

Madison County Citizens Services Agency

Mission Statement: To provide human services with excellence to enhance self-sufficiency for the citizens of Madison County by partnering with other community agencies.

**Status Report
For FY 2023-2024
The Madison County Board of Supervisors
Mr. Gerald Steen, President
District 3**

May 5, 2025

**Report Submitted by:
Dr. Mary Sims-Johnson, MSW, LCSW
Executive Director**

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY

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A Message from the Executive Director:

On behalf of the Madison County Citizens Services Agency (MCCSA) Board of Directors and the staff, we would like to thank you for your support and your commitment to provide services to address the needs of the Citizens across Madison County.

The fiscal year 2024, which concluded September 30, 2024, was a successful year in the history of Madison County Citizens Services Agency as we continue to rebound from the pandemic. This report will provide a brief overview of program services and agency finances for the 2024 fiscal year.

I would like to thank the Madison County Citizens Services Agency Board of Directors for the dedication and the guidance they provide to the Agency. Additionally, the assistance has provided me with the essential and necessary administrative support to manage the outcomes of agency programs and services in the Madison County Community.

I would like to extend my gratitude to the MCCSA staff members for their hard work, outstanding performance and their dedication to services that they demonstrate on a daily basis.

Finally, we recognize the need for community services in the Madison County area. We will continue to seek funding opportunities and other agency collaborations to provide quality professional services for the citizens of Madison County. Thank you for the support you have provided to MCCSA over the years and we solicit your continuous support in the future.

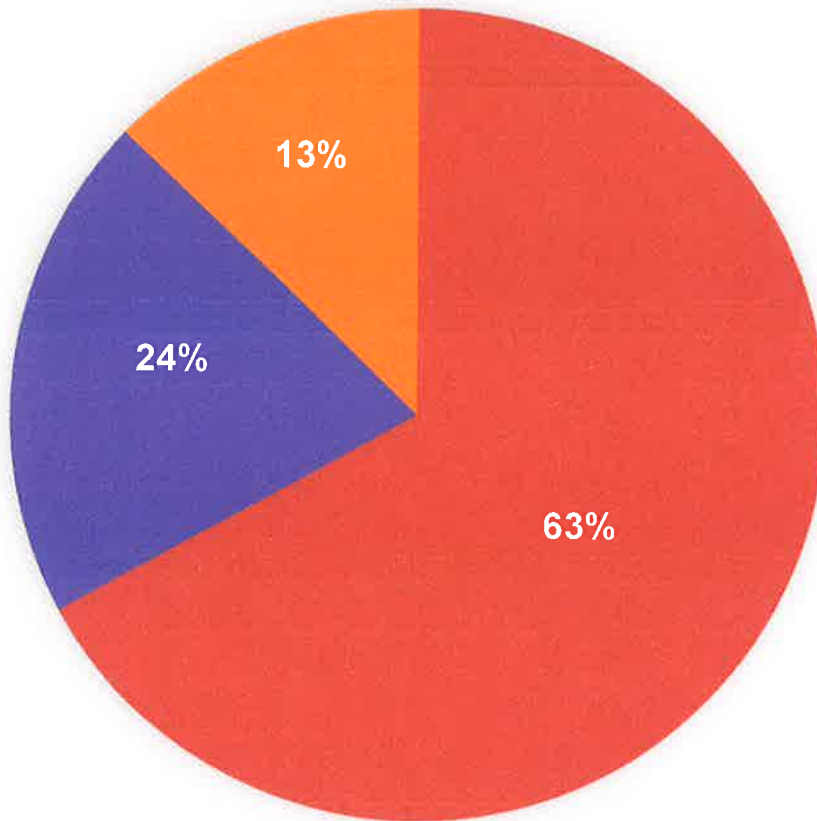
Sincerely yours,

Dr. Mary Sims-Johnson, MSW, LCSW
Executive Director
Madison County Citizens Services Agency

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**Fiscal Year
2023-2024**

Total Revenue Summary 3,351,868.00



Total Federal Funds	Madison Co. BOS	Other Income
\$2,097,143.00	\$819,766.00	\$434.959.00
63%	24%	13%

Madison County Citizens Services Agency
Agency Program Services
FY 2023-2024

Agency		September 2023	September 2024
Mississippi Department of Human Services			
LIHEAP	Total Number of Clients Served	4,263	1,798
Mississippi Department of Transportation			
Rural General Public	Total Number of Trips	26,885	26,307
Central Mississippi Planning and Development District			
Title XX	Total Number of Units	6,338	6,243
Information and Referral	Total Number of Units	2,247	2,791
Outreach	Total Number of Units	1,914	2,385
Congregate Meals	Total Number of Meals/Units	4,078	4,115
Mississippi Food Network			
Commodity Supplement Food Program (CSFP)	Total Number of Boxes Distributed	7,020	6,700
Total Clients Direct Services		52,745	50,339
Agency Clients Outreach			
Radio, PSA (Listing Audience) and Info Distribution		88,000	32,698
Hispanic Outreach		-0-	1,880
Facebook and Website		58,314	13,304
Total Client Contacts		199,059	98,221

Madison County Citizens Services Agency

Financial Summary 2024

MCCSA received a “No Findings and a Low Risk” Audit Report for the FY 2024 (*A copy has been submitted to Mr. Greg Higginbotham for the Madison County BOS’s Records*).

Currently, in the fiscal year 2024, we are operating within our funding allocation awards. Our efforts are to manage the financial affairs of the Agency as efficiently as possible and in accordance with governmental and accounting auditing standards and practices.

Again, to the Madison County Board of Supervisors, thank you, the agency cannot survive without you, because our federal grants require local cash match. Remember, the citizens of Madison County are depending on us to advocate for them.

Again, to the MCCSA Board of Directors, thank you, the successes of MCCSA depend on your support, guidance and assistance.

To the MCCSA Staff, thank you for being the “*Best Winning Team*”. I appreciate your support, cooperation and hard work. Thank you for always going above and beyond the call of duty to serve the Citizens of Madison County.

MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY

**AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION AND
COMMENTS ON COMPLIANCE
AND INTERNAL CONTROL**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED
SEPTEMBER 30, 2024**

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March 31, 2025

Board of Directors and Executive Director.

Madison County Citizens Services Agency

Canton, MS

We have audited the financial statements of Madison County Citizens Services Agency for the year ended September 30, 2024, and we will issue our report thereon dated March 31, 2025. Professional standards require that we provide you with information about our responsibilities under generally accepted auditing standards (and, if applicable, *Government Auditing Standards* and the Uniform Guidance), as well as certain information related to the planned scope and timing of our audit. We have communicated such information in our letter to you dated March 31, 2025. Professional standards also require that we communicate to you the following information related to our audit.

Significant Audit Matters

Qualitative Aspects of Accounting Practices

Management is responsible for the selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. The significant accounting policies used by Madison County Citizens Services Agency are described in Note 2 to the financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during the year. We noted no transactions entered into by the Organization during the year for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus. All significant transactions have been recognized in the financial statements in the proper period.

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are not particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected.

Certain financial statement disclosures can be particularly sensitive because of their significance to financial statement users. There was no sensitive disclosure(s) affecting the financial statements.

The financial statement disclosures are neutral, consistent, and clear.

Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing and completing our audit.

Corrected and Uncorrected Misstatements

Professional standards require us to accumulate all misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are clearly trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. There were no misstatements noted during our audit.

Disagreements with Management

For purposes of this letter, a disagreement with management is a disagreement on a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter, whether resolved to our satisfaction, that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditor's report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during our audit.

Management Representations

We have requested certain representations from management that are included in the management representation letter dated March 31, 2025.

Management Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, like obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the Organization's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditor's opinion that may be expressed on those statements, our professional standards require the consulting accountant to check with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

Other Audit Findings or Issues

We generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, with management each year prior to retention as the Organization's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

Other Matters

With respect to the supplementary information accompanying the financial statements, we made certain inquiries of management and evaluated the form, content, and methods of preparing the information to determine that the information complies with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, the method of preparing it has not changed from the prior period, and the information is appropriate and complete in relation to our audit of the financial statements. We compared and reconciled the supplementary information to the underlying accounting records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves.

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This information is intended solely for the use of the Board of Directors charged with governance and, if appropriate, management. Madison County Citizens Services Agency and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Willie B. Sims, Jr.", with a stylized, cursive flourish at the end.

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
September 30, 2024

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of
Madison County Citizens Services Agency

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Madison County Citizens Services Agency (a branch of county government), which comprise the statement of financial position as of September 30, 2024, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Madison County Citizens Services Agency as of September 30, 2024, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

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 Madison County Citizens Services 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.

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 Madison County Citizens Service Agency's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

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 opinion. 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 Madison County Citizens Service 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 Madison County Citizens Services 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.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not

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a required part of the 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 financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the 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 March 15, 2025, on our consideration of Madison County Citizens Services 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 solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of Madison County Citizens Services Agency's 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 Madison County Citizens Services Agency's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



Hattiesburg, MS

March 15, 2025

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
September 30, 2024

ASSETS

Current Assets:

Cash and Cash equivalents	842,100
Grants and contract receivable	<u>153,335</u>

Total Current Assets	<u><u>995,435</u></u>
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Fixed Assets:

Vehicles	680,995
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(457,586)</u>

Total Fixed Assets	<u>223,409</u>
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Total Assets	<u><u>1,218,844</u></u>
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LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Accounts Payable	2,781
Payroll Accrual and Liabilities	15,597
Unearned Revenue	<u>165,694</u>

Total Liabilities	184,072
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Net assets

Without Donor Restrictions:

Operations	811,364
Property and Equipment	<u>223,408</u>

Total Net Assets	<u>1,034,772</u>
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Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u><u>1,218,844</u></u>
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these Financial Statements.

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
September 30, 2024

REVENUES AND SUPPORT

	<u>Without Donor Restrictions</u>		
	<u>Unrestricted Operations</u>	<u>Property Equipment</u>	<u>Total</u>
Grant Support-Federal	2,109,534	-	2,109,534
Grant Support-Federal Non Cash	16,936	143,078	160,014
Grant Support, State and Local	548,887	-	548,887
Transportation Services	4,023	-	4,023
Cash Match	414,081	-	414,081
Program Income	38,175	-	38,175
Other Revenue	35,764	-	35,764
Inkind Revenue	41,390	-	41,390
Total Revenues and Support	<u>3,208,790</u>	<u>143,078</u>	<u>3,351,868</u>

EXPENSES

Program Services:			
Community Services	473,279	-	473,279
Energy Assistance and Conservation	1,285,971	-	1,285,971
Transportation	1,050,273	66,745	1,117,018
Aging Program	210,621	-	210,621
Total Program Services	<u>3,020,144</u>	<u>66,745</u>	<u>3,086,889</u>
Total Expenses	3,020,144	66,745	3,086,889
Change in Net Assets	188,646	76,333	264,979
Prior-Period Adjustment	37,501	-	37,501
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	<u>585,217</u>	<u>147,075</u>	<u>732,292</u>
Net Assets, End of period	<u>811,364</u>	<u>223,408</u>	<u>1,034,772</u>

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
September 30, 2024

	Community Service	Energy Assistance And Conservation	Transportation	Aging Program	Total Program Services
EXPENSES					
Salaries and Wages	133,056	320,496	532,020	104,338	1,089,910
Fringe Benefits	54,728	161,048	253,966	39,487	509,229
Supplies	15,296	9,800	6,156	1,821	33,073
Equipment Expense	14,448	-	-	-	14,448
Travel and Conferences	3,485	114	14,825	-	18,424
Space Cost	76,724	-	-	41,390	118,114
Telephone	4,012	138	8,070	-	12,220
Insurance	7,698	-	115,321	-	123,019
Postage	1,100	2,848	-	-	3,948
Equipment Rent	3,600	2,135	1,380	-	7,115
Equipment Repair	34,180	-	24,851	-	59,031
Dues and Fees	1,497	-	1,075	-	2,572
Audit	-	5,500	-	-	5,500
Specific Assistance	13,509	769,432	-	-	782,941
Contract Services	70,920	8,832	-	5,075	84,827
Training	6,776	5,628	3,456	-	15,860
Vehicle Tires, Parts and Labor	16,859	-	35,344	-	52,203
Publication and Printing	3,051	-	595	-	3,647
Advertisement	1,307	-	4,014	-	5,321
Fuel and Oil	1,612	-	49,200	-	50,812
Food	7,654	-	-	13,644	21,298
Other	1,767	-	-	4,866	6,633
Total Expenses before Depreciation	473,279	1,285,971	1,050,273	210,621	3,020,145
Depreciation Expense	-	-	66,745	-	66,745
Total Expenses	473,279	1,285,971	1,117,018	210,621	3,086,890

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CASH FLOWS
September 30, 2024

Cash Flows from Operating Activities:	
Change in Net Assets	264,979
Adjustments to Reconcile Changes in Net Assets to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:	
Depreciation and Amortization	66,745
Prior Period Adjustments	37,501
Changes in Operations Assets and Liabilities:	
Grants and Contract Receivable	(22,658)
Other Assets	-
Accounts Payable	(32,040)
Accrued Liabilities	1,929
Deferred Revenue	-
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Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	316,456
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:	
Purchase of Land, Furniture, Auto and Equipment	(143,078)
Sales of Marketing Securities	-
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Net Cash Provided by Financial Activities	(143,078)
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Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	173,377
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Year	668,723
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Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period	842,100
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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Notes to the Financial Statements
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

NOTE 1 - AGENCY'S HISTORY AND OPERATING STRUCTURE

The Madison County Citizens Services Agency was created by the Madison County Board of Supervisors on November 6, 2006. The Agency was created under Section 17-51 through 11 of the Mississippi Code with the express purpose of operating under local governmental control and is responsible for the administration of programs heretofore conducted by community action agencies, limited purpose agencies and related programs authorized by federal law.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The summary of significant accounting policies of Madison County Citizens Services Agency is presented to assist in understanding the Agency's financial statements. The financial statements and notes are representations of the Agency's management, who is responsible for their integrity and objectivity. These accounting policies conform to generally accepted accounting principles and have been consistently applied in the preparation of the financial statements.

- A. **Basis of Accounting** - The financial statements of Madison County Citizens Services Agency are presented on the accrual basis of accounting.
- B. **Basis of Presentation** - The Agency is required to report information regarding its Financial position and activities according to two classes of net assets: net assets without donor restrictions, and net assets with donor restrictions.
- C. **Restricted and Unrestricted Revenue and Support** - Support that is restricted by the donor is reported as an increase in unrestricted net assets if the restriction expires in the reporting period in which the support is recognized. All other donor-restricted support is reported as an increase in temporarily or permanently restricted net asset, depending on the nature of the restriction. When a restriction expires (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished), temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the Statement of Activities as net assets released from restrictions. Federal grants since awards are classified as refundable advances until expensed for the purposes of the grants since they are conditional promises to give.
- D. **Fixed Assets** - Acquisition of non-expendable property are treated as expenditures of the program in the period the costs are incurred, and assets values are reported as such. Property acquired is considered owned by the Agency while used in the program for which it was purchased or in future authorized programs. However, the Federal Government and the State of Mississippi have a reversionary interest in property purchased or acquired with federal and state funds, its dispositions as well as the ownership of any proceeds therefore, is subject to the regulations of the funding source.

MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Notes to the Financial Statements
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

NOTE - 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNOFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

D. Fixed Assets (Continued)

Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which is 5 years for vehicle and equipment and 7 years for furniture.

Assets acquired with a unit cost of \$5,000 are capitalized.

- E. Cash and Cash Equivalents** - For purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash equivalents include time deposits, certifications of deposits, and all highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less.
- F. Donated Property and Equipment** - Donations of property and equipment are recorded as support at their estimated fair value at the date of donation. Such donations are reported as unrestricted support unless the donor has restricted the donated asset to a specific purpose. Assets donated with explicit restrictions regarding their use and contributions of cash that must be used to acquire property and equipment are reported as restricted support. Absent donor stipulations regarding how long those donated assets must be maintained, the Agency reports expirations of donor restrictions when the donated or acquired assets are placed in service as instructed by the donor. The Agency reclassifies temporarily restricted assets to unrestricted assets at that time.
- G. Estimates** - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.
- H. Employee's Annual Leave** - The Agency does not charge annual leave earned by employees which has not been used by them at the end of a period to the period that the leave is earned. It is expensed in the period in which the employees used the leave.
- I. Functional Expenses Allocation** - The cost of providing various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the Statement of Activities and in the Statement of Functional Expenses based on various methods including square footage and percent of time dedicated to each function. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited.
- J. Reclassifications** - Certain accounts in the prior year financial statements have been reclassified for comparative purposes to conform with the presentation in the current year financial statements.

MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Notes to the Financial Statements
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

K. Classification of Net Assets - Net Assets of Madison County Citizens Services Agency are classified based on the presence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Net Assets are comprised of two groups as follows:

- a) **Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions** - Amounts that are not subject to usage restrictions based on donor-imposed requirements. This class also includes assets previously restricted where restrictions have expired or been met.
- b) **Net Assets with Donor Restrictions** - Assets subject to usage limitations based on donor imposed or grantor restrictions. These restrictions may be temporary or may be based on a particular use. Restrictions may be met by the passage of time or by action of the Agency. Certain restrictions may need to be maintained in perpetuity.

NOTE 3 - GRANTS AND CONTRACTS RECEIVABLES

Grants and contract receivables at September 30, 2024 consist of the following:

A. Grants	<u>Amounts</u>
State of MS DHS	\$ 4,029
Madison Courts	11,940
MTM	21
State of Mississippi Department of Transportation	124,809
Central Mississippi Planning and Development District	<u>12,536</u>
Total Grants Receivables	<u>153,336</u>

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Notes to the Financial Statements
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

NOTE 4 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

The following is a summary of Property and Equipment:

<u>Class of Assets</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>10/01/23</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>09/30/24</u>
Motor Vehicles	<u>\$537,917</u>	<u>\$143,078</u>	<u>\$680,995</u>
Total Depreciable Assets	537,917	143,078	680,995
Accumulated Depreciation			
Motor Vehicles	(390,841)	(66,745)	(457,586)
Total Accumulated Depreciation			
Net Property and Equipment	<u>\$147,076</u>	<u>\$ 76,333</u>	<u>\$223,409</u>

Depreciation expense for the year ended September 30, 2024 was \$66,745.

NOTE 5 - CONCENTRATIONS OF CREDIT RISK ARISING FROM DEPOSITS IN EXCESS OF INSURED LIMITS

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) currently insures up to \$250,000 of substantially all depository accounts held at each financial institution. At various times during the year, the Agency's cash deposits may exceed the federally insured limits and at September 30, 2024, its uninsured deposits totaled \$303,914. The Agency has not experienced any losses in such accounts and management believe it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

NOTE 6 - LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY

The Agency regularly monitors liquidity required to meet its operating needs and other contractual commitments, while also striving to maximize the safety of its available funds. The Agency's primary sources of liquidity are cash and cash equivalents and unexpended grant funds available for withdrawal. See Note 6 for information regarding the agency's cash and cash equivalents and Note 3 for grant balances and conditions.

MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Notes to the Financial Statements
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

NOTE 6 - LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY (Continued)

For purposes of analyzing resources available to meet general expenditures over a 12- month period, the Agency considers all expenditures related to its ongoing activities of providing transportation services, as well as the conduct of services undertaken to support those activities to be general expenditures.

In addition to financial assets available to meet general expenditures over the next 12 months, the Agency operates with a balanced budget and anticipates collecting sufficient revenue to cover general expenditures not covered by grant funds. As a non-profit Agency, the Agency receives significant grant funds from the U.S. Department of Transportation with restrictions to be used in accordance with grant requirements. Refer to the statement of cash flows which identifies the source and uses of the Agency's cash.

At September 30, 2024, the following tables show the total financial assets held by the Agency and the amounts of those financial assets that could be made readily available within one year of the balance sheet date to meet general expenditures:

Financial assets at year-end	<u>2024</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	\$842,100
Grants receivables	<u>153,336</u>
 Total financial assets at year end	 <u>\$995,436</u>

NOTE 7 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following methods and assumptions were used by the Agency in estimating its fair value disclosures for financial instruments:

Cash and cash equivalents: the carrying amounts reported in the statement of financial position approximate fair values because of the short maturities of those instruments.

The estimated fair values of the Agency's financial instruments, none of which are held for trading purposes, are as follows:

	<u>Carrying</u> <u>Amount</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>
Financial assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$842,100	\$842,100

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For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

NOTE 8 - CONCENTRATION OF CONTRIBUTIONS OR GRANTS

Approximately 84% of the Agency's revenues are provided from grants from the State of Mississippi Department of Human Services and Transportation.

NOTE 9 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

A. Federal Grants

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustments by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds.

B. Annual Leave

The cost of employee's unused annual leave at September 30, 2024 is not included in the financial statements. See Note 2.H. above. If the leave was included in the financial statements, it would affect the financial statements by the leave by (a) increasing expenses, (b) decreasing the excess of support and revenues over expenses, and (c) increasing accrued Liabilities.

NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Events that occur after the Statement of Financial Position date but before the financial statements are available to be issued must be evaluated for recognition or disclosure. The effects of subsequent events that provide evidence about conditions that existed at the Statement of Financial position date are recognized in the accompanying financial statements. Subsequent events which provide evidence about conditions that existed after the Statement of Financial position date require disclosure in the accompanying notes. Management of Madison County Citizens Services Agency evaluated the activity of the Agency through March 15, 2025, which is the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

NOTE 11 - COVID-19 FINANCIAL STATEMENT IMPACTS

The COVID-19 pandemic, whose effects first became known in January 2020, is having a broad and negative impact on commerce and financial markets around the world. The United States and global markets experienced significant declines in value resulting from uncertainty caused by the pandemic. The extent of the impact of COVID-19 on Agency's operational and financial performance will depend on certain developments, including the duration and spread of the outbreak and its impact on the Agency's, employees, and vendors, all of which at present, cannot be determined. Accordingly, the extent to which COVID-19 may impact the Agency's financial position and changes in net assets and cash flows is uncertain and the accompanying financial statements include no adjustments related to the effect of this pandemic.

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

<u>Federal Grant/Pass-Through Grantor/Program Title</u>	<u>Project Period</u>	<u>CFDA#</u>	<u>Pass-Through Grant Number</u>	<u>2024 Federal Expenditures</u>
<u>US Department of Transportation</u>				
Pass Through Mississippi Department of Transportation				
Section 5311 Rural Areas Transportation Program	10/01/2023 - 09/30/2024	20.509	MS-18-X080	\$ 600,552
<u>US Department of Health and Human Services</u>				
Pass Through Central MS Planning & Dev. District				
Special Program for the Aging (Aging Cluster):				
CMPD - Outreach	10/01/2023 - 09/30/2024 Title IIIB	93.044		30,990.00
CMPD - Congregate Meals	10/01/2023 - 09/30/2024 Title III C1	93.045		41,071.00
CMPD - Information & Referral	10/01/2023 - 09/30/2024 Title IIB	93.044		36,107.00
Pass through MDHS:				
Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (2023)	01/01/2023 - 08/31/2024	93.568	602653 (5-7)	198,681.00
Low-Income Home Energy Assistance program (2024)	01/01/2024 - 12/31/2024	93.568	602870 (2)	606,434.00
Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program (2023)	09/01/2023 - 08/31/2024	93.568	602779 (1-2)	480,855.00
Social Services Block Grant				
Title XX Transportation	10/01/2023 - 09/30/2024	93.667		<u>102,453.00</u>
				<u>\$2,097,143.00</u>

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The accounting notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

NOTE 1 - BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of Madison County Citizens Services Agency under programs of the federal government for the year ended September 30, 2024. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of Madison County Citizens Services Agency, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of Madison County Citizens Services Agency.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

NOTE 3 - INDIRECT COST RATE

Madison County Citizens Services Agency has elected not to use the 10-percent de minimus indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance. However, they do not use the negotiated rate.

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

To the Board of Directors of
Madison County Citizens Services Agency

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 Madison County Citizens Services Agency (a component of county government), which comprise the statement of financial position as of September 30, 2024, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated March 15, 2025.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered Madison County Citizens Services Agency's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Madison County Citizens Services Agency's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Madison County Citizens Services 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. 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 or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Madison County Citizens Services Agency's 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 organization'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 organization's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM
AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM
GUIDANCE

To the Board of Directors of
Madison County Citizens Services Agency

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Madison County Citizens Services Agency's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Madison County Citizens Services Agency's major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2024. Madison County Citizens Services Agency's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, Madison County Citizens Services Agency complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2024.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with 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 audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of Madison County Citizens Services Agency and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with 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 opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of Madison County Citizens Services Agency's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with

the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules, provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to Madison County Citizens Services Agency's federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on Madison County Citizens Services Agency's compliance based on our audit. 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, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about Madison County Citizens Services Agency's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program.

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

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, 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 Madison County Citizens Services Agency's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of Madison County Citizens Services Agency's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Madison County Citizens Services Agency's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Report on 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 with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. *A material weakness in internal*

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control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program 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 a type of compliance requirement of a federal program 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 Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified. Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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



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MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

There are no prior year audit findings.

MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

Section 1: Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements:

- | | | |
|----|---|---------------|
| 1. | Type of auditor's report issued on the financial statements. | Unmodified |
| 2. | Material noncompliance related to the financial statements. | No |
| 3. | Internal control over financial reporting: | |
| | a. Material weaknesses identified? | No |
| | b. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? | None Reported |

Federal Awards:

- | | | |
|----|---|---------------|
| 4. | Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs | Unmodified |
| 5. | Internal control over major programs: | |
| | a. Material weaknesses identified? | No |
| | b. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? | None Reported |
| 6. | Any audit findings reported as required by the Uniform Guidance? | No |

7. Federal programs identified as major programs:

	Federal Assistance Listing Number
Federal award Program	93.568
Low-income Home Energy Assistance	

- | | | |
|----|---|-----------|
| 8. | The dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B program: | \$750,000 |
| 9. | Did Auditee qualify as a low-risk auditee? | Yes |

MADISON COUNTY CITIZENS SERVICES AGENCY
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended September 30, 2024

Section 2: Findings – Financial Statements Audit

NONE

Section 3: Findings and Questioned Costs – Major Federal Awards Programs

NONE