

LAKE LORMAN UTILITY CORPORATION  
d/b/a LAKE LORMAN UTILITY DISTRICT  
MADISON, MISSISSIPPI

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Commissioners  
Lake Lorman Utility Corporation  
d/b/a Lake Lorman Utility District  
Madison, Mississippi

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Lake Lorman Utility Corporation d/b/a Lake Lorman Utility District (a nonprofit organization) which comprise the statement of financial position as of October 31, 2013 and 2012, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

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

of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of October 31, 2013 and 2012, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### **Other Matter**

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental data on pages 13 through 15 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not 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 information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

*Mathews, Carter & Lindberg, P.A.*

January 6, 2014

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STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION  
AT OCTOBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 170,371	\$ 171,006
Accounts receivable	22,683	21,029
Prepaid expenses	<u>4,644</u>	<u>4,644</u>
	197,698	196,679
CASH RESTRICTED (Note 2)	133,039	131,333
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT		
Land	64,440	64,440
Water facilities and equipment	2,577,099	2,576,159
Software	<u>8,357</u>	<u>7,407</u>
	2,649,896	2,648,006
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(1,834,074)</u>	<u>(1,740,868)</u>
	<u>815,822</u>	<u>907,138</u>
OTHER ASSETS		
Deposit	<u>150</u>	<u>150</u>
	<u>\$ 1,146,709</u>	<u>\$ 1,235,300</u>

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION  
AT OCTOBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS (DEFICIT)

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$ 6,941	\$ 4,979
Agency obligations to fire district (Note 2)	72,253	71,523
Accrued interest payable	2,450	2,625
Current installments of long-term debt	62,882	68,799
Meter deposits	<u>18,086</u>	<u>17,110</u>
	162,612	165,036
LONG-TERM DEBT (Note 4)	<u>985,952</u>	<u>1,049,632</u>
	<u>1,148,564</u>	<u>1,214,668</u>
NET ASSETS (DEFICIT)		
Unrestricted (deficit)	(44,555)	(22,068)
Temporarily restricted (Note 5)	<u>42,700</u>	<u>42,700</u>
	<u>(1,855)</u>	<u>20,632</u>
	<u>\$ 1,146,709</u>	<u>\$ 1,235,300</u>

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STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS		
REVENUES AND OTHER SUPPORT		
Water revenue	\$ 125,329	\$ 123,565
Sewer revenue	124,087	123,617
Tap and trench - new meters	340	275
Interest income	1,680	1,686
Late fees	4,740	1,998
Other income	<u>25</u>	<u>135</u>
	<u>256,201</u>	<u>251,276</u>
EXPENSES		
Audit, engineer, and legal	15,347	17,705
Depreciation and amortization	93,206	91,951
Insurance	5,616	5,309
Interest	38,034	39,795
Management fees (Note 3)	9,515	9,266
Miscellaneous	3,592	5,161
Per diem	1,855	2,065
Repairs and maintenance	95,059	77,848
Utilities - water and sewer	<u>16,464</u>	<u>14,162</u>
	<u>278,688</u>	<u>263,262</u>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(22,487)	(11,986)
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>20,632</u>	<u>32,618</u>
NET ASSETS (DEFICIT) AT END OF YEAR	<u>\$ (1,855)</u>	<u>\$ 20,632</u>

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STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2013 AND 2012

	2013	2012
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Change in net assets	\$ (22,487)	\$ (11,986)
Adjustment to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities		
Depreciation and amortization	93,206	91,951
Decrease (increase) in		
Accounts receivable	(1,654)	994
Increase (decrease) in		
Accounts payable	1,962	(742)
Accrued interest	(175)	(893)
Meter deposits payable	976	530
Agency funds	730	867
	72,558	80,721
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchases of property and equipment	(1,890)	(15,138)
Increase in cash restricted	(1,706)	(1,397)
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(3,596)	(16,535)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Repayments of long-term debt	(69,597)	(67,118)
NET DECREASE IN CASH	(635)	(2,932)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	171,006	173,938
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ 170,371	\$ 171,006
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
Cash paid during the year for interest	\$ 38,209	\$ 40,688

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
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1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization and Activities

Lake Lorman Utility District provides water and sewer services to both residential and non-residential entities in Madison County, Mississippi.

Method of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis. Revenues are recognized in the period in which they are earned and become measurable. This method allows matching of revenues earned during a period with the expenditures incurred.

Financial Statement Presentation

As required by the Not-for-Profit Entities topic of the FASB Accounting Standards Codification, the Organization is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets. These financial statements present unrestricted and temporarily restricted net assets, which are its only two classes of the above three categories.

Use of Estimates

Lake Lorman Utility District prepares its financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, which require that management make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and disclosures. Actual amounts could differ from those results.

Cash and cash equivalents

For financial statement purposes, the Organization considers all investments with original maturity of twelve months or less to be cash equivalents.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are valued at cost. Maintenance, repairs and minor replacements are expensed as incurred, significant renewals and betterments are capitalized. Depreciation is provided using the straight line method over the estimated useful life of the asset as follows:

Water facilities and equipment – 5 to 30 years  
Software – 3 years

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1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

Income Taxes

Lake Lorman Utility District is a tax-exempt organization as described in Section 501(c)(12) of the Internal Revenue Code and is generally exempt from Federal and State income taxes pursuant to Section 501(a) of the Code. Rules and regulations regarding unrelated business income tax apply to the Organization. The Organization believes it has no uncertain tax positions. Tax returns for fiscal year 2010 and following remain subject to examination.

Concentrations of Credit Risk

The Organization provides services on credit to its customers, all of whom are located within the boundaries of the utility district in Madison County, Mississippi. The Organization performs ongoing credit evaluations of its customers. The Organization has adjusted accounts receivable for all known uncollectible accounts. No allowance for doubtful accounts is considered necessary at year-end.

2. RESTRICTED CASH

Restricted cash is as follows:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Agency funds	\$ 72,253	\$ 71,523
Bond cushion funds	21,400	21,400
Contingent fund	10,650	10,650
Depreciation funds	10,650	10,650
Customer meter deposits	<u>18,086</u>	<u>17,110</u>
	<u>\$ 133,039</u>	<u>\$ 131,333</u>

Agency Funds

The organization has accepted certificates of deposits from the Madison County Board of Supervisors and has agreed to use those assets along with the return of investment from those assets to benefit the Lake Lorman Fire District.

Rural Development

The terms of the Rural Department bond indentures require monthly deposits to restricted accounts which are segregated from the unrestricted net assets. Meter deposits received from customers are held in a restricted cash account.

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3. MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT

The operations of the Organization are managed by North Hinds Water Association. Amounts incurred for management fees for the years ended October 31, 2013 and 2012 totaled \$9,515 and \$9,266, respectively.

4. LONG-TERM DEBT

The details of long-term debt are as follows:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Revenue bond payable to the Rural Department payable in monthly installments of \$1,263, including interest at 5% maturing April, 2019. Collateralized by revenue from operations of the utility system plus an assessment on each user.	\$ 6,373	\$ 20,875
Bond payable to the Rural Department payable in monthly installments of \$2,108, including interest of 7.375% maturing April, 2029. Collateralized by a lien, junior and subordinate to the corporation's 1979 revenue bond, on the combined revenues of the corporation.	220,069	228,997
State of Mississippi Department of Health, Drinking Water System Improvement payable in monthly installments of \$5,613 including interest at 2.5% maturing May, 2028.	<u>822,392</u>	<u>868,559</u>
Total long-term debt	1,048,834	1,118,431
Less current installments	<u>62,882</u>	<u>68,799</u>
	<u>\$ 985,952</u>	<u>\$ 1,049,632</u>

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4. LONG-TERM DEBT – (Continued)

At October 31, 2013, maturities of long-term debt are as follows:

<u>Year Ending October 31,</u>	
2014	\$ 62,882
2015	58,406
2016	60,387
2017	62,455
2018	64,619
Thereafter	<u>740,085</u>
	<u>\$ 1,048,834</u>

5. TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Temporarily restricted net assets are available for the following purposes:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Bond cushion	\$ 21,400	\$ 21,400
Depreciation	10,650	10,650
Contingent	<u>10,650</u>	<u>10,650</u>
	<u>\$ 42,700</u>	<u>\$ 42,700</u>

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6. CONTINGENCIES

The Clean Water Act prohibits anybody from discharging "pollutants" through a "point source" into a "water of the United States" unless they have an NPDES permit. As of October 31, 2013, Lake Lorman Utility District has complied with its current NPDES permit which expires in May 2014. The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has recently revised its requirements in an effort to reduce ammonia levels in sewer lagoons. Before the expiration of its current permit, May 2014, the Organization will be required to incur capital costs to comply with these revisions in order to be re-permitted.

Engineers have advised Lake Lorman Utility District that the following options are available along with the related estimated capital and annual operating and maintenance costs as of October 31, 2013:

<u>Project</u>	<u>Est. Total Project Cost</u>	<u>Est. Annual O&amp;M Costs</u>
Tie-in to proposed Bear Creek Sewer	\$ 350,000	\$ 76,440
Tie-in to Annandale lagoon system	610,000	74,040
Onsite treatment for immediate (Phase II) regulations only	100,000	18,960
Onsite treatment for anticipated ultimate nutrient regulations	750,000	60,960

As of January 6, 2014, management has not decided which option it will pursue to comply with new regulations.

7. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

In connection with the preparation of the financial statements, management has evaluated events through January 6, 2014, which is the date the financial statements are available to be issued, and concluded that no additional disclosures are required.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

LAKE LORMAN UTILITY CORPORATION  
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SUPPLEMENTAL DATA REQUIRED BY RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2013

1. EXISTING SYSTEM

The current number of residential and non-residential users as of October 31, 2013 are as follows:

Residential	212
Non-residential	<u>1</u>
	<u>213</u>

All users are located in Madison County, Mississippi.

2. WATER AND SEWAGE USAGE

Average monthly gallons used in the Lake Lorman Utility District for the year ended October 31, 2013 are as follows:

All users	816,025
Residential	815,025

3. WATER AND SEWER RATES

The water rates for the Organization for the dates November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2013 were:

Water

\$37.00	monthly minimum up to 2,000 gallons
5.25	per 1,000 gallons for the next 2,000 gallons
5.25	per subsequent 1,000 gallons

Sewer

\$30.00	monthly minimum up to 2,000 gallons
3.00	per 1,000 gallons for next 2,000 gallons
3.00	per 1,000 gallons exceeding 4,000 gallons

4. ETHNICITY

The current users in the Lake Lorman Utility District are primarily caucasian.

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5. INSURANCE COVERAGE

Lake Lorman Utility Corporation had the following insurance policies at October 31, 2013:

<u>Type</u>	<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Dates</u>		<u>Policy Number</u>
		<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	
Fidelity Bond	\$50,000	02/28/13	02/28/14	104796141
Commercial Package	\$1,000,000	10/02/13	10/02/14	63832
Fidelity Bond	\$50,000	03/01/13	03/01/14	105341398
Fidelity Bond	\$50,000	02/28/13	02/28/14	104879526
Fidelity Bond	\$50,000	03/01/13	03/01/14	105568288
Fidelity Bond	\$50,000	02/28/13	02/28/14	400TC3931
Fidelity Bond	\$40,000	04/20/13	04/20/14	400LZ0090
Fidelity Bond	\$10,000	10/08/13	10/08/14	104879511

6. ELECTED OFFICIALS

The following officials are nominated by the customers of the Organization and approved by the Madison County Board of Supervisors for five year terms. The commissioners elect officers annually.

President Don Seagrove  
3/1/11 - 2/28/16 118 Northshore Drive, Madison, MS 39110

Vice President Woody Holt  
3/1/13 - 2/28/18 120 Moss Ridge Drive, Madison, MS 39110

Secretary Linda McCraw  
3/1/09 - 2/28/14 141 Lakeshore Drive, Madison, MS 39110

Treasurer Mary Ann Sones  
3/1/10 - 2/28/15 3910 Coker Road, Madison, MS 39110



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6. ELECTED OFFICIALS – (Continued)

Commissioner  
3/1/12 - 2/28/17

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110 Moss Ridge Drive, Madison, MS 39110