

City of Azusa Annual Financial Report of its

Proposition A Local Return Fund
Proposition C Local Return Fund
Measure R Local Return Fund
Measure M Local Return Fund
Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund

As of and for the Years Ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 with Report of Independent Auditors



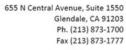


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Report of Independent Auditors

To the Honorable Members of the City Council of the City of Azusa, California and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Proposition A Local Return Fund, the Proposition C Local Return Fund, the Measure R Local Return Fund, the Measure M Local Return Fund and the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund (collectively, the Funds) of the City of Azusa, California (the City) which comprise the Funds' balance sheets as of June 30, 2020 and 2019, and the related statements of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits 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 audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.





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

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Proposition A Local Return Fund, the Proposition C Local Return Fund, the Measure R Local Return Fund, the Measure M Local Return Fund and the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund of the City of Azusa, California, as of June 30, 2020 and 2019, and the respective changes in financial position for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matter

As discussed in Note 15, the fiscal year 2019 financial statements of Proposition C Local Return Fund have been restated to recognize the receipt of the LACMTA Call for Projects grant. The fiscal year 2019 financial statements of Measure R Local Return Fund have been restated to recognize certain expenditures related to Traffic Signal and Modifications for Synchronization (TRIP) project. Our opinion is not modified with respect to these matters.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 2, the financial statements present only the Proposition A Local Return Fund, the Proposition C Local Return Fund, the Measure R Local Return Fund, the Measure M Local Return Fund and the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund of the City of Azusa, California, and do not purport to, and do not present fairly the financial position of the City as of June 30, 2020 and 2019, and the changes in its financial position for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.



Supplementary Information

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on each of the Funds' financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information identified in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The supplementary information identified in the table of contents is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the Funds' basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the Funds' basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the Funds' basic financial statements or to the Funds' basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to each of the Funds' basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

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In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 15, 2020 on our consideration of the City's internal control over the Funds' 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 solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over the Funds' financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over the Funds' financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City's internal control over the Funds' financial reporting and compliance.

Glendale, California December 15, 2020

	June 30		
	2020	2019	
ASSETS			
Cash and investments \$	2,483,212	\$ 2,289,809	
Accounts receivable	11,319	26,859	
Interest receivable	3,239	11,669	
Prepaid expense	-	145	
Total assets \$	2,497,770	\$ 2,328,482	
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOW OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCE Liabilities Accounts payable \$ Accrued payroll and employee benefits Accrued expenses Total liabilities	12,583 33,256 335 46,174	\$ 51,776 30,856 2,392 85,024	
Deferred inflow of resources			
Unavailable revenue	11,277	24,305	
Total deferred inflow of resources	11,277	24,305	
Fund balance			
Restricted	2,440,319	2,219,153	
Total fund balance	2,440,319	2,219,153	
Total liabilities, deferred inflow of resources and			
fund balance \$	2,497,770	\$ 2,328,482	

City of Azusa Proposition A Local Return Fund Statements of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance

			Years ended June 30		
			2020		2019
Revenues					
Proposition A		\$	963,348	\$	999,027
Proposition A Discretionary Incentive Progra	m grant		42,896		-
Interest income			39,544		30,537
Project generated revenues			137,488		149,992
Other revenues			-		844
	Total revenues		1,183,276		1,180,400
Expenditures Various projects		_	962,110		926,865
	Total expenditures	_	962,110		926,865
Excess of revenues over expenditures			221,166		253,535
Fund balance at beginning of year			2,219,153		1,965,618
Fund balance at end of year		\$_	2,440,319	\$_	2,219,153

City of Azusa Proposition A Local Return Fund Supplementary Information Schedule of Expenditures – Actual and LACMTA Approved Project Budget Year ended June 30, 2020 (With Comparative Actuals for 2019)

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Project	Project Name	LACMTA	A - 4 1	Variance Positive	-	2019
Code	Project Name	Budget	 Actual	(Negative)		Actual
130-01	Demand Response \$	835,000	\$ 746,567	\$ 88,433	\$	774,217
150-01	Bus Stop Improvements	760,000	-	760,000		14,173
170-03	Transit Shelter Maintenance	45,000	19,555	25,445		19,555
180-01	Bus Replacement and Dispatch Equipment	45,000	34,551	10,449		-
410-01	Rideshare Program	21,890	7,499	14,391		16,051
480-01	Direct Administration	150,000	153,938	(3,938)		102,869
	Total expenditures \$	1,856,890	\$ 962,110	\$ 894,780	\$	926,865

Date Acquired	Description	Balance July 1, 2019	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2020
1992	5 Drawer Lateral File \$	771	\$ - :	\$ - \$	771
1992	Training Video recorder	866	-	-	866
1993	2-Way Radios	9,411	-	-	9,411
1993	1993 Ford Collins #78-11 Passenger Vehicle	40,987	-	-	40,987
1994	1994 Ford Collins #79-11 Passenger Vehicle	40,987	-	-	40,987
1995	1995 Ford Collins #80-11 Passenger Vehicle	40,987	-	-	40,987
1996	HP LaserJet 4 Printer and Accessories	1,688	-	-	1,688
1996	HP Plain Paper Fax Machine	509	-	-	509
1996	GE 18 Cubic Foot Refrigerator	541	-	-	541
1996	46" RCA Television	1,623	-	-	1,623
1997	Bearcom Wireless-6 ea. Low Band 2-Way Radio	3,601	-	-	3,601
1997	5 Drawer Lateral File Cabinet	708	-	-	708
1997	"U" Shaped Workstation	592	-	-	592
1997	Lucent Technologies-Telephone Switch	16,950	-	-	16,950
1997	L&T Sink Co.	725	-	-	725
1997	Vega Audio/Radio Console	1,366	-	-	1,366
2001	1994 Ford Collins#79-11 Rebuild Transmission	2,948	-	-	2,948
2012	12 Starcraft Allstar 22' Unit # 42083	64,306	-	-	64,306
2012	12 Starcraft Allstar 22' Unit # 42084	64,306			64,306
	Total \$	293,872	\$	\$\$	293,872

		June 30		
	_			(as restated)
		2020		2019
ASSETS				_
Cash and investments	\$	2,495,378	\$	2,290,026
Accounts receivable		16		427
Interest receivable		3,352		11,729
Prepaid expense		3,000		145
	Total assets \$	2,501,746	\$	2,302,327
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LIABILITIES AND FUND BA	LANCE			
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	14,864	\$	77,150
Accrued payroll and employee benefits		20,403		19,253
Accrued expenses		41		2,657
	Total liabilities	35,308		99,060
	_			
Fund balance				
Restricted		2,466,438	_	2,203,267
	Total fund balance	2,466,438	_	2,203,267
Total liabiliti	es and fund balance \$	2,501,746	\$	2,302,327

		Years ende	ed June 30
			(as restated)
		2020	2019
Revenues			
Proposition C	\$	799,099 \$	828,665
Interest income		40,898	31,020
Project generated revenues		11,535	16,281
Other revenues		83,280	89,653
Federal grants			51,924
	Total revenues	934,812	1,017,543
Expenditures			
Expenditures funded by PCLRF		671,641	595,672
Expenditures funded by General Fund		-	8,621
•	Total expenditures	671,641	604,293
Excess of revenues over expenditures		263,171	413,250
Other financing source			
Transfer from General Fund		-	8,621
Total othe	r financing source	-	8,621
Change in fund balance		263,171	421,871
Fund balance at beginning of year		2,203,267	1,781,396
Fund balance at end of year	\$	2,466,438	2,203,267

City of Azusa Proposition C Local Return Fund Supplementary Information Schedule of Expenditures – Actual and LACMTA Approved Project Budget Year ended June 30, 2020 (With Comparative Actuals for 2019)

		_			2020		_	
Project			LACMTA			Variance Positive		2019
Code	Project Name		Budget	_	Actual	(Negative)		Actual
120-01	Metrolink Shuttle	\$	343,520	\$	355,509 \$	(11,989)	\$	236,876
140-01	Recreation and Special Events		30,000		15,265	14,735		26,667
250-01	Bus Pass Subsidy Program		146,000		75,853	70,147		108,973
270-03	Transportation Improvement Consultant		12,750		10,129	2,621		12,331
310-01	Parking Structure Maintenance		80,000		3,592	76,408		72,800
410-01	Rideshare Program		21,890		6,021	15,869		16,051
440-02	Azusa Avenue Pavement Rehabilitation		_		-	-		3,078
450-01	Foothill Boulevard Street Improvements		790,000		17,121	772,879		_
470-01	Pavement Management System		108,500		53,836	54,664		_
480-02	Direct Administration		175,000		134,315	40,685		118,896
	Total expenditures	\$	1,707,660	\$	671,641	1,036,019	\$	595,672

Date Acquired	Description	Balance July 1, 2019	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2020
4000		== 000			57.000
1996	96 Ford El Dorado-12 Passenger Van w/ Wheel Chair Lift \$	57,638	\$ - \$	- \$	57,638
1997	HP Laserjet5 Printer and Accessories	1,689	-	-	1,689
1997	Jet Algo Pentium Computer	2,484	-	-	2,484
1997	Jet Algo Pentium Computer	2,484	-	=	2,484
1997	Lucent Technologies-Telephone Switch	11,609	=	-	11,609
1997	Infotelm/Base-Station Installed	2,484	=	-	2,484
1997	Shop Fire Door	586	=	-	586
1997	L&T Sink Cabinets	3,110	=	=	3,110
1997	Jet Algo Pentium II/333 Computer	2,003	=	=	2,003
1999	99 Ford Collins-World Trans Commuter 16 Passenger	58,894	=	=	58,894
2003	2005 Goshen GC11-CNG	51,527	-	=	51,527
2007	StarCraft Starlite Vehicle	22,326	=	=	22,326
2008	12 Radios	14,089	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	14,089
	Total \$_	230,923	\$\$	\$_	230,923

		June 30		
				(as restated)
	_	2020		2019
ASSETS Cash and investments	\$	1,781,766	\$	2,710,704
Accounts receivable Interest receivable		9,891 -		114,311 6,734
Total assets	\$	1,791,657	\$	2,831,749
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOW OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCE Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	571,131	\$	_
Retention payable	Ψ	73,281	Ψ	63,310
Accrued expenses		14,617		21,525
Accrued payroll and employee benefits		5,562		348
Total liabilities		664,591	· -	85,183
Deferred inflow of resources				
Unavailable revenue	_	-	_	66,661
Total deferred inflow of resources		-		66,661
Fund balance				
Restricted - Total Road Improvement Program		977,432		2,453,821
Restricted		149,634	_	226,084
Total fund balance		1,127,066		2,679,905
Total liabilities, deferred inflow of resources and				
fund balance	\$	1,791,657	\$	2,831,749

		Years ended June 30			
	•		(as restated)		
		2020	2019		
Revenues					
Measure R	\$	598,467 \$	621,677		
Interest income		39,426	73,706		
	Total revenues	637,893	695,383		
Expenditures Various projects	Total expenditures	2,190,732 2,190,732	886,895 886,895		
Deficiency of revenues over expenditures		(1,552,839)	(191,512)		
Fund balance at beginning of the year		2,679,905	2,871,417		
Fund balance at end of year	\$	1,127,066 \$	2,679,905		

City of Azusa Measure R Local Return Fund Supplementary Information Schedule of Expenditures – Actual and LACMTA Approved Project Budget Year ended June 30, 2020 (With Comparative Actuals for 2019)

					2020			
Project Code	Project Name	LACMTA Budget Actual			_	Variance Positive (Negative)	(as restated) 2019 Actual	
1.05	Operations for Signage, Concrete, Asphalt,							
	Painting, Signals	\$	228,200	\$	321,427	\$	(93,227) \$	393,297
1.90	Road and Street Work Inspector/Oversight		245,000		112,892		132,108	114,634
2.00	MR TRIP Bond Reimbursable Expenditures		-		-		-	66,661
2.01	Traffic Signal Installation at Foothill and Palm		_		_		_	23,781
2.05	Traffic Management System (Bond)		2,338,330		1,511,122		827,208	-
2.29	Traffic Signal and Modifications for							
	Synchronization (TRIP)		228,200		232,119		(3,919)	283,709
8.10	Fund Administration (20% Cap)		10,000		13,172		(3,172)	4,813
	Total expenditures	\$	3,049,730	\$_	2,190,732	\$	858,998 \$	886,895

City of Azusa Measure R Local Return Fund Supplementary Information Schedule of Capital Assets Year ended June 30, 2020

Date Acquired		Description		Balance July 1, 2019	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2020
N/A	None		\$_		\$	- \$_	
			Total \$	-	- 9	- \$	_

		Jui	ne :	30
	_	2020		2019
	-		_	
ASSETS				
Cash and investments	\$	1,682,637	\$	1,191,257
Interest receivable	_	2,105	_	
	Total assets \$	1,684,742	\$	1,191,257
	_			_
LIABILITIES AND FUND B	ALANCE			
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	46,388	\$	166,409
Accrued payroll and employee benefits		729		2,500
Accrued expense		826	_	
	Total liabilities	47,943	_	168,909
Fund balance				
Restricted	<u> </u>	1,636,799	_	1,022,348
	Total fund balance	1,636,799	_	1,022,348
Total liabili	ties and fund balance \$ _	1,684,742	\$_	1,191,257

			Years en	ded	June 30
			2020		2019
Revenues Measure M		\$	674,100	\$	699,738
Interest income		Ψ	22,462	Ψ	9,318
	Total revenues		696,562	_	709,056
Expenditures					
Expenditures funded by MMLRF			82,111		207,959
Expenditures funded by General Fundament	ds		_		13,637
	Total expenditures		82,111		221,596
Excess of revenues over expenditure	es		614,451		487,460
Other funding source					
Transfer in from General Fund			-	_	13,637
	Total other funding source		-		13,637
Change in fund balance			614,451		501,097
Fund balance at beginning of year			1,022,348	_	521,251
Fund balance at end of year		\$	1,636,799	\$_	1,022,348

City of Azusa Measure M Local Return Fund Supplementary Information Schedule of Expenditures – Actual and LACMTA Approved Project Budget Year ended June 30, 2020 (With Comparative Actuals for 2019)

	_					
					Variance	
Project		LACMTA			Positive	2019
Code	Project Name	Budget		Actual	 (Negative)	 Actual
1.05	Arrow Highway Street Improvement \$	50,000	\$	48,740	\$ 1,260	\$ -
1.05	Vernon Avenue Street Improvement	290,405		-	290,405	166,367
1.05	Newburgh Street Pavement Preservation	81,000		32,400	48,600	-
8.10	Administration (20%)	40,200	_	971	39,229	 41,592
	Total expenditures \$	461,605	\$	82,111	\$ 379,494	\$ 207,959

City of Azusa Measure M Local Return Fund Supplementary Information Schedule of Capital Assets Year ended June 30, 2020

Date Acquired		Description		Balance July 1, 2019	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2020
N/A	None		\$	\$	\$	- \$	_
			Total \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	-

		Ju	ne 3	0
	-	2020		2019
	ASSETS			
Due from LACMTA	\$	66,341	\$	-
	Total assets \$ _	66,341	\$	-
LIABILITIE	ES AND FUND BALANCE			
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	_
	Total liabilities	-	_	-
Fund balance				
Restricted		66,341		-
	Total fund balance	66,341		-
	Total liabilities and fund balance \$	66,341	- \$	-

		Years ended .	June 30
	-	2020	2019
Revenues Intergovernmental Allocations:	\$	66,341 \$	16 044
TDA Article 3	⊅ _ Total revenues	66,341_⊅	16,044 16,044
Expenditures Various projects	Total expenditures	<u> </u>	16,044 16,044
Excess of revenues over expenditures		66,341	-
Fund balance at beginning of year	-	<u> </u>	
Fund balance at end of year	\$ _	66,341 \$	

City of Azusa Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund Pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 99234 Supplementary Information Schedule of Transportation Development Act Allocation for Specific Projects Year ended June 30, 2020

			Totals to Date				
Project Description	Program Year	_	Allocations	Expenditures		Jnexpended Allocations	Project Status
Local Allocations:							
City Sidewalk Improvement Citywide Totals	2020	\$ \$		\$ <u>-</u> \$ <u>-</u>	\$_	66,341 66,341	Completed
Fund balance at beginning of year					_		
Fund balance at end of year					\$_	66,341 *	•

^{*} The drawdown amount of \$66,341 was not received as of June 30, 2020. The City is not required to return the unspent fund balance to LACMTA.

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Fund Accounting

The operations of the Proposition A Local Return Fund (PALRF), the Proposition C Local Return Fund (PCLRF), the Measure R Local Return Fund (MRLRF), Measure M Local Return Fund (MMLRF) and the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund (TDAA3F) (collectively, the Funds) of the City of Azusa (the City) are accounted for in separate sets of self-balancing accounts that comprise their assets, liabilities, fund balance, revenues and expenditures.

PALRF and PCLRF represent 25% and 20%, respectively, of the $\frac{1}{2}$ cent Proposition A and $\frac{1}{2}$ cent Proposition C sales taxes which are distributed to the jurisdictions within Los Angeles County based on population and must be used exclusively for transportation related programs and projects.

MRLRF is derived from 15% of the county-wide ½ cent Measure R sales tax which is distributed to the jurisdictions within Los Angeles County based on a per capita basis and must be used exclusively for transportation purposes.

MMLRF is derived from 17% of the county-wide ½ cent Measure M sales tax which is distributed to the jurisdictions within Los Angeles County based on a per capita basis and must be used exclusively for transportation purposes.

TDAA3F is a Special Revenue Fund that accounts for the City's share of the Transportation Development Act Article 3 allocations which are legally restricted for specific purposes.

Basis of Accounting and Measurement Focus

The PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, MMLRF and TDAA3F are reported as Special Revenue Funds of the City and are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when they become "susceptible to accrual", that is, measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. Expenditures are recorded when the liability is incurred.

Special Revenue Funds are reported on a spending or "financial flow" measurement focus. This means that generally, only current assets, current liabilities and deferred inflows and outflows of resources are included on their balance sheets. Statements of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances for Special Revenue Funds generally present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The budgeted amounts presented in this report for comparison to the actual amounts are based on budgets approved by LACMTA and are presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Fair Value Measurement

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 72, Fair Value Measurement and Application, the City categorizes its fair value measurement within the fair value hierarchy that is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the investment. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical investments; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. Accordingly, the City reports its investments at fair value and recognizes unrealized gain (loss) on investments.

Refer to the City's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for detailed disclosures regarding the City's investments policy and fair value measurement disclosures.

Fund Balance Reporting

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, establishes the fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds.

The PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, MMLRF and TDAA3F report the following fund balance classification as of June 30, 2020 and 2019:

Restricted - Amounts that are constrained for specific purposes, which are
externally imposed by providers, such as creditors, or amounts constrained
due to constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. The use of the Funds'
remaining fund balances are restricted for projects approved by LACMTA.

Information regarding the fund balance reporting policy adopted by the City is described in the City's CAFR.

Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

Pursuant to GASB Statement No. 63, Financial Reporting of Deferred Outflows of Resources, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Net Position and GASB Statement No. 65, Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities, the City recognizes deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources. A deferred outflow of resources is defined as a consumption of net position by the government that is applicable to a future reporting period. A deferred inflow of resources is defined as an acquisition of net position by the government that is applicable to a future reporting period.

Deferred inflows of resources reported by the City represent resources that are not available for spending as of June 30, 2020 and 2019.

NOTE 2 ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements reflect only the financial position and results of operations of the PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, MMLRF and TDAA3F, and do not purport to, and do not present fairly the City's financial position as of June 30, 2020 and 2019, and the changes in its financial position for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

NOTE 3 PROPOSITION A AND PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

The Proposition A Ordinance requires that Local Return (LR) funds be used exclusively to benefit public transit. Expenditures related to fixed route and paratransit services, Transportation Demand Management, Transportation Systems Management and fare subsidy programs that exclusively benefit transit are all eligible uses of Proposition A LR funds. Proposition A LR funds may also be traded with other Jurisdictions in exchange for general or other funds.

The Proposition C Ordinance directs that LR funds also be used to benefit public transit, as described above, but provides an expanded list of eligible project expenditures including Congestion Management Programs, bikeways and bike lanes, street improvements supporting public transit service, and Pavement Management System projects. Proposition C LR funds cannot be traded.

Proposition A and Proposition C LR funds must be expended within three years of the last day of the fiscal year in which funds were originally allocated.

In accordance with *Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return Program Guidelines*, funds received pursuant to these guidelines may only be used for Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return approved programs. See accompanying Compliance Matrix.

NOTE 4 MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

The Measure R Ordinance specifies that LR funds be used exclusively for transportation purposes.

Measure R LR funds must be expended within five years of the first day of the fiscal year in which funds were originally allocated or received.

In accordance with *Measure R Local Return Program Guidelines*, funds received pursuant to these guidelines may only be used for Measure R Local Return approved programs. See accompanying Compliance Matrix.

NOTE 5 MEASURE M LOCAL RETURN COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

Measure M was approved by the voters of Los Angeles County on November 8, 2016 to improve transportation and ease traffic congestion consistent with the Los Angeles County Traffic Improvement Plan Ordinance approved by the Metro Board of Directors on June 23, 2016. The Measure M Ordinance specifies that LR funds be used exclusively for transportation purposes.

Measure M LR funds must be expended within five years of the first day of the fiscal year in which funds were originally allocated or received.

In accordance with *Measure M Local Return Program Guidelines*, funds received pursuant to these guidelines may only be used for Measure M Local Return approved programs. See accompanying Compliance Matrix.

NOTE 6 TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with *Public Utilities Code Section 99234*, funds received pursuant to this Code's section may only be used for activities relating to pedestrians and bicycle facilities. See accompanying Compliance Matrix.

NOTE 7 CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, MMLRF and TDAA3F cash balances were pooled with various other City funds for deposit and investment purposes. The share of each fund in the pooled cash account was separately maintained and interest income was apportioned to the participating funds based on the relationship of their average quarterly balances to the total of the pooled cash and investments.

Please refer to the City's CAFR for a full description of risks relating to cash and investments.

NOTE 8 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable as of June 30, 2020 and 2019 consisted of the following:

PALRF

		2020		2019
Los Angeles County – Department of Public Works	\$	11,277	\$	24,305
•	Ψ	11,211	Ψ	•
Clear Channel		-		2,091
Script sale		-		415
Fees/riders fares		42		48
	\$	11,319	\$	26,859

NOTE 8 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE (CONTINUED)

FULKI	2020	2019
Fees/riders fares	\$ 16	\$ 427
	\$ 16	\$ 427
MRLRF		
	 2020	 2019
Bond Trustee	\$	\$ 66,661
KOA (vendor refund)	9,891	47,650
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NOTE 9 PROPOSITION A DISCRETIONARY INCENTIVE PROGRAM GRANT

The Proposition A Discretionary Incentive Program Grant represents additional funds received from LACMTA for participating in the Voluntary NTD Program. The amounts received for the years ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 consisted of the following:

	_	2020	2019
FY 2015/16 Voluntary NTD	_		
Reporting Program Year	\$	42,896	\$
	\$	42,896	\$ -

The Proposition A Discretionary Incentive Grants were recorded under PALRF.

NOTE 10 PROJECT GENERATED REVENUES

Project generated revenues for the years ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 consisted of the following:

PALRF

	2020	2019
County Dial-A-Ride	\$ 124,302	\$ 133,736
Fees/riders fares	7,436	9,297
Fees/advertising	 5,750	 6,959
	\$ 137,488	\$ 149,992

NOTE 10 PROJECT GENERATED REVENUES (CONTINUED)

PCLRF

	 2020	_	2019
Metrolink and bus pass sales	\$ 7,399	\$	10,784
Fees/riders fares	 4,136		5,497
	\$ 11,535	\$	16,281

NOTE 11 OTHER REVENUES

Other revenues for the years ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 consisted of the following:

PALRF

	 2020	 2019
Insurance reimbursement	\$ -	\$ 844
	\$ -	\$ 844
PCLRF	2020	2019
Gold Line lease	\$ 83,280	\$ 89,371
Insurance reimbursement	 -	 282
	\$ 83,280	\$ 89,653

NOTE 12 TOTAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TRIP) CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION (COP), Series 2018

In March 2016, the City issued \$3,500,000 of Series 2016 Certificates of Participation ("COPs") through the California Communities' Total Road Improvement Program (TRIP) for the purpose of financing the design, acquisition, and construction of certain roadway and street improvement projects in the City of Azusa. The COPs are secured and payable solely from the City's annual Local Measure R Sales Tax receipts. The interest rate on the COPs ranges from 2.0% to 5.0% with annual principal and interest payments ranging from \$226,144 to \$230,963. Principal and interest is payable each June 1 and December 1, commencing December 1, 2016; maturing on June 1, 2036. Proceeds from the issuance of COP was recorded under MRLRF.

NOTE 12 TOTAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TRIP) CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION (COP), Series 2018 (CONTINUED)

On March 24, 2016, LACMTA approved the City's Five-Year Capital Improvement Program that includes the projects for the use of the MRLRF in connection with the TRIP Financing Program as described above.

The following is the capital reserve balance for the TRIP project:

Capital reserve balance at June 30, 2018	\$ 2,460,666
Add: Investment income allocated during FY 2019	59,816
Less: Expenditures during FY 2019	(66,661)
Capital reserve balance at June 30, 2019	2,453,821
Add: Investment income allocated during FY 2020	34,733
Less: Expenditures during FY 2020	(1,511,122)
Capital reserve balance at June 30, 2020	\$ 977,432

NOTE 13 TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUND REVENUE ALLOCATION

The revenue allocations for the years ended June 30, 2020 and 2019 consisted of the following:

	2020	2019		
FY 2015/16 allocation \$	-	\$ 527		
FY 2014/17 allocation	-	15,517		
FY 2015/18 allocation	17,238	-		
FY 2017/19 allocation	32,234	-		
FY 2019/20 allocation	16,869	-		
\$	66,341	\$ 16,044		

NOTE 14 TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUNDS RESERVED

In accordance with TDA Article 3 (SB821) Guidelines, funds which will not be spent during the fiscal year have been placed on reserve in the Local Transportation Fund (LTF) account with the County Auditor-Controller to be drawn down whenever the funds become eligible for a specific project and an approved drawdown request is received by LACMTA. As of June 30, 2020 and 2019, the City has funds on reserve as follows:

	2020	2019
FY 2016/17 allocation	\$ -	\$ 17,238
FY 2017/18 allocation	-	32,234
FY 2018/19 allocation	16,870	33,739
FY 2019/20 allocation	35,860	
Total reserve	\$ 52,730	\$ 83,211

NOTE 14 TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUNDS RESERVED (CONTINUED)

For FY 2018/19, any TDA Article 3 funds left on reserve for FY 2014/15 or prior, are subject to lapse if not claimed by the City by June 30, 2020. There were no funds that lapsed in FY 2018/19.

NOTE 15 RESTATEMENT OF 2019 PCLRF and MRLRF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The 2019 financial statements of PCLRF and MRLRF were restated to reflect the adjustments on the following accounts:

PCLRF

		Balance,		
	á	as previously		Balance,
	_	reported	 Adjustment	as restated
Cash and investments	\$	2,293,626	\$ (3,600) \$	2,290,026
Fund balance		2,206,867	(3,600)	2,203,267

MRLRF

		Balance,				
	а	s previously				Balance,
		reported	_	Adjustment	_	as restated
Accounts receivable	\$	104,420	\$	9,891	\$	114,311
Retention payable		-		63,310		63,310
Fund balance		2,733,324		(53,419)		2,679,905
Expenditures		833,476		53,419		886,895

The restatement of the Proposition C Local Return Fund financial statements is to reverse the erroneous recognition of the receipt of the LACMTA Call for Projects grant during the year ended June 30, 2018 which is not related to PCLRF.

The restatement of the Measure R Local Return Fund financial statements is to recognize certain expenditures and retention payable related to Traffic Signal and Modifications for Synchronization (TRIP) project in FY 2018/19.

NOTE 16 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the coronavirus outbreak a "Public Health Emergency of International Concern" and on March 10, 2020, declared it to be a pandemic. Actions taken around the world to help mitigate the spread of the coronavirus include restrictions on travel, and quarantines in certain areas, and forced closures for certain types of public places and businesses. The coronavirus and actions taken to mitigate it have had and are expected to continue to have an adverse impact on the economies and financial markets of many countries.

NOTE 16 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS (CONTINUED)

To date, it is unknown how long these conditions will last and what the complete financial effect will be to businesses and other affected organizations, including local governmental entities.

The City has evaluated events subsequent to June 30, 2020 to assess the need for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements. Such events were evaluated through December 15, 2020, the date the financial statements were available to be issued. Based upon this evaluation, it was determined that no other subsequent events occurred that require recognition or additional disclosure in the financial statements.





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Report of Independent Auditors on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance With Government Auditing Standards

To the Honorable Members of the City Council of the City of Azusa, California and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

We have audited, in accordance with the 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, the financial statements of the Proposition A Local Return Fund, the Proposition C Local Return Fund, the Measure R Local Return Fund, the Measure M Local Return Fund and the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund (collectively, the Funds) of the City of Azusa, California (the City) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 15, 2020.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the Funds' financial statements, we considered the City's internal control over the Funds' financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the Funds' financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Funds' financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.





Compliance and Other Matters

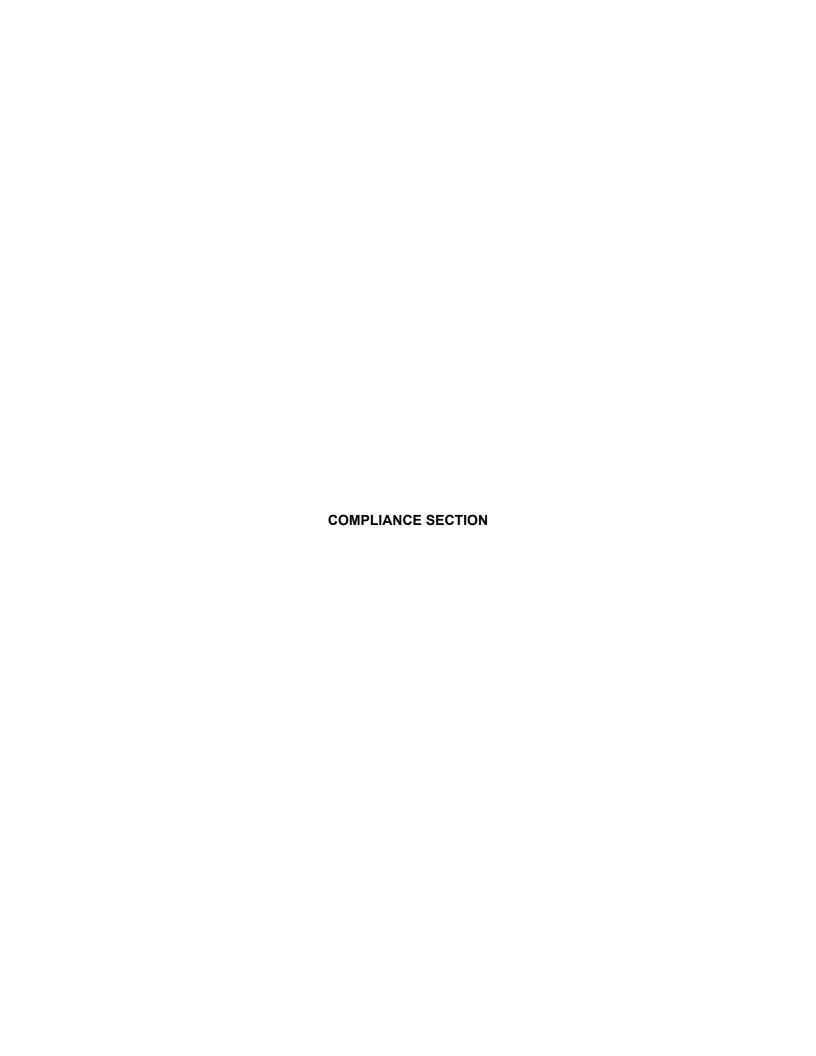
As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City's Proposition A Local Return Fund, Proposition C Local Return Fund, Measure R Local Return Fund, Measure M Local Return Fund and Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

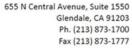
Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

eg 4 Company LLP

Glendale, California December 15, 2020







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Report of Independent Auditors on Compliance

To the Honorable Members of the City Council of the City of Azusa, California and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

Report on Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the City of Azusa, California (the City) with the Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return Guidelines, Measure R Local Return Guidelines, Measure M Local Return Guidelines, Transportation Development Act Article 3, and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority's Funding and Allocation Guidelines for Transportation Development Act Article 3 Bicycle and Pedestrian Funds (collectively, the Guidelines) for the year ended June 30, 2020.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for the City's compliance with the Guidelines.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the City's compliance with the Guidelines based on our audit. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the Guidelines. Those standards and the Guidelines require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on the Proposition A Local Return Program, Proposition C Local Return Program, Measure R Local Return Program, Measure M Local Return Program and Transportation Development Act Article 3 Program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance with the Guidelines. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the City's compliance with the Guidelines.

Opinion

In our opinion, the City of Azusa, California complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements of the Guidelines for the year ended June 30, 2020.





Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed instances of noncompliance with the requirements, which are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs as Findings #2020-001 through #2020-004. Our opinion is not modified with respect to these matters.

The City's responses to the noncompliance findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs. The City's responses were not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance, and accordingly, we express no opinion on the responses.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Management of the City is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the City's internal control over compliance to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with the requirements, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with the requirements that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Guidelines. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

of & Company LLP

Glendale, California

December 15, 2020

Compliance Benefit and to		In Compliance			Questioned	If no, provide details and
	Compliance Requirements	Yes	No	N/A	Costs	management response.
	roposition A and Proposition C ocal Return Funds					
1						
	Uniform System of Accounts					
	and Records.	Χ				
2	. Timely use of funds.	Х				
3						
	approved and have not been					
	substituted for property tax.	Χ				
4						
	25% of approved project budget					
	have approved amended					
	Project Description Form (Form					
	A)	Х				
5	•					
	within the 20% cap of the total					
	annual Local Return	Х				
6	Expenditures. All on-going and carryover					
O	projects were reported in Form					
	B.	Х				
7		_^_				
'	Report (Form B) was submitted					
	timely.		Х			See Finding #2020-001
8						2001 manig #2020 001
	(Form C) was submitted timely.	Х				
9						
	maintained.	Х				
1	Accounting procedures, record					
	keeping and documentation are					
	adequate.	Χ				
1	Pavement Management System					
	(PMS) in place and being used					
	for Street Maintenance or					
	Improvement Projects					
	Expenditures.	Х				
1	2. Local Return Account is					
	credited for reimbursable	\ \				
	expenditures.	Х				
1	3. Self-Certification was completed					
	and submitted for Intelligent					
	Transportation Systems projects or elements.			Х		
1	4. Assurances and					
I.	Understandings form was on					
	file.	Х				
1	5. Recreational Transit Form was					
	submitted timely.		Х			See Finding #2020-002

Compliance Requirements		In Compliance			Questioned	If no, provide details and
		Yes	No	N/A	Costs	management response.
B. Measure R Local						
1. Funds were						
transportation		Χ				
	used to augment,					
	existing local					
revenues bei						
	n purposes unless					
	ding shortfall.	Χ				
Signed Assur						
Understandir		Х				
	asure R Local					
Return Accou	unt was					
established.		Х				
	ceived including					
	roject generated					
	d interest income					
	credited to the					
Measure R L	ocal Return					
Account.		Х				
	expended with					
LACMTA's a		Х				
	Plan (Form One)					
was submitte			Х			See Finding #2020-003
	Report (Form Two)					
was submitte		Х				
9. Timely use of		Χ				
10. Administrativ						
within the 20°	% cap.	X				
11. Fund exchan	ges were approved					
by LACMTA.				X		
12. A separate a						
	or Capital reserve					
	pital reserve was					
approved by		Χ				
13. Recreational	transit form was					
submitted tim	nely.			Χ		

Compliance Requirements		In Compliance			Questioned	If no, provide details and
	·		No	N/A	Costs	management response.
C. Me	easure M Local Return Fund					
1.						
	transportation purposes.	Х				
2.	<i>y</i>					
	not supplant, existing local					
	revenues being used for					
	transportation purposes unless					
	there is a fund shortfall.	X				
3.	3					
	Understandings on file.	Χ				
4.						
	Return Account was					
	established.	Χ				
5.						
	allocations, project generated					
	revenues and interest income					
	was properly credited to the Measure M Local Return					
		V				
6	Account.	Х				
6.	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Х				
7.	LACMTA's approval. Expenditure Plan (Form M-One)	^				
/.	was submitted timely.		Х			See Finding #2020-004
8.	-					See I maing #2020-004
0.	M-Two) was submitted timely.	Y				
9.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	X				
). Administrative expenses are					
10	within the 20% cap.	Χ				
11	I. Fund exchanges were approved					
	by LACMTA.			Χ		
12	2. A separate account was					
	established for Capital reserve					
	funds and Capital reserve was					
	approved by LACMTA.			Х		
13	Recreational transit form was					
	submitted timely.			X		

Compliance Descripements		In Compliance			Questioned	If no, provide details and
	Compliance Requirements		No	N/A	Costs	management response.
D.	Transportation Development Act					
	Article 3 Fund					
	1. Timely use of funds.	X				
	2. Expenditures were incurred for					
	activities relating to pedestrian and					
	bicycle facilities and amenities.	X				



PALRF and PCLRF: Finding #2020-001

Compliance Reference	Section I (C) Annual Project Update (Form B) of the Proposition A and C Local Return Guidelines state that, "Jurisdiction shall submit on or before August 1st of each fiscal year an Annual Project Update (Form B) to provide current information on all approved on-going and carryover LR projects. LACMTA will review and accept or return the report for changes. Cities shall report the anticipated expenditure cash flow amounts for the covered fiscal year."					
Condition	The City submitted its Annual Project Update (Form B) on October 1, 2019, 60 days after the due date of August 1, 2019.					
Cause	The City inadvertently missed the filing deadline.					
Effect	The City was not in compliance with the reporting requirements of the Local Return Guidelines.					
Recommendation	We recommend the City establish procedures and internal controls to ensure that the Annual Project Update (Form B) is submitted by August 1st as required by the Guidelines.					
Management's Response	The City will ensure the Proposition A & C Form B is submitted in a timely manner by the August 1 for each fiscal year.					
Finding Corrected During the Audit	The City subsequently submitted the Annual Project Update (Form B). No follow up is required.					

PALRF and PCLRF: Finding #2020-002

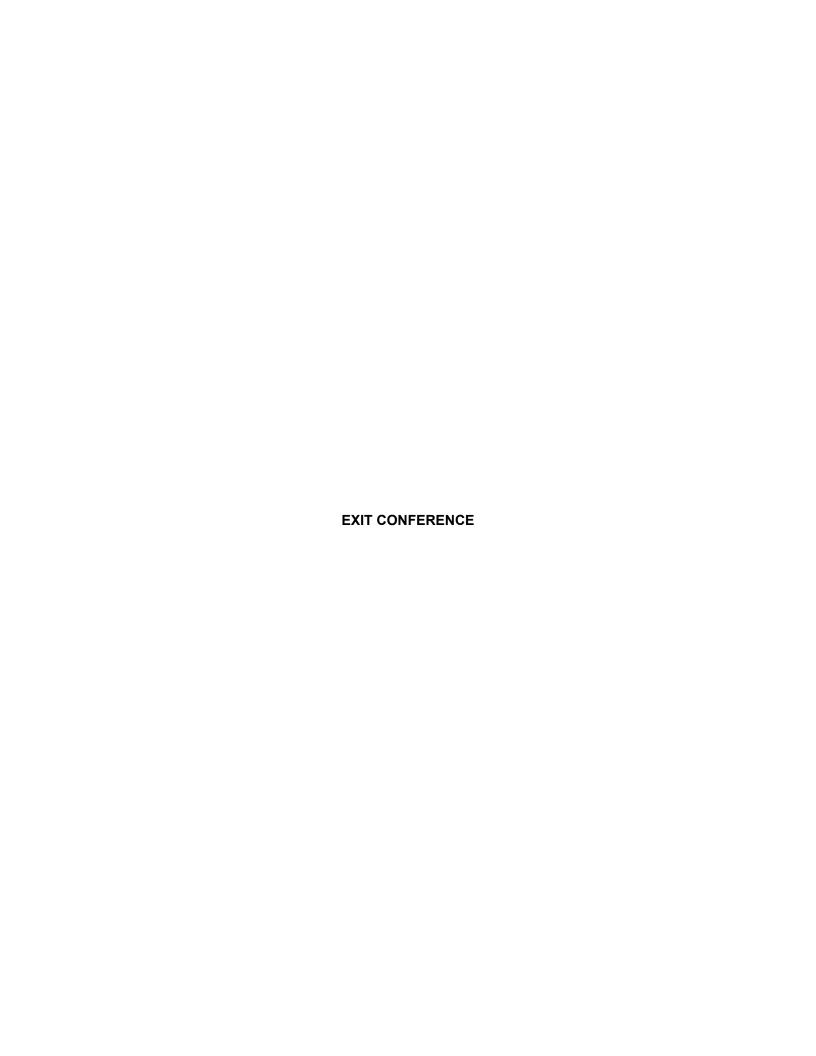
Compliance Reference	Under Section III(A) Reporting Requirements for Jurisdictions, Annual Expenditure Report (Form C) of the Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return Guidelines, "For Jurisdictions with Recreational Transit projects, Jurisdictions are required to annually submit an accounting of Recreational Transit trips, destinations and costs. This information should be submitted along with the Form C, no later than October 15 after the fiscal year".						
Condition	The Recreational Transit Service Form was submitted on October 19, 2020, 4 days beyond the due date of October 15, 2020.						
Cause	The City inadvertently missed the filing deadline.						
Effect	The City was not in compliance with the reporting requirements of the Local Return Guidelines.						
Recommendation	We recommend the City establish procedures and international controls to ensure that the Annual Recreational Transfervice Form is submitted by October 15 as required by the Guidelines.						
Management's Response	The City will ensure the Recreational Transit Form and Certification is submitted in a timely manner by the October 15 for each fiscal year.						
Finding Corrected During the Audit	The City subsequently submitted the Recreational Transit Service form. No follow up is required.						

MRLRF: Finding #2020-003

Compliance Reference	Section B (II)(1) Expenditure Plan (Form One) of Measure R Local Return Program Guidelines state that, "To maintain legal eligibility and meet Measure R LR program compliance requirements, Jurisdiction shall submit to LACMTA an Expenditure Plan (Form One), annually, by August 1st of each year".
	"Expenditure Plan (Form One) provides a listing of projects funded with Measure R LR funds along with estimated expenditures for the year. For both operating and capital projects, Part I is to be filled out. For capital projects (projects over \$250,000), Part II is required. Pursuant to AB2321, LACMTA will provide LR funds to a capital project or program sponsor who submits the required expenditure plan."
Condition	The City submitted its Expenditure Plan (Form One) on August 15, 2019, 14 days after the due date of August 1, 2019.
Cause	The City engaged a consultant to complete the Measure R Expenditure Plan (Form One) after staff was out for an extended sick leave absence. The vendor did not file the documentation timely.
Effect	The City was not in compliance with the reporting requirements of the Local Return Guidelines.
Recommendation	We recommend the City establish procedures and internal controls to ensure that approval is obtained from LACMTA prior to spending on Measure R-funded projects.
Management's Response	Management will ensure that the Expenditure Plan (Form One) is submitted in a timely manner by the due date of August 1.
Finding Corrected During the Audit	The City subsequently submitted the Expenditure Plan (Form One). No follow up is required.

MMLRF: Finding #2020-004

Compliance Reference	Section XXV Administrative Section, Expenditure Plan (Form M-One) of the Measure M Local Return Program Guidelines state that, "To maintain legal eligibility and meet Measure M LR program compliance requirements, Jurisdiction shall submit to LACMTA an Expenditure Plan (Form M-One), annually, by August 1st of each year". "Expenditures Plan (Form M-One) provides a listing of projects funded with Measure M LR funds along with estimated expenditures for the year. For both operating and capital projects, Part I is to be filled out. Part II is to be filled out for capital projects (projects over \$ 250,000). LACMTA will provide LR funds to a capital project or program sponsor who submits the required expenditure plan."
Condition	The City submitted its Expenditure Plan (Form M-One) on August 15, 2019, 14 days after the due date of August 1, 2019.
Cause	The City engaged a consultant to complete the Measure M Expenditure Plan (Form M-One) after staff was out for an extended sick leave absence. The vendor did not file the documentation timely.
Effect	The City was not in compliance with the reporting requirements of the Local Return Guidelines.
Recommendation	We recommend the City establish procedures and internal controls to ensure that approval is obtained from LACMTA prior to spending on Measure R-funded projects.
Management's Response	Management will ensure that the Expenditure Plan (Form M-One) is submitted in a timely manner by the due date of August 1.
Finding Corrected During the Audit	The City subsequently submitted the Expenditure Plan (Form M-One). No follow up is required.



An exit conference was held on December 15, 2020 with the City of Azusa representatives. Those in attendance were:

Vasquez and Company LLP representatives:

Marialyn Salvador – Audit Senior Manager
Ihab Fakhreddine – Audit Senior Auditor (BCA Watsonrice LLP)

City of Azusa representatives:

Talika Johnson – Finance Director
Henry Quintero – Senior Accountant

Matters discussed:

Results of the audit disclosed instances of noncompliance with LACMTA Guidelines.

A copy of this report was forwarded to the following City of Azusa representatives for comments prior to the issuance of the final report:

Talika Johnson – Finance Director Henry Quintero – Senior Accountant



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