

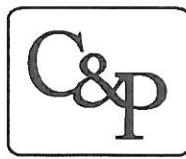
**TOWN OF GILA BEND, ARIZONA**

Annual Expenditure Limitation Report  
and Independent Accountants' Report

June 30, 2017

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### **INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT**

The Auditor General of the State of Arizona and  
The Honorable Mayor and Town Council  
of the Town of Gila Bend, Arizona

We have examined the accompanying Annual Expenditure Limitation Report of the Town of Gila Bend, Arizona for the year ended June 30, 2017, and the related notes to the report. The Town's management is responsible for presenting this report in accordance with the uniform expenditure reporting system as described in Note 1. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this report based on our examination.

We conducted our examination in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether this report is presented in accordance with the uniform expenditure reporting system in all material respects. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the report. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the report, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the annual expenditure limitation report referred to above is presented in accordance with the uniform expenditure reporting system as described in Note 1 in all material respects.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Colby &amp; Powell'.

February 20, 2018

**TOWN OF GILA BEND, ARIZONA**  
**Annual Expenditure Limitation Report – Part I**  
**Year Ended June 30, 2017**

1. Voter-approved alternative expenditure limitation (Approved April 15, 2014)	\$6,722,632
2. Amount subject to the expenditure limitation (total amount from Part II, Line C)	<u>5,176,966</u>
3. Amount under the expenditure limitation	<u><u>\$1,545,666</u></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: Katherine Valenzuela

Name and Title: Katherine Valenzuela, Interim Town Manager

Telephone Number: 928-683-2255 Date: 4/19/18

*See accompanying notes to report.*

**TOWN OF GILA BEND, ARIZONA**  
**Annual Expenditure Limitation Report – Part II**  
**Year Ended June 30, 2017**

Description	Governmental funds	Enterprise funds	Fiduciary funds	Total
A. Amounts reported on the reconciliation, line D	<u>\$4,210,862</u>	<u>\$ 941,603</u>	<u>\$ 24,501</u>	<u>\$5,176,966</u>
B. Less exclusions claimed:	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>
Total exclusions claimed	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>	<u>–</u>
C. Amounts subject to the expenditure limitation	<u><u>\$4,210,862</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 941,603</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 24,501</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,176,966</u></u>

*See accompanying notes to report.*

**TOWN OF GILA BEND, ARIZONA**  
**Annual Expenditure Limitation Report – Reconciliation**  
**Year Ended June 30, 2017**

Description	Governmental funds	Enterprise funds	Fiduciary funds	Total
A. Total expenditures/expenses/deductions and applicable other financing uses, special items, and extraordinary items reported within the fund financial statements	\$ 4,216,126	\$ 1,020,347	\$ 24,501	\$ 5,260,974
B. Subtractions:				
1. Items not requiring use of current financial resources:				
a. Depreciation	- 5,264	450,487	-	450,487
b. Pension expense	- 10,583	-	-	10,583
2. Present value of net minimum capital lease and installment purchase contract payments recorded as expenditures at the agreements' inception				
Total subtractions	<u>5,264</u>	<u>461,070</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>466,334</u>
C. Additions:				
1. Principal payments on long-term debt	- 63,209	-	-	63,209
2. Capital asset acquisitions	- 308,013	-	-	308,013
3. Pension contributions paid in the current year	- 11,104	-	-	11,104
Total additions	<u>- 382,326</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>382,326</u>
D. Amounts reported on part II, line A	<u>\$ 4,210,862</u>	<u>\$ 941,603</u>	<u>\$ 24,501</u>	<u>\$ 5,176,966</u>

*See accompanying notes to report.*

**TOWN OF GILA BEND, ARIZONA**  
**Notes to Annual Expenditure Limitation Report**  
**Year Ended June 30, 2017**

***NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES***

The Annual Expenditure Limitation Report (AELR) is presented as prescribed by the uniform expenditure reporting system (UERS), as required by Arizona Revised Statutes §41-1279.07, and in accordance with the voter-approved alternative expenditure limitation adopted April 15, 2014, as authorized by the Arizona Constitution, Article IX, §20(9).

In accordance with the UERS, 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 reported 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 position for the proprietary funds; statement of cash flows for the proprietary funds; and the statement of changes in fiduciary net position for the fiduciary funds.

***NOTE 2 – PENSION EXPENSE AND CONTRIBUTIONS***

The subtraction of \$10,583 for pension expense consists of the change in the net pension liability recognized in the current year in the enterprise funds. The addition of \$11,104 for pension contributions paid in the current year consists of the required pension contributions made to the Arizona State Retirement System from the enterprise funds.

***NOTE 3 – PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS ON LONG-TERM DEBT***

The addition of \$63,209 for principal payments on long-term debt in the enterprise funds consists of principal paid in the current year on the Town's WIFA notes payable.