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Expenditure Limitation Report

# Navajo County

Year Ended June 30, 2006

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Navajo County  
Report on Audit of Annual Expenditure Limitation Report  
Year Ended June 30, 2006

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**Independent Auditors' Report**

Members of the Arizona State Legislature

The Board of Supervisors of  
Navajo County, Arizona

We were engaged to audit the accompanying Annual Expenditure Limitation Report of Navajo County for the year ended June 30, 2006. This report is the responsibility of the County's management.

During our engagement to audit Navajo County's financial statements, we determined that the County had not maintained adequate accounting records for various accounts as explained in our report dated April 20, 2008. As a result, we did not express an opinion on the County's financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2006. As a further consequence, we did not audit the County's revenues and expenditures sufficiently to enable us to express an opinion on the accompanying Annual Expenditure Limitation Report for the year ended June 30, 2006.

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

Since we did not perform sufficient auditing procedures on the County's revenues and expenditures as explained in the second paragraph above, the scope of our work was not sufficient to express, and we do not express, an opinion on the Annual Expenditure Limitation Report of Navajo County for the year ended June 30, 2006.

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

Dennis L. Mattheisen, CPA  
Financial Audit Director

July 25, 2008

Navajo County  
Annual Expenditure Limitation Report—Part I  
Year Ended June 30, 2006

1. Economic Estimates Commission expenditure limitation	\$29,768,553
2. Amount subject to the expenditure limitation (total amount from Part II, Line C)	<u>26,413,150</u>
3. Amount under the expenditure limitation	<u>\$ 3,355,403</u>

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

Signature of Chief Fiscal Officer: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title: James Menlove, Finance Director

Telephone Number: (928) 524-4061 Date: July 25, 2008

See accompanying notes to report.

Navajo County  
Annual Expenditure Limitation Report—Part II  
Year Ended June 30, 2006

Description	<u>Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Fiduciary Funds</u>	<u>Total</u>
A. Amounts reported on the Reconciliation, Line C	\$ 47,234,808	\$ 227,053,099	\$ 274,287,907
B. Less exclusions claimed:			
Debt service requirements on other long-term obligations (Note 2)	636,245		636,245
Dividends, interest, and gains on the sale or redemption of investment securities (Note 3)	1,332,729		1,332,729
Trustee or custodian (Note 4)	310,800	227,053,099	227,363,899
Grants and aid from the federal government (Note 5)	3,880,053		3,880,053
Grants, aid, contributions, or gifts from a private agency, organization, or individual, except amounts received in lieu of taxes (Note 6)	24,779		24,779
Amounts received from the State of Arizona (Note 5)	4,207,085		4,207,085
Highway user revenues in excess of those received in fiscal year 1979-80 (Note 5)	7,817,371		7,817,371
Contracts with other political subdivisions (Note 5)	<u>2,612,596</u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>2,612,596</u>
Total exclusions claimed	<u>20,821,658</u>	<u>227,053,099</u>	<u>247,874,757</u>
C. Amounts subject to the expenditure limitation	<u>\$ 26,413,150</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 26,413,150</u>

See accompanying notes to report.

Navajo County  
Annual Expenditure Limitation Report—Reconciliation  
Year Ended June 30, 2006

Description	<u>Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Fiduciary Funds</u>	<u>Total</u>
A. Total expenditures/deductions and applicable other financing uses, special items, and extraordinary items reported within the fund financial statements	\$ 52,956,104	\$ 227,053,099	\$ 280,009,203
B. Subtractions:			
Expenditures of separate legal entities established under Arizona Revised Statutes (Note 7)	3,544,296		3,544,296
Long-term care contributions withheld by the State Treasurer (Note 8)	<u>2,177,000</u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>2,177,000</u>
Total subtractions	<u>5,721,296</u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>5,721,296</u>
C. Amounts reported on Part II, Line A	<u>\$ 47,234,808</u>	<u>\$ 227,053,099</u>	<u>\$ 274,287,907</u>

See accompanying notes to report.

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Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

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

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

Note 2 - The exclusion claimed for debt service requirements on other long-term obligations in the Governmental Funds consists of principal retirement of \$265,000 and interest expense of \$371,245.

Note 3 - The exclusion claimed for dividends, interest, and gains on the sale or redemption of investment securities of \$1,332,729 in the Governmental Funds includes interest on investments expended of \$909,436 and interest on delinquent taxes expended of \$423,293, which was recorded as tax revenue.

Note 4 - The exclusion claimed for trustee or custodian in the Governmental Funds consists of \$310,800 in contributions by the County to the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System for acute care, and in the Fiduciary Funds, the exclusion consists of \$227,053,099 in distributions to investment pool participants.

Note 5 - The following schedule presents revenues from which exclusions have been claimed for federal grants and aid, amounts received from the State of Arizona, highway user revenues, and contracts with other political subdivisions in the Governmental Funds:

Description	<u>Intergovernmental</u>	<u>Charges for Services</u>
Grants and aid from the federal government	\$ 3,880,053	
Amounts received from the State of Arizona	4,207,085	
Highway user revenues in excess of those received in fiscal year 1979-80	7,817,371	
Contracts with other political subdivisions	2,225,286	\$ 387,310
Other revenues—(nonexcludable)	<u>25,133,590</u>	<u>5,157,638</u>
Total intergovernmental revenues as reported in the fund financial statements	<u>\$43,263,385</u>	<u>\$5,544,948</u>

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Note 6 - The exclusion claimed for grants, aid, contributions, or gifts from a private agency, organization, or individual, except amounts received in lieu of taxes of \$24,779 is reported as miscellaneous revenues.

Note 7 - The subtraction of \$3,544,296 for separate legal entities established under Arizona Revised Statutes consists of expenditures of special assessment districts included within the County's reporting entity, but not included in the Economic Estimates Commission base limit calculations, and are reported in the Governmental Funds category in the fund financial statements:

<b>Special Assessment Districts</b>	
General government	\$ 15,386
Health	1,242,177
Culture and recreation	179,389
Principle	428,350
Capital outlay	<u>1,678,994</u>
Total	<u><u>\$3,544,296</u></u>

Note 8 - The subtraction for long-term care contributions withheld by the State Treasurer consists of transaction privilege taxes withheld by the State Treasurer to meet the County's share of long-term care costs that were reported as a revenue and an offsetting expenditure in the County's Governmental Funds. Consequently, this expenditure has been subtracted on the Reconciliation.