	1 561 504	•	9,763 3,981,355	6 24	9,763 19,771
Fund Balance - Ending	Ф	1,561,584	\$	1,561,584	\$	3,981,335	\$ 2,4	19,771

1,760,693

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA REGIONAL RAILROAD AUTHORITY SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGETARY COMPARISONS (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

VARIANCE WITH ACTUAL ON A FINAL BUDGET BUDGETED AMOUNTS BUDGETARY OVER ORIGINAL FINAL BASIS (UNDER) **REVENUES** 3,098,464 3,098,464 2,509,105 (589, 359)Taxes Intergovernmental 849,168 849,168 100,000 100,000 633,216 533,216 **Investment Earnings** Rental Income 37,713 (21,687)59,400 59,400 2,039 Miscellaneous 2,039 **Total Revenues** 3,257,864 3,257,864 4,031,241 773,377 **EXPENDITURES** Current: **General Government** 3,257,864 3,256,864 1,843,564 (1,413,300)**Total Expenditures** 3.257.864 3.256.864 1,843,564 (1,413,300)Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures 1,000 2,187,677 2,186,677 Other Financing Sources (Uses): Transfers Out (425,984)(425,984)Net Change in Fund Balance 1,000 1,761,693 1,760,693 Adjustment (155,426)(155,426)(155,426)Fund Balance - Beginning 11,881,543 11,881,543 11,881,543

\$ 11,726,117

Fund Balance - Ending

\$ 11,727,117

\$

13,487,810

\$

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA FORFEITED TAX SALE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGETARY COMPARISONS (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	BUDGETED	AMOUNTS	ACTUAL AMOUNTS ON BUDGETARY	VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET OVER
	ORIGINAL	FINAL	BASIS	(UNDER)
REVENUES				,
Intergovernmental	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 912	\$ 912
Charges for Services	27,840	27,840	15,780	(12,060)
Sales	600,000	600,000	515,263	(84,737)
Rental Income	-	-	900	900
Miscellaneous			12,182	12,182
Total Revenues	627,840	627,840	545,037	(82,803)
EXPENDITURES Current: General Government	627,840	627,840	528,126	(99,714)
Total Expenditures	627,840	627,840	528,126	(99,714)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures			16,911	16,911
Adjustment	(59,032)	(59,032)	(59,032)	-
Fund Balance - Beginning Increase (Decrease) in Reserve	106,615	106,615	106,615	-
for Inventories			(473)	(473)
Fund Balance - Ending	\$ 47,583	\$ 47,583	\$ 64,021	\$ 16,438

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA REGIONAL RAILROAD AUTHORITY DEBT SERVICE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGETARY COMPARISONS (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

			ACTUAL ON A	VARIANCE WITH FINAL BUDGET
	BUDGETED	AMOUNTS	BUDGETARY	OVER
	ORIGINAL	FINAL	BASIS	(UNDER)
REVENUES	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Taxes	\$ 4,343,471	\$ 4,343,471	\$ 4,560,645	\$ 217,174
Total Revenues	4,343,471	4,343,471	4,560,645	217,174
EXPENDITURES				
Current:				
General Government	4,343,471	4,343,471	<u> </u>	(4,343,471)
Total Expenditures	4,343,471	4,343,471	-	(4,343,471)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over (under) expenditures			4,560,645	4,560,645
Fund Balance - Beginning			<u> </u>	-
Fund Balance - Ending	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,560,645	4,560,645

NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS

To account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises -- where the intent is that the costs (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

Ramsey Nursing Home – To provide health care services for the physically and mentally handicapped.

Law Enforcement Services – To provide law enforcement services to certain communities in Ramsey County beyond the services normally provided or available to all communities within the County.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Ramsey	Law Enforcement	Tot Nonm Enter _l Fun	najor orise ds
	Nursing Home	Services	2006	2005
ASSETS				
Current Assets:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 774,553	\$ 229,701	\$ 1,004,254	\$ 1,747,977
Petty Cash and Change Funds	14,000	-	14,000	14,000
Cooperative Investment	30,913	_	30,913	84,255
Accounts Receivable (Net)	382,788	-	382,788	314,035
Cooperative Investment Receivable	17,244	-	17,244	, <u>-</u>
Due from Other Governments	662,164	378,912	1,041,076	681,503
Prepaid Expenses	-	-	-	42,225
Inventories	27,847	-	27,847	31,721
Total Current Assets	1,909,509	608,613	2,518,122	2,915,716
Noncurrent Assets:				
Deferred charges	-	-	-	12,825
Capital Assets:				·
Land	99,200	-	99,200	99,200
Improvements Other Than Buildings	423,964	-	423,964	3,005,855
Building	4,517,652	-	4,517,652	5,451,158
Building Improvements	1,543,729	-	1,543,729	1,350,099
Equipment	906,296	695,876	1,602,172	1,953,905
Construction in Progress	26,000	-	26,000	116,309
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(5,036,986)	(431,859)	(5,468,845)	(5,794,378)
Total Capital Assets (Net of				
Accumulated Depreciation)	2,479,855	264,017	2,743,872	6,182,148
Total Noncurrent Assets	2,479,855	264,017	2,743,872	6,194,973
Total Assets	4,389,364	872,630	5,261,994	9,110,689
LIABILITIES				
Current Liabilities:				
Salaries Payable	364,780	147,670	512,450	478,607
Accounts Payable	226,599	6,294	232,893	274,963
Interest Payable	-	-	-	60,711
Unamortized Bond Discount/Premium	-	-	-	4,265
Due to Other Funds	8,646	46,118	54,764	271,982
Due to Other Governments	5,928	289,651	295,579	392,340
General Obligation Bonds Payable-Current	-	-		135,000
Vacation and Compensatory Time Payable	400,472	304,781	705,253	665,449
Total Current Liabilities	1,006,425	794,514	1,800,939	2,283,317
Noncurrent Liabilities:				0.050.000
General Obligation Bonds Payable	-	-	-	3,050,000
Advance from Other Funds	420.040	50,000	50,000	997,400
Compensated Absences Payable Total Noncurrent Liabilities	439,649 439,649	50,000	439,649 489,649	469,562
				4,516,962
Total Liabilities	1,446,074	844,514	2,290,588	6,800,279
NET ASSETS	0.470.055	004.047	0.740.070	2 222 242
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	2,479,855	264,017	2,743,872	3,039,046
Restricted for Capital Projects Unrestricted	460 405	(225 004)	227 524	46,163
	463,435 \$ 2,043,300	(235,901)	227,534	(774,799)
Total Net Assets	\$ 2,943,290	\$ 28,116	\$ 2,971,406	\$ 2,310,410

Total

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

		Ramsey	En	Law forcement		Nonn Enter Fun	prise	
	Nu	rsing Home		Services		2006		2005
OPERATING REVENUES:								
Charges for Services	\$	11,917,486	\$	4,804,138	\$	16,721,624	\$	16,253,341
Sales		-		763		763		1,510
Rental Income		-		-		-		52,408
Miscellaneous		32,475				32,475		60,175
Total Operating Revenues		11,949,961		4,804,901		16,754,862		16,367,434
OPERATING EXPENSES:								
Personal Services		9,397,008		3,897,565		13,294,573		12,869,883
Other Services and Charges		2,032,935		824,636		2,857,571		3,361,771
Supplies		769,218		202,685		971,903		880,200
Depreciation		233,837		126,965		360,802		480,921
Total Operating Expenses		12,432,998		5,051,851		17,484,849		17,592,775
Operating Income (Loss)		(483,037)		(246,950)		(729,987)		(1,225,341)
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):								
Intergovernmental Revenue		33,778		258,997		292,775		294,202
Investment Earnings (Loss)		28,701		-		28,701		101,533
Amortization of Bond Issuance Costs		-		-		-		(539)
Interest Expense		-		-		-		(146,031)
Gain (Loss) on Disposal of Capital Assets		(23,188)		-		(23,188)		25,905
Gain on Sale of Capital Assets				6,207		6,207		18,170
Miscellaneous Revenue		1,575				1,575		4,725
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)		40,866		265,204		306,070		297,965
Income Before Contributions and Transfers		(442,171)		18,254		(423,917)		(927,376)
Capital Contributions		68,018		-		68,018		328,644
Transfers In		370,391				370,391		359,391
Change in Net Assets		(3,762)		18,254	-	14,492		(239,341)
Total Net Assets - Beginning		2,947,052		9,862		2,956,914		2,549,751
Total Net Assets - Ending	\$	2,943,290	\$	28,116	\$	2,971,406	\$	2,310,410

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA **COMBINING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Ramsey	Law Enforcement	Tota Nonm Enterp Fund	ajor rise
	Nursing Home	Services	2006	2005
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Receipts from Customers and Users Payments to Suppliers Payments to Employees Payments for Interfund Services Used Net Cash Provided (Used) for	\$ 11,896,472 (2,975,115) (9,372,631)	\$ 4,376,825 (1,020,425) (3,869,156)	\$ 16,273,297 (3,995,540) (13,241,787)	\$ 16,617,742 (4,505,231) (12,846,794) (450)
Operating Activities	(451,274)	(512,756)	(964,030)	(734,733)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES Intergovernmental Revenue Transfers In Miscellaneous Revenue Net Cash Provided (Used) for	33,778 357,906 1,575	258,997 - -	292,775 357,906 1,575	294,202 357,906 4,725
Noncapital Financing Activities	393,259	258,997	652,256	656,833
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVIT Proceeds from the Sale of Capital Assets Purchases of Capital Assets Principal Paid on Capital Debt Interest Paid on Capital Debt Disposal of Capital Assets Net Cash Provided (Used) for Capital and Related Financing Activities	(38,808) - - - - - - (38,808)	25,530 (200,893) - - - - (175,363)	25,530 (239,701) - - - - (214,171)	39,170 (231,135) (130,000) (74,803) 45,245
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(00,000)	(170,000)	(214,171)	(001,020)
Proceeds from Sale of Investments Dividend Received Gain on Sale of Investment	32,521 32,278 	- - -	32,521 32,278 	25,067 25,619
Net Cash Provided (Used) for Investing Activities	64,799		64,799	50,686
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(32,024)	(429,122)	(461,146)	(378,737)
Cash and Cash Equivalents, January 1	820,577	658,823	1,479,400	2,140,714
Cash and Cash Equivalents, December 31	788,553	229,701	1,018,254	1,761,977
Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: Operating Income (Loss) Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:	(483,037)	(246,950)	(729,987)	(1,225,341)
Depreciation Expense	233,837	126,965	360,802	480,921
Noncash Transfers Provision for Uncollectible Accounts	12,485 30,000	-	12,485 30,000	1,485 (9,500)
Changes in Assets and Liabilities:	,		,	(3,333)
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable	(102,828)	-	(102,828)	(32,350)
(Increase) Decrease in Due from Other Governments (Increase) Decrease in Prepaid Items	19,339	(378,912)	(359,573)	264,478
(Increase) Decrease in Inventories	42,225 3,874	-	42,225 3,874	(42,225) 267
Increase (Decrease) in Salaries Payable	14,842	20,911	35,753	26,772
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	(28,629)	(10,262)	(38,891)	53,185
Increase (Decrease) in Due to Other Funds	(154,674)	16,148	(138,526)	(65,569)
Increase (Decrease) in Due to Other Governments	(48,244)	(48,154)	(96,398)	69,827
Increase (Decrease) in Estimated Payable for Outstanding Claims	-	-	-	(253,000)
Increase (Decrease) in Vacation and				
Compensatory Time Payable	38,243	7,498	45,741	5,622
Increase (Decrease) in Compensated Absences Payable	(28,707)	¢ (E10.7EC)	(28,707)	(9,305)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$ (451,274)	\$ (512,756)	\$ (964,030)	\$ (734,733)

Noncash Investing, Capital and Financing Activities:

Contributions of Capital Assets in the Ramsey Nursing Home Fund amounted to \$65,860 and \$317,928 in 2006 and 2005 respectively.

The fair value of Ramsey Nursing Home Investment increased by \$50,847 in 2005, and decreased by \$53,342 in 2006.

Disposal of Capital Assets had a Net Book Value of \$23,188 in 2006 and \$1,046 in 2005 for the Ramsey Nursing Home.

Transfer In of \$50,000 from Capital Projects Funds was used to reduce Due to Other Funds for Ponds at Battle Creek.

INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS

To account for the financing of goods or services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of the County, or other governments, on a cost-reimbursement basis.

Data Processing – To provide electronic data processing services to county departments and other governmental units.

General County Buildings – To account for rents received from occupants of several County Buildings and to pay all expenses incurred in operating and maintaining the building.

Telecommunications – To account for all expenses incurred in operating the telephone system in the Ramsey County Government Center-West Building, Ramsey County Government Center-East Building, and City/County Courthouse.

Firearms Range – To provide a Firearms Range to law enforcement personnel of the County and other local governments.

STATEMENT 6

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Data	General County	Telecomm-	Firearms	Total Int Service I	
	Processing	Buildings	unications	Range	2006	2005
ASSETS						
Current assets:						
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 517,877	\$ 8,342,408	\$ 2,823,019	\$ 21,282	\$ 11,704,586	\$ 11,342,238
Petty Cash and Change Funds	75		-	-	75	75
Accounts Receivable (Net)	3,920	1,386	1,992	300	7,598	17,948
Due from Other Funds	817,113	126,620	79,406	7,822	1,030,961	947,514
Due from Other Governments	61,954	13,897	21,853	11,829	109,533	72,060
Prepaid Items	105,003	-	-	-	105,003	142,398
Inventories	7,265	-	-	-	7,265	5,814
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents		1,000			1,000	1,000
Total Current Assets	1,513,207	8,485,311	2,926,270	41,233	12,966,021	12,529,047
Noncurrent Assets:						
Capital Assets:						
Improvements other than buildings	-	19,698	-	-	19,698	6,973
Building Improvements	137,738	7,358,127	<u>-</u>	-	7,495,865	6,896,681
Equipment	5,326,304	380,098	2,867,537	-	8,573,939	8,751,358
Construction in progress	(5.007.450)	(5.540.440)	- (0.440.044)	-	(40,000,075)	127,693
Less Accumulated Depreciation	(5,327,452)	(5,513,412)	(2,148,011)		(12,988,875)	(12,347,391)
Total Capital Assets (Net of	400 500	0.044.544	740 500		0.400.007	0.405.044
Accumulated Depreciation)	136,590	2,244,511	719,526		3,100,627	3,435,314
Total Assets	1,649,797	10,729,822	3,645,796	41,233	16,066,648	15,964,361
LIABILITIES						
Current Liabilities:						
Salaries Payable	156,525	78,939	15,957	-	251,421	233,568
Accounts Payable	42,258	489,113	27,797	808	559,976	1,033,415
Loan Payable	-	2,339	-	-	2,339	4,750
Due to Other Funds	1,987	82,479	2,672	29,220	116,358	165,836
Due to Other Governments	12,125	18,570	3,028	38	33,761	15,821
Vacation and Compensatory Time Payable	326,091	137,182	22,013	-	485,286	427,572
Payable from Restricted Assets:						
Customer Deposits Payable		1,000			1,000	1,000
Total Current Liabilities	538,986	809,622	71,467	30,066	1,450,141	1,881,962
Noncurrent Liabilities:						
Loan Payable	-	335	-	-	335	3,011
Compensated Absences Payable	421,388	205,969	26,294		653,651	583,824
Total Liabilities	960,374	1,015,926	97,761	30,066	2,104,127	2,468,797
NET ASSETS						
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	136,590	2,244,511	719,526	-	3,100,627	3,435,314
Unrestricted	552,833	7,469,385	2,828,509	11,167	10,861,894	10,060,250
Total Net Assets	\$ 689,423	\$ 9,713,896	\$ 3,548,035	\$ 11,167	\$ 13,962,521	\$ 13,495,564

STATEMENT 7

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET ASSETS

INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Data		•		elecomm-	irearms	Total I Service	 	
	Pr	ocessing	E	Buildings	u	nications	 Range	 2006	2005
OPERATING REVENUES:									
Charges for Services	\$	7,312,759	\$	9,741,958	\$	1,616,788	\$ 40,761	\$ 18,712,266	\$ 18,593,579
Sales		-		3,669		-	1,467	5,136	2,167
Miscellaneous		848		166,827		644	_	168,319	25,946
Total Operating Revenues		7,313,607		9,912,454		1,617,432	42,228	18,885,721	18,621,692
OPERATING EXPENSES:									
Personal Services		4,688,761		2,464,085		462,187	_	7,615,033	6,768,025
Other Services and Charges		2,812,305		6,003,513		697,218	29,220	9,542,256	9,777,302
Supplies		23,521		346,964		18,859	8,041	397,385	431,387
Depreciation		1,148		602,530		285,098	-	888,776	888,546
Total Operating Expenses		7,525,735		9,417,092		1,463,362	37,261	18,443,450	17,865,260
Operating Income (Loss)		(212,128)		495,362		154,070	4,967	442,271	756,432
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):									
Intergovernmental Revenue		17,602		5,154		1,252	_	24,008	24,132
Gain (Loss) on Disposal of Capital Assets		805		-		-	_	805	541
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)		18,407		5,154		1,252	-	24,813	24,673
Transfers Out		(127)		_		_	_	(127)	_
Change in Net Assets		(193,848)		500,516		155,322	 4,967	466,957	781,105
Total Net Assets - Beginning		883,271		9,213,380		3,392,713	6,200	13,495,564	12,714,459
Total Net Assets - Ending	\$	689,423	\$	9,713,896	\$	3,548,035	\$ 11,167	\$ 13,962,521	\$ 13,495,564

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	I	Data		General County	T	elecomm-		Firearms	Total II Service		ds
	Pro	cessing	E	Buildings	u	nications		Range	2006		2005
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES											
Receipts from Customers and Users	\$	413,316	\$	360,204	\$	629,862	\$	10,931	\$ 1,414,313	\$	11,775,872
Receipts from Interfund Services Provided		6,883,472		9,459,956		1,000,973		16,438	17,360,839		7,265,382
Payments to Suppliers		2,604,868)		(5,600,787)		(591,895)		(7,195)	(8,804,745)		(9,729,940)
Payments to Employees	(-	4,608,184)		(2,404,934)		(456,521)		(44.404)	(7,469,639)		(6,682,057)
Payments for Interfund Services Used Net Cash Provided (Used) for Operating Activities		(414,616)		(1,037,791) 776,648		(140,119) 442,300		(11,404) 8,770	 (1,603,930) 896,838		(425,779) 2,203,478
, , ,		(330,000)		770,048		442,300		0,770	 090,030		2,203,476
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		47.000		E 4E4		4.050			04.000		04.400
Intergovernmental Revenue		17,602		5,154		1,252		-	24,008		24,132
Transfers Out Net Cash Provided (Used) for		(127)		<u>-</u>					 (127)		
,		17,475		5,154		1,252		_	23,881		24,132
Noncapital Financing Activities		17,475		5,154		1,232		_	23,001		24,132
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIE	ES										
Proceeds from the Sale of Capital Assets		805		-		-		-	805		797
Purchases of Capital Assets		(10,045)		(503,569)		(40,475)		-	(554,089)		(736,998)
Repayment of Loan		_		(5,087)				-	(5,087)		(5,240)
Net Cash Provided (Used) for Capital and Related Financing Activities		(9,240)		(508,656)		(40,475)		_	 (558,371)		(741,441)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents		(322,645)		273,146		403,077		8,770	362,348		1,486,169
Cash and Cash Equivalents, January 1		840,597		8,070,262		2,419,942		12,512	 11,343,313		9,857,144
Cash and Cash Equivalents, December 31		517,952		8,343,408		2,823,019		21,282	11,705,661		11,343,313
						_		_			_
Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net											
Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:											
Operating Income (Loss)		(212,128)		495,362		154,070		4,967	442,271		756,432
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income to Net											
Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:		4 4 4 0		COO FOO		205 000			000 770		000 545
Depreciation Expense Loan Payable included in Electrical Expense		1,148		602,530		285,098		-	888,776		888,545
Changes in Assets and Liabilities:		-		-		-		-	-		13,001
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable		(224)		(8,472)		490		(300)	(8,506)		(11,185)
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable (Increase) Decrease in Due From Other Funds		8,771		(101,380)		15,128		(5,966)	(83,447)		377,201
(Increase) Decrease in Due From Other Governments		(25,367)		(1,277)		(2,216)		(8,593)	(37,453)		53,544
(Increase) Decrease in Prepaid Items		37,395		(1,277)		(2,210)		(0,000)	37,395		39,295
(Increase) Decrease in Inventories		(1,451)		_		_		_	(1,451)		(95)
Increase (Decrease) in Salaries Payable		10,589		6,472		792		_	17,853		1,353
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable		(179,073)		(269,670)		(6,699)		808	(454,634)		11,499
Increase (Decrease) in Due to Other Funds		(40,538)		(14,501)		(12,204)		17,816	(49,427)		(20,178)
Increase (Decrease) in Due to Other Governments		10		14,905		2,967		38	17,920		9,447
Increase (Decrease) in Vacation and Compensatory Time Payable		34,276		23,055		383		-	57,714		51,415
Increase (Decrease) in Compensated Absences Payable		35,712		29,624		4,491		_	69,827		33,204
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$	(330,880)	\$	776,648	\$	442,300	\$	8,770	\$ 896,838	\$	2,203,478
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Non cash Capital and Related Financing Activity:

Data Processing disposed of capital assets with a net book value of zero.

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

To account for assets held by a governmental unit in a trustee capacity or as an agent for individuals, private organizations, and other governmental units.

Private Purpose Trust Funds:

Missing Heirs – To account for unclaimed funds of heirs who cannot immediately be located.

Lake Owasso Residence Trust – To account for resident's assets held by the County.

Ramsey Nursing Home Client Trust – To account for client assets held by the County.

Social Welfare – To account for certain Community Human Services client assets held by the County.

Agency Fund:

To account for assets held by a governmental unit as an agent for individuals/private organizations, and other governmental units.

STATEMENT 9

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS PRIVATE PURPOSE TRUST FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Missing		Missing			e Owasso sidence		amsey ing Home	Social	Total Private Purpose Trust Funds				
		Heirs	Clie	ent Trust	Clie	ent Trust	Welfare	2006		2005				
ASSETS Cash and Cash Equivalents Accounts Receivable	\$	183,865 -	\$	73,306 773	\$	62,878 <u>-</u>	\$ 2,225,367 	\$ 2,545,416 773	\$	2,529,067				
Total Assets		183,865		74,079		62,878	2,225,367	2,546,189		2,529,067				
LIABILITIES Custodial Payable				4,679		11,173		15,852		7,392				
NET ASSETS Held in Trust for Private Purposes	\$	183,865	\$	69,400	\$	51,705	\$ 2,225,367	\$ 2,530,337	\$	2,521,675				

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA COMBINING STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS PRIVATE PURPOSE TRUST FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006 WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Lake Owasso Missing Residence				Ramsey sing Home	Social	Total Private Purpose Trust Funds						
		Heirs	Cli	ent Trust	Client Trust			Welfare	2006			2005	
ADDITIONS													
Receipts from Clients	\$	24,442	\$	107,700	\$	120,886	\$	12,551,016	\$	12,804,044	\$	12,792,773	
Investment Earnings						2,773		8,531		11,304		4,959	
Total Additions		24,442		107,700		123,659		12,559,547		12,815,348		12,797,732	
DEDUCTIONS Payments to Clients or on													
Behalf of Clients		23,446		98,369		123,807		12,561,064		12,806,686		12,504,297	
Change in Net Assets		996		9,331		(148)		(1,517)		8,662		293,435	
Net Assets - Beginning		182,869		60,069		51,853		2,226,884		2,521,675		2,228,240	
Net Assets - Ending	\$	183,865	\$	69,400	\$	51,705	\$	2,225,367	\$	2,530,337	\$	2,521,675	

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA AGENCY FUND STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	J	Balance lanuary 1,					De	Balance ecember 31,	
	2006		Additions			Deductions	2006		
ASSETS									
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	32,289,596	\$	716,325,617	\$	715,475,160	\$	33,140,053	
Petty Cash and Change Funds		50		-		-		50	
Receivables (Net):									
Taxes		-		205		-		205	
Accounts		21,310,346		18,911,342		21,310,346		18,911,342	
Due from Other Governments		436,240		55,120		436,240		55,120	
Advance to Other Governments		50,893						50,893	
Total Assets		54,087,125	_	735,292,284	_	737,221,746		52,157,663	
LIABILITIES									
Salaries Payable		9,021		6,426		9,021		6,426	
Custodial Payable		32,824,607		36,374,317		32,844,732		36,354,192	
Due to Other Governments		21,253,497		15,797,045		21,253,497		15,797,045	
Total Liabilities	\$	54,087,125	\$	52,177,788	\$	54,107,250	\$	52,157,663	

OTHER SUP	PLEMENT.	ARY INFO	RMATION

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA SCHEDULE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES ALL FUND TYPES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

•	Special Revenue Funds				Special Revenue Funds								
		-	Solid Waste/	Housing and		Parks	State	State	St. Paul	Regional			
	General	County	Recycling	Redevelopment	Workforce	and	Funding	Public	Public Health	Railroad	Law	Forfeited	
	Fund	Library	Service Fee	Authority	Solutions	Recreation	For Courts	Defender	JPA	Authority	Library	Tax Sale	Total
Shared Revenue:													
State-													
Highway Users Tax	\$ 5,374,157	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Watercraft Registration	54,809	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Market Value Homestead Credit	8,914,542	301,721	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	546,469	-	-	848,190
Disparity Reduction Aid	241,816	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
County Program Aid	16,266,302	168,646	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	168,646
State Aid for Police Pension	1,195,526	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
911 Telephone Fee	250,357	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PERA Rate Increase Aid	703,490	21,652	3,718	762	9,372		11,114	16,164			836	912	64,530
Total Shared Revenue	33,000,999	492,019	3,718	762	9,372		11,114	16,164		546,469	836	912	1,081,366
Reimbursement for Services:													
State-													
Minnesota Department of													
Attorney General	134,330	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Human Services	45,546,356	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Defense Board	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,829,868	-	-	-	-	3,829,868
Education	193,382	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Family Service Collaborative	301,952												
Total Reimbursement for Services	46,176,020							3,829,868					3,829,868
Grants:													
State-													
Minnesota Department of													
Education	4,449	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Safety	1,476,929	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Environmental Assistance	-	-	1,155,336	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,155,336
Health	3,034,306	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Natural Resources	12,954	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation	1,517	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corrections	10,060,926	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Human Services	33,187,693	-	-	-	1,103,140	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,103,140
Housing Finance	783,950	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Employment & Economic Development	-	-	-	-	2,423,067	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,423,067
Trial Courts	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,719,765	-	-	-	-	-	6,719,765
Miscellaneous Boards	163,319	3,678											3,678
Total State	48,726,043	3,678	1,155,336		3,526,207		6,719,765						11,404,986
Federal-													
Department of													
Agriculture	207,854	-	-	-	156,583	-	-	-	2,212,193	-	-	-	2,368,776
Interior	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Justice	691,796	-	-	-	48,514	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48,514
Transportation	156,657	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	291,752	-	-	291,752
Housing and Urban Development	191,417	-	-	1,820,593	-	-	-	-	693,695	-	-	-	2,514,288
Labor	-	-	-	-	3,314,577	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,314,577
Environmental Protection Agency	10,707	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Emergency Management	1,256,573	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health and Human Services	33,691,966	-	-	-	12,854,961	-	-	-	1,251,760	-	-	-	14,106,721
Homeland Security	1,208,838												
Total Federal	37,416,308			1,820,593	16,374,635				4,157,648	291,752			22,644,628
Local	634,880	240,193	186,324			353,753			11,000	10,532			801,802
Total Grants	86,777,231	243,871	1,341,660	1,820,593	19,900,842	353,753	6,719,765	-	4,168,648	302,284	-	-	34,851,416
Excess Tax Increment	3,176,147	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Payments in lieu of taxes	229,792	752							_	415	_	_	1,167
Total Intergovernmental Revenue	\$ 169,360,189		\$ 1,345,378	\$ 1,821,355	\$ 19,910,214	\$ 353,753	\$ 6,730,879	\$ 3 84E 033	\$ 4,168,648		\$ 836	\$ 912	\$ 39,763,817
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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA SCHEDULE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES ALL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

Shared Revenue: State		Debt Service Fund		Capital Projects Fund	E	nterprise Funds	S	nternal ervice -unds		Total All Funds
Highway Users Tax	Shared Revenue:	 								
Watercraft Registration -	State-									
Market Value Homestead Credit 807,304 -	Highway Users Tax	\$ 184,242	\$	7,092,414	\$	-	\$	-	\$	12,650,813
Disparity Reduction Aid	Watercraft Registration	-		-		-		-		54,809
County Program Aid	Market Value Homestead Credit	807,304		-		-		-		10,570,036
State Aid for Police Pension	Disparity Reduction Aid	21,446		-		-		-		263,262
911 Telephone Fee - - 54,170 23,508 Total Shared Revenue 1,027,564 7,092,414 312,743 23,508 Reimbursement for Services: State- Williams Stand S	County Program Aid	14,572		-		-		-		16,449,520
PERA Rate Increase Aid	State Aid for Police Pension	-		-		258,573		-		1,454,099
Total Shared Revenue	911 Telephone Fee	-		-		-		-		250,357
Total Shared Revenue	PERA Rate Increase Aid	-		-		54,170		23,508		845,698
State- Minnesota Department of Attorney General	Total Shared Revenue	1,027,564		7,092,414		312,743	-	23,508		42,538,594
State- Minnesota Department of Attorney General	Reimbursement for Services:	 	-							
Minnesota Department of Attorney General										
Attorney General Human Services Public Defense Board Education Family Service Collaborative Total Residurement for Services Grants: State- Minnesota Department of Education Public Safety Environmental Assistance Health Natural Resources Transportation Services Human Services Housing Finance Employment & Economic Development Trial Courts Miscellaneous boards Total State Department of Agriculture Interior Justice Transportation 2,842,941 Housing and Urban Development Labor Environmental Protection Agency Emergency Management Education Foundard Fou										
Human Services	•									124 220
Public Defense Board Education	-	-		-		-		-		134,330
Education		-		-		-		-		45,546,356
Family Service Collaborative - - - -		-		-		-		-		3,829,868
Total Reimbursement for Services - - - Grants: State- Minnesota Department of Education - - - Education - </td <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>193,382</td>		-		-		-		-		193,382
State- Minnesota Department of Education	,	 								301,952
State- Minnesota Department of Education		 								50,005,888
Minnesota Department of Education	Grants:									
Education	State-									
Public Safety Environmental Assistance Health Health	Minnesota Department of									
Environmental Assistance Health	Education	-		-		-		-		4,449
Health	Public Safety	-		-		-		-		1,476,929
Natural Resources - 145,268 - - Transportation - 5,153,032 - - Corrections - - - - Human Services - - - - Housing Finance - - - - Employment & Economic Development - 11,190,881 - - Trial Courts - - - - Miscellaneous boards - - - - Total State - 16,489,181 - - Federal- Department of - - - - - Agriculture -	Environmental Assistance	-		-		-		-		1,155,336
Transportation - 5,153,032 - - Corrections - <	Health	-		-		-		-		3,034,306
Corrections - <td< td=""><td>Natural Resources</td><td>-</td><td></td><td>145,268</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>158,222</td></td<>	Natural Resources	-		145,268		-		-		158,222
Human Services	Transportation	-		5,153,032		-		-		5,154,549
Housing Finance	Corrections	-		-		-		-		10,060,926
Employment & Economic Development - 11,190,881 - - Trial Courts - - - - Miscellaneous boards - - - - Total State - 16,489,181 - - Federal-Department of - - - - Agriculture - - - - - Interior - 200,000 -	Human Services	-		-		-		-		34,290,833
Trial Courts - <t< td=""><td>Housing Finance</td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>783,950</td></t<>	Housing Finance	-		-		-		-		783,950
Trial Courts - <t< td=""><td>Employment & Economic Development</td><td>-</td><td></td><td>11,190,881</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>_</td><td></td><td>13,613,948</td></t<>	Employment & Economic Development	-		11,190,881		-		_		13,613,948
Total State - 16,489,181 - - Federal- Department of Agriculture Interior Interior Justice		-		-		-		-		6,719,765
Federal- Department of Agriculture - <t< td=""><td>Miscellaneous boards</td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>_</td><td></td><td>166,997</td></t<>	Miscellaneous boards	-		-		-		_		166,997
Federal- Department of Agriculture - <t< td=""><td>Total State</td><td> _</td><td></td><td>16.489.181</td><td></td><td>_</td><td></td><td>_</td><td></td><td>76,620,210</td></t<>	Total State	 _		16.489.181		_		_		76,620,210
Department of Agriculture - - - Interior - 200,000 - - Justice - - - Transportation - 2,842,941 - - Housing and Urban Development - - - - Labor - - - - - Environmental Protection Agency - - - - - Emergency Management - </td <td>Federal</td> <td> </td> <td>-</td> <td>-,, -</td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td>-,,</td>	Federal	 	-	-,, -	-		-		-	-,,
Agriculture - - <t< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></t<>										
Interior	•									2 576 620
Justice - </td <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>200 000</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>-</td> <td></td> <td>2,576,630 200,000</td>		-		200 000		-		-		2,576,630 200,000
Transportation - 2,842,941 - - Housing and Urban Development - - - - Labor - - - - Environmental Protection Agency - - - - Emergency Management - - - - Education - - - - Health and Human Services - - - - Homeland Security - 5,157,424 - - Total Federal - 8,200,365 - - Local - 746,056 - 500 Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - - -		-		200,000		-		-		740,310
Housing and Urban Development - - - Labor - - - Environmental Protection Agency - - - Emergency Management - - - Education - - - Health and Human Services - - - Homeland Security - 5,157,424 - - Total Federal - 8,200,365 - - - Local - 746,056 - 500 Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - - -		-		- 0.040.044		-		-		
Labor - - - - Environmental Protection Agency - - - - Emergency Management - - - - Education - - - - Health and Human Services - - - - Homeland Security - 5,157,424 - - Total Federal - 8,200,365 - - Local - 746,056 - 500 Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - - -	•	-		2,842,941		-		-		3,291,350
Environmental Protection Agency - <t< td=""><td>-</td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>-</td><td></td><td>2,705,705</td></t<>	-	-		-		-		-		2,705,705
Emergency Management - - - - Education - - - - Health and Human Services - - - - - Homeland Security - 5,157,424 - - - Total Federal - 8,200,365 - - - Local - 746,056 - 500 Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - - -		-		-		-		-		3,314,577
Education -		-		-		-		-		10,707
Health and Human Services -<	0 , 0	-		-		-		-		1,256,573
Homeland Security - 5,157,424 - - Total Federal - 8,200,365 - - Local - 746,056 - 500 Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - - -		-		-		-		-		500
Total Federal - 8,200,365 - - Local - 746,056 - 500 Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - - -		-		-		-		-		47,798,687
Local - 746,056 - 500 Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - - - -		 				_				6,366,262
Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - -	Total Federal	-		8,200,365		-		-		68,261,301
Total Grants - 25,435,602 - 500 Excess Tax Increment - - - -	Local	 _		746 056		_		500		2,183,238
Excess Tax Increment		 	-				-		-	
		-		20,430,002		-		500		147,064,749
Payments in lieu of taxes 10,931	Excess Tax Increment	-		-		-		-		3,176,147
	Payments in lieu of taxes	10,931		_		_		-		241,890
Total Intergovernmental Revenue \$ 1,038,495 \$ 32,528,016 \$ 312,743 \$ 24,008 \$		\$	\$	32.528.016	\$	312.743	\$	24,008	\$	243,027,268

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

Federal Grantor	Federal				Passed
Pass Through Agency	CFDA	г.			Through to
Grant Program Title Department of Agriculture	Number	E	penditures	_	Subrecipients
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Education:					
School Breakfast Program	10.553	\$	81,173	\$	-
National School Lunch Program	10.555		126,681		-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Health:					
Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC)	10.557		2,206,095		_
Food Stamp Program - State Administrative Matching Grant	10.561		156,583		-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Agriculture:					
Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants					
and Children (WIC)	10.557		6,098		
Total Department of Agriculture			2,576,630		
Department of Housing and Urban Development Direct					
Community Development Block Grants (CDBG)	14.218		1,514,571		1,290,111
Supportive Housing Program	14.235		191,417		191,417
Home Investment in Affordable Housing (HOME)	14.239		306,022		262,355
Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Program Passed Through Minnesota Department of Health:	14.900		340,030		159,159
Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Program	14.900		7,447		_
Passed Through Hennepin County:			,,,,,,		
Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Program	14.900		279,526		84,330
Passed Through City of Minneapolis:					
Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Program	14.900		66,692		4 007 070
Total Department of Housing and Urban Development			2,705,705		1,987,372
Department of the Interior					
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Natural Resources: Outdoor Recreation - Acquisition, Development and Planning	15.916		200,000		_
	10.010		200,000		
Department of Justice Direct					
Supervised Visitation, Safe Haven for Children	16.527		86,262		-
Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention	16.540		48,514		47,514
Byrne Formula Grant Program Community Prosecution and Project Safe Neighborhoods	16.579		2,200		-
	16.609		14,862		-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Public Safety: Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant (JAIBG)	16.523		216,284		_
Crime Victim Assistance	16.575		76,459		-
Byrne Formula Grant Program	16.579		105,000		98,729
Byrne Memorial State and Local Law Enforcement	40.500		00.070		
Violence Against Women Formula Grants Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grants	16.588 16.738		36,270 64,432		-
Passed Through City of St. Paul	10.700		04,402		
Local Law Enforcement Block Grant	16.592		4,491		-
Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grants	16.738		85,536		
Total Department of Justice			740,310		146,243
Department of Labor					
Direct	47.007		F0 774		
Incentive Grants - Workforce Investment Act Section 503 Passed Through Minnesota Department of Employment and Econo	17.267	·+·	53,774		-
Workforce Investment Act (WIA) - Adult Programs	17.258	ıt.	993,099		361,546
Workforce Investment Act (WIA) - Youth Activities	17.259		1,186,251		657,039
Workforce Investment Act (WIA) - Dislocated Workers	17.260		1,019,263		3,000
Disability Employment Policy Development	17.720		36,917		-
Passed Through St. Paul Chamber of Commerce:	17 260		25 272		
Workforce Investment Act (WIA) - Dislocated Workers Total Department of Labor	17.260		25,273 3,314,577	_	1,021,585
. Cas. Doparation of East			5,517,011		(continued)

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

Federal Grantor	Federal		Passed
Pass Through Agency	CFDA		Through to
Grant Program Title	Number	Expenditures	Subrecipients
Department of Transportation			
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Natural Resources:			
Boating Safety Financial Assistance	20.005	34,000	-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Public Safety:			
State and Community Highway Safety	20.600	72,682	-
Alcohol Traffic Safety and Drunk Driving Prevention	20.601	23,174	-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Transportation:			
Highway Planning & Construction	20.205	2,869,742	-
Passed Through Metropolitan Council:			
Federal Transit Capital and Operating Asst Formula Grants	20.507	291,752	
Total Department of Transportation		3,291,350	
Environmental Protection Agency			
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Health			
State Indoor Radon Grants	66.032	10,707	-
Department of Education			
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Health:			
Special Education Grants for Infants and Families	84.181	500	_
·	0		
Election Assistance Commission Passed Through Minnesota Secretary of State:			
Help America Vote Act Requirements Payments	90.401	1,256,573	_
	90.401	1,230,373	
Department of Health and Human Services			
Direct			
Centers for Research and Demonstration for Health Promotion and Disease Prevention	93.135	32,204	
Family Planning Services	93.133	317,920	_
Cons Knowledge Development & Application	93.230	488,903	_
Refugee and Entrant Assistance Discretionary Grants	93.576	16,734	-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Human Services:	00.070	10,701	
Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness	93.150	170,047	_
Promoting Safe and Stable Families	93.556	423,951	403,677
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	93.558	12,806,244	7,729,680
Child Support Enforcement Research	93.564	29,816	, , , <u>-</u>
Refugee and Entrant Assistance-Targeted Assistance Grants	93.584	48,717	-
Community Based Child Abuse Prevention Grants	93.590	138,269	58,045
Child Care Mandatory and Matching Funds	93.596	20,674,289	20,674,289
Child Welfare Services-State Grants	93.645	72,146	62,767
Foster Care Title IV-E	93.658	3,870,099	-
Social Services Block Grant	93.667	4,191,631	-
Independent Living	93.674	127,191	-
Block Grant - Community Mental Health Services	93.958	602,591	-
Block Grant - Prevention/Treatment Substance Abuse	93.959	337,218	-
Block Grant - Preventative Health and Health Services	93.991	4,800	-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Health:	02.446	47.000	
Grants & Coop Agreements for Tuberculosis Control	93.116	17,000	-
Immunization Research, Demonstration, Public Information and Education Training and Clinical Skills Improvement Projects	93.185	53,798	
State and Local Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention and	93.163	55,796	-
and Surveillance of Blood Lead Levels in Children	93.197	49,517	_
Immunization Grants	93.268	111,166	_
Center for Disease Control-Investigations & Technical Assistance	93.283	1,587,571	- -
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	93.558	510,157	_
Refugee and Entrant Assistance	93.566	67,211	_
Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Programs	93.919	15,871	-
Sexually Transmitted Disease Control Grant	93.977	69,705	-
Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant	93.994	877,364	499,698

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

Federal Grantor	Federal		Passed
Pass Through Agency	CFDA		Through to
Grant Program Title	Number	Expenditures	Subrecipients
Department of Health and Human Services (continued):			
Passed Through Hennepin County:			
Centers for Research and Demonstration for Health			
Promotion and Disease Prevention	93.135	62,235	-
Ryan White HIV/AIDS Dental Reimbursements	93.924	24,322	-
Total Department of Health and Human Services		47,798,687	29,428,156
Department of Homeland Security			
Direct			
Interoperable Communications Equipment	97.055	711,235	-
Passed Through Minnesota Department of Public Safety:			
State Domestic Preparedness Equipment Support Program	97.004	4,102,868	-
Urban Areas Security Initiative	97.008	1,004,345	37,442
Disaster Grants - Public Assistance	97.036	390,747	-
Emergency Management Performance Grants	97.042	130,653	-
Homeland Security Grant Program	97.067	26,414	2,198
Total Department of Homeland Security		6,366,262	39,640
Total Cash Federal Awards		68,261,301	32,622,996
Non-Cash Awards			
Department of Agriculture			
Food Donation Program	10.550	220,490	
Total Non-Cash Federal Awards		220,490	-
Total Federal Awards		\$ 68,481,791	\$ 32,622,996

Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

- 1. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards presents the activity of federal award programs expended by Ramsey County. The County's reporting entity is defined in Note 1 to the financial statements.
- 2. The expenditures on this schedule are on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The basis used for CFDA No. 10.550 is the dollar value of vouchers issued.
- 3. Pass-through grant numbers were not assigned by the pass-through agencies.

SECTION III – STATISTICAL SECTION

Statistical Section

This part of Ramsey County's comprehensive annual financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and required supplementary information says about the county's overall financial health.

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Sources: Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the comprehensive annual financial reports for the relevant year. The county implemented GASB Statement 34 in 2002; schedules presenting entity-wide information include information beginning in that year.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA NET ASSETS BY COMPONENT LAST FIVE YEARS

(accrual basis of accounting)

				Fiscal Year		
	'	2002	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	2006
Governmental activities						
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$	350,568,755	\$ 362,980,947	\$ 331,762,415	\$ 411,727,719	\$ 437,027,997
Restricted		24,145,375	61,572,424	106,484,915	92,804,198	84,675,877
Unrestricted		158,307,476	128,896,754	144,932,259	116,795,345	167,942,820
Total governmental activities net assets	\$	533,021,606	\$ 553,450,125	\$ 583,179,589	\$ 621,327,262	\$ 689,646,694
Business-type activities						
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt		\$3,849,605	\$3,730,753	\$3,565,655	\$3,656,566	\$3,520,751
Restricted		-	231,962	66,411	46,163	50,657
Unrestricted		(216,463)	411,773	560,087	285,907	9,153
Total business-type activities net assets	\$	3,633,142	\$ 4,374,488	\$ 4,192,153	\$ 3,988,636	\$ 3,580,561
Primary government						
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$	354,418,360	\$ 366,711,700	\$ 335,328,070	\$ 415,384,285	\$ 440,548,748
Restricted		24,145,375	61,804,386	106,551,326	92,850,361	84,726,534
Unrestricted		158,091,013	129,308,527	145,492,346	117,081,252	167,951,973
Total primary government net assets	\$	536,654,748	\$ 557,824,613	\$ 587,371,742	\$ 625,315,898	\$ 693,227,255

Note: Accrual-basis financial information is available back to 2002 only, the year GASB Statement 34 was implemented.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA CHANGES IN NET ASSETS LAST FIVE YEARS

(accrual basis of accounting)

(accrual basis of accounting)						5 ' 1 V				
		2002		2002		Fiscal Year		2005		2006
Expenses		<u>2002</u>		<u>2003</u>		<u>2004</u>		<u>2005</u>		<u>2006</u>
Governmental activities:										
General government	\$	93,519,244	\$	88,644,095	\$	49,037,867	\$	69,903,388	\$	83,775,008
Public safety	*	84,036,106	Ψ.	81,266,102	•	92,552,785	Ψ.	103,140,189	*	93,123,718
Highways and streets		23,609,628		19,587,607		46,613,526		26,016,187		35,186,475
Sanitation		15,851,946		14,801,190		15,737,538		17,850,477		17,071,936
Health		24,118,961		24,400,859		23,278,945		26,154,048		26,343,037
Human services		181,927,405		176,750,563		170,372,597		172,133,597		176,236,609
Culture and recreation		18,896,677		18,792,204		17,181,691		21,253,410		18,916,977
Conservation of natural resources		768,743		776,639		466,403		421,883		413,943
Economic development and assistance		25,747,275		23,877,182		22,938,963		22,774,299		22,931,445
Interest		7,826,063		7,297,704		9,648,967		9,259,922		9,433,629
Total governmental activities expenses		476,302,048		456,194,145		447,829,282		468,907,400		483,432,777
·										
Business-type activities:										
Lake Owasso Residence		7,142,831		7,692,647		7,786,233		7,700,741		8,177,791
Ponds at Battle Creek		488		172,661		665,560		608,504		701,798
Ramsey Nursing Home		11,398,215		11,751,327		12,079,285		12,184,848		12,435,723
Office of Integrated Managed Care		1,242,876		711,578		-		-		-
Law Enforcement Services		4,474,209		4,588,613		4,790,221		4,945,064		5,051,851
Total business-type activities expenses		24,258,619		24,916,826		25,321,299		25,439,157		26,367,163
Total primary government expenses	\$	500,560,667	\$	481,110,971	\$	473,150,581	\$	494,346,557	\$	509,799,940
Program Revenues Governmental activities:										
Fees, fines, charges and other:										
General government	\$	22,131,397	\$	15,641,123	\$	14,140,880	\$	14,721,943	\$	25,586,857
Public safety		6,534,896		6,243,086		7,023,639		9,170,315		8,350,392
Highways and streets		2,863,501		2,853,955		1,388,395		1,959,189		2,451,634
Sanitation		1,173,952		13,063,110		15,817,903		16,870,909		19,659,083
Health		6,171,791		7,727,760		7,988,406		9,613,494		8,166,676
Human services		6,976,751		5,851,067		6,727,816		6,555,896		7,773,517
Culture and recreation		5,364,987		5,450,301		5,709,279		5,854,429		6,010,116
Conservation of natural resources		312,688		181,631		161,547		257,348		302,760
Economic development and assistance		624,540		5,054,419		1,349,226		3,896,699		1,666,602
Operating grants and contributions:										
General government		26,461,574		19,377,353		24,122,721		23,160,822		11,750,858
Public safety		19,345,021		17,515,627		13,617,565		12,788,912		13,857,784
Highways and streets		-		59,938		5,201,984		3,206,041		4,261,815
Sanitation		1,757,002		1,312,417		1,438,701		1,401,465		1,506,761
Health		10,342,476		11,937,292		9,318,922		11,167,848		11,983,024
Human services		114,448,042		109,200,218		93,048,708		93,618,417		98,980,847
Culture and recreation		901,079		293,722		914,335		337,490		677,345
Conservation of natural resources		118,516		49,280		85,618		78,061		77,584
Economic development and assistance		23,194,326		19,515,445		20,541,025		21,274,245		21,595,537
Capital grants and contributions: General government				001 702		10.055		605,391		1 256 572
		-		901,702		19,955		,		1,256,573
Public safety		- 20 704 FF0		2,444,356		4,730,416		5,768,076		6,195,938
Highways and streets Culture and recreation		20,784,558		22,337,802		10,218,516		17,905,823		24,239,254
Conservation of natural resources		1,218,077		2,282,440		195,432		1,921,921		1,603,138
Economic development and assistance		-		905,001		3,000 1,328,705		26,552 85,000		-
Total governmental activities program	_	270,725,174		270,199,045		245,092,694		262,246,286		277,954,095
rotal governmental activities program		210,120,114		210,199,045		240,032,034		202,240,200		Z11,504,090

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA CHANGES IN NET ASSETS LAST FIVE YEARS

(accrual basis of accounting)

(3)						Fiscal Year				
		2002		2003		2004		2005		2006
Business-type activities:										
Fees, fines, charges and other:										
Lake Owasso Residence		7,295,797		7,191,307		7,715,951		7,478,024		7,630,384
Ponds at Battle Creek		-		30,343		460,246		430,735		446,901
Ramsey Nursing Home		10,797,696		11,215,071		11,484,976		11,323,025		11,949,961
Office of Integrated Managed Care		13,000		193		-		_		-
Law Enforcement Services		4,171,818		4,313,810		4,550,667		4,613,674		4,804,901
Operating grants and contributions:										
Office of Integrated Managed Care		1,017,242		934,065		-		-		-
Law Enforcement Services		-		258,969		254,128		-		258,573
Capital grants and contributions:										
Lake Owasso Residence		2,175		-		-		-		-
Ramsey Nursing Home		41,252		72,823		25,183		328,644		68,018
Total business-type activities program		23,338,980		24,016,581		24,491,151		24,174,102		25,158,738
Total primary government program revenues	\$	294,064,154	\$	294,215,626	\$	269,583,845	\$	286,420,388	\$	303,112,833
Net (Expense)/Revenue										
Governmental activities	\$	(205,576,874)	\$	(185,995,100)	\$	(202,736,588)	\$	(206,661,114)	\$	(205,478,682)
Business-type activities	Ψ	(919,639)	Ψ	(900,245)	Ψ	(830,148)	Ψ	(1,265,055)	Ψ	(1,208,425)
Total primary government net expense	\$	(206,496,513)	\$	(186,895,345)	\$	(203,566,736)	\$	(207,926,169)	\$	(206,687,107)
Governmental activities: Property taxes	\$	175,132,352	\$	179,663,516	\$	188,180,358	\$	198,458,773	\$	217,391,017
Grants and contributions not restricted	Ψ	170,102,002	Ψ	110,000,010	Ψ	100,100,000	Ψ	100, 100, 110	Ψ	217,001,011
to specific programs		28,641,355		23,078,325		23,566,382		35,262,802		35,053,797
Investment earnings		11,579,900		4,384,058		5,629,709		7,673,916		15,581,358
Miscellaneous		2,146,683		1,426,526		1,021,777		3,493,298		3,032,751
Lease proceeds		-		_		13,845,000		_		-
Gain on disposal/sale of capital assets		302,700		(657,353)		97,814		478,559		3,358,752
Transfers		(519,384)		(1,471,453)		(607,492)		(558,561)		(619,561)
Total governmental activities		217,283,606		206,423,619		231,733,548		244,808,787		273,798,114
Business-type activities:										
Grants and contributions not restricted										
to specific programs		297,460		79,249		54,292		314,170		54,170
Investment earnings		36,124		36,725		88,966		137,621		142,025
Miscellaneous		-		-		-		4,725		1,575
Gain on disposal/sale of capital assets		(4,840)		54,248		17,560		46,461		(16,981)
Transfers		519,384		1,471,453		607,492		558,561		619,561
Total business-type activities	_	848,128	_	1,641,675		768,310	_	1,061,538		800,350
Total primary government	\$	218,131,734	\$	208,065,294	\$	232,501,858	\$	245,870,325	\$	274,598,464
Change in Net Assets										
Governmental activities	\$	11,706,732	\$	20,428,519	\$	28,996,960	\$	38,147,673	\$	68,319,432
Business-type activities		(71,511)		741,430		(61,838)		(203,517)		(408,075)
Total primary government	\$	11,635,221	\$	21,169,949	\$	28,935,122	\$	37,944,156	\$	67,911,357

Note: Accrual-basis financial information is available back to 2002 only, the year GASB Statement 34 was implemented.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST FIVE YEARS

(modified accrual basis of accounting)

			F	Fiscal Year		
	2002	2003		<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>
General Fund						
Reserved Unreserved	\$ 18,380,671	\$ 14,276,857	\$	16,600,329	\$ 18,271,565	\$ 20,037,607
Designated	97,712,255	96,639,755		90,228,057	105,631,733	125,350,133
Undesignated	25,079,440	28,022,435		28,704,212	29,441,401	30,592,387
Total General Fund	\$ 141,172,366	\$ 138,939,047	\$	135,532,598	\$ 153,344,699	\$ 175,980,127
All Other Governmental Funds Reserved Unreserved	\$72,653,648	\$27,834,096		\$81,494,745	\$71,413,941	\$73,519,370
Designated Special revenue funds Capital project fund	\$22,163,668	\$29,278,356 21,320,176		\$35,689,366 15,932,348	\$35,481,628 12,287,308	\$45,240,562 12,664,938
Undesignated Special revenue funds	7,768,347	5,321,751		4,325,063	4,555,554	5,427,871
Total all other governmental funds	\$ 102,585,663	\$ 83,754,379	\$	137,441,522	\$ 123,738,431	\$ 136,852,741

Note: Due to changes in the county's reporting with GASB Statement 34, fund balance information is available back to 2002 only.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST FIVE YEARS

(modified accrual basis of accounting)

,			Fiscal Year		
	2002	2003	2004	<u>2005</u>	2006
Revenues					
Property taxes	\$ 176,442,599	\$ 176,103,167	\$ 187,853,804	\$ 197,333,878	\$ 216,674,650
Licenses and permits	1,128,524	1,253,422	1,258,037	1,410,846	1,394,880
Intergovernmental	241,787,901	221,508,422	201,310,013	216,905,306	242,690,517
Private grants and donations	1,097,019	1,241,181	397,283	621,000	422,816
Charges for services	42,762,479	56,428,484	61,635,081	64,869,125	62,043,508
Fines and forfeitures	4,124,232	2,437,722	733,823	761,722	745,971
Sales	2,649,774	2,306,044	2,457,870	2,804,900	2,850,049
Rental income	929,341	1,007,022	1,346,306	1,387,051	1,658,210
Investment earnings	11,579,900	4,884,456	6,254,178	9,187,327	17,560,179
Program recoveries	5,600,073	4,116,529	4,020,666	3,948,060	3,790,928
Miscellaneous	5,645,316	7,126,047	4,748,409	7,104,859	5,529,616
Total revenues	493,747,158	478,412,496	472,015,470	506,334,074	555,361,324
Expenditures					
General government	87,599,504	81,731,833	79,591,902	88,857,578	87,579,800
Public safety	81,910,462	80,891,130	86,399,635	89,586,294	93,978,150
Highways and streets	14,054,555	15,023,259	14,087,001	14,321,647	14,898,949
Sanitation	15,850,612	14,778,330	15,742,726	17,852,048	17,027,293
Health	24,993,929	25,702,871	24,447,734	26,459,940	27,620,672
Human services	185,217,289	178,278,504	173,313,709	174,403,870	178,479,898
Culture and recreation	16,743,482	16,548,538	16,140,176	17,452,152	17,816,393
Conservation of natural resources	828,136	775,940	458,455	438,555	406,016
Economic development and assistance	25,678,477	23,634,515	23,122,428	22,734,910	22,915,902
Capital outlay	63,166,225	65,318,576	43,153,982	38,959,892	50,134,804
Debt service					
Bond issuance costs	1,079,357	229,302	363,672	134,111	70,093
Principal	43,829,429	15,496,354	11,517,541	11,913,241	11,835,252
Interest	6,541,233	7,418,382	8,326,082	9,660,213	9,373,553
Total expenditures	567,492,690	525,827,534	496,665,043	512,774,451	532,136,775
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	(73,745,532)	- (47,415,038)	(24,649,573)	(6,440,377)	23,224,549
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Xcel Energy Loan Proceeds	-	-	-	-	76,940
Proceeds from bonds	80,290,000	27,015,000	54,620,000	17,575,000	6,750,000
Proceeds from loan	4,682,875	-	-	-	-
Discount/premium on bonds	1,146,128	1,007,203	1,770,673	1,057,776	31,046
Sale of capital assets	900,000	14,400	13,845,000	756,306	6,000,000
Redemption of refunded bonds	-	-	(2,345,000)	(10,505,000)	-
Transfers in	3,024,157	9,606,712	2,118,199	226,989	2,331,539
Transfers out	(3,542,913)	(11,263,221)	(2,725,691)	(805,676)	(2,950,973)
Total other financing sources (uses)	86,500,247	26,380,094	67,283,181	8,305,395	12,238,552
Net change in fund balances	\$ 12,754,715	\$ (21,034,944)	\$ 42,633,608	\$ 1,865,018	\$ 35,463,101
Debt service as a percentage					
of noncapital expenditures	10.20%	5.03%	4.46%	4.58%	4.41%

Note: Due to changes in the county's reporting with GASB Statement 34, fund balance information is available from 2002.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA NET TAX CAPACITY AND MARKET VALUE OF PROPERTY LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

		REAL ESTA	TE		PERSONAL	PROPERTY	NET	LESS	TOTA	۸L	PERCENT OF
PAYABLE				TAXABLE		TAXABLE	FISCAL	TAX INCREMENT		TAXABLE	TAXABLE
FISCAL		COMMERCIAL	NET TAX	MARKET	NET TAX	MARKET	DISPARITY	NET CAPTURED	NET TAX	MARKET	MARKET
PERIOD	RESIDENTIAL	INDUSTRIAL	CAPACITY	VALUE	CAPACITY	VALUE	(1)	TAX CAPACITY	CAPACITY (2)	VALUE	VALUE
1997	\$ 205,093,044	\$ 145,545,918	350,638,962 \$	16,895,944,100	\$ 17,947,551	\$ 394,259,500	\$ 24,566,318	\$ 27,019,845	\$ 366,132,986 \$	17,290,203,600	2.12%
1998	203,910,634	130,984,058	334,894,692	17,849,816,194	15,819,056	402,981,500	25,592,339	26,463,486	349,842,601	18,252,797,694	1.92%
1999	203,149,844	130,019,165	333,169,009	19,178,518,010	13,988,644	405,934,600	24,589,335	27,809,167	343,937,821	19,584,452,610	1.76%
2000	215,146,749	142,295,833	357,442,582	20,705,655,394	14,179,694	422,659,400	25,188,986	32,264,176	364,547,086	21,128,314,794	1.73%
2001	239,458,505	166,287,124	405,745,629	22,946,288,200	13,809,251	412,474,200	24,968,205	39,704,914	404,818,171	23,358,762,400	1.73%
2002	210,627,086	106,947,310	317,574,396	25,264,935,700	8,437,837	425,801,700	15,476,414	25,517,872	315,970,775	25,690,737,400	1.23%
2003	232,709,558	121,254,997	353,964,555	28,452,378,400	8,614,622	436,524,200	18,141,924	27,493,190	353,227,911	28,888,902,600	1.22%
2004	260,973,656	129,435,303	390,408,959	31,879,341,300	8,929,442	450,608,900	14,929,192	30,443,069	383,824,524	32,329,950,200	1.19%
2005	305,043,385	133,723,605	438,766,990	36,273,669,900	9,351,087	471,470,300	13,244,590	31,946,107	429,416,560	36,745,140,200	1.17%
2006	343,211,827	146,572,708	489,784,535	40,782,233,700	9,166,212	462,162,600	12,982,384	33,549,332	478,383,799	41,244,396,300	1.16%
2007	382,683,298	164,138,472	546,821,770	45,462,936,100	9,300,648	468,551,900	12,882,615	40,581,499	528,423,534	45,931,488,000	1.15%

⁽¹⁾ Fiscal Disparity Net Tax Capacity is the increase in the tax base distributed to Ramsey County by the Other metropolitan counties pursuant to M.S. Chapter 473.F - Metropolitan Revenue distribution. There are no provisions in the law for calculating a market value for the Fiscal Disparity Net Tax Capacity.

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⁽²⁾ All taxable property in Minnesota is listed annually and reappraised at least once every four years with reference to its value on January 2 of that year. Property is currently appraised at "Market Value," defined as the usual selling price of the property which would be obtained at private sale and not at a forced or auction sale. Statutory percentages are then applied to this value to determine a property's "Taxable Net Tax Capacity," upon which taxes are levied, extended, and collected. The total net tax capacity is reduced by the amount of the tax increment financing captured net tax capacity.

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA PROPERTY TAX RATES AND TAX LEVIES LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

						COUNTY	COUNTY	BRANCH	WILTING	
		GENERA	I FUND	GENERAL	TOTAL	LIBRARY	LIBRARY	WATERSHED	WATERSHED CAPITAL	
LEVY	PAYABLE	GENERAL	HUMAN	DEBT	GENERAL	REVENUE	DEBT	DEBT	IMPROVEMENTS	
YEAR	YEAR	SERVICES	SERVICES	SERVICE	COUNTY	(1)	(1)	(2)	(2)	TOTAL
	TAX RATE AS A	A PERCENTAGE OF	NET TAX CAPAC	CITY (3)				. ,		_
1996	1997	22.087	15.382	3.071	40.540	2.876	0.810	0.931	-	45.157
1997	1998	22.723	16.343	3.270	42.336	3.048	0.862	0.929	-	47.175
1998	1999	22.405	17.170	3.610	43.185	3.089	0.747	0.821	-	47.842
1999	2000	22.103	15.180	3.712	40.995	3.133	0.711	0.781	-	45.620
2000	2001	20.651	14.472	3.596	38.719	2.889	0.558	0.719	-	42.885
2001	2002	27.592	18.510	4.647	50.749	3.899	0.718	-	-	55.366
2002	2003	27.734	18.250	4.302	50.286	3.732	0.585	-	-	54.603
2003	2004	27.078	17.789	4.572	49.439	3.198	0.498	-	-	53.135
2004	2005	25.636	16.156	4.056	45.848	3.025	0.337	-	-	49.210
2005	2006	25.541	14.465	3.548	43.554	2.819	0.250	-	-	46.623
2006	2007	24.454	14.294	3.219	41.967	2.746	0.230	-	-	44.943
		TAX LEVIE	<u>S</u>							
1996	1997	87,163,093	60,702,577	12,118,844	159,984,514	5,742,586	1,622,968	10,044	-	167,360,112
1997	1998	87,229,311	62,737,794	12,552,196	162,519,301	5,994,954	1,704,855	8,850	-	170,227,960
1998	1999	85,503,325	65,525,453	12,454,087	163,482,865	6,149,168	1,512,655	8,124	-	171,152,812
1999	2000	90,186,859	61,903,210	13,457,145	165,547,214	6,465,154	1,499,958	7,781	-	173,520,107
2000	2001	92,781,098	65,015,640	14,428,727	172,225,465	6,727,469	1,349,649	16,885	-	180,319,468
2001	2002	99,131,050	66,502,260	15,090,354	180,723,664	7,056,979	1,352,694	-	-	189,133,337
2002	2003	103,504,290	68,110,222	15,084,238	186,698,750	7,384,610	1,222,757	-	-	195,306,117
2003	2004	104,154,621	68,422,784	17,587,559	190,164,964	6,616,255	1,029,947	-	-	197,811,166
2004	2005	111,196,210	70,077,008	17,591,732	198,864,950	6,918,441	771,317	-	-	206,554,708
2005	2006	122,936,213	69,623,923	17,077,462	209,637,598	7,184,837	637,049	-	-	217,459,485
2006	2007	129,778,535	75,859,525	17,080,720	222,718,780	7,569,452	633,671	-	-	230,921,903

⁽¹⁾ Tax Levy on suburban property only.

⁽²⁾ Tax Levy on property in the watershed district only.

⁽³⁾ Tax rates may be lower in certain tax areas due to Disparity Reduction Aid paid by the state to governmental units in certain state determined tax areas.

⁽⁴⁾ To make comparable to prior year levies, amount for HACA aid has been added to County's certified levy.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

						Collected	within the			
						Fiscal Year	of the Levy		Total Collec	ctions to Date
Fiscal Year	Taxes Levied for the Fiscal Year (Original Levy)	Property Tax Credits (1)	Taxes Levied on Taxpayer	Adjustments	Total Adjusted Levy	Amount	Percentage of Original Levy on Taxpayer	Collections in Subsequent Years	Amount	Percentage of Adjusted Levy
1997	\$ 159,984,513	\$ 12,253,359	\$ 147,731,154	\$ 572,772	\$ 147,158,382	\$ 145,281,635	98.34%	\$ 1,370,556	\$ 146,652,191	99.66%
1998	162,519,301	12,279,654	150,239,647	346,917	149,892,730	148,330,593	98.73%	1,092,673	149,423,266	99.69%
1999	163,482,865	12,333,535	151,149,330	484,252	150,665,078	148,936,175	98.54%	1,111,369	150,047,544	99.59%
2000	165,547,214	14,341,142	151,206,072	250,821	150,955,251	149,128,001	98.63%	1,370,592	150,498,593	99.70%
2001	180,304,183	14,925,219	165,378,964	622,522	164,756,442	162,538,628	98.28%	1,324,893	163,863,521	99.46%
2002	189,146,194	27,524,379	161,621,815	249,906	161,371,909	159,790,921	98.87%	543,962	160,334,883	99.36%
2003	195,304,680	22,773,089	172,531,591	970,483	171,561,108	169,910,507	98.48%	(215,095)	169,695,412	98.91%
2004	197,811,635	12,743,098	185,068,537	1,500,388	183,568,149	181,440,412	98.04%	295,954	181,736,366	99.00%
2005	206,554,660	11,636,585	194,918,075	1,128,554	193,789,521	191,406,457	98.20%	1,006,322	192,412,779	99.29%
2006	217,459,484	10,143,743	207,315,741	797,442	206,518,299	203,455,200	98.14%	_	203,455,200	98.52%

Source: County Department of Records and Revenue
1) Payments made by the State for Property Tax relief.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA RATIO OF NET GENERAL OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE TO ASSESSED VALUE, NET BONDED DEBT PER CAPITA AND PERSONAL INCOME LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

BUSINESS-TYPE

	GOVERNI	IENTAL ACTIVITIES	S	ACTIVITIES										
	GENERAL OBLIGATION	PUBLIC FACILITY LEASE	CAPITAL	GENERAL OBLIGATION	TOTAL PRIMARY	DE	LESS BT SERVICE		NET	NET TAX	PERCENT OF NET BONDED DEBT TO	BON	NET NDED DEBT	PERCENTAGE OF PERSONAL
YEAR	BONDS	REV. BONDS	LEASES	BONDS	GOVERNMENT		FUNDS	ВС	NDED DEBT	CAPACITY	TAXABLE VALUE	PE	R CAPITA	INCOME
1997	\$ 186,703,248	\$ -	\$ 136,367	\$ -	\$ 186,839,615	\$	78,092,406	\$	108,747,209	\$ 349,842,601	31.08%	\$	218.62	0.70%
1998	169,711,357	-	72,623	-	169,783,980		70,984,886		98,799,094	343,937,821	28.73%		198.36	0.60%
1999	121,708,263	-	4,114	-	121,712,377		19,222,151		102,490,226	364,547,086	28.11%		205.84	0.60%
2000	121,164,678	-	-	4,045,000	125,209,678		17,422,401		107,787,277	444,323,085	24.26%		210.92	0.61%
2001	120,061,718	-	-	4,045,000	124,106,718		12,721,534		111,385,184	352,321,925	31.61%		217.35	0.62%
2002	147,453,680	13,845,000	-	7,595,000	168,893,680		13,662,884		155,230,796	380,721,101	40.77%		301.57	0.85%
2003	159,002,000	13,845,000	244,089	7,345,000	180,436,089		17,007,495		163,428,594	414,267,593	39.45%		317.17	0.86%
2004	199,827,000	13,845,000	201,570	7,075,000	220,948,570		30,310,653		190,637,917	461,362,667	41.32%		369.88	1.00%
2005	195,507,000	13,375,000	156,111	9,725,000	218,763,111		35,744,378		183,018,733	429,416,560	42.62%		355.03	0.96%
2006	190,962,000	12,895,000	107,512	9,430,000	213,394,512		36,513,877		176,880,635	478,383,799	36.97%		342.79	0.90%

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA RATIOS OF GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

YEAR	GENERAL BLIGATION BONDS	DE	LESS BT SERVICE FUNDS	 TOTAL	PERCENTAGE OF PERSONAL INCOME	PERCENTAGE OF NET TAX CAPACITY	 NET DED DEBT R CAPITA
1997	\$ 186,703,248	\$	78,092,406	\$ 108,610,842	0.70%	31.05%	\$ 218.35
1998	169,711,357		70,984,886	98,726,471	0.60%	28.70%	198.21
1999	121,708,263		19,222,151	102,486,112	0.60%	28.11%	205.83
2000	125,209,678		17,422,401	107,787,277	0.61%	24.26%	210.92
2001	124,106,718		12,721,534	111,385,184	0.62%	31.61%	217.35
2002	155,048,680		13,662,884	141,385,796	0.78%	37.14%	274.67
2003	166,347,000		17,007,495	149,339,505	0.81%	36.05%	289.83
2004	206,902,000		30,310,653	176,591,347	0.90%	38.28%	342.62
2005	205,232,000		35,744,378	169,487,622	0.84%	39.47%	328.78
2006	200,392,000		36,513,877	163,878,123	0.81%	34.26%	317.59

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2006

Government Unit	Debt Outstanding*	Estimated Percentage Application **	Estimated Share of Direct and Overlapping Debt
Debt repaid with property taxes			
City of White Bear Lake	\$ 1,895,000	98.4%	\$ 1,864,680
City of Spring Lake Park	8,180,000	2.4%	196,320
City of St. Anthony	3,775,000	26.2%	989,050
City of Blaine	13,050,000	1.0%	130,500
School District #624	72,235,000	81.9%	59,160,466
School District #622	112,935,000	54.6%	61,662,510
School District #282	3,000,000	37.9%	1,137,000
North Metro Intermediate School District #916	1,055,000	43.0%	453,650
Metro Council	175,350,000	15.8%	27,705,300
Ramsey-Washington Metro Watershed District	927,011	100.0%	927,011
City of St. Paul	111,720,000	100.0%	111,720,000
City of Maplewood	11,550,000	100.0%	11,550,000
City of Mounds View	1,496,880	100.0%	1,496,880
City of New Brighton	8,280,000	100.0%	8,280,000
City of North St. Paul	5,455,000	100.0%	5,455,000
City of Roseville	9,000,000	100.0%	9,000,000
City of Shoreview	5,370,000	100.0%	5,370,000
City of Vadnais Heights	2,546,000	100.0%	2,546,000
Town of White Bear	2,380,000	100.0%	2,380,000
School District #621	128,373,495	100.0%	128,373,495
School District #623	39,175,000	100.0%	39,175,000
School District #625	343,847,152	100.0%	343,847,152
Port Authority	13,470,000	100.0%	13,470,000
Other debt			
Ramsey County Capital Leases	107,511	100.0%	107,511
Ramsey County Public Facility Revenue Bonds	12,895,000	100.0%	12,895,000
Subtotal, overlapping debt			849,892,525
Ramsey County Direct Debt	181,432,000	100.0%	181,432,000
Total direct and overlapping debt			\$1,031,324,525

^{*} Debt Outstanding - That portion of the debt which is financed by tax levies.

^{**} Determined by ratio of net tax capacity of property subject to taxation in overlapping unit to net tax capacity of property subject to taxation in reporting unit.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Legal Debt Margin Calculation for Fiscal Year 2006

Assessed value	\$ 41,244,396,300
Debt Limit (2% of assessed value)	824,887,926
Debt applicable to limit:	
General obligation bonds	200,392,000
Less: Amount set aside for	
repayment of general obligation bonds	(36,513,877)
Total net debt applicable to limit	163,878,123
Legal debt margin	\$ 661,009,803

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Debt limit	\$ 365,055,954	\$ 391,689,052	\$ 422,566,296	\$ 467,600,850	\$ 507,175,248	\$ 513,814,712	\$ 577,778,052	\$ 646,599,044	\$ 734,902,804	\$ 824,887,926
Total net debt applicable to limit	108,154,422	98,379,865	102,121,971	106,916,529	111,213,520	155,230,796	163,184,505	176,591,347	169,487,622	163,878,123
Legal debt margin	\$ 256,901,532	\$ 293,309,187	\$ 320,444,325	\$ 360,684,321	\$ 395,961,728	\$ 358,583,916	\$ 414,593,547	\$ 470,007,697	\$ 565,415,182	\$ 661,009,803

Note: Limit on debt - Minnesota Statutes, Section 475.53, Subdivision 1 - "Except as otherwise provided -- no municipality, --, shall incur or be subject to a net debt in excess of 2 percent of the market value of taxable property in the municipality."

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEAR'S AGO

2006 1997 Percentage of Percentage of Taxable **Total Taxable Taxable Total Taxable Net Tax Net Tax Net Tax Net Tax** Type of Business Capacity Capacity **Taxpayer** Capacity Rank Capacity Rank NorthernStates Power Utility 7,808,804 1 1.6 % \$ 12,917,961 1 3.5 % (Xcel Energy) Corporate Headquarters ЗМ 5,677,654 2 1.1 % 9,574,626 2 2.6 % /Manufacturing Real Estate Investing Compass Retail Inc 2,187,100 3 0.4 % (Rosedale) Property Management/ Real Estate Investing 0.4 % **CSM Corporation & Investors** 1,820,606 4 (Commercial/ Office/ Hotel/ Townhome) Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Insurance 1,731,034 5 0.4 % Guidant(Cardiac Pacemakers Inc) Medical Manufacturing 1,699,250 6 0.3 % **Target Corporation** Retail 1,648,414 7 0.3 % 1,786,466 0.5 % 6 Maplewood Mall Associates LP Real Estate Investing 1,529,250 8 0.3 % 2,529,426 4 0.7 % (Maplewood Mall) US Bank Corp Prop & US Bancorp Corp Office Building & 1,545,153 9 0.3 % Banking Heritage Property Investment Trust Real Estate Investing (Har-1,565,736 10 0.3 % Inc. (Bradley Operating LP) Mar & others) Equitable Life Assurance Society Insurance/Real Estate 3 0.9 % 3,318,050 St Paul Fire and Marine Ins Co Insurance 1,939,921 5 0.5 % (St Paul Travelers) 1,542,624 7 0.4 % **Deluxe Corporation Printing Company** Ford Motor Corporation Truck Manufacturing 1,169,244 8 0.3 % 0.3 % Space Center Enterprises Warehousing 1,113,149 9 **Bradley Real Estate Trust** Real Estate Development 1,011,546 10 0.3 %

Source: Ramsey County Department of Property Records and Revenue

TABLE XIII

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Year	Population ^a	I (n	Personal Income nillions of dollars) ^b	Per Capita Personal Income ^b	Public School Enrollment (K-12)°	Annual Average Unemployment Rate ^d
1997	497,423	\$	15,493	31,147	85,656	2.7%
1998	498,080	\$	16,368	32,863	86,820	2.1%
1999	497,919	\$	17,108	34,360	88,031	2.3%
2000	511,035	\$	17,682	34,601	87,814	2.9%
2001	512,462	\$	18,058	35,237	87,128	3.3%
2002	514,748	\$	18,173	35,304	86,442	4.2%
2003	515,274	\$	18,487	36,654	84,709	4.9%
2004	515,411	\$	19,641	39,369	83,916	4.8%
2005	515,258	\$	20,232	40,883	82,843	4.0%
2006	*		*	*	84,039	3.8%

^{* -} Figure for this period is not yet available.

^a Source for 2000 is U.S. Census Bureau; all other years are estimates from the Metropolitan Council.

^b U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

^c State Department of Education.

^d Minnesota Department of Economic Security, Research and Planning.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA PRINICIPAL EMPLOYERS CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEAR'S AGO

		Fis	cal Year 200	06		Fiscal Year 19	97
	Approximate			Percentage of	Approximate		Percentage of
T	Number of		Dank	Total County	Number of	Danis	Total County
<u>Taxpayer</u>	Employees	-	Rank	Employment	Employees	Rank	Employment
U.S. Bank N.A.	51,000	а	1	19.18%	-	-	-
State of Minnesota	35,750		2	13.44%	34,472	1	12.59%
University of Minnesota	16,300	b	3	6.13%	3,997	5	1.46%
3M Company	14,500		4	5.45%	13,662	2	4.99%
Target Corporation	11,400	С	5	4.29%	-	-	-
Health East	6,700		6	2.52%	3,469	7	1.27%
Indep. School District #625	5,797		7	2.18%	5,300	3	1.93%
Ramsey County	4,379		8	1.65%	3,890	6	1.42%
United/Children's Hospital	4,500		9	1.69%	4,190	4	1.53%
Regions Hospital	4,000		10	1.50%	3,000	10	1.10%
City of St Paul	-		-	-	3,343	8	-
St. Paul Companies	-		-	-	3,300	9	1.20%
	154,326			58.34%	78,623		27.49%

a: Employment figure nationwide headquarter in St. Paul

Source: Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Security.

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b: Includes Minneapolis campus

c: Includes entire Twin Cities area

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RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA INSURANCE IN FORCE DECEMBER 31, 2006

COMPANY NAME	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY PERIOD	COVERAGE-DEPARTMENTS	POLICY LIMIT
St. Paul/Travelers	KTK-CMB-294T324-4-06	9/22/06-9/22/07	COUNTY Property Fire & Extended Coverage Boiler & Machinery Vehicles & Mobile Equipment	All Risk, Full Replacement, \$100,000 deductible B&M Perils \$500,000,000 limit
Travelers Insurance Company	103916124	9/22/06-9/22/07	Commercial Crime including Public Employee Dishonesty coverage	\$3,000,000 \$50,000 deductible
WCRA	40014	1/1/06-1/1/07	Reinsurance - Workers Compensation	Statutory, covers claims over \$1,560,000
Berkley	WC22-04-109107-05	1/1/06-1/1/07	WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS Workers' Compensation	Statutory, covers claims over \$1,560,000
MN Joint Underwriters Assn.	20041	7/1/06-7/1/07	LAKE OWASSO General & Professional Liability	\$1,000,000/occurrence \$3,000,000 aggregate \$5,000 deductible
Berkley	WC22-04-109107-05	1/1/06-1/1/07	Workers' Compensation	Statutory, covers claims over \$1,560,000
National Indemnity Company of America	75APN389887	1/1/06-1/1/07	Automobile	\$1,000,000 \$500.00 deductible for Collision & Comprehensive.
The Medical Protective Company	679766	7/1/06-7/1/07	MEDICAL EXAMINER Professional Liability Kelly Mills, MD	\$1,000,000/occurrence \$3,000,000 aggregate
The Medical Protective Company	675823	7/1/06-7/1/07	Professional Liability Michael McGee, MD	\$1,000,000/occurrence \$3,000,000 aggregate
The Medical Protective Company	709326	7/1/06-7/1/07	Professional Liability Victor V. Froloff	\$1,000,000/occurrence \$3,000,000 aggregate

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA INSURANCE IN FORCE DECEMBER 31, 2006

COMPANY NAME	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY PERIOD	COVERAGE-DEPARTMENTS	POLICY LIMIT
CNA Surety/Western Surety Co.	0601 69042089	9/15/06-9/15/07	NURSING HOME Patient's Bond	\$100,000
MCIT	WC245006	1/1/06-1/1/07	RESOURCE RECOVERY Workers' Compensation	Statutory, covers claims over \$1,560,000
MCIT	PC245006	1/1/06-1/1/07	Package Liability	\$1,000,000/occurrence \$300,000/person
MN Joint Underwriting Association	40015	7/1/06-7/1/07	REGIONAL RAIL Directors & Officers	\$1,000,000/occurrence
MN Joint Underwriting Association	J04-0016	7/1/06-7/1/07	General Liability	\$1,000,000/occurrence \$250.00 deductible

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA FULL-TIME-EQUIVALENT COUNTY EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION/PROGRAM LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Full-time Equivalent Employees as of December 31 Function/Program 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 General government 893.03 902.03 870.21 890.57 898.43 896.73 896.08 709.88 709.08 719.08 Public safety 811.74 835.74 850.74 919.74 925.74 928.24 952.99 956.99 959.49 1,069.49 Highways and streets 151.78 153.78 150.13 144.13 132.13 131.13 131.13 123.13 122.18 122.18 Sanitation Health 141.92 260.82 264.68 269.48 259.88 273.76 288.76 273.83 292.73 291.53 Human services 1,206.94 1,215.71 1,226.21 1,236.71 1,224.96 1,264.26 1,299.74 1,251.35 1,274.09 1,252.09 Culture and recreation 199.39 201.79 200.79 200.07 199.07 201.06 204.36 194.66 196.91 193.61 Conservation of natural resources 4.90 4.90 4.90 4.90 4.90 6.25 3.90 3.90 4.90 4.90 Economic development and assistance 76.20 43.40 43.40 43.40 45.40 74.40 79.40 78.40 89.40 89.40 Total 3,430.28 3,606.71 3,633.88 3,718.86 3,717.81 3,786.13 3,853.16 3,592.14 3,647.58 3,743.48

Source: County Budgeting and Accounting Office.

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA OPERATING INDICATORS BY FUNCTION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	Fiscal Year									
Function/Program	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
O										
General government			.				• 500			
County Building Operating Cost per Gross Square Foot	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$ 5.45	\$ 5.36	\$ 5.43	\$ 5.28	\$ 5.28
Public safety Sheriff:										
Jail Facility Bookings	20,081	20,871	21,422	23,352	23,233	24,240	23,578	23,652	25,025	25,864
Warrants Issued & Cleared	20,061 N/A	20,67 I N/A	21,422 N/A	23,352 19,761	18,855	24,240	18,467	17,059	15,598	25,00 4 15,118
Corrections:	IN/A	IN/A	IN/A	19,761	10,000	20,140	10,407	17,059	15,596	15,116
Adult Probation Cases	25,345	25,581	28,348	27,574	29,095	31,765	32,331	31,234	29,553	28,763
Juvenile Probation Cases	25,345	2,992	3,004	3,338	3,404	3,703	3,231	3,040	3,151	3,529
Average daily population All Facilities	384	2,992 447	425	3,336 454	469	503	515	505	531	539
Highways and streets	304	447	423	404	409	303	313	303	331	339
Vehicle miles traveled on County roads	1,771,481	1,809,050	1,846,619	1,882,905	1,919,190	1,940,058	1,960,926	1,929,843	1,898,759	1,884,314
Health	1,771,401	1,009,000	1,040,013	1,002,903	1,515,150	1,940,030	1,300,320	1,323,043	1,030,733	1,004,514
WIC Nutrition Progam Client served	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	26,161	27,744	28,610	29,436
Client personal care attendant assessments	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,438	1,884	1,772	1,710
Human services	14// (14// (14// (14// (14// (14/7 (1,400	1,004	1,772	1,710
Financial Assistance Cases	33,387	32,410	32,347	33,067	34,993	37,881	39,247	40,937	41,536	43,053
Out of Home Placements	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,842	3,473	3,565	3,287	3,260
Applications for Financial Assistance	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	28,433	31,205	31,205	34,267	37,158
Services for Disabled Adults	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	207	438	714	916	1.145	1,366
Child Maltreatment Intake Reports	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,457	1,427	1,502	1,833	1,718
Culture and recreation						ŕ	,	,	•	ŕ
Parks and recreation:										
Ice hours rented at ice arenas	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	13,423	12,774	15,389	15,814	15,746
Park shelter rentals	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,315	1,247	1,272	1,254
Libraries:										
Total Circulation	2,647,348	2,645,526	2,741,949	2,811,940	2,996,503	3,404,282	3,579,427	3,749,432	3,842,512	4,074,673
Visits to Library Buildings	1,167,257	1,291,641	1,390,843	1,490,569	1,531,946	1,641,497	1,626,456	1,623,429	1,681,171	1,674,239
Librarian reference assistance	258,622	244,261	169,732	293,211	313,277	293,569	269,444	274,712	272,302	264,372
Economic development and assistance										
Workforce Solutions:										
Percent of participants in voluntary programs employed	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	73%	77%
Percent of participants in mandatory programs employed	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	63%	71%

Source: County Budgeting and Accounting Office and individual county departments.

N/A: Not available

RAMSEY COUNTY, MINNESOTA CAPITAL ASSETS STATISTICS BY FUNCTION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

			Fiscal Year											
Function/Program	1997	•	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006			
Public safety														
Patrol Station		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Law Enforcement Center		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Post Adjudicated Correctional facilities		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3			
Pre-Adjudicated Correctional Facilities		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Highways and streets														
Centerline miles of county road maintained	2	86	281	281	298	298	302	302	298	298	298			
Culture and recreation														
Parks and recreation:														
Number of regional parks		6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6			
Number of county parks		9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9			
Park acreage:														
Developed	N/A	N/	A	N/A	N/A	5,478	5,478	5,478	5,478	5,478	5,478			
Undeveloped	N/A	N/	A	N/A	N/A	636	636	636	636	636	636			
County golf courses		4	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	5	5			
Golf dome (practice range)		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Ice arenas		11	11	10	11	11	11	11	11	11	11			
Fairgrounds		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Nature center		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Archery range		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Picnic shelters		28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28			
Pavilions		4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4			

Source: County Budgeting and Accounting Office and individual county departments.

N/A: Not available Unaudited