

MIAMI BEACH REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY
(A COMPONENT UNIT OF CITY OF MIAMI BEACH)
For the Year Ended September 30, 2015

PREPARED BY
THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission
City of Miami Beach, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities and each major fund, of the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency"), a component unit of the City of Miami Beach, Florida (the "City"), as of and for the year ended September 30, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Agency's financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

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.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. 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. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit 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 auditor's 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 financial statement 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 opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, and each major fund of the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency, as of September 30, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements present only the Agency and do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of the City of Miami Beach, Florida as of September 30, 2015, the changes in its financial position, or where applicable its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

In June 2012 the GASB issued GASB Statement No. 68, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions." Also, in November 2013 the GASB issued GASB Statement No. 71, "Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date." As disclosed in Note 13, Statements 68 and 71 are effective for the City's fiscal year ending September 30, 2015. These Statements replace the requirements of Statement No. 27, "Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Governmental Employers" and Statement No. 50, "Pension Disclosures." Statements 68 and 71 establish standards for measuring and recognizing liabilities, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources and expenses as well as identifies the methods and assumptions that should be used to project benefit payments, discount projected benefit payments to their actuarial present value and attribute that present value to periods of employee service. Note disclosures and required supplementary information requirements about pensions are also addressed. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, schedule of contributions, schedule of proportionate share of the net pension liability, and budgetary comparison schedule on pages 3 to 15, page 57, page 58 to 59, and page 60 to 61, respectively, be presented to supplement the financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the financial statements, is required by Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the financial statements in an appropriate operational, 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 financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the 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 Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Agency's financial statements. The budgetary comparison schedule for the debt service fund is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. The budgetary comparison schedule for the debt service fund has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated May 20, 2016 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 our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on 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.

Crowe Horwath LLP
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Miami, Florida
May 20, 2016

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Management's Discussion and Analysis
September 30, 2015

The Management's Discussion and Analysis (the "MD&A") of the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") is intended to provide an overview of the Agency's position and results of operations for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015. The MD&A is an element of the reporting model required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (the "GASB") Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis- for State and Local Governments* issued in 1999. The MD&A should be read in conjunction with the Agency's financial statements, including the accompanying notes, to enhance the understanding of the Agency's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

- The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") issued statement No. 68 relating to accounting and financial reporting for pensions. The City has two defined benefit pension plans that qualified for implementation; City of Miami Beach Employees' Retirement Plan ("MBERP") and City of Miami Beach Fire & Police Plan ("MBF&P"). The effects of the implementation included a prior period adjustment reduction to the beginning balance of net position in the amount of \$6.3 million, an addition of deferred outflows of resources totaling \$1.2 million and deferred inflows of resources totaling \$.4 million.
- The assets of the Agency exceeded its liabilities at the close of the most recent fiscal year by \$183.8 million (net position).
- The Agency's net position increased by \$12.1 million. The governmental net position increased by \$11.2 million and the business-type net position increased by \$.9 million.
- Business Type Activity revenue decreased by \$.07 million and expenses increased by \$.03 million.
- Comparing fiscal year 2015 with 2014, the governmental activities revenue decreased by \$5.1 million and expenses decreased by \$.6 million.
- At September 30, 2015 fund balance in the Agency's governmental funds was \$84.4 million. This includes \$5.7 million restricted in the debt service fund and \$50.4 million committed in the capital projects fund.
- The Agency's total long-term liabilities increased by \$1.1 million or 2% during the current year. Major changes that occurred in this area are a \$1.2 million and \$.4 million pension liability increase as a result of GASB 68 in the MBERP and MBF&P. No new debt was issued during the current year.
- The Agency's assets increased by approximately \$13.5 million or 5.7%. The increase is attributed to an increase in cash and investments \$12.5 million or 31.7%.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Agency's basic financial statements, which have the following components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

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Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Agency's finances in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The statement of net position presents information on all of the Agency's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the Agency is improving or deteriorating.

The statement of activities presents information showing how the Agency's net position changed during each fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in the statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

Both of the government-wide financial statements listed above distinguish functions of the Agency that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their cost through user fees and charges. The governmental activities of the Agency include general government, public safety, physical environment, transportation, economic environment and culture and recreation. The business-type activity of the Agency includes the parking and leasing operations of the Anchor and Pennsylvania Avenue Garages and Anchor and Pennsylvania Avenue Shops, respectively.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 16 – 18 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The Agency uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the Agency can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and proprietary funds.

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. Governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of a fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate the comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

Key elements of the reconciliation of these two statements are that the government-wide statement of activities reports the issuance of debt as a liability, the purchases of capital assets as assets which are then charged to expense over their useful lives (depreciated) and changes in long-term liabilities as adjustments of expenses. Conversely, the governmental funds statements report the issuance of debt as another financing source of funds, the repayment of debt as expenditure, the purchase of capital assets as expenditure and do not reflect changes in long-term liabilities.

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The Agency maintains three individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the general fund, City Center debt service fund, and City Center capital projects fund which are considered to be major funds. For the current fiscal year, the Agency does not have any non-major governmental funds.

Proprietary Funds

The Agency maintains two different types of proprietary funds or enterprise funds. The Agency uses enterprise funds to account for the parking and leasing operations of the Anchor and Pennsylvania Avenue Garages and Anchor and Pennsylvania Avenue Shops, respectively.

The proprietary fund financial statements provide separate information for parking and leasing of the Anchor and Pennsylvania Avenue Garage/Shops which are considered to be major funds of the Agency. For the current fiscal year, the Agency does not have any non-major proprietary funds.

The basic proprietary fund financial statements can be found on pages 23 – 25 of this report.

Notes to the Financial Statements

The notes to the financial statements provide additional information that is essential for a full understanding of the information provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on page 26 – 55 of this report. The Agency is considered a component unit of the City of Miami Beach, Florida and as such, the financial information of the Agency is included in the City's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the current fiscal year.

Government-Wide Financial Analysis

The table below summarizes the statement of net position:

	Summary of Net Position (in thousands)					
	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Total	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Current and other assets	\$ 88,218	\$ 78,973	\$ 24,543	\$ 23,450	\$ 112,761	\$ 102,423
Capital assets	113,221	110,780	25,217	25,722	138,438	136,502
Deferred Outflows	1,215	-	-	-	1,215	-
Total assets and Deferred Outflows	202,654	189,753	49,760	49,172	252,414	238,925
Long-term liabilities	56,785	55,561	166	254	56,951	55,815
Other liabilities	10,519	10,411	591	801	11,110	11,212
Unearned revenue	-	-	58	52	58	52
Deferred Inflows	381	-	-	-	381	-
Total liabilities and Deferred Inflows	67,685	65,972	815	1,107	68,500	67,079
Net position:						
Net investment in capital assets	112,439	109,987	25,217	25,722	137,656	135,709
Restricted for debt service	5,747	7,029	-	-	5,747	7,029
Unrestricted (deficit)	16,783	6,765	23,728	22,343	40,511	29,108
Total net position	\$ 134,969	\$ 123,781	\$ 48,945	\$ 48,065	\$ 183,914	\$ 171,846

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There are six basic transactions that can affect the comparability of the Statement of Net Position. They are as follows:

- 1) Net results of activities will impact (increase/decrease) current assets and unrestricted net position.
- 2) Borrowing for capital will increase assets and long term debt.
- 3) Spending borrowed proceeds on new capital will reduce current assets and increase capital assets.
- 4) Spending non-borrowed current assets on new capital will reduce current assets and increase capital assets as well as reduce unrestricted net position and increase invested in capital assets, net of debt.
- 5) Principal payments on debt will reduce current assets and reduce long-term debt as well as reduce unrestricted net position and invested in capital assets, net of debt, if applicable.
- 6) Reduction of capital assets through depreciation will reduce capital assets and invested in capital assets, net of debt.
- 7)

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the Agency, assets exceeded liabilities by \$183.9 million at September 30, 2015, an increase of \$12.1 million or 7% from September 30, 2014.

An additional portion of the Agency's net position (approximately \$5.7 million) represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used.

The Agency's net position increased by \$12.1 million during the current fiscal year. Governmental activities accounted for an increase of \$11.2 million while Business-type accounted for an increase of \$.9 million.

There are also various normal impacts on revenue and expense that can affect the change in net position from year to year. The economic condition, which can reflect a declining, stable or growing economic environment, can have a substantial impact on tax revenue as well as the public's spending habits on fees and charges for services. An increase/or decrease in Commission approved rates can have a substantial impact on parking revenue if there is a current year increase/decrease in an approved rate. Also, current market condition may cause investment income to fluctuate from year to year. Impacts on expense from year to year could result from new programs, an increase or decrease in personnel, salary increases and of course inflation.

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The table below summarizes the change in net position:

Summary of Changes in Net Position (in thousands)							
	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Total		2014
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	
Revenues:							
Program Revenues:							
Charges for services	\$ 128	\$ 66	\$ 5,365	\$ 6,088	\$ 5,493	\$ 6,154	
Capital grants and contributions	-	635	-	-	-	635	
General Revenues:							
Taxes:							
Property taxes	38,094	37,457	-	-	38,094	37,457	
Resort taxes	-	5,886	-	-	-	5,886	
Investment earnings	949	326	80	79	1,029	405	
Unrealized Loss on Investment	-	(177)	-	-	-	(177)	
Miscellaneous legal fees	-	113	-	-	-	113	
Total revenues	39,171	44,306	5,445	6,167	44,616	50,473	
Expenses:							
General government	6,341	5,607	-	-	6,341	5,607	
Public safety	4,352	4,099	-	-	4,352	4,099	
Physical environment	41	41	-	-	41	41	
Transportation	1,785	2,434	-	-	1,785	2,434	
Economic environment	3,730	3,997	-	-	3,730	3,997	
Culture and recreation	2,508	3,019	-	-	2,508	3,019	
Parking - Anchor & Penn. Garage	-	-	4,105	3,779	4,105	3,779	
Leases - Anchor & Penn. Shops	-	-	460	463	460	463	
Interest on long-term debt	2,931	3,060	-	-	2,931	3,060	
Total expenses	21,688	22,257	4,565	4,242	26,253	26,499	
Increase in net position before transfers and gain (loss) on sale of capital assets	17,483	22,049	880	1,925	18,363	23,974	
Gain (loss) on sale of Capital Assets	3	2	-	-	3	2	
Transfers	-	(426)	-	426	-	-	
Increase in net position	17,486	21,625	880	2,351	18,366	23,976	
Net position, beginning as restated	117,483	102,156	48,065	45,714	165,548	147,870	
Net position, ending	\$ 134,969	\$ 123,781	\$ 48,945	\$ 48,065	\$ 183,914	\$ 171,846	

Governmental activities increased the Agency's net position by \$11.2 million.

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Key elements of the net increase are as follows:

- Total expenses from governmental activities in fiscal 2015 totaled \$21.7 million. This is a decrease of \$.6 million or 3% from the prior year.
- Revenues from governmental activities in fiscal year 2015 totaled \$39.2 million, a decrease of \$ 5.1 million from 2014. The decrease is primarily due to the Trust not receiving Resort Tax revenue contribution in fiscal year 2015. The municipal resort tax revenue pledged for tax increment revenue was released in fiscal year 2014.

Business-Type Activities

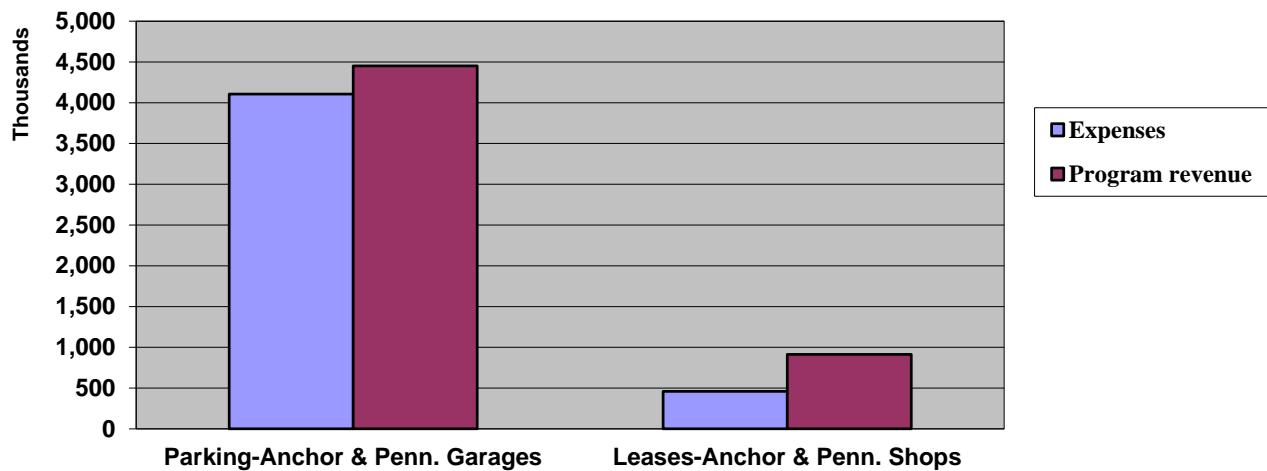
Business-type activities increased the Agency's net position by approximately \$.9 million.

Key elements of this increase are as follows:

- The Parking Garages' net position increased by \$.4 million or 1%. The garage funds have an increase in permits, rental and other of \$.05 million.
- Operating expenses in the garages increased by \$.3 million, other services costs which comprised the largest portion of the expenses was \$.2 million.
- The Leasing Shops' net position increased by \$.5 million or 4.7%.
- Operating expenses in the shops had a net decrease of \$.002 million over the prior year; contractual service decreased by \$.02 million which includes payments for management and leasing fees. The shops had an increased in administration fees of \$.015 million to the general fund to pay for direct and indirect staff support for the agency.

The following chart shows a comparison of expenses to program revenues for business-type activities for fiscal year 2015:

**Expenses and Program Revenues -
Business-type Activities
September 30, 2015**



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Financial Analysis of the Governmental Funds

As noted earlier, the Agency uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. The table below summarizes the changes in the fund balances of the Agency's governmental funds:

	<u>General</u>	<u>Debt Service City Center</u>	<u>Capital Projects City Center</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
Fund balance, September 30, 2014	\$ 15,499	\$ 7,028	\$ 52,560	\$ 75,087
Revenues	38,333	-	837	39,170
Expenditures	17,174	9,736	2,908	29,818
Other financing sources (uses)	(8,451)	8,455	-	4
Fund balance, September 30, 2015	\$ 28,207	\$ 5,747	\$ 50,489	\$ 84,443

Governmental Funds

The focus of the Agency's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Agency's financing requirement. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

Total fund balance for the Governmental Funds totaled \$84.4 million at September 30, 2015. This is a total increase of \$9.4 million or approximately 12.5%.

The general fund is the chief operating fund of the Agency. The fund balance of the Agency's general fund had a net increase of \$12.7 million during the current fiscal year. Net increase in the general fund tax increment by \$.6 million or 1.7%, tax increments revenue is computed by applying the operating tax rate for the City and Miami-Dade County, Florida, (the County) multiplied by the increased value of property in the district over the base property value minus 5%. Fluctuations in tax increment revenue is based on real estate property values City wide.

The Agency's General Fund is required to adopt an annual budget prepared on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

Resort tax decrease by \$5.8 million compared to fiscal year 2014. The municipal resort tax revenue pledged for tax increment revenue was released in fiscal year 2014.

The agency debt service fund has a decrease in net position of \$ 1.3 million. Principal and interest payments on the tax increment revenue bonds were \$8.4 million and Tax increment revenue transferred from the general fund to pay the debt service was \$8.4 million.

The agency capital project fund had a net decrease in fund balance of \$2.0 million. There were no transfers made in FY15 from the RDA general fund to the capital project fund. Capital expenditures decrease by \$1.7 million or 37% compared to FY 2014.

The Agency's Capital Projects Fund accounts for the financing of the Agency's capital program. The primary resources are obtained from the receipt of tax increment funds from Miami-Dade County and the City of Miami Beach, and also from the issuance of Agency debt.

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Proprietary Funds

The Agency's proprietary funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide financial statements, but in more detail.

The total growth in net position for both proprietary funds was approximately \$.9 million. Other factors concerning the finances of these funds have already been addressed in the discussion of the Agency's business-type activities.

Budgetary Highlights

The following information is presented to assist the reader in comparing the original/final budget (Adopted Budget) and the actual results.

The major variance between the adopted/final budget and actual is the resort tax revenues collected. Fluctuations in resort tax revenues are completely based on the fluctuation in the sales of the above item and vary from one year to another based on the economy and tourism. Pursuant to Section 5.03 of the Miami Beach Code, fifty percent (50%) of the additional one percent (1%) Resort Tax collected on the rent of any hotel, motel, or apartment house is allocated to the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency (RDA) for debt service related to bonds issued by the RDA.

Actual expenditures were \$17,174 million; \$24,082 million less than budgeted mainly in the General Government function due to less than anticipated costs for contingencies.

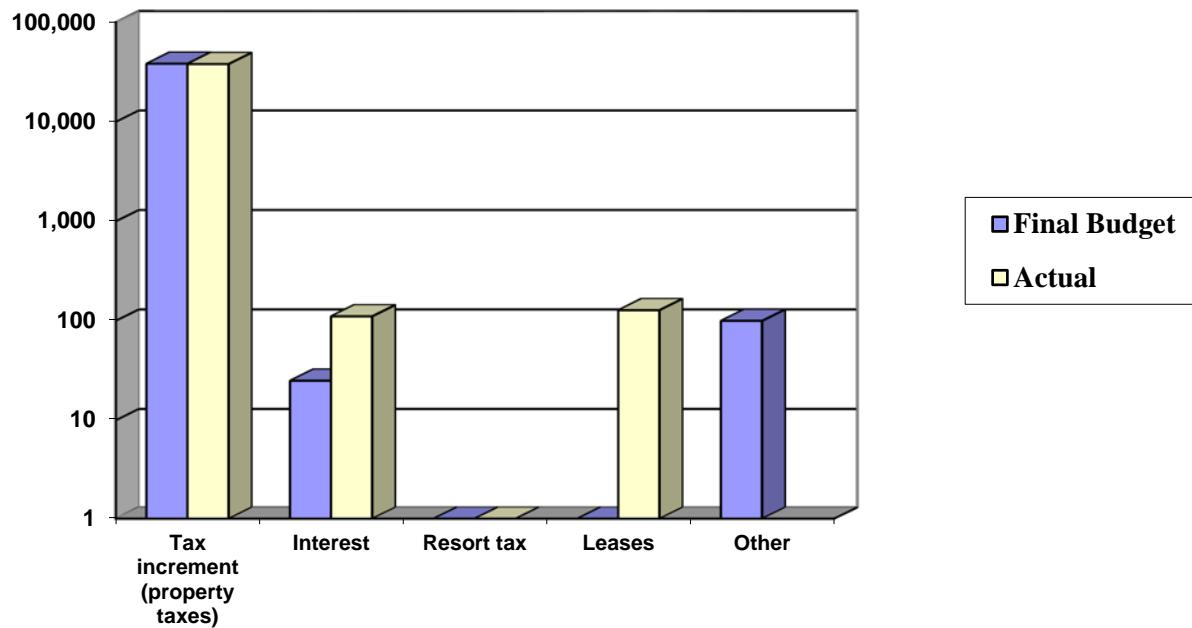
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General Fund Revenues

The following charts and tables summarize actual revenues by category for fiscal year 2015 and compares actual revenues with the Adopted/Final Budget:

General Fund Revenues
Fiscal Year 2015
(in thousands)



General Fund Revenues
Fiscal Year 2015
(in thousands)

	Final Adopted Budget	Actual Amounts
Revenues:		
Tax increment (property taxes)	\$ 38,394	\$ 38,094
Resort tax	-	-
Rents and leases	-	128
Interest income	25	111
Other	100	-
Total revenues	\$ 38,519	\$ 38,333

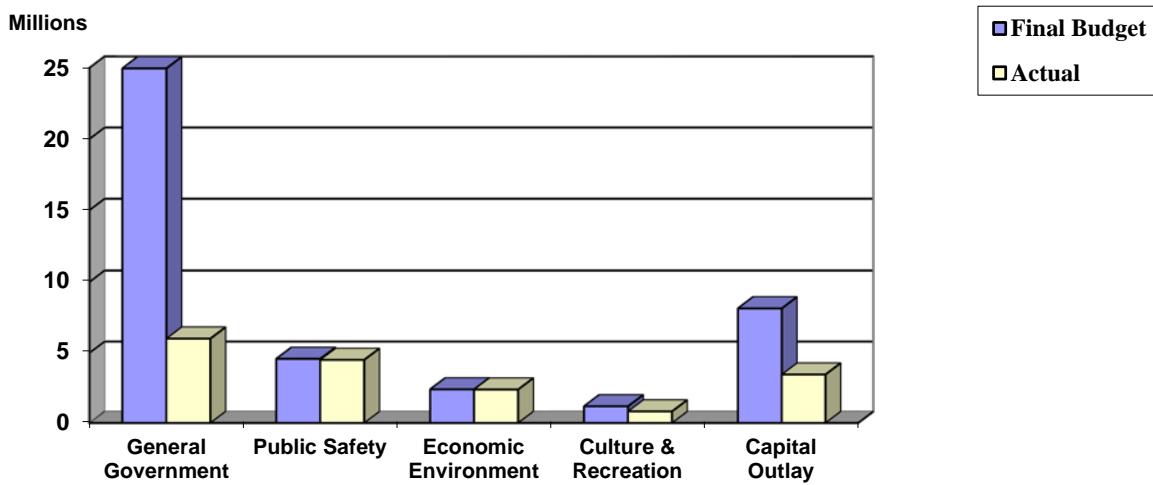
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General Fund Expenditures

The following chart and table summarize actual expenditures by function/program for fiscal year 2015 and compare the actual expenditures with the Final Budget:

General Fund Expenditures
Fiscal Year 2015



General Fund Expenditures
Fiscal Year 2015
(in thousands)

	Final Adopted Budget	Actual Amounts
Expenditures:		
General government	\$ 24,957	\$ 6,013
Public safety	4,575	4,500
Economic environment	2,398	2,386
Culture and recreation	1,188	822
Capital outlay	<u>8,139</u>	<u>3,453</u>
Total expenditures	<u>\$ 41,257</u>	<u>\$ 17,174</u>

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Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

The Agency's investment in capital assets for its governmental and business-type activities as of September 30, 2015 amounts to \$138.4 million (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, buildings and structures, vehicles, machinery and equipment, streetscape improvements, restorations and renovations and construction work-in-progress, which are detailed as follows (net of accumulated depreciation):

	(in thousands)					
	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Total	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Land and land improvements	\$ 10,818	\$ 10,818	\$ 3,003	\$ 3,003	\$ 13,821	\$ 13,821
Buildings and structures	20,929	21,387	22,074	22,630	43,003.00	44,017
Machinery and equipment	194	179	71	89	265.00	268
Furniture and fixtures	450	514	-	-	450.00	514
Streetscape improvements	33,509	34,922	-	-	33,509.00	34,922
Restorations and renovations	26,257	27,012	-	-	26,257.00	27,012
Construction in progress	21,064	15,948	69	-	21,133.00	15,948
Totals	\$ 113,221	\$ 110,780	\$ 25,217	\$ 25,722	\$ 138,438	\$ 136,502

The Agency has developed various capital improvement programs to improve the quality of life for the residents of the City of Miami Beach. Recent major projects included the restoration of the City Center Historic District, Collins Park parking garage, Bass Museum interior space enhancement, and a Lincoln Road master plan study. Major on-going projects include streetscape improvements. Additional information on the Agency's capital assets can be found in the notes to the financial statements. Major capital asset events in progress or completed during the current fiscal year include the following:

- The City Center Right of Way (ROW) BP9A Infrastructure Improvement includes improvements to the stormwater collection and disposal system upgrade, water distribution system upgrades, roadway resurfacing and streetscape enhancements, landscaping, traffic calming installations, additional pedestrian lighting, and enhanced pedestrian linkages.
- The City Center Right of Way (ROW) BP9B Infrastructure Improvement Project includes the restoration and enhancement of right-of-ways/streetscapes throughout City Center, including roadway, sidewalk, curb and gutter, landscape, streetscape irrigation, lighting, potable water, and storm drainage infrastructure as needed.
- Collins Park Parking Garage is going to be a new parking facility which will accommodate approximately 470 parking spaces and 17,000 sf of ground floor retail space.

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- Lincoln Road Master Plan Study is to determine needed improvements for Lincoln Road considering the Convention Center District Plan, change uses of Lincoln Road, intensity of uses, Planning/defining connections with other adjacent or nearby urban assets and long-term maintenance of Lincoln Road.
- Bass Museum Interior Space Expansion to house additional gallery space and other amenities.

Outstanding Debt

At the end of the current fiscal year, the Agency had a total debt outstanding in the governmental activities of \$55.3 million. This debt was decreased by \$5.5 million during the year. This decrease was due to the current year principal payment of \$5.3 million.

**Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency's
Outstanding Debt
(in thousands)**

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	
	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Tax increment revenue bonds	<u>\$ 55,367</u>	<u>\$ 60,834</u>

Economic Factors and Future Developments

Since its success in attracting two convention-quality hotels, the Redevelopment Agency has been focusing its efforts on a number of initiatives aimed at upgrading the area's infrastructure, streets and parks, alleviating traffic and parking congestion and encouraging the production and presentation of arts and cultural activities in the area. In 2003, the Redevelopment Agency amended its Redevelopment Plan for City Center to specifically address these objectives in the context of the New World Symphony's expansion plans involving the 17th Street surface lots and the resulting impact to the Convention Center and businesses in the area.

To this end, the Redevelopment Agency's mission is to coordinate, implement and fund the Plan's objectives and to compliment the City's established vision:

- Policing Culture
- Management and Service Delivery
- Infrastructure
- International Center for Tourism and Business
- Educational Excellence

The Redevelopment Agency's objective over the next five years shall focus on the planning and implementation of capital projects associated with, but not limited to the Master Plan for the expansion of the Convention Center, upgrading streetscapes and related infrastructure throughout City Center and increasing the inventory of parking facilities, including the pending construction of a new 450-space parking garage to be located on 23rd street and Collins Avenue, designed by world-renowned architect Zaha Hadid. The RDA shall also continue to fund public service enhancements provided for under the Community Policing Program as well as ensure the on-going maintenance of capital assets funded with TIF. It should be noted that that a majority of the capital enhancements set forth in the Redevelopment Plan and the 2002 Amendment thereto, have been completed and/or are currently underway, including the City Center Right-

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of-Way improvements, the City Hall Expansion Garage, the Collins Park improvements and the development of the 17th Street surface lots into the New World Campus.

Requests for Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency's finances for all those with an interest in its finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to The Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency, Finance Department, 1700 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach, Florida 33139.

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Statement of Net Position
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	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
Assets			
Current assets:			
Cash and investments	\$ 28,361,091	\$ 23,803,232	\$ 52,164,323
Receivables (net):			
Rent	-	-	-
Accounts receivables	15,417	286,977	302,394
Interest	122,258	-	122,258
Due from other governments	-	-	-
Due from primary government	2,310,351	200,816	2,511,167
Prepaid expenses	-	27,917	27,917
Total current assets	30,809,117	24,318,942	55,128,059
Noncurrent assets:			
Restricted cash and investments	57,409,583	223,830	57,633,413
Capital assets not being depreciated:			
Land	10,817,763	3,003,282	13,821,045
Construction in progress	21,064,435	68,800	21,133,235
Capital assets net of accumulated depreciation:			
Buildings and structures	20,929,004	22,073,762	43,002,766
Streetscape improvements	33,508,427	-	33,508,427
Restorations and renovations	26,257,006	-	26,257,006
Vehicles	-	-	-
Machinery and equipment	194,241	71,159	265,400
Furniture and fixtures	449,831	-	449,831
Total noncurrent assets	170,630,290	25,440,833	196,071,123
Total assets	201,439,407	49,759,775	251,199,182
Deferred outflows of resources			
Outflows - MBERP	218,239	-	218,239
Outflows - MBF&P	997,066	-	997,066
Total deferred inflows of resources	1,215,305	-	1,215,305
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$ 202,654,712	\$ 49,759,775	\$ 252,414,487

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	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
Liabilities			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 750,870	\$ 387,018	\$ 1,137,888
Retainage payable	781,727	-	781,727
Accrued expenses	1,266,464	-	1,266,464
Due to other governments	-	22,153	22,153
Due to primary government	1,973,065	181,476	2,154,541
Unearned revenue	-	57,815	57,815
Portion due or payable within one year:			
Accrued compensated absences	112,217	-	112,217
Bonds payable	5,635,000	-	5,635,000
Total current liabilities	10,519,343	648,462	11,167,805
Long-term liabilities:			
Net pension liability - MBERP	1,209,020	-	1,209,020
Net pension liability - MBF&P	5,691,617	-	5,691,617
Deposits	-	166,015	166,015
Portion due or payable after one year:			
Accrued compensated absences	152,082	-	152,082
Bonds payable	49,732,342	-	49,732,342
Total long-term liabilities	56,785,061	166,015	56,951,076
Total liabilities	67,304,404	814,477	68,118,881
Deferred inflows of resources			
Inflows - MBERP	83,051	-	83,051
Inflows - MBF&P	297,665	-	297,665
Total deferred inflows of resources	380,716	-	380,716
Net position			
Net investment in capital assets	112,438,980	25,217,003	137,655,983
Restricted for debt service	5,747,124	-	5,747,124
Unrestricted	16,783,488	23,728,295	40,511,783
Total net position	134,969,592	48,945,298	183,914,890
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and net position	\$ 202,654,712	\$ 49,759,775	\$ 252,414,487

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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Statement of Activities
Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2015

	Program Revenues				Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Capital Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
Activities:							
Governmental:							
General government	\$ 6,341,393	\$ 128,132	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (6,213,261)	\$ -	\$ (6,213,261)
Public safety	4,351,996	-	-	-	(4,351,996)	-	(4,351,996)
Physical environment	40,951	-	-	-	(40,951)	-	(40,951)
Transportation	1,785,064	-	-	-	(1,785,064)	-	(1,785,064)
Economic environment	3,730,189	-	-	-	(3,730,189)	-	(3,730,189)
Culture and recreation	2,507,981	-	-	-	(2,507,981)	-	(2,507,981)
Interest on long-term debt	2,930,962	-	-	-	(2,930,962)	-	(2,930,962)
Total governmental activities	21,688,536	128,132	-	-	(21,560,404)	-	(21,560,404)
Business-type:							
Parking – Anchor & Penn. Garages	4,105,866	4,452,329	-	-	-	346,463	346,463
Leasing – Anchor & Penn. Shops	459,560	912,855	-	-	-	453,295	453,295
Total business-type activities	4,565,426	5,365,184	-	-	-	799,758	799,758
Total primary government	\$ 26,253,962	\$ 5,493,316	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (21,560,404)	\$ 799,758	\$ (20,760,646)
General revenues:							
Taxes:							
Tax increments for redevelopment districts					\$ 38,094,108	\$ -	\$ 38,094,108
Resort tax					-	-	-
Gain on sale of capital assets					3,091	-	3,091
Investment income					949,361	80,283	1,029,644
Unrealized Loss on Investment					-	-	-
Gain on sale of capital assets					-	-	-
Capital Contribution					-	-	-
Miscellaneous					-	-	-
Transfers					-	-	-
Total general revenues					39,046,560	80,283	39,126,843
Changes in net position					17,486,156	880,041	18,366,197
Net position, beginning as restated. See Note 13					117,483,436	48,065,257	165,548,693
Net position, ending					\$ 134,969,592	\$ 48,945,298	\$ 183,914,890

See Notes to Financial Statements.

Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency
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Balance Sheet
Governmental Funds
September 30, 2015

	General Fund	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Total Governmental Funds
Assets				
Cash and investments	\$ 28,361,091	\$ 5,747,124	\$ 51,662,459	\$ 85,770,674
Receivables:				
Accounts receivable	15,417	-	-	15,417
Interest	-	-	122,258	122,258
Due from primary government	2,299,867	-	10,484	2,310,351
Total assets	\$ 30,676,375	\$ 5,747,124	\$ 51,795,201	\$ 88,218,700
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 609,294	\$ -	\$ 141,576	\$ 750,870
Retainage payable	-	-	781,727	781,727
Accrued expenses	269,907	-	-	269,907
Due to primary government	1,590,032	-	383,033	1,973,065
Total liabilities	2,469,233	-	1,306,336	3,775,569
Fund balances:				
Restricted	-	5,747,124	-	5,747,124
Committed	-	-	50,488,865	50,488,865
Assigned	20,000,000	-	-	20,000,000
Unassigned	8,207,142	-	-	8,207,142
Total fund balances	28,207,142	5,747,124	50,488,865	84,443,131
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 30,676,375	\$ 5,747,124	\$ 51,795,201	\$ 88,218,700

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Reconciliation of Governmental Funds
Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position
September 30, 2015

Total fund balance – governmental funds \$ 84,443,131

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds. Those assets consist of:

Land	\$ 10,817,763
Construction in progress	21,064,435
Buildings and structures, net	20,929,004
Street improvements, net	33,508,427
Restoration and renovations, net	26,257,006
Machinery and equipment, net	194,241
Furniture and fixtures, net	<u>449,831</u>
Total capital assets, net	113,220,707

Long-term liabilities applicable to governmental activities are not due and payable in the current period and accordingly are not reported as fund liabilities. Interest on long-term debt is not accrued in governmental funds, but rather is recognized as an expenditure when due. All liabilities, both current and long-term, are reported in the statement of net position.

Balances at September 30, 2015 are:

Accrued interest on bonds	(996,557)
Bonds payable	(54,990,000)
Premium on bonds payable	(377,342)
Accrued compensated absences	(264,299)
Net pension liability - MBERP	(1,209,020)
Net pension liability - MBF&P	<u>(5,691,617)</u>
Total long-term liabilities	<u>(63,528,835)</u>

In governmental funds, deferred outflows and inflows of resources relating to pensions are not reported because they are applicable to future periods. In the statement of net position, deferred outflows and inflows of resources relating to pensions are reported.

Deferred outflows of resources relating to MBERP	218,239
Deferred outflows of resources relating to MBF&P	997,066
Deferred inflows of resources relating to MBERP	(83,051)
Deferred inflows of resources relating to MBF&P	<u>(297,665)</u>
Total deferred resources	<u>834,589</u>
Total net position of governmental activities	<u>\$ 134,969,592</u>

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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Governmental Funds
Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2015

	General Fund	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues				
Tax increment	\$ 38,094,108	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 38,094,108
Resort tax	-	-	-	-
Rents and leases	128,132	-	-	128,132
Interest	111,273	741	837,347	949,361
Other	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	38,333,513	741	837,347	39,171,601
Expenditures				
Current				
General government	6,013,296	-	-	6,013,296
Public safety	4,500,056	-	-	4,500,056
Economic environment	2,385,988	1,322,505	21,696	3,730,189
Transportation	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	821,852	-	518,374	1,340,226
Capital outlay	3,453,173	-	2,367,877	5,821,050
Debt service:				
Principal	-	5,375,000	-	5,375,000
Interest and fiscal charges	-	3,039,103	-	3,039,103
Total expenditures	17,174,365	9,736,608	2,907,947	29,818,920
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	21,159,148	(9,735,867)	(2,070,600)	9,352,681
Other financing sources (uses):				
Sale of capital assets	3,091	-	-	3,091
Transfers in	-	8,454,059	-	8,454,059
Transfers out	(8,454,059)	-	-	(8,454,059)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(8,450,968)	8,454,059	-	3,091
Net change in fund balances	12,708,180	(1,281,808)	(2,070,600)	9,355,772
Fund balances, beginning	15,498,962	7,028,932	52,559,465	75,087,359
Fund balances, ending	\$ 28,207,142	\$ 5,747,124	\$ 50,488,865	\$ 84,443,131

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Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and
Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the
Statement of Activities
Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2015

Net change in fund balances - governmental funds	\$ 9,355,772
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The change in net position reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities is different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlay as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. In the current period, these amounts are:

Capital outlay	5,821,050
Contribution to proprietary fund	
Contribution from primary government	
Adjustments	
Depreciation expense	<u>(3,380,377)</u>
Excess of deletions and depreciation over capital outlay	2,440,673

The issuance of long-term debt (e.g., bonds) provides current financial resources to government funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term obligations is an expenditure in the governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. The statement of net position has been adjusted for transactions as follows:

Repayments	
Principal - debt service	5,375,000
Premium on bonds (included with interest expense)	<u>91,664</u>
Total long-term debt retirement and related transactions	5,466,664

Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental activities section of the statement of net position:

Increase in accrued compensated absences	(24,655)
Decrease in accrued interests on bonds	<u>16,477</u>

In government funds, pension costs are recognized when employer contributions are made. In the statement of activities, pension costs are recognized on the accrual basis. This year, the difference between accrual-basis pension costs and actual employer contribution was:

MBERP	65,196
MBF&P	<u>166,029</u>
Total pension costs	<u>231,225</u>

Change in net position of governmental activities	\$ 17,486,156
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Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency
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Statement of Net Position
Enterprise Funds
September 30, 2015

	Business-Type Activities		
	Enterprise Funds		
	Parking Fund	Leasing Fund	Total
Assets			
Current Assets:			
Cash and investments	\$ 14,974,606	\$ 8,828,626	\$ 23,803,232
Receivables:			
Rent, net of allowance	142,134	144,843	286,977
Due from other governments	-	-	-
Due from primary government	192,765	8,051	200,816
Prepaid expenses	-	27,917	27,917
Total current assets	15,309,505	9,009,437	24,318,942
Noncurrent assets:			
Restricted cash and investments	64,265	159,565	223,830
Capital assets:			
Land	2,793,052	210,230	3,003,282
Buildings and structures	28,426,115	2,336,192	30,762,307
Machinery and equipment	338,532	9,404	347,936
Construction in progress	68,800	-	68,800
Less accumulated depreciation	(8,268,856)	(696,466)	(8,965,322)
Total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation)	23,357,643	1,859,360	25,217,003
Total noncurrent assets	23,421,908	2,018,925	25,440,833
Total assets	38,731,413	11,028,362	49,759,775
Liabilities and Net Position			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	384,975	2,043	387,018
Accrued expenses	-	-	-
Accrued expenses	-	-	-
Due to primary government	138,792	42,684	181,476
Due to other government	14,405	7,748	22,153
Unearned revenue	57,815	-	57,815
Total current liabilities	595,987	52,475	648,462
Noncurrent liabilities:			
Deposits	6,450	159,565	166,015
Total noncurrent liabilities	6,450	159,565	166,015
Total liabilities	602,437	212,040	814,477
Net position			
Net investment in capital assets	23,357,643	1,859,360	25,217,003
Unrestricted	14,771,333	8,956,962	23,728,295
Total net position	\$ 38,128,976	\$ 10,816,322	\$ 48,945,298

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Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position –
Enterprise Funds
Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2015

	Business-Type Activities		
	Enterprise Funds		
	Parking Fund	Leasing Fund	Total
Operating revenues:			
Charges for services	\$ 3,861,532	\$ -	\$ 3,861,532
Permits, rentals and other	590,797	912,855	1,503,652
Total operating revenues	4,452,329	912,855	5,365,184
Operating expenses:			
Contractual services	2,493,794	282,961	2,776,755
Utilities	128,282	9,399	137,681
Administrative fees	356,000	66,000	422,000
Depreciation	721,711	72,287	793,998
Other	406,079	28,913	434,992
Total operating expenses	4,105,866	459,560	4,565,426
Operating income	346,463	453,295	799,758
Capital contribution	-	-	-
Transfers In	-	-	-
Interest income	49,993	30,290	80,283
Total nonoperating revenues	49,993	30,290	80,283
Changes in net position	396,456	483,585	880,041
Total net position, beginning	37,732,520	10,332,737	48,065,257
Total net position, ending	\$ 38,128,976	\$ 10,816,322	\$ 48,945,298

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Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency
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Statement of Cash Flows
Enterprise Funds
Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2015

	Business-Type Activities		
	Enterprise Funds		
	Parking Fund	Leasing Fund	Total
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:			
Receipts received from customers	\$ 3,844,521	\$ 12,658	\$ 3,857,179
Payments to suppliers	(3,046,496)	(312,538)	(3,359,034)
Payments made for interfund services used	(747,910)	(80,693)	(828,603)
Receipts for other operating revenues from customers	590,797	912,855	1,503,652
Net cash provided by operating activities	640,912	532,282	1,173,194
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities:			
Purchase of capital assets	(288,777)	-	(288,777)
Net cash used in capital and related financing activities	(288,777)	-	(288,777)
Cash Flows From NonCapital Financing Activities:			
Transfers in	-	-	-
Net cash provided by financing activities	-	-	-
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:			
Interest on investments	49,993	30,290	80,283
Net cash provided by investing activities	49,993	30,290	80,283
Net increase in cash and investments	402,128	562,572	964,700
Cash and investments – beginning of year	14,636,743	8,425,619	23,062,362
Cash and investments – end of year	\$ 15,038,871	\$ 8,988,191	\$ 24,027,062
Reconciliation of Operating Income to Net Cash			
Provided By Operating Activities	\$ 346,463	\$ 453,295	\$ 799,758
Operating income	\$ 346,463	\$ 453,295	\$ 799,758
Adjustments to reconcile operating income to cash provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation	721,711	72,287	793,998
Provisions for uncollectible accounts	2,157	534,334	536,491
Changes in assets and liabilities:			
(Increase) decrease in receivables	(25,428)	(433,750)	(459,178)
Decrease in due from other government	-	-	-
(Increase) decrease in due from primary government	(178,309)	(4,238)	(182,547)
(Increase) decrease in prepaid expenses	-	(23,434)	(23,434)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	165,396	2,043	167,439
Increase in accrued expenses	(441,166)	-	(441,166)
Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses	-	-	-
Increase (decrease) in due to other governments	(9,153)	6,126	(3,027)
Increase (Decrease) in due to primary government	52,981	13,545	66,526
Increase (decrease) in deposits	(60)	(87,926)	(87,986)
Increase (decrease) in unavailable other revenue	6,320	-	6,320
Total adjustments	294,449	78,987	373,436
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 640,912	\$ 532,282	\$ 1,173,194
Non-Cash Transactions affecting financial position:			
Capital contributions	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

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Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

A. Financial Reporting Entity

In February 1976, the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") was formed by the City of Miami Beach, Florida (the "City") under the provisions of Chapter 163 of the Florida Statutes.

The Agency's stated purpose was to spur development and redevelopment in the South Pointe area of the City, an area which includes approximately 250 acres at the southern tip of the City, and a redevelopment area called the City Center/Historic Convention Village Redevelopment and Revitalization Area. During fiscal year 2006, the South Pointe district, under the Agency's jurisdiction expired, and at that point, the City assumed the responsibilities for the South Pointe area. At that time, the stated purpose became specifically the City Center/Historic Convention Village Redevelopment and Revitalization Area.

Subsequent to its inception in March 1977, the City adopted the Agency's redevelopment plan which provided for the construction of residential housing, hotels, a marina and commercial, recreational and entertainment facilities. Because of the desire of the City Commission to revise the concept for redevelopment of the South Pointe area, on December 17, 1982, the City Commission declared itself to be, and to constitute the Agency. This action resulted in the City Commissioners becoming the new Agency's Board Members and the City manager becoming the executive director of the Agency. The Agency's budget is adopted by its Board of Directors.

The City Center/Historic Convention Village Redevelopment and Revitalization Area was formed in the same manner as the South Pointe Area. In March 1993, the City adopted the Agency's redevelopment plan for the City Center/Historic Convention Village Redevelopment and Revitalization Area, which called for the revitalization of the blighted area surrounding the Miami Beach Convention Center and Lincoln Road.

The City has expended certain of its funds prior to and subsequent to the inception of the Agency for various projects, which have benefited the redevelopment area. These expenditures have been recorded in the accounting records of the City, and accordingly, are not reflected in the accompanying financial statements of the Agency.

The City provides the Agency facilities for its operations.

The Board of Directors of the Agency (the "Board") is comprised of the six members of the City Commission and the Mayor. The Agency meets the criteria for inclusion in the City's reporting entity as a blended component unit, and therefore, has been reported in the basic financial statements of the City.

For financial reporting purposes, in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Codification Section 2100, the Agency includes those organizations and activities that are generally controlled by or dependent on the Agency. Control by or dependence on the Agency is determined on the basis of such factors as budget adoption, outstanding debt secured by revenue of the Agency and obligation of the Agency to finance any deficit that may occur.

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B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the Agency. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. The government-wide focus is more on the sustainability of the Agency as an entity and the change in aggregate financial position resulting from the activities of the fiscal period. The fund financial statements focus on short-term results of operations and financing decisions at a specific fund level. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given functional category are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific functional category. The Agency's program revenue consists of charges to customers or applicants, who purchase use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given functional category. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The basic financial statements consist of the government-wide financial statements and fund financial statements. The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes (tax increments) are recognized as revenue in the year when levied for. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on their balance sheet. Since the governmental fund statements are presented on a different measurement focus and basis of accounting than the government-wide governmental activities column, a reconciliation is necessary to explain the adjustments needed to reconcile the fund based financial statements to the governmental activities column of the government-wide presentation. Their operating statements present sources (revenue and financing sources) and uses (expenditures and other financing uses) of available spendable resources during the period. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the Agency considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 45 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service, compensated absence and claims expenditures, are recorded only when the liability has matured and payment is due.

Tax increment when levied for, resort taxes, grants when all the eligibility requirements have been met, and interest associated with the current fiscal period, are all considered to be measurable and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period, if available. All other revenues are measurable upon receipt of cash and are recognized at that time.

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Amounts reported as program revenue in the government-wide financial statements include charges to customers or applicants for goods and services or privileges provided and, operating grants and contributions and capital grants and contributions restricted to a particular program. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues. All taxes are included in general revenues.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Agency's policy to use restricted resources first, and then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

The Agency reports the following major governmental funds:

- The general fund is the general operating fund of the Agency. All financial resources, except those required to be accounted for in another fund, are accounted for in the general fund.
- The City Center debt service fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for the payment of general long-term debt, principal, interest and related costs associated with the City Center District.
- The City Center capital projects fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities within the City Center District.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenue and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenue and expenses generally result from providing services in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. All revenue and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenue and expenses.

The Agency established the use of proprietary funds to account for its business-type activities; accordingly, the operations of the Agency's parking and leasing activities are accounted for in separate enterprise funds.

The Agency reports the following major proprietary funds:

- The Parking Fund accounts for the parking operations of the Anchor Garage and the Pennsylvania Avenue Garage, which are located within the City Center District.
- The Leasing Fund accounts for the leasing operations of the Anchor Shops and the Pennsylvania Avenue Shops. The Anchor Shops and Pennsylvania Avenue Shops are both located within the City Center District.

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D. Assets, Liabilities , Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources and Net Position/Fund Balance or Equity

1. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, vehicles, machinery, furniture and fixtures, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type columns in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the Agency as assets with an initial, individual cost as described below, and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical costs or at valuations, which approximate cost. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the life of the asset are not capitalized. Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. During the construction phase of capital assets, interest expense of business-type activities is included as part of the capitalized cost of the assets constructed.

Property, furniture and fixtures of the Agency are depreciated over the estimated useful lives using the straight-line method. The estimated useful lives and the capitalization threshold effective October 1, 2010, are as follows:

Assets	Threshold	
	Capitalized All	Years
Land and other nondepreciable assets	\$ 100,000	N/A
Construction work in progress	100,000	N/A
Building and building improvements	100,000	35-50
Roads, sidewalks, foot bridges, and curbs and streets	100,000	30
Causeways, bridges, canals, and drainage systems	100,000	50
Guard rails, noise abatement, alley and seawalls, boardwork, walkways	100,000	30
Furniture and equipment	5,000	7
Maintenance and heavy moving equipment	5,000	15
Motor vehicles	5,000	5
Motor vehicles (greater than \$50,000)	50,000	10

In governmental funds, capital outlay (capital assets) is reported as an expenditure and no depreciation expense is reported.

2. Cash and Investments

Cash is comprised of deposits with financial institutions. Investments are comprised of U.S. Treasury obligations, money market funds and repurchase agreements. For the purpose of the statement of cash flows for the proprietary fund types, cash and investments are short-term, highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less.

Investments are recorded at fair value using quoted market price or the best available estimate thereof, except for those investments with remaining maturities of one year or less, when purchased, which are recorded at amortized cost, in accordance with GASB Statement No. 31, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Investments and for External Investment Pools*.

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Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

3. Prepaid Items

Expenditures made for services that will benefit periods beyond September 30, 2015 are recorded as prepaid expenses in the government-wide statements and proprietary fund statements. Accordingly, a portion of fund balance has been reserved to indicate that these funds are not available for appropriation.

4. Fund Equity/Net Position

When both restricted and unrestricted amounts are available for use, it is the Agency's practice to use restricted resources first. Additionally, the Agency would first use committed, then assigned, and lastly unassigned amounts of unrestricted fund balance.

Fund Equity:

GASB Statement No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, establishes criteria for classifying fund balances into specifically defined classification and clarifies definitions for governmental fund types. Fund balances for governmental funds are reported in classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the government is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent.

- a. Restricted Fund Balance - amounts that are restricted to specific purposes when constraints placed on the use of resources are either by (a) externally imposed by creditors (such as debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or (b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislations.
- b. Committed Fund Balance - amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the government's highest level of decision making authority. The commission adopts a City resolution, which includes the amount to be committed and the reason for the commitment. Only an adopted resolution by the Commission can establish, modify or rescind the commitment.
- c. Assigned Fund Balance – amounts that are constrained by the government's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. This balance may also include amounts approved and committed by the City commission subsequent to September 30, 2015. The balance also includes encumbrances assigned for goods and services.
- d. Unassigned Fund Balance – Includes residual positive fund balance within the General Fund which has not been classified within the other above mentioned categories. Unassigned fund balance may also include negative balances for any governmental fund if expenditures exceed amounts restricted, committed, or assigned for those specific purposes.

Net Position:

Net Position – The government-wide and proprietary funds financial statements utilize a net position presentation. Net Position is categorized as investment in capital assets, restricted or unrestricted. The first category represents capital assets, less accumulated depreciation and net of any outstanding debt associated with the acquisition of capital assets. Restricted net position represents amounts that are restricted by requirement of debt indenture. Unrestricted net position represents the net position of the Agency which is not restricted for any project or purpose.

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5. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from management's estimates.

6. Risk Management

The City, which includes coverage for the Agency, is self-insured for health insurance, automobile liability, general liability, police professional liability, workers' compensation, theft and property damage. The Agency is charged a premium fee by the City's self-insurance fund. The Agency does not retain any risk beyond premiums paid to the City. For fiscal year ended September 30, 2015, the City charged the Agency \$266,500 for health insurance, automobile liability, general liability, police professional liability and workers' compensation coverage.

7. Employee Benefit Plan

The following is a brief description of the Agency employees' participation in the Miami Beach Employees' Retirement Plan and the City's Pension Fund for Firefighter's and Police (the "Plans"). Pursuant to Modification 29 of the Florida State Social Security Agreement, effective January 1, 1955, the City of Miami Beach does not participate in the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance System (OASI) embodied in the Social Security Act. Instead, it provides eligible employees a comprehensive defined benefit pension. The City of Miami Beach does participate in the hospital insurance tax, also known as Medicare and withholds taxes accordingly. Readers should refer to Note 16 in the City's 2015 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report and Plan documents for detailed and comprehensive information on the Plans.

All full-time employees of the City who work more than 30 hours per week and hold classified or unclassified positions, except for Policemen and Firemen, are covered by the Miami Beach Employees' Retirement Plan (the "Plan"). The Plan provides retirement benefits as well as death and disability benefits at two different tiers depending on when the employees entered the plan. All First Tier employees who participate are required to contribute 12% of their salary to the Plan. All Second Tier employees are required to contribute 10% of their salary. The Plan's funding policy provides for periodic employer contributions at actuarially determined rates that, expressed as percentages of annual covered payroll, are sufficient to accumulate sufficient assets to pay benefits when due.

The City's Pension Fund for Firefighters and Police (the "Plan") is a defined benefit pension plan covering substantially all police officers and firefighters of the City. Members of the plan contribute 10% of their salary. The City is required to contribute an actuarially determined amount that, when combined with members' contributions, will fully provide for all benefits as they become payable.

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the plan net position of the Miami Beach General Employees' Retirement Plan ("MBERP") and the Miami Beach Fire and Police Retirement Plan ("MBF&P") and additions to/deductions from the MBERP and MBF&P plan net position has been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the MBERP and MBF&P, respectively. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms.

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8. Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions (OPEB)

Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB Statement No. 45), Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions (OPEB), was effective for the Agency beginning with its year ending September 30, 2008. This Statement improves the relevance and usefulness of financial reporting by requiring systematic, accrual basis measurement and recognition of OPEB cost (expense) over a period that approximates employees' years of service and provides information about actuarial accrued liabilities associated with OPEB and whether, and to what extent, progress is being made in funding the plan.

Pursuant to Section 112.08, Florida Statutes, the City is required to permit eligible retirees and their eligible dependents to participate in the City's health insurance program at a cost to the retirees that is no greater than the cost at which coverage is available for active employees. This coverage extends to Agency employees.

The City has the authority to establish and amend funding policy. The annual cost (expense) of the City's Plan is calculated based on the Annual Required Contribution (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement No. 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover the normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liability over a period not to exceed 30 years.

The Agency's Annual Required Contribution (ARC) to the OPEB Trust for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015 was based on an actuarially determined amount for the City. The Agency was allocated its equitable share of the ARC based on its covered payroll. The Agency contributed \$125,000 to the OPEB Trust. At September 30, 2015, the Agency did not have a net OPEB obligation or a net OPEB asset. Readers should refer to Note 17 of the City's 2015 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for detailed and comprehensive information on OPEB.

9. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts are recorded as additions to or deductions from the related debt and amortized in interest expense over the life of the bonds. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures. Debt principal payments are reported as debt service expenditures.

10. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of resources

In addition to assets, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period (s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period (s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

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Note 2 - Deposits and Investments

Deposits

All deposits are held in banking institutions approved by the State Treasurer of the State of Florida, to hold public funds. Under the Florida Statutes Chapter 280, Florida Security for Public Deposits Act, the State Treasurer requires all qualified public depositories to deposit with the Treasurer or another banking institution eligible collateral equal to 50% to 125% of the average daily balance for each month of all public deposits in excess of any applicable deposit insurance held. The percentage of eligible collateral (generally, U.S. governmental and agency securities, state or municipality government debt, or corporate bonds) to public deposits is dependent upon the depository's financial history and its compliance with Chapter 280, Florida Statutes. In the event of a failure of a qualified public depository, the remaining public depositories would be responsible for covering any resulting losses.

Investments

The Agency adopted the City's ordinance designating the investments which are allowable for its cash management activities. The policy specifies the types and limits by instrument and establishes a diversified investment objective that takes into consideration the safety, return and liquidity of capital. The authorized investments include direct U.S. treasury obligations, U.S. government agencies, corporate bonds, commercial paper, state or municipal obligations and repurchase agreements. These investments are insured, or registered, or the securities are held by its agent in the Agency's name. Investments are recorded at fair value, except for those investments with remaining maturities of one year or less at the time of purchase, which are recorded at amortized cost.

Interest Rate Risk: Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Generally, the longer the maturity of an investment the greater the sensitivity of its fair value to changes in market rates.

Investments are made based on prevailing market conditions at the time of the transaction with the intent to hold the instrument until maturity. If the yield of the portfolio can be improved by the sale of an investment, prior to maturity, with the reinvestment of the proceeds, then this provision is allowed. As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses, the Agency's investment policy limits maturity of its investments to seven years or less. At September 30, 2015, all of the Agency's investments had a maturity of 5 years or less.

As of September 30, 2015, the Agency had the following investments and maturities:

	Fair Value	Investment Maturities (in years)		
		Less Than One	1-5	10+ Years
U.S. Treasury securities	\$ 58,841,150	\$ 18,035,433	\$ 40,805,717	
Money market funds	5,615,475	5,615,475		-
Repurchase agreements - U.S. Treasuries	25,199,276	25,199,276		-
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	\$ 89,655,901	\$ 48,850,184	\$ 40,805,717	

Credit Risk: This is the risk that a security or a portfolio will lose some or all of its value due to a real or perceived change in the ability of the issuer to repay its debt. State law limits investments in commercial paper and corporate bonds rated in one of the top two ratings issued by the Nationally Recognized Statistical Rating Organization

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("NRSRO"). It is the Agency's policy to limit its investments in these investment types to the top rating issued by the NSRSO. As of September 30, 2015, the Agency had no investments in commercial paper or corporate bonds.

Obligations of the U.S. government or obligations explicitly or implicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government are not considered to have credit risk and do not have purchase limitations.

As of September 30, 2015, the Agency's investments were rated by Moody's Investors Service and Standard & Poor's as follow:

Investment Type	Issuer	Standard & Poor's	Moody's	Fair Value
Money Market Fund	U.S. Government	AA+	Aaa	\$ 5,615,475 \$ 5,615,475

Concentration of Credit Risk: The Agency's investment plan limits the amount that can be invested in any one issuer as well as maximum portfolio allocation percentages. The maximum portfolio allocation is 100% for both repurchase agreements and Treasury Securities as well as money market funds unless they are private money market mutual funds backed by "Full Faith and Credit" U.S. Government Securities in which case they cannot exceed 25%.

The Agency's cash and investments at September 30, 2015 are shown below:

	Carrying Amount	% of Portfolio
Demand Deposits - interest bearing	\$ 20,183,730	18.38%
Money market fund	5,615,475	5.11%
Repurchase agreements	25,199,276	22.95%
Treasury securities	58,799,255	53.55%
	\$ 109,797,736	100.00%

Custodial Credit Risk: The Agency's investment policy requires that securities be registered in the name of the Agency. All safekeeping receipts for investment instruments are held in accounts in the Agency's name and all securities are registered in the Agency's name. For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the Agency will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. All of the Agency's investments in Treasury securities and repurchase agreements are held by a counterparty in the Agency's name.

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Note 3 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activities for the year ended September 30, 2015 were as follows:

A. Governmental Activities

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases/ Adjustment s	Ending Balance
Governmental activities:				
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 10,817,763	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,817,763
Construction in progress	15,947,527	5,647,472	530,564	21,064,435
Total capital assets not being depreciated	26,765,290	5,647,472	530,564	31,882,198
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings and structures	24,399,014	-	-	24,399,014
Streetscape improvements	38,875,070	371,562	-	39,246,632
Restoration/renovations	30,356,085	259,231	-	30,615,316
Vehicles	117,603	-	87,772	29,831
Machinery and equipment	567,266	49,816	14,310	602,772
Furniture and fixtures	611,447	23,534	-	634,981
Total capital assets being depreciated	94,926,485	704,143	102,082	95,528,546
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and structures	3,011,760	458,250	-	3,470,010
Streetscape improvements	3,953,141	1,785,064	-	5,738,205
Restorations/renovations	3,343,964	1,014,345	(1)	4,358,310
Vehicles	117,603	-	87,772	29,831
Machinery and equipment	388,154	34,687	14,310	408,531
Furniture and fixtures	97,119	88,031	-	185,150
Total accumulated depreciation	10,911,741	3,380,377	102,081	14,190,037
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	84,014,744	(2,676,234)	1	81,338,509
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 110,780,034	\$ 2,971,238	\$ 530,565	\$ 113,220,707

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B. Business-Type Activities

	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Increases</u>	<u>Decreases/Adjustments</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
Business-type activities:				
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 3,003,282	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,003,282
Construction in progress	-	68,800	-	68,800
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>3,003,282</u>	<u>68,800</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,072,082</u>
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings and structures	30,542,330	219,977	1	30,762,306
Machinery and equipment	347,936	-	-	347,936
Total capital assets being depreciated	<u>30,890,266</u>	<u>219,977</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>31,110,242</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and structures	7,911,999	776,546	-	8,688,545
Machinery and equipment	259,325	17,452	-	276,777
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>8,171,324</u>	<u>793,998</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>8,965,322</u>
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	<u>22,718,942</u>	<u>(574,021)</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>22,144,920</u>
Business-type activities capital assets, net	<u><u>\$ 25,722,224</u></u>	<u><u>\$ (505,221)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 25,217,002</u></u>

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of Agency as follows:

Governmental activities:

General government	\$ 362,829
Public safety	7,261
Physical environment	40,951
Transportation	1,785,064
Culture and recreation	1,184,272
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	<u><u>\$ 3,380,377</u></u>

Business-type activities:

Parking	\$ 721,711
Leasing	72,287
Total depreciation expense - business-type activities	<u><u>\$ 793,998</u></u>

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Note 4 - Construction Commitments

The Agency had the following construction commitments as of September 30, 2015:

City Center Capital Projects	\$ 3,799,724
Anchor Garage	381,997
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	\$ 4,181,721

Note 5 - Tenant Leases

The Agency serves as the lessor for the tenants leasing various retail facilities. The tenant leases are considered operating leases, which expire at various dates through fiscal year 2021. For leases that contain predetermined fixed escalations of the minimum rentals, the Agency recognizes the related rental revenue on the straight-line basis over the initial lease term. Future minimum lease payments to be received under the operating leases at September 30, 2015 are as follows:

Year ending September 30,	
2016	\$ 1,095,240
2017	1,227,475
2018	1,140,972
2019	1,035,289
2020	1,063,445
2021 and thereafter	<hr/> 1,859,121
	<hr/> \$ 7,421,542

The following schedule provides an analysis of the Agency's investment in property under operating leases and property held for lease by major classes as of September 30, 2015:

Parking facilities	\$ 4,889,763
Retail space	2,336,192
Recreational facilities	5,431,489
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(2,003,738)
	<hr/> \$ 10,653,706

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Note 6 - Tax Increment Revenue Bonds

On July 1, 1998, the Agency issued \$29,105,000 (Series 1998A) and \$9,135,000 (Series 1998B) in tax-increment bonds. These bonds are secured by a lien upon and pledge of the funds, which include: (a) the net trust fund revenue received by the Agency from the City Center/Historic Convention Village Redevelopment and Revitalization Area, and (b) moneys and investments in the funds and accounts created under the resolution. The Series 1998A bonds were issued with interest rates of 6.70% to 7.00% payable semiannually on each June 1 and December 1, and will mature serially through December 1, 2020. The Series 1998B bonds were issued with interest rates of 3.60% and 5.20% payable semiannually on each June 1 and December 1, and matured serially through December 1, 2008 at which time they were paid off in full. The bonds are subject to a trust indenture, which requires that annual debt service requirements be fully funded upon receipt of trust fund revenue. The bonds were issued for the development and construction of certain areas within the Redevelopment Area. Specifically, these projects include certain public areas of the Loews Miami Beach Hotel, development of the Anchor Garage, acquisition of property for the development and construction of the Royal Palm Crowne Plaza Resort Hotel, acquisition of property for development and construction of a portion of the cultural center facilities and additional public improvements within the Redevelopment Area. The Series 1998A and 1998B tax-increment bonds were partially refunded/defeased by the issuance of the Series 2005A and 2005B tax-increment revenue refunding bonds on September 22, 2005. The Series 1998A bonds had a remaining outstanding principal balance, after the refunding, of \$10,000,000 at September 30, 2015.

On September 22, 2005, the Agency issued \$51,440,000 (Series 2005A) and \$29,330,000 (Series 2005B) in tax-increment bonds. These bonds are secured by a lien upon and pledge of the funds, which include: (a) the net trust fund revenue received by the Agency from the Redevelopment Area, and (b) moneys and investments in the funds and accounts created under the resolution. The Series 2005A bonds were issued with interest rates of 4.31% to 5.22% payable semiannually on each June 1 and December 1, and will mature serially through December 1, 2022. The Series 2005B bonds were issued with interest rates of 3.25% to 5.00% payable semiannually on each June 1 and December 1, and will mature serially through December 1, 2022. The bonds are subject to a trust indenture, which requires that annual debt service requirements be fully funded upon receipt of trust fund revenue.

The Agency has pledged net revenues received from the City Center/ Historic Convention Village Redevelopment and Revitalization Area for the 1998 Series Tax Increment Revenue Bonds and 2005 Series Tax Increment Revenue Refunding Bonds. The Municipal Resort Tax revenue pledged for Tax Increment Revenue Bonds was released in fiscal year 2015. For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015, debt service on the tax increment bonds was \$8,414,103 and tax increment revenues totaled \$38,094,108 and net customer revenues were \$24,946,917. Remaining outstanding principal and interest is \$67,402,917.

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The aggregate maturities of tax increment revenue bonds at September 30, 2015 are as follows:

Year Ending September 30,	Principal	Interest	Total
2016	\$ 5,635,000	\$ 2,773,056	\$ 8,408,056
2017	5,935,000	2,465,324	8,400,324
2018	6,270,000	2,133,380	8,403,380
2019	6,630,000	1,779,723	8,409,723
2020	7,015,000	1,403,064	8,418,064
2021-2023	23,505,000	1,858,370	25,363,370
	54,990,000	12,412,917	67,402,917
Add net unamortized bond premium	<u>377,342</u>	-	<u>377,342</u>
	<u>\$ 55,367,342</u>	<u>\$ 12,412,917</u>	<u>\$ 67,780,259</u>

Note 7 - Changes in Long-Term Liabilities

Long-term liability activity for the year ended September 30, 2015 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balances	Due Within One Year
Governmental activities:					
Revenue Bonds	\$ 60,365,000	\$ -	\$ 5,375,000	\$ 54,990,000	\$ 5,635,000
Add: Series 2005B Premium	474,260	-	92,958	381,302	-
Less: Series 1998A Discount	5,254	-	1,294	3,960	-
Total bonds payable	60,834,006	-	5,466,664	55,367,342	5,635,000
Compensated absences	239,644	24,655		264,299	112,217
Net Pension Liability - MBERP	907,730	301,290		1,209,020	
Net Pension Liability - MBF&P	4,992,216	699,401		5,691,617	
Governmental activity long-term liabilities	\$ 61,073,650	\$ 1,025,346	\$ 5,466,664	\$ 56,632,332	\$ 5,747,217
Business-type activities:					
Tenant deposits	\$ 254,001	\$ 69,183	\$ 157,169	\$ 166,015	\$ -
Business-type activity long-term liabilities	\$ 254,001	\$ 69,183	\$ 157,169	\$ 166,015	\$ -

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Note 8 - Tax Increment Revenue

The Agency is primarily funded through tax-increment revenue. This revenue is computed by applying the operating tax for the City and Miami-Dade County, Florida, (the "County") multiplied by the increased value of property in the district over the base property value minus 5%. Both the City and the County are required to fund this amount annually without regard to tax collections or other obligations.

Note 9 - Related-Party Transactions

The Agency obtains certain managerial and administrative services from the Primary Government in accordance with a management agreement. The Agency incurred \$1,694,807 of management-fee expense under this agreement for the year ended September 30, 2015. Presented below are the Agency's balances outstanding at September 30, 2015, resulting from other transactions with the Primary Government. The majority of the balance due to the primary government represents sanitation and property management expenses incurred by the City on behalf of the Agency as well as community policing overtime due to the City. The majority of the balance due from the primary government represents the remaining resort tax proceeds due to the Agency for fiscal year 2015.

Related-party transactions for the year ended September 30, 2015 are as follows:

Governmental funds:

Due from the primary government to:

General fund	\$ 2,299,867
Capital Projects fund	10,484
	<u>\$ 2,310,351</u>

Due to the primary government from:

General fund	1,590,032
Capital projects fund	383,033
	<u>\$ 1,973,065</u>

Business-type activities:

Due from the primary government from:

Enterprise funds – parking fund	\$ 192,765
Enterprise funds – leasing fund	8,051
	<u>\$ 200,816</u>

Due to the primary government from:

Enterprise funds – parking fund	\$ 138,792
Enterprise funds – leasing fund	42,684
	<u>\$ 181,476</u>

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Note 10 - Interfund Transfers

Interfund transfers for the year ended September 30, 2015 consisted of the following:

Government funds:	
Transfers from the general fund to:	
Debt service	\$ 8,454,059
Capital projects	<hr/> -
Total transfers form the general fund	<hr/> \$ 8,454,059

Transfers are used to: (1) move revenues from the fund that budget requires to collect them to the fund that budget requires to expend them, and (2) move receipts restricted for debt services from the funds collecting the receipts to the debt service fund.

Note 11 - Receivables

Receivable at September 30, 2015 for the Agency's governmental and enterprise funds are as follows:

Receivables:	Governmental Activities	
	General	Total
Accounts		
Gross receivable	\$ 15,417	\$ 15,417
Less: Allowance for uncollectible	<hr/> -	<hr/> -
Net receivables	<hr/> \$ 15,417	<hr/> \$ 15,417
Receivables:	Business-Type Activities	
	Parking Fund	Leasing Fund
Rent	\$ -	\$ 865,807
Accounts	<hr/> 146,753	<hr/> -
Gross receivable	<hr/> 146,753	<hr/> 865,807
Less allowance for uncollectible	<hr/> 4,619	<hr/> 720,964
Net receivables	<hr/> \$ 142,134	<hr/> \$ 144,843
		<hr/> \$ 286,977

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Note 12 - Governmental Fund – Fund Balance

The assigned fund balance in the General Fund represents amounts to be used for Lincoln Road improvements. Below is a table of fund balance categories and classifications at September 30, 2015 for the Agency's governmental funds:

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Debt Service</u>	<u>Capital Projects</u>
Restricted:			
Debt service	\$ -	\$ 5,747,124	\$ -
Committed:			
Economic environment	- -	- -	2,782,130
General public facility	- -	- -	27,197,829
Parks	- -	- -	3,601
Streets/sidwalks	- -	- -	18,576,368
Transit	- -	- -	1,016,756
Other			912,181
Assigned	20,000,000	- -	- -
Unassigned	<u>8,207,142</u>	<u>- -</u>	<u>- -</u>
Total Fund Balance	<u>\$ 28,207,142</u>	<u>\$ 5,747,124</u>	<u>\$ 50,488,865</u>

Note 13 - Change in Accounting Principle

The GASB has issued Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*, an *Amendment of GASB Statement No. 27* ("GASB 68"), which was adopted by the Agency for the year ended September 30, 2015. GASB 68 requires governments providing defined benefit pension to recognize their long-term obligation for pension benefits as a liability and to more comprehensively and comparably measure the annual costs of pension benefits. In accordance with GASB 68, the Agency now reports a net pension liability on its financial statements, as well as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources. In addition, the impact of implementing this statement resulted in a restatement of the beginning net position for governmental activities to adjust for the pension benefit liability that would have been reported in previous years. The prior period adjustment includes deferred outflows of contributions made subsequent to the measurement date.

The Agency's net position at October 1, 2014 has been restated as follows:

	Governmental Activities
Net Position, October 1, 2014	\$ 123,780,709
Restatement for:	
GASB 68 MBERP	(1,139,028)
GASB 68 MBF&P	(5,158,245)
Restated Net Position, October 1, 2014	<u>\$ 117,483,436</u>

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Note 14 - Contingencies

The Agency, in the normal course of operations, is a party to various other actions in which plaintiffs have alleged certain damages. In all cases, management does not believe the disposition of these matters will materially affect the financial position of the Agency.

Note 15 - Pension Plan

Miami Beach Employees' Retirement System ("MBERP")

Summary of Significant Accounting Principles

The Plan financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Member contributions are recognized as revenues in the period in which the contributions are due. Agency contributions are recognized as revenues when due pursuant to actuarial valuations. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the Plan. Interest income is recorded as earned and dividend income is recorded as of the ex-dividend date.

Investments are recorded at fair value in the Statement of Plan Net Position. 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. The diversity of the investment types in which the Trust has entered into requires a range of techniques to determine fair value.

Unrealized gains and losses are presented as net appreciation in fair value of investments on the Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position along with gains and losses realized on sales of investments. Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Plan Description

Pursuant to Modification 29 of the Florida State Social Security Agreement effective January 1, 1955 The City of Miami Beach does not participate in the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance System (OASI) embodied in the Social Security Act. The Miami Beach Employees' Retirement Plan (the Plan) is a single employer defined benefit pension plan for general employees established by the City of Miami Beach, Florida (the City) effective March 18, 2006. The plan acts as a cost-sharing plan to the Agency. The Miami Beach Employees' Retirement System was created under and by the authority of Chapter 18691, Laws of Florida, Act of 1937, as amended, by merging the "Retirement System for General Employees of the City of Miami Beach" created by Ordinance 1901 with the "Retirement System for Unclassified Employees and Elected Officials of the City of Miami Beach" created by Ordinance 88-2603, as amended.

Members are full-time employees, classified and unclassified positions, who work more than 30 hours per week except for policemen and firemen and persons who elect to join the defined contribution retirement Plan sponsored by the City.

Substantially all full-time employees of the Agency are provided with pensions through the Miami Beach Employees' Retirement Plan (the Plan) – a single employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the City of Miami Beach, Florida. The Plan issues a publicly available financial report that can be obtained at <http://web.miamibeachfl.gov/mberp>.

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The benefit provisions and all other requirements are established and may be amended by City ordinance.

The plan provides for retirement benefits as well as death and disability benefits at three different tiers depending on when the members entered the Plan:

The First Tier is for members that entered the Plan prior to the Second Tier Dates. The Second Tier is for members that entered the Plan on or after the Second Tier Dates, but before the Third Tier Dates. The Third Tier is for members that entered the Plan on or after the Third Tier Dates. Both the Second Tier and Third Tier Dates were established when each of the unions bargained with the City to establish new guidelines for retirement benefits relating to employees associated with their Unions. The Second Tier Dates are April 30, 1993 for members of AFSCME; August 1, 1993 for those classified as Other and GSAF, and February 21, 1994 for members of CWA. The Third Tier Dates are September 30, 2010 for members of AFSCME, GSAF and for those classified as other, and October 27, 2010 for members of CWA.

Classified members administered under the First Tier are eligible for normal retirement at age 50 and five years of Creditable Service and are entitled to benefits of 3% of Final Average Monthly Earnings (FAME) multiplied by the first 15 years of Creditable Service plus 4% of FAME multiplied by years of service in excess of 15 years, with the total not to exceed 90% of FAME. First Tier unclassified members accrued 4% for creditable service before October 18, 1992. Unclassified First Tier members accrued 3% per year of service after October 18, 1992, with the total not to exceed 80% of FAME. Classified and unclassified members administered under the Second Tier are eligible for Normal Retirement at age 55 and five years of creditable service and are entitled to benefits of 3% of FAME multiplied by creditable service, subject to a maximum of 80% of FAME. Classified and unclassified members administered under the Third Tier are eligible for Normal Retirement at age 55 with at least 30 years of creditable service, or age 62 with at least five years of creditable service and are entitled to benefits of 2.5% of FAME multiplied by creditable service, subject to a maximum of 80% of FAME. For elected officials, City Manager or City Attorney, the benefit is 4% of FAME for each year of creditable service as an elected official, city manager or city attorney plus the retirement benefit as defined above for any other period of city employment, subject to a maximum of 80% of FAME

Final average monthly earnings (FAME) means one-twelfth of the average annual earnings during the highest two paid years of credible service. For Unclassified First Tier members who became a member prior to October 18, 1992 and was continuously a member from that date until March 18, 2006, FAME is defined as the larger of one-twelfth average covered salary during the two highest paid years of creditable service or one-twelfth of the pay of the year immediately preceding March 18, 2006. Effective as of September 30, 2010, FAME for members who have obtained normal retirement age or are within 24 months from normal retirement age is defined as average covered salary during the two highest paid years of creditable service. FAME for those members who as of September 30, 2010 are between 24 and 36 months from normal retirement age is defined as average covered salary during the three highest paid years of creditable service. FAME for those members who as of September 30, 2010 are between 36 and 48 months from normal retirement age is defined as average covered salary during the four highest paid years of creditable service. FAME for those members who as of September 30, 2010 are more than 48 months from normal retirement age is defined as average covered salary during the five highest paid years of creditable service. A Member with five or more years of creditable service may, at any time prior to retirement, elect to purchase a maximum of two years additional creditable service. Effective September 30, 2013, Members whose classification is included in the CWA and GSAF bargaining unit and Members who are not included in any collective bargaining unit shall not be eligible to purchase additional creditable service. Effective April 23, 2015, members whose classifications are included in the AFSCME bargaining unit are not eligible to purchase additional creditable service.

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Any First Tier member who terminates employment may either request a refund of their own contributions plus interest, or receive their accrued benefit beginning at age 50, if at least five years of creditable service are completed. Any Second Tier member who entered on or after the Second Tier Date and who terminates employment after five years of creditable service may either request a refund of their own contributions plus interest or receive their accrued benefit beginning at age 55. Any Third Tier member who entered on or after the Third Tier Date and who terminates employment after five years of creditable service but prior to the normal or early retirement date shall be eligible to receive a normal retirement benefit at age 62.

Deferred retirement option plan (DROP)

A DROP was enacted on January 28, 2009 by Ordinance 2009-3626. Under this Plan, First and Second Tier members who have attained eligibility for Normal Retirement may continue working with the City for up to three years, while receiving a retirement benefit that is deposited into a DROP account. Third Tier members may participate in a DROP account for up to five years. Effective July 17, 2013, Members within classifications in the CWA bargaining unit who were hired prior to October 27, 2010, and Members not included in any bargaining unit who were hired prior to September 10, 2010, may elect to retire for the purposes of the Plan but continue employment with the City for up to sixty months, and have their monthly retirement benefit paid into a DROP account during the DROP period. Effective October 1, 2013, any member within classifications in the GSAF bargaining may elect to retire for the purposes of the Program but continue employment with the City for up to sixty months, and have their monthly retirement paid into a DROP account during the DROP period. Effective April 23, 2014, members within classifications in the AFSCME bargaining unit who were hired prior to September 30, 2010, may elect to retire for the purposes of the Plan but continue employment with the City for up to sixty months, and have their monthly retirement benefits paid into a DROP account during the DROP period. The amount of the benefit is calculated as if the participant had retired on the date of DROP commencement. Upon termination with the City, the accumulated value of the DROP account is distributed to the participant. A member's creditable service, accrued benefit and compensation calculation shall be frozen.

A series of investment vehicles which are established by the board of trustees are made available to DROP participants to choose from. Any losses, charges, or expenses incurred by the participant in their DROP account are not made up by the City or the Trust, but shall be borne by the participant. Upon termination of employment, a member may receive distributions in accordance with the Plan.

A DROP participant shall not be entitled to receive an ordinary or service disability retirement and in the event of death of a DROP participant, there shall be no accidental death benefit for pension purposes. DROP participation does not affect any other death or disability benefit provided to a member under federal law, state law, City ordinance, or any rights or benefits under any applicable collective bargaining agreement. First and Second Tier members receive an annual cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) of 2.5%. The COLA is not payable while members are in the DROP. For Third Tier members the COLA is 1.5%. As of September 30, 2015, there were 109 members in the DROP and the value of DROP investment was \$10,617,672 which is included in the Plan's net position. The DROP also allows for member loans. Approximately \$248,000 in loans were outstanding as of September 30, 2015.

Funding Policy, Contributions Required and Contributions Made

The City is to contribute such amounts as are necessary to maintain the actuarial soundness of the Plan and to provide the Plan with assets sufficient to meet the benefits to be paid to the members. All First Tier members who participate are required to contribute 12% of their covered salary to the Plan. All Second and Third Tier members are required to contribute 10% of their covered salary. The City Commission has the authority to increase or decrease contributions.

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For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015, the Agency was required to make contributions of \$191,385 or 32.12% of covered payroll to the Plan in accordance with actuarially determined requirements computed through an actuarial valuation performed as of October 1, 2014. For the year ended September 30, 2015, the employees contributed \$53,339.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions.

The Agency's proportionate share of the net pension liability was based on its share of the City's fiscal year 2015 contributions relative to the fiscal year 2015 contributions of all participating members. At September 30, 2015, the Agency's proportionate share was 0.72%. There was no change in the proportionate share since the prior measurement date.

For the year ended September 30, 2015, the Agency recognized pension expense of \$126,189. Contributions made subsequent to the measurement date are recognized as a deferred outflow of resources offsetting the net pension liability and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016. At September 30, 2015, the Agency reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>	<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 26,854	\$
Agency contributions subsequent to measurement date	191,385	
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		83,051
Total	<u>\$ 218,239</u>	<u>\$ 83,051</u>

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense in future periods as follows:

Year ended September 30:	
2016	\$ (12,256)
2017	(12,256)
2018	(12,256)
2019	(19,429)
Total	<u>\$ (56,197)</u>

The Plan uses the following actuarial valuations at the measurement date of September 30, 2014:

Valuation date	September 30, 2014
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal
Amortization Method	Level dollar, Closed
Remaining Amortization Period	30 years
Asset Valuation Method	5-year smoothed market
Inflation	3%
Salary Increases	4.5% to 7% depending on service, including inflation
Investment Rate of Return	8%

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Retirement Age	Experience-based table of rates that are specific to the type of eligibility condition
Mortality	RP-2000 Combined Healthy Participant Mortality Table for males and females with mortality improvements projected after year 2000 to the year 2010 using Scale AA.

Net Pension Liability of the Agency

The components of the net pension liability of the Agency at September 30, 2015 were as follows:

Total pension liability	\$ 4,944,539
Plan's fiduciary net position	<u>(3,735,519)</u>
Agency net pension liability	<u>\$ 1,209,020</u>

The actuarial assumptions used in the September 30, 2014 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period of October 1, 2003 through September 30, 2009.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target and best estimate of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

<u>Target Asset Class</u>	<u>Long-Term Nominal Allocation</u>	<u>Rate of Return</u>
Domestic equities	51%	8.50%
Fixed income	31	2.95
International equities	18	9.00
Cash and equivalents	<u>0</u>	3.0
Total	<u>100%</u>	

Discount

A single discount rate of 8 percent was used to measure the total pension liability. This single discount rate was based on the expected rate of return on Pension Plan investment of 8 percent. The long-term municipal bond rate was 4.11 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine this single discount rate assumed that Plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the difference between the total actuarially determined contribution rates and the member rate. Based on these assumptions, the Pension Plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current Plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Pension Plan investments (8 percent) was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability. The long-term municipal bond rate utilized in determining the single discount rate is 4.11 percent taken from the Federal Reserve statistical release as of September 25, 2014. The discount rate and the long-term expected rate of return have decreased to 7.85 percent subsequent to the measurement date. The investment rate of return assumption decreased from 8.00% to 7.85% subsequent to the measurement date.

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Sensitivity of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate

The following present the Agency's net pension liability, calculated using a single discount rate of 8 percent, as well as what the Agency's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a single discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher:

Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to the Single Discount Rate Assumption

1% Decrease (7.00%)	Current Single Discount Rate Assumption (8.00%)	1% Increase (9.00%)
\$1,770,631	\$1,209,020	\$737,727

Historical trend information is presented in the required supplementary information schedules following the notes to the financial statements to show the changes in the net pension liability and the contributions to the plan.

Retirement System for Firefighters and Police Officers (MBF&P)

Summary of Significant Accounting Principles

The Plan financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Employee contributions are recognized as revenues in the period in which the contributions are due. City contributions are recognized as revenues when due pursuant to actuarial valuations. Share plan contributions are recognized as revenues in the period in which they are approved by the State. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the Plan. Interest income is recorded as earned and dividend income is recorded as of the ex-dividend date.

Investments are recorded at fair value in the Statement of Fiduciary Net Position. 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. The diversity of the investment types in which the Trust has entered into requires a range of techniques to determine fair value.

Unrealized gains and losses are presented as net appreciation in fair value of investments on the Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position along with gains and losses realized on sales of investments. Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, the actual results could differ from those estimates.

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Tier One members are those hired prior to July 14, 2010

Tier Two members are those hired on or after July 14, 2010, but prior to September 30, 2013.

Tier Three members are those hired on or after September 30, 2013.

Tier One members

Members who met eligibility to retire prior to September 30, 2013 may retire on a service retirement pension upon the attainment of age 50 or, if earlier, the date when age and length of creditable service equals to at least 70 years. Members eligible to retire on or after September 30, 2013 may retire on a service retirement pension upon the attainment of age 50 or, if earlier, the date when the member attains age 47 and length of creditable service equals to at least 70 years.

Upon retirement, a member who met eligibility to retire prior to September 30, 2013 will receive a monthly pension, payable for life, equal to 3% of the average monthly salary, as defined in the Plan ordinance, for each of the first 15 years of creditable service and 4% of the average monthly salary for each year of creditable service in excess of 15 years, provided that the pension does not exceed 90% of the average monthly salary. Members who met eligibility to retire on or after to September 30, 2013 will receive a monthly pension, payable for life, equal to 3% of the average monthly salary, as defined in the Plan ordinance, for each of the first 20 years of creditable service and 4% of the average monthly salary for each year of creditable service in excess of 20 years, provided that the pension does not exceed 85% of the average monthly salary. All retirees and beneficiaries receiving a monthly pension as of September 30, 2010 will receive a 2.5% increase in benefits on October 1st of each year. Members that retire on or after September 30, 2010 will receive a 2.5% increase in benefits annually on the anniversary date of the member's retirement.

Tier Two members

Any member may retire on a service retirement pension upon the attainment of age 50 or, if earlier, the date when the member attains age 48 and length of creditable service equals to at least 70 years.

Upon retirement, a member will receive a monthly pension, payable for life, equal to 3% of the average monthly salary, as defined in the Plan ordinance, for each of the first 20 years of creditable service and 4% of the average monthly salary for each year of creditable service in excess of 20 years, provided that the pension does not exceed 85% of the average monthly salary. The average monthly salary of the employee is computed based on the salary for the three highest paid years prior to the date of retirement or the average of the last three paid years to the employee prior to the date of retirement, whichever produces the greater benefit after consideration of the overtime limitations. For limitation and detailed information, please see the pension plan statement. All retirees and beneficiaries will receive a 1.5% increase in benefits annually on the anniversary date of the member's retirement.

Tier Three members

Any member may retire on a service retirement pension upon the attainment of age 50 or, if earlier, the date when the member attains age 48 and length of creditable service equals to at least 70 years.

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Upon retirement, a member will receive a monthly pension, payable for life, equal to 3% of the average monthly salary, as defined in the Plan ordinance, for each of the first 20 years of creditable service and 4% of the average monthly salary for each year of creditable service in excess of 20 years, provided that the pension does not exceed 85% of the average monthly salary. The average monthly salary of the employee is computed based on the salary for the five highest paid years prior to the date of retirement or the average of the last three paid years to the employee prior to the date of retirement, whichever produces the greater benefit after consideration of the overtime limitations. For limitation and detailed information, please see the pension plan statement. All retirees and beneficiaries will receive a 1.5% increase in benefits annually on the anniversary date of the member's retirement.

Any member of the plan who becomes totally and permanently disabled at any time as a result of illness or injury suffered in the line of duty may be retired on an accidental disability pension. For a service connected disability, the minimum pension payable is 85% of monthly salary of the employee at the time of disability retirement, less any offset for worker's compensation. Any member who becomes totally or permanently disabled after 5 years of creditable service as a result of illness or injury not suffered in the line of duty may be retired on an ordinary disability retirement pension. Upon disability retirement, a member received a monthly pension equal to their service retirement benefits. For a non-service connected disability, the pension is the accrued benefit after 5 years of creditable service. The plan also provides death benefits for beneficiaries or members for service connected and non-service connected death.

If a member resigns or is lawfully discharged before retirement, their contributions with 3% interest per annum are returned to them. The Plan also provides a special provision for vested benefits for members who terminate after 5 years of service.

In the alternative and in lieu of the normal form of benefit, the member may, at any time prior to retirement, elect to receive a lifetime retirement benefit with 120 monthly payments guaranteed. If the member should die before 120 monthly payments are made, benefits will continue to be paid to the member's designated beneficiary for the balance of the 120 month period. If the retired member is living after 120 monthly payments are made, the payments shall be continued for the member's remaining lifetime. In case of termination of the Plan, benefits accrued to members to the extent funded will be non-forfeitable.

Deferred retirement option plan

An active member of Tier One may enter into a DROP on the first day of any month after meeting eligibility to retire. Upon becoming eligible to participate in the DROP, a member may elect to enter that program for a period not to exceed 36 months. Members who enter the DROP on or after September 1, 2012 shall be eligible to participate for a period not to exceed 60 months. All members shall receive a 2.5% COLA increase in benefits annually on the anniversary date of the member's retirement. The exception is members who entered the DROP on or after September 1, 2012 and before September 30, 2013 shall receive a 0% COLA adjustment for the 3rd and 4th annual adjustment dates, regardless of whether the member remains in the DROP for the maximum 60 month period. Further, any member who exits the DROP within 6 months following the date of DROP entry shall be eligible to the 2.5% COLA adjustment.

An active member of Tier Two or Three may enter into the DROP on the first day of any month after attainment of age 50 or, if earlier, the date when the member attains age 48 and age and length of creditable service equals to at least 70 years. Upon becoming eligible to participate in the DROP, a member may elect to enter that program for a period not to exceed 60 months. All members shall receive a 1.5% COLA increase in benefits annually on the anniversary date of the member's retirement.

At September 30, 2015, \$11,437,162 the total amount of the Deferred Retirement Option Plan payable represents the balance of the self-directed participants as all of the participants are now in the self-directed DROP.

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The City (the "Employer") is required to contribute an actuarially determined amount that, when combined with members' contributions, will fully provide for all benefits as they become payable. All Tier One and Tier Two members are required to contribute 10% of their salary to the Plan, while all Tier Three members are required to contribute 10.5% of their salary to the Plan. The City Commission has the authority to increase or decrease contributions.

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015, the Agency was required to make contributions of \$846,000 or 51.18% of covered payroll to the Plan in accordance with actuarially determined requirements computed through an actuarial valuation performed as of October 1, 2014. For the year ended September 30, 2015, the employees contributed \$134,703.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions.

The Agency's proportionate share of the net pension liability was based on its share of the City's fiscal year 2015 contributions relative to the fiscal year 2015 contributions of all participating members. At September 30, 2015, the Agency's proportionate share was 2.56%. There was no change in the proportionate share since the prior measurement date.

For the year ended September 30, 2015, the Agency recognized pension expense of \$682,686 Contributions made subsequent to the measurement date are recognized as a deferred outflow of resources offsetting the net pension liability and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016. At September 30, 2015, the Agency reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 151,066	\$
City contributions subsequent to measurement date	846,000	
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		297,665
Total	<u>\$ 997,066</u>	<u>\$ 297,665</u>

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense in future periods as follows:

Year ended September 30:	
2016	\$ (31,565)
2017	(31,565)
2018	(31,565)
2019	(51,904)
Total	<u><u>\$ (146,599)</u></u>

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The Plan uses the following actuarial valuations at October 1, 2014:

Valuation date	September 30, 2014
Actuarial cost method	Entry age Normal
Amortization method	Level percentage, closed
Amortization period	30 years
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed market
Actuarial Assumptions:	
Investment rate of return	8%
Projected salary increases	2.87% - 9.87%
Inflation	3%
Payroll growth	3.5%
COLA	1.5%, 2%, or 2.5%
Retirement age	Experience-based table of rates that is specific to the type of eligibility
Mortality	For healthy participants, RP-2000 Combined Healthy Participant Mortality Tables, separate rates for males and females, with Blue Collar Adjustment and projected 15 years from valuation date for pre-retirement mortality and 7 years from valiant date for post-retirement morality with Scale AA. For disable participants, RP-2000 Disabled Mortality Tables, separate rates for males and females, without projection for future mortality improvement

The actuarial assumptions used in the October 1, 2014 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period of October 1, 2003 through September 30, 2009.

Discount

A discount rate of 8.00% was used to measure the September 30, 2014 total pension liability. This discount rate was based on the expected rate of return on Fund investments of 8.00%. The projection of cash flows used to determine this discount rate assumed member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the difference between actuarially determined contribution rates and the member rate. Based on these assumptions, the pension Fund's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future expected benefit payments of current Fund members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Pension Plan investments (8 percent) was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability. The investment rate of return assumption decreased from 8.00% to 7.95% subsequent to the measurement date.

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Net Pension Liability of the Agency

The components of the net pension liability of the Agency at September 30, 2015 were as follows:

Total pension liability	\$ 25,396,415
Plan's fiduciary net position	(19,704,798)
Agency net pension liability	<u>\$ 5,691,617</u>

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighing the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target and best estimate of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

<u>Target Asset Class</u>	<u>Long-Term Nominal Allocation</u>	<u>Rate of Return</u>
Domestic equity	50%	7.86%
Fixed income	35	2.59
International equity	5	7.10
Real estate equity	5	6.00
Cash/short-term investments	<u>5</u>	0.00
Total	<u>100%</u>	

The following present the Agency's net pension liability, calculated using a single discount rate of 8 percent, as well as what the Agency's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a single discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher:

Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to the Single Discount Rate Assumption

	Current Single Discount Rate Assumption	1% Increase (9.00%)
1% Decrease (7.00%)	(8.00%)	
\$8,850,119	\$5,691,617	\$3,092,184

Historical trend information is presented in the required supplementary information schedules following the notes to the financial statements to show the changes in the net pension liability and the contributions to the plan.

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Financial Statements

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial reports. Each of the Retirement Systems are audited separately. Complete financial statements can be obtained at the following offices:

City of Miami Beach Employee Retirement System 1700 Convention Center Drive Miami Beach, Florida 33139	City of Miami Beach Retirement System for Firefighters and Police Officers 1691 Michigan Ave. Suite 555 Miami Beach, Florida 33139
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Florida's Federal-State Social Security Agreement

Pursuant to Modification 29 of the Florida State Social Security Agreement effective January 1, 1955 The City of Miami Beach does not participate in the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance System (OASI) embodied in the Social Security Act. Instead, it provides eligible employees a comprehensive defined benefit pension plan, as discussed in note IV(a) and IV(b). Contributions to Social Security for fiscal year 2014 and 2013 would have been \$8,279,495 and \$7,976,924, respectively. The City of Miami Beach does participate in the hospital insurance tax, also known as Medicare and withholds taxes accordingly.

Firemen's and Police Relief and Pension Funds

The City's firefighters and police officers are members of two separate non-contributory money purchase benefit plans established under the provisions of Florida Statutes, Chapters 175 and 185, respectively. These plans are funded solely from proceeds of certain excise taxes levied by the City and imposed upon property and casualty insurance coverage within City limits. This tax, which is collected from insurers by the State of Florida, is remitted to the Plans' Boards of Trustees. The City is under no obligation to make any further contributions to the plans. The excise taxes received from the State of Florida and remitted to the plans for the year ended September 30, 2015 was \$1,539,056 for firefighters and \$759,728 for police officers. These payments were recorded on the City's books as revenues and expenditures during the fiscal year.

Plan benefits are allocated to participants based upon their service during the year and the level of funding received during the year. Participants are fully vested after 10 years of service with no benefits vested prior to 10 years of service, except those prior to June 1983. All benefits are paid in a lump sum format, except for the Police Relief Funds, where participants may also elect not to withdraw or to partially withdraw, his or her retirement funds.

Defined Contribution Retirement Plan-401(A)

Effective October 18, 1992 City's Ordinance No. 92-2813 provided for the creation of a Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (the "Plan") under section 401(A) of the internal revenue code of 1986. The Plan provides retirement and other related benefits for eligible employees as an option over the other retirement systems sponsored by the City.

Any person employed on or after October 18, 1992, in the unclassified service of the City, has the right to select the Plan as an optional retirement plan to the Unclassified Employees and Elected Officials Retirement System. At the time of the Ordinance, employees of the City who were members of the Unclassified Employee and Elected Official Retirement System (the "System") had the irrevocable right to elect to transfer membership from the System to the Plan for a limited period of time. Effective March 19, 2006 the Plan is no longer offered to new employees of the City. Employees participating in the Plan prior to March 19, 2006 were given the option to transfer membership to the System.

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The Plan is administrated by a Board of Trustees, which has the general responsibility for the proper operation and management of the Plan. The Plan complies with the provisions of section 401(A) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and may be amended by the City Commission of the City. The City has no fiduciary responsibility for the Plan, consequently, amounts accrued for benefits are not recorded in the fiduciary fund.

Employees in the Plan hired prior to February 21, 1994 are required to contribute 10% of their salary while those hired subsequent to February 21, 1994 are required to contribute 8% of their salary. The City matches the employee's contribution 100%. The Plan of each employee is the immediate property of the employee. Employee have a choice of plan administrators, Nationwide Retirement Solutions (formerly Public Employee Benefits Services Corporation – PEBSKO) and IMCA-RC. In addition, the employee is responsible for the investment of their funds amongst choices of investment vehicles offered by their selected plan administrator.

Plan information as of and for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015 is as follows:

Members in the Plan	29
City's contribution	\$ 144,479
Percentage of covered payroll	8.08%
Employees' contribution	\$ 144,342
Percentage of covered payroll	8.08%

Note 16 - Subsequent Events

On December 15, 2015, the City of Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") issued \$286,245,000 in Series 2015A Tax Increment Revenue and Revenue Refunding Bonds, and \$35,850,000 in Taxable Series 2015B Tax Increment Revenue Refunding Bonds. The Series 2015A and 2015B bonds are secured equally and ratably by a first lien on and pledge of the pledge funds, which consist of (i) the trust fund revenues by the Agency, and (ii) except for moneys, securities and instruments in the rebate fund, all moneys, securities and instruments held in the funds and accounts established under the bond resolution. The Series 2015A and 2015B bonds are subject to a trust indenture, which requires that annual debt service requirements be fully funded upon receipts of the trust fund revenue. The Series 2015A bonds will be used, together with certain other legally available moneys of the Agency, to (i) provide for the current refunding of all the outstanding Series 2005B bonds, (ii) finance certain costs of acquiring and constructing renovations to the Miami Beach Convention Center and certain other improvements, and (iii) pay costs of issuance of the Series 2015 bond and refunding the outstanding Series 2005B bonds, including the premium for the bond insurance policy to guarantee the scheduled payment of principal and interest on certain maturities of the Series 2015A bonds and the portion of the premium allocable to the Series 2015A bond for the reserve policy. The Series 2015A bonds were issued with interest rates of 4.00% to 5.00%, payable semiannually on February 1 and August 1, and will mature serially through February 1, 2044. The Series 2015B will be used to (i) provide for the advance refunding of all the outstanding Series 1998 bonds, (ii) provide for the current refunding of all the outstanding Series 2005A bonds, and (iii) pay costs of issuance of the Series 2015B bonds and refunding the outstanding Series 1998A bonds and the outstanding Series 2015A bonds, including the portion of the premium allocable to the Series 2015B bonds for the reserve policy. The Series 2015B bonds were issued with interest rates of 1.926% to 3.688%, payable semiannually on February 1 and August 1, and will mature serially through February 1, 2023.

**REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
(OTHER THAN MD&A)
UNAUDITED**

Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency
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SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS
RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
 (Unaudited)

***Miami Beach Employees Retirement Plan**

	2015	2014
Actuarially determined contribution	\$ 191,385	\$ 185,204
Actual contribution	<u>191,385</u>	<u>185,204</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
 Covered-employee payroll		
Actual contribution as a % of covered payroll	\$ 595,782 32.12%	\$ 552,405 33.53%

* Information provided for only 2 years

City Pension for Firefighters and Police Officers

	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006
Actuarially determined contribution	\$ 846,000	\$ 921,087	\$ 1,011,549	\$ 929,722	\$ 840,435	\$ 599,465	\$ 516,378	\$ 451,268	\$ 390,137	\$ 374,011
Actual contribution	<u>846,000</u>	<u>921,087</u>	<u>1,011,549</u>	<u>929,722</u>	<u>840,435</u>	<u>599,465</u>	<u>516,378</u>	<u>451,268</u>	<u>390,137</u>	<u>374,011</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>							
 Covered-employee payroll										
Actual contribution as a % of covered payroll	\$ 1,652,889 51.18%	\$ 1,473,972 62.49%	\$ 1,186,277 85.27%	\$ 1,259,868 73.80%	\$ 1,273,501 65.99%	\$ 1,322,605 45.32%	\$ 1,361,484 37.93%	\$ 1,026,098 43.98%	\$ 937,272 41.62%	\$ 828,715 45.13%

** Includes DROP members

Notes:

1. This is a ten year schedule. However the information displayed in this schedule is not required to be presented retroactively. Years will be added in future periods until ten years of information is available.
2. City Pension for Firefighters and Police Officers actual contributions include certain Chapter 175/185 non-employer contributions amounts. These amounts are from the State of Florida.

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SCHEDULE OF THE AGENCY'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
(Unaudited)

MBERP	<u>2015</u>
Agency's proportion of the net pension liability	0.72%
Agency's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 1,209,020
Agency's covered-employee payroll	191,385
Agency's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	631.72%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	75.55%
MBF&P	<u>2015</u>
Agency's proportion of the net pension liability	2.56%
Agency's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 5,691,617
Agency's covered-employee payroll	846,000
Agency's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	672.77%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	77.59%

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NOTES TO THE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS SCHEDULES
September 30, 2015

The above schedules are ten year schedules, however, the information in the schedules are not required to be presented retroactively. Years will be added to these schedules in future periods until ten years of information is available.

Notes to the net pension liability - MBERP

Valuation Date	September 30, 2014
Measurement Date	September 30, 2014
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry Age Normal
Inflation	3.0%
Salary Increases	4.5% to 7% depending on service, including inflation
Investment Rate of Return	8.00%
Retirement Age	Experience-based table of rates that are specific to the type of eligibility condition
Salary Increases	4.5% to 7% depending on service, including inflation
Mortality	RP-2000 Combined Healthy Participant Mortality Table for males and females with mortality improvements projected after year 2000 to the year 2010 using Scale AA.
Assumption Changes	Investment return assumption plan to decrease in the next period from 8.00% to 7.85%

Notes to the net pension liability – MBF&P

Valuation Date	October 1, 2014
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Update procedures used to roll forward TPL excluding DROP account balances to the measurement dates – actual Drop account balances as of measurement dates included in TPL. No assumption and/or method changes or benefit changes during the year

Each of the Retirement Systems are audited separately. Complete financial statements can be obtained at the following offices:

City of Miami Beach
Employee Retirement System
1700 Convention Center Drive
Miami Beach, Florida 33139

City of Miami Beach
Retirement System for Firefighters and Police Officers
1691 Michigan Ave. Suite 555
Miami Beach, Florida 33139

**Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency
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**Budgetary Comparison Schedule
General Fund
Year Ended September 30, 2015
(Unaudited)**

	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts	Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget – Positive (Negative)
Revenues:				
Tax increment	\$ 38,394,000	\$ 38,394,000	\$ 38,094,108	\$ (299,892)
Resort tax	-	-	-	-
Rents and leases	-	-	128,132	128,132
Interest	25,000	25,000	111,273	86,273
Other	100,000	100,000	-	(100,000)
Total revenues	38,519,000	38,519,000	38,333,513	(185,487)
Expenditures:				
General government	20,439,000	24,956,864	6,013,296	18,943,568
Public safety	4,575,000	4,575,000	4,500,056	74,944
Economic environment	2,400,000	2,398,000	2,385,988	12,012
Culture and recreation	1,169,000	1,188,000	821,852	366,148
Capital outlay	-	8,138,953	3,453,173	4,685,780
Total expenditures	28,583,000	41,256,817	17,174,365	24,082,452
Excess of revenues over expenditures	9,936,000	(2,737,817)	21,159,148	23,896,965
Other financing sources (uses):				
Sale of capital assets	-	-	3,091	3,091
Operating transfers in	-	-	-	-
Operating transfers out	(9,936,000)	(9,936,000)	(8,454,059)	1,481,941
Total other financing sources (uses)	(9,936,000)	(9,936,000)	(8,450,968)	1,485,032
Net change in fund balance	-	(12,673,817)	12,708,180	25,381,997
Fund balance, beginning	<u>15,498,962</u>	<u>15,498,962</u>	<u>15,498,962</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance, ending	\$ 15,498,962	\$ 2,825,145	\$ 28,207,142	\$ 25,381,997

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Notes to Budgetary Comparison Schedule
September 30, 2015 (Unaudited)

Note 1. Budgetary Policy

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for all governmental funds. The Agency uses appropriations in the capital budget to authorize the expenditures of funds for various capital projects. Capital appropriations, unless modified or rescinded, remain in effect until the completion of each project.

At least 65 days prior to the beginning of the fiscal year, the City Commission, which also serves as the Agency's Board of Directors, is presented with a proposed budget. The proposed budget includes anticipated expenditures and the means of financing them. After Commission review and public hearings, the budget is adopted prior to October 1st. The budget is approved by district and fund. Management may transfer amounts between line items within a fund as long as the transfer does not result in an increase in the fund's budget. Increases to fund budgets require Commission approval.

There was one (1) supplemental budgetary appropriations during fiscal year ended September 30, 2015.

Budgets are considered a management control and planning tool and as such are incorporated in the accounting system of the Agency. Budgets are adopted on the modified accrual basis of accounting with the inclusion of encumbrances as reductions in the budgetary amount available. All appropriations lapse at year-end.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency
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Budgetary Comparison Schedule (unaudited)
Debt Service Fund
Year Ended September 30, 2015

	Original Budgeted Amounts	Final Budgeted Amounts	Actual Amounts	Variance with Final Budget – Positive (Negative)
Revenues:				
Interest	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 741	\$ 741
Total revenues	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>741</u>	<u>741</u>
Expenditures:				
Economic environment	1,322,505	1,322,505	1,322,505	-
Debt Service:				
Principal	5,450,392	5,450,392	5,375,000	75,392
Interest	3,039,103	3,039,103	3,039,103	-
Other	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	<u>9,812,000</u>	<u>9,812,000</u>	<u>9,736,608</u>	<u>75,392</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures	<u>(9,812,000)</u>	<u>(9,812,000)</u>	<u>(9,735,867)</u>	<u>76,133</u>
Other financing sources:				
Operating transfers in	9,812,000	9,812,000	8,454,059	(1,357,941)
Operating transfers out	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources	<u>9,812,000</u>	<u>9,812,000</u>	<u>8,454,059</u>	<u>(1,357,941)</u>
Net change in fund balance	-	-	(1,281,808)	(1,281,808)
Fund balance, beginning	<u>7,028,932</u>	<u>7,028,932</u>	<u>7,028,932</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance, ending	<u>\$ 7,028,932</u>	<u>\$ 7,028,932</u>	<u>\$ 5,747,124</u>	<u>\$ (1,281,808)</u>

OTHER REPORT

**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 Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission
City of Miami Beach, Florida

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 of the governmental activities, the business-type activities and each major fund of the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency) as of and for the year ended September 30, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Agency's financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated May 20, 2016.

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 opinion 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 Agency'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 may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Agency's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and 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 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 over financial reporting 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 entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Crowe Horwath LLP

Miami, Florida
May 20, 2016

**MIAMI BEACH REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY
(A Component Unit of the City of Miami Beach, Florida)**

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS
Year ended September 30, 2015

SECTION I - SUMMARY OF AUDITORS' RESULTS

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Type of auditors' report issued	Unmodified
Internal control over financial reporting:	
Material weakness identified	No
Significant deficiency identified not considered to be material weakness	None Reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted	No

MIAMI BEACH REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY
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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS
Year ended September 30, 2015

SECTION II - FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

There were no findings for the year ended September 30, 2015.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission
City of Miami Beach, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency (the "Agency") as of and for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014, and have issued our report thereon dated May 20, 2016.

Auditor's Responsibility

We conducted our audit in accordance with United States generally accepted auditing standards, and *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and *Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Florida Auditor General*.

Other Reports and Schedule

We have issued our Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of The Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards, the Schedule of Findings, and Independent Accountant's Report on an examination conducted in accordance with AICPA Professional Standards, Section 601, regarding compliance requirements in accordance with Chapter 10.550, Rules of the Auditor General. Disclosures in those reports and schedule, which are dated May 20, 2016, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

Prior Audit Findings

There were no prior year findings to report.

Official Title and Legal Authority

Section 10.554(1)(i)4., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that the name or official title and legal authority for the primary government and each component unit of the reporting entity be disclosed in this management letter, unless disclosed in the notes to the financial statements. This information is disclosed in the financial statements.

Other Matters

Section 10.554(1)(i)2., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we address in the management letter any recommendations to improve financial management. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such recommendations. Section 10.554(1)(i)3., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we address noncompliance with provisions of contracts or grant agreements, or abuse, that have occurred, or are likely to have occurred, that have an effect on the financial statements that is less than material but which warrants the attention of those charged with governance. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such findings.

Purpose of this Letter

Our management letter is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Auditing Committee, members of the Florida Senate and the Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Auditor General, Federal and other granting agencies, the Board of Commissioners, and applicable management, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.



Crowe Horwath LLP

Miami, Florida
May 20, 2016

**INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH
SECTION 218.415, FLORIDA STATUTES**

The Honorable Mayor and City of Commissioners
City of Miami Beach, Florida

We have examined the Miami Beach Redevelopment Agency's (the "Agency") compliance with Section 218.415, *Florida Statutes*, concerning the investment of public funds during the year ended September 30, 2015. Management is responsible for the Agency's compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Agency's compliance based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included 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 examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the Fund's compliance with specified requirements.

In our opinion, the Agency complied, in all material respects, with the aforementioned requirements for the year ended September 30, 2015.



Crowe Horwath LLP

Miami, Florida
May 20, 2016