

COCONINO COUNTY
ANNUAL EXPENDITURE LIMITATION REPORT
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2009

Coconino County
Report on Audit of Annual Expenditure Limitation Report
Year Ended June 30, 2009

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Independent Auditors' Report

The Auditor General of the State of Arizona

The Board of Supervisors of
Coconino County, Arizona

We have audited the accompanying Annual Expenditure Limitation Report of Coconino County for the year ended June 30, 2009. This report is the responsibility of the County's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this report based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the report is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the report. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall report presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The accompanying Annual Expenditure Limitation Report was prepared for the purpose of complying with the uniform expenditure reporting system as discussed in Note 1, and is not intended to be a presentation in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the Annual Expenditure Limitation Report of Coconino County for the year ended June 30, 2009, referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the information required by the uniform expenditure reporting system on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the members of the Arizona State Legislature, the Board of Supervisors, and management, and for filing with the Auditor General of the State of Arizona, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, this report is a matter of public record, and its distribution is not limited.

Fester & Chapman P.C.

April 20, 2010

COCONINO COUNTY
Annual Expenditure Limitation Report-Part I
Year Ended June 30, 2009

1. Economic Estimates Commission expenditure limitation	\$ 51,757,108
2. Amount subject to the expenditure limitation (total amount from Part II, Line C)	<u>49,252,666</u>
3. Amount under the expenditure limitation	<u>\$ 2,504,442</u>

I hereby certify to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the information contained in this report is accurate and in accordance with the requirements of the uniform expenditure reporting system.

Signature of Chief Fiscal Officer: _____

Name and Title: Sandra Schulz, Chief Financial Officer

Telephone Number: (928) 679-7180

Date: 4/20/10

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Annual Expenditure Limitation Report-Part II
Year Ended June 30, 2009

Description	Governmental Funds	Internal Service Fund	Fiduciary Funds	Total
A. Amounts reported on the Reconciliation, Line D	\$ 97,618,236	\$ 3,086,863	\$ 334,830,919	\$ 435,536,018
B. Less exclusions claimed:				
Dividends, interest, and gains on the sale or redemption of investment securities (Note 2)	2,608,510	74,771		2,683,281
Trustee or custodian (Note 3)	1,373,290		334,830,919	336,204,209
Grants and aid from the federal government (Note 4)	15,410,377			15,410,377
Grants, aid, contributions, or gifts from a private agency, organization, or individual, except amounts received in lieu of taxes (Note 5)	267,247			267,247
Amounts received from the State of Arizona (Note 4)	10,511,962			10,511,962
Quasi-external interfund transactions (Note 6)		3,012,092		3,012,092
Amounts accumulated for the purchase of land, and the purchase or construction of buildings or improvements (Note 7)	878,589			878,589
Highway user revenues in excess of those received in fiscal year 1979-80 (Note 4)	7,159,475			7,159,475
Contracts with other political subdivisions (Note 8)	1,115,590			1,115,590
Refunds, reimbursements, and other recoveries (Note 9)	32,231			32,231
Amounts received for distribution to school districts (Note 10)	1,622,363			1,622,363
Prior years carryforward (Note 11)	7,385,936			7,385,936
Total exclusions claimed	48,365,570	3,086,863	334,830,919	386,283,352
C. Amounts subject to the expenditure limitation	\$ 49,252,666	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 49,252,666

See accompanying notes to report.

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Annual Expenditure Limitation Report-Reconciliation
Year Ended June 30, 2009

Description	Governmental Funds	Internal Service Fund	Fiduciary Funds	Total
A. Total expenditures/expenses/deductions and applicable other financing uses, special items, and extraordinary items reported within the fund financial statements	\$ 119,736,082	\$ 3,631,423	\$ 334,830,919	\$ 458,198,424
B. Subtractions:				
Items not requiring the use of working capital:				
Depreciation		537,144		537,144
Other postemployment benefit expense (Note 14)		13,608		13,608
Expenditures of separate legal entities established under Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) (Note 12)	20,231,846			20,231,846
Long-term care contributions withheld by the State Treasurer (Note 13)	1,886,000			1,886,000
Total subtractions	<u>22,117,846</u>	<u>550,752</u>		<u>22,668,598</u>
C: Additions				
Acquisition on capital assets		6,192		6,192
Total additions	<u>-</u>	<u>6,192</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,192</u>
D: Amounts reported on Part II, Line A	<u>\$ 97,618,236</u>	<u>\$ 3,086,863</u>	<u>\$ 334,830,919</u>	<u>\$ 435,536,018</u>

See accompanying notes to report.

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Notes to Annual Expenditure Limitation Report
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Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The Annual Expenditure Limitation Report (AELR) is presented on the basis of accounting prescribed by the *Uniform Expenditure Reporting System* (UERS), as required by Arizona Revised Statutes §41-1279.07, which excludes expenditures, expenses, or deductions of certain revenues specified in the Arizona Constitution, Article IX, §20 from the total expenditures, expenses, or deductions reported in the fund financial statements.

In accordance with the UERS requirements, a note to the AELR is presented below for any exclusion claimed on Part II and each subtraction or addition in the Reconciliation that cannot be traced directly to an amount in the fund financial statements. All references to financial statement amounts in the following notes refer to the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances for the Governmental Funds; Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Assets for the Proprietary Fund; Statement of Cash Flows for the Proprietary Fund; and the Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets for the Fiduciary Funds.

Note 2 The exclusion claimed for dividends, interest, and gains on the sale or redemption of investment securities consists of \$2,608,510 in the Governmental Funds. The Governmental Funds includes interest on investments expended of \$2,941,346 and interest on delinquent taxes expended of \$619,354, which was recorded as tax revenues. In the Governmental Funds amount, \$438,541 is attributed to separate legal entities that are not included in the Economic Estimates Commission base limit calculations, and therefore is not reported as an exclusion. Remaining revenues from the Governmental Funds of \$513,649 have been carried forward to future years. The following schedule presents revenues from which exclusions have been claimed for dividends, interest, and gains on the sale or redemption of investment securities:

Description	Governmental Funds	Internal Service Fund
Investment earnings	\$ 2,941,346	\$ 74,771
Interest on delinquent taxes	619,354	
Interest attributed to separate legal entities	(438,541)	
Amount carried forward	(513,649)	
Amount excluded	<u>\$ 2,608,510</u>	<u>\$ 74,771</u>

Note 3 The exclusion claimed for trustee or custodian in the Governmental Funds consists of \$742,916 in contributions and \$332,800 in additional contributions by the County to the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System for acute care, and \$297,574 for expenditures from the County Anti-Racketeering Fund, benefiting other jurisdictions, that were recorded as public safety expenditures. In the Fiduciary Funds, the exclusion consists of \$334,830,919 in distributions to investment pool participants. The remaining excludable Anti-Racketeering Fund revenues of \$1,091,642 have been carried forward to future years.

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Note 4 The following schedule presents revenues from which exclusions have been claimed for federal grants and aid, amounts received from the State of Arizona, and highway user revenues in the Governmental Funds:

Description	
Grants and aid from the federal government	\$ 15,410,377
Amounts received from the State of Arizona	10,511,962
Highway user revenue in excess of those received in fiscal year 1979-80	7,159,475
Other revenues-(nonexcludable)	17,913,256
Amount carried forward	1,136,039
Total intergovernmental revenues as reported in the fund financial statements	\$ 52,131,109

Note 5 The exclusions claimed for grants, aid and contributions from a private agency, organization or individual, except amounts received in lieu of taxes in the Governmental Funds, consists of \$267,247 for contributions revenue expended. Remaining excludable revenues of \$10,445 have been carried forward to future years. There were \$221,119 of nonexcludable revenues reported as contributions.

Note 6 The exclusion claimed for quasi-external interfund transactions in the amount of \$3,012,092 in the Internal Service Fund is reported as charges for services revenues expended. Remaining excludable revenue of \$116,948 have been carried forward to future years.

Note 7 The exclusion for amounts accumulated for the purchase of land, and the purchase or construction of building or improvements of \$878,589 consists of other taxes collected from special sales tax monies approved November 5, 1992 by the voters to be spent for parks and open space projects that were expended during the fiscal year. Remaining excludable amounts of \$1,893,312 have been carried forward to future years.

Note 8 The exclusion claimed for contracts with other political subdivisions of \$1,115,590 in the Governmental Funds consists of charges for services revenues expended for general government, public safety, sanitation, and welfare. Remaining excludable revenues of \$46,048 have been carried forward to future years.

Note 9 The exclusion for refunds, reimbursements and recoveries of \$32,231 in the Governmental Funds consists of charges for services expended. Remaining excludable revenues of \$13,711 have been carried forward to future years.

Note 10 The exclusion for amounts received for distribution to school districts consists of federal, state, and county revenues recorded as education expenditures for operating an accommodation school.

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Note 11 Prior years carryforward consist of constitutionally excludable revenues unexpended in the year of receipt that have been accumulated and were expended in the current year in the Governmental Funds as follows:

Description	Governmental Funds
Dividends, interest, and gains on the sale or redemption of investment securities	\$ 355,732
Grants and aid from federal government	36,004
Amounts received from the State of Arizona	3,929,021
Grants, aid, contributions, or gifts from a private agency, organization or individual	228,324
Trustee or custodian	11,255
Refunds, reimbursements and other recoveries	1,108,720
Contracts with other political subdivisions	1,716,880
Total prior years carryforward expended	<u>\$ 7,385,936</u>

Note 12 The subtraction of \$20,231,846 for separate legal entities established under Arizona Revised Statutes consists of expenditures of special assessment districts included within the County's reporting entity, but not included in the Economic Estimates Commission base limit calculations, and are reported in the Governmental Funds category in the fund financial statements.

<u>Special Assessment Districts</u>	
Public safety	\$ 10,502,161
Sanitation	1,011,442
Culture and recreation	4,599,659
Highways and streets	12,914
Capital outlay	1,084,513
Principal retirement	2,508,901
Interest and fiscal charges	512,256
Total	<u>\$ 20,231,846</u>

Note 13 The subtraction for long-term care contributions withheld by the State Treasurer consists of transaction privilege taxes withheld by the State Treasurer to meet the County's share of long-term care costs that was reported as a revenue and an offsetting expenditure in the County's Governmental Funds. Consequently, this expenditure has been subtracted on the Reconciliation.

Note 14 The subtraction of \$13,608 for other postemployment benefits expense consists of the amounts expended in the current year but not yet paid in the Internal Service Fund.