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Meets First Tuesday even-numbered months after MCTC meeting or about 2:15 p.m.

Board of Directors

John Dederick Chairman City Representative

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> Brian Cox Director City Mayor

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Cheryl Nelson Director City Councilmember

Mark Moriarity Director County at Large Member

> Ned Coe Alternate County Supervisor District I

Paul Minchella Alternate City Councilmember

Staff

Debbie Pedersen Executive Director

Michelle Cox Executive Assistant Secretary

> Tristan Holt Assistant Secretary 1

> Heather Allen Assistant Secretary 1

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING

DECEMBER 5, 2023

Sage Stage Conference Room 108 S Main Street, Alturas

Following the MCTC meeting at or about 1:50 p.m. Or soon thereafter

Teleconference Number (712) 451-0647

Access Code 113785

- 1. Call to Order introductions, as needed.
- 2. **Public Forum** Citizens may address the Commission with matters that are related directly to Commission responsibilities. If any matters call for action by the Commission, they will be placed on subsequent agendas. Because the Chairman may limit speakers to five (5) minutes each, citizens are encouraged to contact the Chairman or staff for assistance before the meeting.
- 3. Confirm Agenda

Action

4. Consent Agenda

Action

- a. Approve the minutes from the 10/03/23 MTA Regular Meeting
- b. Financial Transactions 09/01/23 through 10/31/23
- c. Financial Year to Date Expenditures
- d. Sage Stage Operations Statistics
- 5. Regular Business
 - a. Accept the Fiscal Year 2022/23 Fiscal Compliance Audits. *Action*
 - b. Consider adopting Resolution 23-03 2024 Authorized Signatories for Plans and Programs. *Action*
 - c. Update regarding the Request for Proposals for the Sage Stage Transit Operations and Management. *Information*
 - d. Nominate Chair and Vice Chair for Calendar Year 2024.

Action

6. Staff Updates and Calendar of Events

Information

- a. Staff updates
- b. Calendar of Events
- **7. Adjourn until the next regular MTA meeting,** scheduled for February 6, 2024, (Tuesday) in the Sage Stage Conference Room, 108 S. Main Street, Alturas, CA, at about 1:50 p.m., following the MCTC meeting.

Report to Modoc Transportation Agency Board Members		
Subject	Meeting Date	
Consent Agenda	December 5, 2023	
Presented by	Agenda Item	
MTA Staff	4	

Consent Agenda - Note: Attachments shown in **bold** type

- a. Approve the 10/03/23 MTA Regular Meeting minutes.
- b. Approve financial transactions.

Vendor	Transaction Number/Amount	Explanation
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	90623/\$1,121.00	T-17 Schedule A
SingletonAuman	4006/\$7,000.00	FY 2022/23 Fiscal Audits
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	92023/\$5,490.30	T-19 rear differential
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	92523/\$1,198.84	T-20 new reductant heater, rear shocks, coolant leak
SingletonAuman	4008/\$1,150.00	FY 2022/23 Fiscal Audits
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	92623/\$1,140.00	T-18 new reductant heater; serpentine belt, AC belts
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	101823/\$1,725.46	T-20 replace NOX sensors
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	202223/\$2,695.40	T-17 replace AC compressor, recharge system, belts
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	101623/\$1,087.05	T-18 replaced wiring harness (mice chewed), replaced EGR temp sensor
Kendall's Mobile Mechanic	100923/\$1,418.33	T-20 replaced EGR temp sensor, reinstall reductant heater, replaced exhaust fluid injector

- c. Approve the **financial reports** from September 1, 2023, through October 31, 2023.
- d. Sage Stage Stats.



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MINUTES Regular Meeting October 3, 2023

Board Members Present

Kathie Rhoads, Vice Chair Board of Supervisors, District III, Modoc County

Cheryl Nelson Councilmember, City of Alturas Mark Moriarity County At-Large Member

Elizabeth Cavasso Board of Supervisors, District IV, Modoc County

Brian Cox Councilmember, City of Alturas

Board Members Absent

Ned Coe (Alternate) Board of Supervisors, District I, Modoc County

John Dederick, Chair Representative, City of Alturas

Staff Present

Debbie Pedersen Executive Director

Public Present

Cherie Clark Caltrans District 2, Regional Planning Liaison

Paul Minchella Alturas Resident

- **1.** Call to Order Vice Chair Rhoads called the meeting to order at 2:31 p.m. in the Sage Stage Conference Room, 108 S. Main Street, Alturas, CA.
- **2. Public Forum** –There were no public comments.
- **3.** Confirm Agenda Motion by Board Member Cox to Confirm Agenda, seconded by Board Member Nelson. All Ayes; motion carried.
- 4. Consent Agenda
 - **a.** Approve minutes from the August 1, 2023, MTA Regular Meeting.
 - **b.** Approve the financial transactions from July 1, 2023, through August 31, 2023.
 - c. Financial Year to Date Expenditures
 - **d.** Sage Stage Operations Statistics

Motion by Board Member Cox to approve Consent Agenda, seconded by Board Member Cavasso. All Ayes; motion carried.

5. Regular Business

- **a.** Information regarding the Request for Proposals for the Sage Stage Transit Operations and Management. There were no questions.
- **b.** California Highway Patrol Terminal Inspection. Director Pedersen stated that the inspection is scheduled for October 23, 2023.

6. System Update, Communications, and Calendar

- a. Staff Update
- **b.** Calendar consider future dates and events of interest:

09/04/23 Labor Day Holiday; Office closed- No Bus Service 10/03/23 MTA Meeting following the MCTC Meeting 11/23,24/23 Thanksgiving Holiday

7. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Board Member Cavasso at 2:43 p.m. seconded by Board Member Nelson. All Ayes, motion carried. The next regular meeting will be Tuesday, December 5, 2023, in the Sage Stage Conference Room, 108 S. Main Street, Alturas at 1:50 p.m. or soon thereafter.

Submitted by,

Debbie Pedersen Executive Director

Modoc Transportation Agency Financial Transactions September & October 2023

Date	Num	Name	Amount	Balance
LAIF-8025001 (\$6 Total LAIF-802500				637,010.97 637,010.97
	icles ood Repair -21 Vehicle			270,222.66 161,183.75 41,736.75 12,303.20 12,303.20
	-18 Vehicle GR 17-18 Ve	Reserve ehicle Reserve		86.66 86.66
	-19 Vehicle GR 18-19 Ve	Reserve ehicle Reserve		13,868.13 13,868.13
	-20 Vehicle GR 19-20 Ve	Reserve chicle Reserve		14,215.77 14,215.77
	-22 Vehicle GR 21-22 Ve	Reserve ehicle Reserve		4,988.99 4,988.99
	Good Reparte of Good	air - Other Repair - Other		-3,726.00 -3,726.00
Total State	of Good Re	pair		41,736.75
	/ehicles - C ve - Vehicle			119,447.00 119,447.00
Total Reserve	- Vehicles			161,183.75
Reserve - Buil Total Reserve	ding Impro - Building Im	vements nprovements		16,510.51 16,510.51
Plumas Opera 09/01/2023 09/01/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/05/2023 09/07/2023 09/11/2023 09/11/2023 09/11/2023 09/11/2023	90523 3994 3995 3996 90723 90523 90623 3997 3998 3999 4005	Basys Processing, Inc. EDI Media Apex Technology Management Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company Amazon Kendalls Mobile Mechanic Kendalls Mobile Mechanic Fredrick Janitorial Frontier Communications First Transit, Inc. Frontier Communications TCE Communications	22.00 217.00 480.00 61.00 10.00 -113.66 -150.00 -1,258.00 -39.99 30.00 231.00 22.00 0.00 -901.70 -1,121.00 93.75 -750.00 -130.74 -24,817.19 -145.21 146.00 116.50 28.00 -49.28 16.50 128.00	92,528.40 92,550.40 92,767.40 93,247.40 93,318.40 93,318.40 93,3054.74 91,796.74 91,756.75 91,786.75 92,039.75 92,039.75 92,039.75 90,110.80 89,360.80 89,230.06 64,412.87 64,267.66 64,433.66 64,540.66 64,540.66 64,540.66 64,541.88 64,669.88
09/12/2023 09/12/2023 09/12/2023 09/12/2023 09/12/2023 09/12/2023 09/13/2023 09/13/2023	91123 91223 4000 4001	Amazon Amazon Goodyear Tire & Rubber Comp Waste Management	33.00 -61.02 -350.46 -689.32 -72.45 201.00 15.00 226.00	64,702.88 64,641.86 64,291.40 63,602.08 63,529.63 63,730.63 63,745.63 63,971.63

Modoc Transportation Agency Financial Transactions September & October 2023

Date	Num	Name	Amount	Balance
09/13/2023			33.00	64,004.63
09/14/2023			74.00	64,078.63
09/14/2023			87.00	64,165.63
09/15/2023 09/15/2023			175.00 112.00	64,340.63 64,452.63
09/15/2023			0.15	64,452.78
09/18/2023			169.00	64,621.78
09/19/2023			48.00	64,669.78
09/19/2023			60.50	64,730.28
09/19/2023 09/20/2023			57.00 10.00	64,787.28 64,797.28
09/20/2023			218.50	65,015.78
09/20/2023	4006	Singleton Auman PC	-7,000.00	58,015.78
09/20/2023	4010	UBEO West	-51.42	57,964.36
09/20/2023	4011	Pacific Power	-305.63	57,658.73
09/21/2023 09/21/2023			36.50 73.00	57,695.23 57,768.23
09/22/2023			215.50	57,983.73
09/22/2023			22.00	58,005.73
09/22/2023			72.00	58,077.73
09/25/2023	92223	Amazon	-119.78	57,957.95
09/25/2023	91923 92023	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-591.11 5 400.20	57,366.84 54,976.54
09/25/2023 09/25/2023	92023 4002	Debbie Pedersen	-5,490.30 -469.71	51,876.54 51,406.83
09/25/2023	4004	APTA	-250.00	51,156.83
09/25/2023			252.50	51,409.33
09/25/2023			105.00	51,514.33
09/26/2023			96.00	51,610.33
09/26/2023 09/26/2023			17.00 74.00	51,627.33 51,701.33
09/27/2023			349.10	52,050.43
09/27/2023	92523	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-1,198.84	50,851.59
09/28/2023	4019	Modoc County Record	-1,036.02	49,815.57
09/28/2023	92823	Network Solutions	-299.90	49,515.67
09/28/2023 09/28/2023	92823	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	123.00 -474.22	49,638.67 49,164.45
09/29/2023	02020	Remails Westle Westland	119.00	49,283.45
09/29/2023			264.00	49,547.45
09/29/2023	92223	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-120.00	49,427.45
09/29/2023	92623	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-1,140.00	48,287.45
09/29/2023 09/30/2023	4008	Network Solutions Singleton Auman PC	-361.88 -1,150.00	47,925.57 46,775.57
09/30/2023	4018	Ed Staub & Sons	-4,390.07	42,385.50
10/01/2023	4007	Apex Technology Management	-1,258.00	41,127.50
10/01/2023	4017	Frontier Communications	-130.74	40,996.76
10/01/2023	4021	First Transit, Inc.	-21,682.57	19,314.19
10/02/2023 10/02/2023	4012	City Of Alturas	-133.24 224.50	19,180.95 19,405.45
10/02/2023	100323	TCE Communications	-49.54	19,355.91
10/03/2023	.00020		23.00	19,378.91
10/04/2023			74.01	19,452.92
10/05/2023			33.00	19,485.92
10/05/2023 10/05/2023	100224	Decya Proceeding Inc	480.00	19,965.92
10/05/2023	100324	Basys Processing, Inc.	-248.42 131.00	19,717.50 19,848.50
10/06/2023			20.00	19,868.50
10/06/2023			296.82	20,165.32
10/07/2023	4020	Frontier Communications	-161.06	20,004.26
10/09/2023	101000	That Broadhand Internat 11.0	166.50	20,170.76
10/10/2023 10/10/2023	101023	Tnet Broadband Internet, LLC	-48.00 100.50	20,122.76 20,223.26
10/10/2023			61.00	20,284.26
10/11/2023			376.50	20,660.76
10/12/2023			31.06	20,691.82
10/13/2023			22.00	20,713.82
10/13/2023 10/16/2023	4009	EDI Media	230.75 -150.00	20,944.57 20,794.57
10/16/2023	4009	Fredrick Janitorial	-750.00	20,044.57

Modoc Transportation Agency Financial Transactions September & October 2023

Date	Num	Name	Amount	Balance
10/16/2023	4014	Frank Willis	-485.00	19,559.57
10/16/2023	4015	Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company	-39.99	19,519.58
10/16/2023	4016	Waste Management	-72.45	19,447.13
10/16/2023	101623	Verizon Wireless	-376.34	19,070.79
10/16/2023 10/16/2023			56.00 222.00	19,126.79 19,348.79
10/17/2023			49.50	19,398.29
10/17/2023			27.00	19,425.29
10/17/2023			80.00	19,505.29
10/17/2023			2,483.00	21,988.29
10/17/2023			32,174.00	54,162.29
10/17/2023			100.00	54,262.29
10/17/2023			35.00	54,297.29
10/17/2023 10/18/2023			64.00 55.50	54,361.29 54,416.79
10/18/2023			20.50	54,437.29
10/18/2023			50.00	54,487.29
10/18/2023			193.52	54,680.81
10/18/2023	4022	UBEO West	-51.42	54,629.39
10/18/2023	100523	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-860.45	53,768.94
10/18/2023	100623	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-633.85	53,135.09
10/18/2023	101823	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-1,725.46	51,409.63
10/18/2023 10/18/2023	102223 101623	Kendalis Mobile Mechanic Kendalis Mobile Mechanic	-2,695.40 -1,087.05	48,714.23 47,627.18
10/18/2023	100723	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-917.10	46,710.08
10/18/2023	100923	Kendalls Mobile Mechanic	-1,418.33	45,291.75
10/19/2023			24.00	45,315.75
10/19/2023			138.50	45,454.25
10/19/2023			16.50	45,470.75
10/19/2023			48.00	45,518.75
10/20/2023			46.00	45,564.75 45,774.26
10/20/2023 10/23/2023			209.51 407.00	45,774.26 46,181.26
10/23/2023			24.00	46,205.26
10/23/2023			211.00	46,416.26
10/24/2023			64.00	46,480.26
10/24/2023			500.00	46,980.26
10/24/2023			77.40	47,057.66
10/25/2023			194.50	47,252.16
10/26/2023 10/26/2023			50.00 20.00	47,302.16 47,322.16
10/26/2023	4025	Modoc County Record	-1,094.52	46,227.64
10/27/2023	.020	g . toso. u	64.00	46,291.64
10/27/2023			90.00	46,381.64
10/27/2023			18.00	46,399.64
10/27/2023	4023	City Of Alturas	-86.84	46,312.80
10/27/2023	4024	Modoc County Auditor's Office	-111.00	46,201.80
10/27/2023 10/27/2023			24.00 149.35	46,225.80 46,375.15
10/30/2023			118.00	46,493.15
10/30/2023	4030	EDI Media	-150.00	46,343.15
10/30/2023	4031	Ed Staub & Sons	-291.08	46,052.07
10/31/2023			38.50	46,090.57
10/31/2023			117.00	46,207.57
10/31/2023	102923	Amazon	-39.95	46,167.62
10/31/2023	103023	Amazon	-37.43 -68.49	46,130.19 46,061.70
10/31/2023 10/31/2023	103123 4026	Amazon Frank Willis	-08.49 -1,899.21	46,061.70
10/31/2023	4028	Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company	-39.99	44,122.50
10/31/2023	4029	Ed Staub & Sons	-4,393.63	39,728.87
Total Plumas C	Operating MT	A-0477 - Other	-52,799.53	39,728.87
Total Plumas Oper	rating MTA-0)477	-52,799.53	217,423.13
TOTAL			-52,799.53	854,434.10

Modoc Transportation Agency Balance Sheet

As of October 31, 2023

	Oct 31, 23
ASSETS	
Current Assets Checking/Savings	
LAIF-8025001 (\$620K)	637,010.97
Plumas Operating MTA-0477 Reserve - LTF / LCTOP Exchange Reserve - Vehicles	74,040.00
State of Good Repair	72,826.74
Reserve - Vehicles - Other	119,447.00
Total Reserve - Vehicles	192,273.74
Reserve - Building Improvements Plumas Operating MTA-0477 - Other	16,510.51 39,728.87
Total Plumas Operating MTA-0477	322,553.12
Total Checking/Savings	959,564.09
Accounts Receivable Accounts Receivable	405,901.46
Total Accounts Receivable	405,901.46
Other Current Assets	
Other Recievables Undeposited Funds	361.88 40,097.20
Total Other Current Assets	40,459.08
Total Current Assets	1,405,924.63
Fixed Assets	
Fixed Assets	1,569,577.06
Total Fixed Assets	1,569,577.06
TOTAL ASSETS	2,975,501.69
LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable Accounts Payable	-5.54
Total Accounts Payable	-5.54
Other Current Liabilities AP Trade	40,097.20
Total Other Current Liabilities	40,097.20
Total Current Liabilities	40,091.66
Total Liabilities	40,091.66
Equity Retained Earnings Net Income	3,009,619.78 -74,209.75
Total Equity	2,935,410.03
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TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	2,975,501.69

Modoc Transportation Agency Profit & Loss

As of October 31, 2023

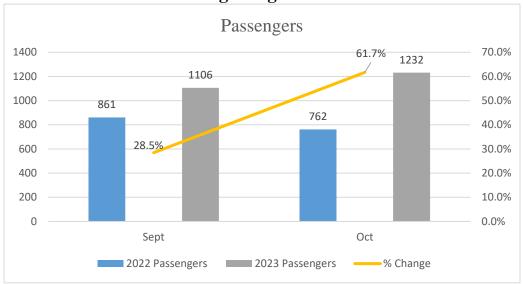
	Jul - Oct 23
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income State of Good Repair	2,483.00
Farebox	,
Dial A Ride Fares Farecard \$20	500.00
Dial A Ride Fares - Other	4,731.38
Total Dial A Ride Fares	5,231.38
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Klamath Falls Fares Redding Fares	1,119.00 933.50
Reno Fares	12,908.29
Total Farebox	20,192.17
Interest	4,962.47
Rents/Leases	1,920.00
STAF	64,567.00
Total Income	94,124.64
Expense	
Insurance Legal Notices	6,364.00 169.50
Marketing/Promotions	4,693.71
Materials/Supplies Consumed	
Fuel/Lubricants Dial A Ride Fuel	6,085.96
Klamath Falls Fuel	1,203.55
Redding Fuel	1,324.73
Reno Fuel Fuel/Lubricants - Other	7,782.23 360.35
Total Fuel/Lubricants	16,756.82
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Office Supplies Shop & Bus Supplies	384.28 466.75
Total Materials/Supplies Consumed	17,607.85
Purchased Transportation	
PT VA-HOL PT Administration	1,973.67 3,759.19
PT Dial A Ride	32,914.15
PT Klamath Falls	4,363.92
PT Redding PT Reno	4,106.18
PT Sick Leave	22,808.73 317.20
Total Purchased Transportation	70,243.04
Services - Prof./Specialized	
Accounting / Auditor Services	8,261.00
IT Service & Support Services - Other (Misc.)	7,881.90 3,485.26
Vehicle Maintenance	0,400.20
T21	2,533.15
T17 T18	9,236.09 10,583.76
T19	9,123.83
T20	12,662.84
Total Vehicle Maintenance	44,139.67
Total Services - Prof./Specialized	63,767.83
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Travel/Staff Training	291.00

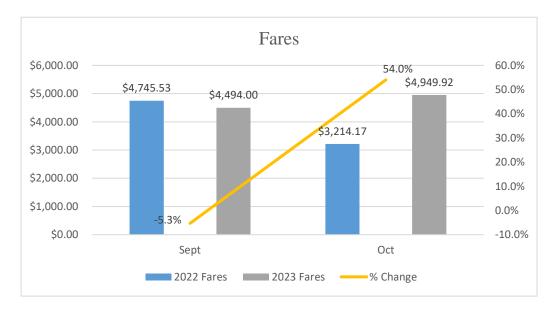
Modoc Transportation Agency Profit & Loss

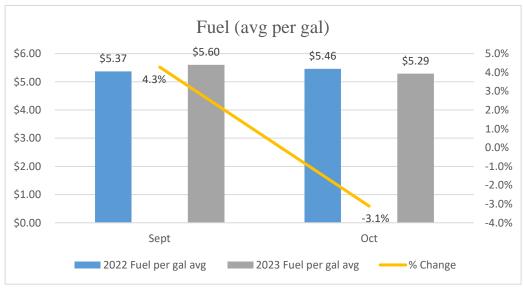
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	Jul - Oct 23		
Electric	991.86		
Equip Maint.	337.48		
Internet	96.00		
Phone/DSL			
Cell - Dispatch	1,204.29		
Phone/DSL - Other	1,348.99		
Total Phone/DSL	2,553.28		
Propane	292.08		
Trash Disposal	330.96		
Water Service	595.80		
Total Utilities	5,197.46		
Total Expense	168,334.39		
Net Ordinary Income	-74,209.75		
Net Income	-74,209.75		

Sage Stage Statistics







Report to Modoc Transportation Agency Board Members		
Subject Meeting Date		
Regular Business	December 5, 2023	
Presented by	Agenda Item	
MTA Staff	5	

Items with attachments, shown in bold:

- a. Accept the Agency's Fiscal Year 2022/23 Fiscal Year Compliance Audits. Action SingletonAuman has completed the fiscal audit of Modoc Transportation Agency. The Fare Revenue Ratio has increased from 6.66% for 2022 to 9.78% for 2023. Assembly Bill 90 was passed during COVID which waived the 10% Farebox Ratio set by the Modoc County Transportation Commission. The Findings are consistent with previous audits.
- **b.** Consider adopting **Resolution 23-03 2024 Authorized Signatories for Plans and Programs**. *Action* Staff recommends adopting Resolution 23-03 so that day-to-day business can continue.
- **c.** Update regarding the Request for Proposals for the Sage Stage Transit Operations and Management. *Information*

d. Nominate Chair and Vice Chair for 2024.

Action

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY ALTURAS, CALIFORNIA

Financial Statements
And Independent Auditor's Report

As of and for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY

Audited Financial Statements June 30, 2023 and 2022

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FINANCIAL SECTION



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Commissioners Modoc Transportation Agency Alturas, CA 96101

Qualified Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the business-type activities and the major fund of Modoc Transportation Agency (Agency) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Agency's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Qualified Opinions of the Financial Statements

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter discussed in the Basis for Qualified Opinions section of our report, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the business-type activities and the major fund of the Modoc Transportation Agency as of June 30, 2023, and the respective changes in financial position and, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Qualified Opinions

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. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Modoc Transportation Agency and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Matter Giving Rise to Qualified Opinion on the Financial Statements

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements present only Transportation Development Act funds, Federal Grants, bus fares and other revenues of the Modoc Transportation Agency and are not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the Modoc Transportation Agency in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Agency's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Modoc Transportation Agency's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Agency's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a basic part of the financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operation, economic, or historical context.

We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Agency's basic financial statements. The Other Supplementary Information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the 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 basic financial statements or to the 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 Other Supplementary Information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 30, 2023, on our consideration of the Agency'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 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* in considering the Agency's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Respectfully submitted,

SingletonAuman PC Susanville, CA

September 30, 2023

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MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT FUNDS STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION

PROPRIETARY FUND

TRANSIT FUND JUNE 30, 2023

(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR JUNE 30, 2022)

ASSETS		2023		2022	
Current Assets: Cash and Investments Accounts Receivable Total Current Assets	\$	1,074,329 410,255 1,484,584	\$	937,032 377,613 1,314,700	
Restricted Cash		8=		· ·	
Property, Plant & Equipment, Net		1,569,577		1,621,543	
Total Assets	\$	3,054,161	\$	2,936,243	
LIABILITIES					
Current Liabilities: Accounts Payable Total Liabilities	\$	40,239 40,239	\$	10,189 10,189	
NET POSITION Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted for State of Good Repair Unrestricted Total Net Position	\$	1,569,577 - 1,444,345 3,013,922	\$	1,621,543 - 1,304,511 2,926,054	

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT FUNDS

STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUND - TRANSIT FUND

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR JUNE 30, 2022)

	2023	2022
Operating Revenues:		
Fare Revenues	\$ 45,903	\$ 33,905
Total Operating Revenue	45,903	33,905
Operating Expenses:		
Contract Transportation Services	269,004	271,001
Vehicle and Equipment Maintenance	89,297	50,614
Building Improvements	4,096	9,106
Fuel	44,247	40,727
Labor	11,432	61,995
Utilities	20,651	18,199
Marketing	16,019	15,664
Other Expenses	6,585	10,705
Professional Services	30,463	26,084
Insurance	4,925	4,648
Depreciation Total Operating Expenses	62,369	58,807
	559,088	567,550
Operating Income (Loss)	(513,185)	(533,645)
Non-Operating Revenues and (Expenses):		
Local Transportation Funds	35,712	90,218
State Transportation Assistance Funds	117,984	84,351
Federal Grants	346,048	163,456
Covid 5311 Reimbursement	(3)	183,534
State of Good Repair	30,000	28,103
Lassen Transit Service Agency	23,149	24,931
LCTOP - Exchange with Tehama County	14,577	15,057
Rents, Leases and Other	22,649	22,313
Other Income	157	5,000
Interest	10,775	1,736
Total Non-Operating Revenues and (Expenses)	601,051	618,699
Transfers Out	*	(6,000)
Change in Net Position	97.066	70.054
	87,866	79,054
Net Position, Beginning of the Period	2,926,056	2,846,999
Net Position, End of the Period	\$ 3,013,922	\$ 2,926,053

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT FUNDS STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUND - TRANSIT FUND FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR JUNE 30, 2022)

Cook Flows Common Control Author		2023		2022
Cash Flows from Operating Activities: Cash Received From Passengers				
Cash Payments to Employees	\$	45,903	\$	33,905
		(11,432)		(61,995)
Cash Payments to Suppliers for Goods and Services		(455,182)		(436,506)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	-	(420,711)		(464,596)
Cash Flows from Non-Capital Financing Activities:				
Received from Other Governmental Agencies		534,831		507,886
Other Income		22,806		27,314
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Non-Capital Financing Activities	2	557,637	-	535,200
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities:				
Purchases of Property and Equipment		(10,403)		(10.740)
Transfer (Out)		(10,403)		(10,740)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital Financing Activities	_	(10.402)	-	(6,000)
The Cash Florided (Cood) by Capital Financing Activities	-	(10,403)	-	(16,740)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities				
Interest Earned		10,775		1,736
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities		10,775		1,736
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Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents		137,298		55,600
Cash and Cash Equivalents:				
Balance - July 1	_	937,031		881,431
Balance - June 30	\$	1,074,329	\$	937,031
Reconciliation:				
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(513,185)	ď	(522 (45)
(Φ	(313,163)	\$	(533,645)
Depreciation and Amortization		62,369		58,807
(Increase)/Decrease in Other Current Assets		55		53
Increase/(Decrease) in Accounts Payable		30,050		10,189
				
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$	(420,711)	\$	(464,596)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Modoc Transportation Agency is the only public transit operator in Modoc County, California. The Agency was established in a Joint Powers Agreement between the County of Modoc and the City of Alturas on August 13, 1997.

The financial statements of Modoc Transportation Agency - Transportation and Development Act Funds are prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Modoc Transportation Agency (the Agency) applies all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements. Proprietary Funds apply Financial Accounting Standard Board (FASB) pronouncements and Accounting Principles Board (APB) opinions issued on our before November 30, 1989, unless those pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements, in which case, GASB prevails.

A. Reporting Entity

The financial statements are intended to present the financial position and results of operations of only those transactions attributable to the Modoc Transportation Agency.

The Agency received Local Transportation Fund and State Transit assistance allocation from the Modoc County Transportation Commission, as well as Federal Grants, Fares and other revenues to operate and provide public transit services to the County of Modoc, the City of Alturas, and the surrounding regions.

The Agency includes all activities (operations of its administrative staff and Board of Directors) considered to be a part of the Agency. The Agency reviewed the criteria developed by GASB in its issuance of Statement No. 14, relating to the financial reporting entity to determine whether the Agency is financially accountable for other entities. The Agency has determined that no other outside entity meets the above criteria, and therefore, no entity has been included as a component unit in the financial statements.

The Agency, although a legally separate entity from Modoc County Transportation Commission (the Commission), is a blended component unit of the Commission because the individuals on the Agency's governing board are the same as those on the Commission. The Commission is also responsible for approving the Agency's Transportation Development Act revenue allocations.

B. Fund Accounting

The Agency uses funds to report on its financial position and on the results of its operations. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain government functions or activities.

A fund is a separate accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts.

The Agency makes use of an enterprise fund type (of the proprietary fund category) to account for the majority of the Agency's activity. Proprietary funds are used to account for activities similar to those found in the private sector, where the determination of net income is necessary or useful to sound financial administration. Goods or services from such activities can be provided either to outside parties (enterprise funds) or to other departments or agencies (internal service funds).

C. Basis of Accounting

All proprietary funds are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the balance sheet.

The accrual basis of accounting is utilized by proprietary fund types. Under this method, revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred. Nonexchange transactions, in which the Agency give (or receives) value without directly receiving (or giving) equal value in exchange, included grants, entitlements and donations. On the accrual basis, revenues from grants, entitlements and donations are recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

An enterprise fund distinguishes operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with the Agency's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the Agency are charges to passengers for public transit services. Operating expenses for the Agency include the cost of transit services, administrative expenses and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

When both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available, unrestricted resources are used only after restricted resources are depleted.

D. Capital Assets

All purchased capital assets are valued at cost where historical records are available and at an estimated historical cost where no historical records exist. Donated fixed assets are valued at their estimated fair market value as the date received. The Agency's capitalization threshold is \$100. The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized.

Depreciation of buildings, equipment and vehicles in the proprietary fund is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Assets	Years
Buildings	30
Vehicles	5-10
Equipment	3-10

The Agency has acquired certain capital assets with funding provided by federal assistance from various grant programs. The Agency holds title to these assets; however, the federal government retains an interest in these assets should the asset no longer be used for transit purposes.

E. Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Agency considers cash, investments in the local agency investment fund, and reserved cash to be cash equivalents. Excess cash has been invested in the Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF). The Agency is authorized to deposit cash and invest excess funds by California Government Code 53648 et seq.

The remainder of the Agency's cash is held in Plumas Bank. The FDIC insures cash balances held in banks up to \$250,000. Periodically, the Agency's cash balances exceed FDIC limits; however the Agency believes that no significant concentration of credit risk exists for these excess deposits. As of June 30, 2023 and June 30, 2022 funds were held in excess of the FDIC limits.

F. Receivable and Payable Balances

The Agency believes that sufficient detail of receivable and payable balances is provided in the financial statements to avoid the obscuring of significant components by aggregation. Therefore, no disclosure is provided which disaggregates those balances.

G. Use of Estimates

The financial statements have been prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, and as such, include amounts based on informed estimates and judgments of management with consideration given to materiality. Actual results could differ from those amounts.

H. Expenses in Excess of Budget

The following expense categories exceeded budget during the 2023-22 fiscal year:

Category	Exc	cess of Budget
Depreciation	\$	62,369
Contract Transportation Services	\$	7,004
Vehicle Maintenance	\$	41,297
Marketing	\$	1,019

Contract Transportation Services and Marketing exceeded budget due to cost overruns. Vehicle Maintenance exceeded budget due to an unexpected major repair. Depreciation was not budgeted.

I. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The Agency's budget is consistent with the modified accrual basis of accounting. In order to be consistent with accrual basis accounting used in proprietary funds, capital expenditures will need to be eliminated and depreciation will need to be added.

J. Unearned Revenue

Cash received for federal and state special projects and programs is recognized as revenue to the extent that qualified expenses have been incurred. Unearned revenue is recorded to the extent cash received on specific projects and programs exceeds qualified expenses.

K. Fair Value Measurements and Investments

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Fair value measurements must maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. There is a hierarchy of three levels of inputs that may be used to measure fair value:

- Level 1 Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities
- Level 2 Observable inputs other than Level 1 prices, such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs supported by little or no market activity and are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies and inputs used for assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis and recognized in the accompanying statement of financial position, as well as the general classification of such assets pursuant to the valuation hierarchy.

Investments

Where quoted market prices are available in an active market, securities are classified within Level 1 of the valuation hierarchy. Level 1 securities include various types of mutual funds. If quoted market prices are not available, then fair values are estimated by using pricing models, quoted prices of securities with similar characteristics or discounted cash flows. In certain cases where Level 1 or Level 2 inputs are not available, securities are classified within Level 3 of the hierarchy.

NOTE 2 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The Agency's cash and investments are maintained with various financial institutions.

	2023	2022
Plumas Bank Operating Account	\$ 442,280	\$ 315,758
Local Agency Investment Fund	632,049	 621,273
	\$ 1,074,329	\$ 937,031

Investments consist of amounts deposited with the Local Agency Investment Fund, and are stated at fair value based on significant other observable inputs.

The total amount of interest income for the year ended June 30, 2023 and 2022 was \$10,775 and \$1,736, respectively. This interest is included in the balances of the accounts and fair value measurements.

The following tables present the fair value measurements of assets recognized in the accompanying statement of financial position measured at fair value on a recurring basis and level within the fair value hierarchy in which the fair value measurements fall:

June 30, 2023

				,			
	Fair Value Measurements Using						
			Quoted Prices in		Significant	Significant	
			Active Markets		Other	Unobservable	
		Fair	for Identical Assets	Ot	servable Inputs	Inputs	
		Value	(Level 1)		(Level 2)	(Level 3)	
Local Agency Investment Fund	\$	632,049		\$	632,049		
			June 30	, 202	22		
			Fair Value Meas	urem	ents Using		
			Quoted Prices in		Significant	Significant	
			Active Markets		Other	Unobservable	
		Fair	for Identical Assets	Ob	servable Inputs	Inputs	
		Value	(Level 1)		(Level 2)	(Level 3)	

NOTE 3 – CAPITAL ASSETS

A capital assets summary of the Agency is shown below:

	Balance 6/30/2022	Additions	<u>Dispositions</u>	Balance 6/30/2023
Land Vehicles, Buildings, and Equipment Total	\$ 781,745 2,088,133 2,869,878	\$ 10,403 10,403		\$ 781,745 2,098,536 2,880,281
Accumulated Depreciation	(1,248,334)	(62,369)		(1,310,703)
Property, Plant and Equipment, Net	\$ 1,621,544	\$ (51,966)	\$ -	\$ 1,569,578

	<u>(</u>	Balance 5/30/2021	Α	dditions	<u>Di</u>	spositions	(Balance 6/30/2022
Land Vehicles, Buildings, and Equipment Total	\$	781,745 1,945,887 2,727,632	_\$_	10,740 10,740	_\$_	131,506 131,506	\$	781,745 2,088,133 2,869,878
Accumulated Depreciation	-	(1,058,021)	1	(58,807)		(131,506)		(1,248,334)
Property, Plant and Equipment, Net	\$	1,669,611	\$	(48,067)	_\$_		_\$_	1,621,544

Depreciation and amortization was charged to functions as follows:

	_June	30, 2023	June	e 30, 2022
Transit	\$	62,369	\$	58,807

NOTE 4 – CONCENTRATIONS

The Agency receives a substantial amount of its support from a statewide retail sales tax from the Local Transportation Fund created by the Transportation Development Act. A significant reduction in the level of this support, if this were to occur, may have a significant effect on the Agency's activities.

NOTE 5 – CONTINGENCIES

The Agency receives funding for specific purposes that are subject to review and audit by the granting agencies funding source. Such audits could result in a request for reimbursement for expenditures disallowed under the terms and conditions of the contracts. Management is of the opinion that no material liabilities will result from such potential audits.

NOTE 6 – NET POSITION

Net Position is the excess of all the Agency's assets over all its liabilities. Net assets are divided into captions under GASB Statement No. 34. These captions apply only to net assets, which are described below:

Net Investment in Capital Assets describes the portion of net assets that is represented by the current net book value of the Agency's capital assets, less the outstanding balance of any debt issued to finance these assets.

Restricted Net Position describes the portion of net assets that are legally restricted for certain purposes.

Unrestricted describes the potion of net assets that is not restricted to use or invested in capital assets.

NOTE 7 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

In preparing these financial statements, the Commission has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through September 30, 2023, the date the financial statements were issued.

NOTE 8 - FARE REVENUE RATIO

The Agency claims TDA funding per Article 8, Section 99400(c), not Article 4, Section 99268. The Agency adopted resolution 21-02, which requires the Agency to follow the Commission's performance criteria and, therefore, does not have a fare box requirement. However, for comparison purposes only, the Agency's ratio of fare revenues to operating costs for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022 are presented below:

Operating Revenues:	<u>2023</u>	2022
Fare Revenue	\$ 45,903	\$ 33,905
Total Operating Revenue	\$ 45,903	\$ 33,905
Operating Expenses:		
Operating Expenses	\$ 531,915	\$ 567,550
Less: Depreciation	(62,369)	(58,807)
Adjusted Operating Expenses	<u>\$ 469,546</u>	\$ 508,743
Fare Revenue Ratio	<u>9.78%</u>	<u>6.66%</u>

The Agency adopted a resolution requiring a 10% Farebox ratio, however this requirement was waived due to the Coronavirus pandemic with the passage of California Assembly Bill 90.

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT FUNDS TRANSIT FUND BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

							iance with al Budget
		Budget A	mour				avorable
Omenation D		Original		Final	Actual	(Un	favorable)
Operating Revenues:	_						
Fare Revenues	\$	47,000	\$	47,000	45,903	\$	(1,097)
Total Operating Revenue		47,000		47,000	45,903		(1,097)
Operating Expenses:							-
Contract Transportation Services		262,000		262,000	269,004		(7,004)
Vehicle Maintenance		48,000		48,000	89,297		(41,297)
Building Improvements		6,625		6,625	4,096		2,529
Fuel		45,000		45,000	44,247		753
Labor		107,000		107,000	11,432		95,568
Utilities		22,000		22,000	20,651		1,349
Marketing		15,000		15,000	16,019		(1,019)
Other Expenses		15,000		15,000	6,585		8,415
Professional Services		32,000		32,000	30,463		1,537
Insurance		7,000		7,000	4,925		2,075
Transit Property & Vehicle Reserve		40,625		40,625	,		40,625
Depreciation				-	62,369		(62,369)
Total Operating Expenses		600,250		600,250	559,088		41,162
Operating Income (Loss)		(553,250)		(553,250)	(513,185)		40,065
Non-Operating Revenue (Expense):							
Local Transportation Funds		123,000		123,000	35,712		(87,288)
State Transportation Assistance Funds		95,284		95,284	117,984		22,700
Federal Grants		241,741		241,741	346,048		104,307
Lassen Transit Service Agency		30,000		30,000	23,149		(6,851)
LCTOP - Exchange with Tehama County		24,931		24,931	14,577		(10,354)
State of Good Repair Program		15,694		15,694	30,000		14,306
Other		22,600		22,600	22,806		206
Interest					10,775		10,775
Total Non-Operating Revenues (Expense		553,250		553,250	601,051		47,801
Transfers Out						00	<u>.</u>
Change in Net Position	\$		\$		\$ 87,866	\$	87,866



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE OVER FINANACIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATUTES, RULES, AND REGULATIONS OF THE CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT AND THE ALLOCATION INSTRUCTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE LOCAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Board of Commissioners Modoc County Transportation Commission Alturas, California

Board of Directors Modoc Transportation Agency Alturas, California

Report on State Compliance

We have audited the financial statements of the Transportation Development Act Funds allocated to the Modoc Transportation Agency as of and for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022 and have issued our report thereon dated September 30, 2023.

Management's Responsibility for State Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its state programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

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 We have also audited the Agency's compliance with the California Code of Regulations Sections 6664 and 6667 that are applicable to Modoc Transportation Agency. Additionally, we performed tests to determine that expenditures paid by Modoc Transportation Agency were made in accordance with the allocation instructions and resolutions of Modoc County Transportation Commission and in conformance with the California Transportation Development Act. Also as part of our audit, we performed test of compliance to determine whether certain state bond funds were received and expended in accordance with applicable bond act and state accounting requirements. Compliance with the requirements referred to above is the responsibility of the Agency's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Agency's compliance based on our audit.

The auditing standards referred to above 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 material effect on the state laws and regulations applicable to the items above occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Agency'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. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Agency's compliance with those requirements.

Opinion on State Compliance

In our opinion, the Modoc Transportation Agency complied, in all material respects, with the statutes, rules, and regulations of the California Transportation Development Act, the allocation instructions and resolutions of the local transportation commission, and with the applicable bond act and state accounting requirements.

Purpose of This Report

The report is intended solely for the information and use of Modoc Transportation Agency, the California Department of Transportation, and the State Controller's Office and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Respectfully submitted,

SingletonAuman PC

Susanville, CA September 30, 2023



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT 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

Board of Commissioners Modoc County Transportation Commission Alturas, California Board of Directors Modoc Transportation Agency Alturas, California

Members of the Board of Directors:

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 Transportation Development Act Funds allocated to the Modoc Transportation Agency as of and for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022 and the related notes to the financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 30, 2023.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Agency's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Agency's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Agency'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 entity's 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 and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses.

We did identify certain deficiencies in internal control, described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs that we consider to be significant deficiencies. See Findings 2023-001 and 2023-002.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Agency's financial statements are free of 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 determination of financial statement amounts. 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 that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Agency's Response to Findings

The Agency's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The Agency's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

Purpose of the Report

This 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 Agency'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 Agency's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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Susanville, CA

September 30, 2023

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The quality of the Agency's internal controls is dependent upon oversight by the Board Members. A summary of the auditors' results follows:

- 1. Type of Auditors' Report on Financial Statements: Qualified.
- 2. Internal Control Findings: 2 Significant Deficiencies.
- 3. Material Noncompliance Noted: None.

YELLOW BOOK SECTION Internal Control – Significant Deficiency

Finding 2023-001 Financial Reporting

Criteria Upon Which Audit Finding is Based (Legal Citation)

AU-C Section 265, Communicating Internal Control Matters Identified in an Audit.

Finding (Condition)

Similar to many small governmental entities, the Agency is not providing complete and accurate footnote disclosures that are prepared in accordance with GAAP prior to the annual audit.

Amount of Questioned Cost, How Computed and Prevalence

None.

Effect

There is a risk that a material financial statement misstatement may exist and not be prevented or detected by the Agency's system of internal control.

Cause

The Agency does not have the resources to address this deficiency.

Recommendation

We recommend that the Agency consider the cost benefit of hiring an accountant familiar with GAAP or contracting with an independent CPA firm to compile financial statements in conformity with GAAP.

Agency's Response

The Agency has determined that the costs of correcting the control weakness outweigh the benefits to be received. The Agency will continue to rely on the independent auditor to prepare its annual financial statements.

Internal Control - Significant Deficiency

Finding 2023-002 Lack of Segregation of Duties

Criteria Upon Which Audit Finding is Based (Legal Citation) AU-C Section 265, Communicating Internal Control Matters Identified in an Audit.

Finding (Condition)

An inadequate segregation of duties exists in the areas of cash handling, payroll, general ledger & financial reporting, and grants management with the Agency personnel.

Amount of Questioned Cost, How Computed and Prevalence None.

Effect

The Agency has exposure to risk of financial statement misstatement and the potential risk of fraud.

Cause

Due to the number of personnel assigned to duties that involve access to the general ledger and other accounting records and who also have custody of and responsibility for handling cash and other assets, an inadequate segregation of duties exists.

Recommendation

We recommend the Agency employees and Board maintain diligence for the potential risks of not having an adequate segregation of duties. The Agency should consider segregating the following duties as much as possible:

- 1. Receiving cash, deposit preparation, and posting the deposit to the general ledger.
- 2. Preparing voucher packages/check requests, approving checks for payment, and mailing checks.
- 3. Bank reconciliations, and cash receipt & disbursements. Bank reconciliations should be prepared by someone who is not responsible for recording transaction in the general ledger
- 4. Administrative staff who are not involved in cash or accounting related functions could perform duties, such as taking deposits to the bank, maintaining check stock, etc...

Agency's Response

The Board has implemented policies due to the small number of employees employed by MTA:

- 1. The Chair reviews and signs payables along with the Executive Director.
- 2. All transactions are reviewed and approved by the Commission.
- 3. Deposits, including passenger fares, are prepared by one staff and another takes the deposit to the bank.

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS (FINDINGS FROM THE JUNE 30, 2022 AUDIT REPORT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Finding 2022-1 Financial Reporting

Finding (Condition)

Similar to many small governmental entities, the Agency does not have policies and procedures in place to ensure that complete and accurate financial statements and footnote disclosures are prepared in accordance with GAAP prior to the annual audit. Management relies upon the auditor to recommend footnote disclosures for the financial statements and to prepare adjusting journal entries for approval in order to report financial information in accordance with GAAP.

Status

Partially implemented. See current year finding 2023-001.

Finding 2022-1 Lack of Segregation of Duties

Finding (Condition)

An inadequate segregation of duties exists in the areas of cash handling, payroll, general ledger & financial reporting, and grants management with the Agency personnel.

Status

Not Implemented. See current year finding 2023-002.

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN JUNE 30, 2023

Person Monitoring Corrective Action Plan

Debbie Pedersen, Executive Director

Finding 2023-001 Financial Reporting

Finding (Condition)

Similar to many small governmental entities, the Agency is not providing complete and accurate footnote disclosures that are prepared in accordance with GAAP prior to the annual audit.

Corrective Action Planned

The Agency has determined that the costs of correcting the control weakness outweigh the benefits to be received. The Agency will continue to rely on the independent auditor to prepare its annual financial statements.

Expected Completion Date

Ongoing.

Finding 2023-002 Lack of Segregation of Duties

Finding (Condition)

An inadequate segregation of duties exists in the areas of cash handling, payroll, general ledger & financial reporting, and grants management with the Agency personnel.

Corrective Action Planned

The Board has implemented policies due to the small number of employees employed by MTA:

- 1. The Chair reviews and signs payables along with the Executive Director.
- 2. All transactions are reviewed and approved by the Commission.
- 3. Deposits, including passenger fares, are prepared by one staff and another takes the deposit to the bank.

Expected Completion Date

Ongoing.

MODOC TRANSPORTATION AGENCY RESOLUTION No. 23-03

Calendar Year (CY) 2024 Authorized Signatories for Plans and Programs

WHEREAS, the Modoc Transportation Agency (MTA) is the public transit and intercity bus operator for the Modoc County region and the Consolidated Transportation Service Agency, serving travelers and residents of the County of Modoc and the incorporated City of Alturas;

WHEREAS, it is often required by various programs and funding sources to have a resolution that identifies MTA's designated signature authorities; and

WHEREAS, various agencies such as the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), Federal Transit Administration (FTA), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and other agencies require said resolution to be submitted; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the MTA to name the Executive Director, Chair, or Vice Chair as its designated signature authorities for various transportation funds, including but not limited to:

- Local Transportation Funds (LTF)
- State Transit Assistance Funds (STAF)
- Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) funds
- Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5304, 5310, 5311, 5311(f), and 5316 funds
- CRRSAA and CARES funding Section 5311 and 5311f funds
- Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds
- State / Regional Improvement Transportation Program (STIP / RTIP) funds
- STIP Planning Programming and Monitoring (PPM) funds
- Alternative Transportation Program (ATP) funds
- Prop 1B funds including Public Transportation Modernization, Improvement and Service Enhancement Account(PTMISEA) and California Transit Assistance Fund (CTAF) programs
- State-funded transit project funds
- American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) funds
- Low Carbon Transit Ops Program (LCTOP)
- SB 1 State of Good Repair (SGR) Program

WHEREAS, the Board directs staff to perform or administer all related work, including but not limited to allocation requests, certificates of assurances, master agreements, fund transfer agreements, final expenditure reports, grant proposals and all related work, preparation of grant applications, fixed asset procurement, invoices, reports agency coordination, planning work, amendments, budget updates, correspondence and preparation of California Transportation Commission (CTC) agenda items for STIP projects, among other duties for CY 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Modoc Transportation Agency Board of Directors does hereby authorize the Executive Director, Chair, or Vice Chair to serve as its designated signature authorities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the MTA does hereby authorize such persons to act on behalf of the Agency and to execute documents related to any transportation funding program.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of December 2022 by the following vote:

AYES:	Board Members: Dederick, Rhoads, Cavasso, Moriarity, Nelson, Cox					
NOES:	None					
ABSENT:	Board Members: Coe (A)					
		John Dederick, Chair				
		Modoc Transportation Agency				
ATTEST:						
Debbie Pedersen	, Executive Director					
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Report to Modoc Transportation Agency Board Members				
Subject	Meeting Date			
Staff Updates and Calendar of Events	December 5, 2023			
Presented by	Agenda Item			
MTA Staff	6			

a. Staff Updates

- b. Calendar of Events MTA Meetings 1:50 Sage Stage Conference Room, Alturas, CA 96101
 - 02/06/2024

Sage Stage Holiday Schedule (No Bus Service)

- December 25, 26, 2023 Christmas Holiday
- January 1, 2024 New Years' Day