

**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

July 31, 2010 and 2009

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INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Agency Members
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We have audited the accompanying statement of net assets of the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency (the Agency), a component unit of the County of Oswego, as of July 31, 2010, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Agency's management. 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 of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency as of July 31, 2010, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 26, 2010, on our consideration of the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency's internal control over financial reporting and 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 the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 3-7 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Government Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historic 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 with management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during the audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the Agency's basic financial statements taken as a whole. The Schedules of Supplementary Information including the Schedule of Bonds Issued – A Limited Obligation of the Agency, on pages 20-21, and the Schedule of Straight Leases, on pages 22-26, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by New York State. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Green & Seifter CPA,
Syracuse, New York
October 26, 2010

**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
July 31, 2010**

The following is a discussion and analysis of the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency, a component unit of the County of Oswego, financial performance for the fiscal year ended July 31, 2010. This section is a summary of the Agency's financial activities based on currently known facts, decisions, or conditions. It is also based on both the Agency and fund-based financial statements. The results of the current year are discussed in comparison with the prior year, with an emphasis placed on the current year. This section is only an introduction and should be read in conjunction with the Agency's financial statements, which immediately follow this section.

Financial Highlights

- The Agency's assets exceeded its liabilities by \$17,126,331 (net assets) for the fiscal year reported. This compares to the previous year when assets exceeded liabilities by \$15,118,703.
- Total net assets are comprised of the following:
 - 1) Cash of \$8,086,720, of which \$5,107,664 is restricted to funding loans.
 - 2) Loans receivable, net of related allowance, of \$8,797,213.
 - 3) Net assets of \$12,561,728 are restricted by constraints imposed from outside the Agency such as the County of Oswego, grantors, laws, or regulations.
 - 4) Unrestricted net assets of \$4,564,603 represent the portion available now or as loans are repaid to maintain the Agency's economic development operations including future loans. Unrestricted cash totals \$2,979,056. Unrestricted loans total \$1,343,149 with repayments spread over several years.
- The Agency's business-type activities reported a total ending net assets of \$15,752,372 this year. This compared to the prior year ending net assets, of \$13,803,630 showing an increase of \$1,948,742 during the current year. Unrestricted net assets of \$4,564,603 for fiscal year 2010 shows a \$1,621,612 increase over the prior year.
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unrestricted net assets for the Agency was \$4,564,603 or about 14 times total expenditures and about 2 times total revenues.
- Total liabilities of the Agency decreased by \$3,755 to \$37,322 during the fiscal year due primarily to there being less payables at July 31, 2010.

Overview of the Financial Statements

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the Agency's basic financial statements. The basic financial statements include: (1) agency financial statements, (2) fund financial statements, and (3) notes to the financial statements. The Agency also includes in this report additional information to supplement the basic financial statements.

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Agency Financial Statements

The Agency's annual report includes two Agency financial statements. These statements provide both long-term and short-term information about the Agency's overall status. Financial reporting at this level uses a perspective similar to that found in the private sector with its basis in full accrual accounting.

The first of these Agency statements is the Statement of Net Assets. This is the Agency statement of financial position presenting information that includes all of the Agency's assets and liabilities, with the difference reported as net assets. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the Agency as a whole is improving or deteriorating. Evaluation of the overall health of the Agency may extend to other non-financial factors in addition to the financial information provided in this report.

The second Agency statement is the Statement of Activities which reports how the Agency's net assets changed during the current fiscal year. All current year revenues and expenses are included regardless of when cash is received or paid.

An important purpose of the design of the Statement of Activities is to show the financial reliance of the Agency's distinct activities or functions on revenues. Both Agency financial statements show business-type activities that are intended to recover all, or a significant portion, of their costs through user fees and charges. Business-type activities include loans, bonds, and economic development. The Agency's financial reporting includes the Agency only, a component unit of the County of Oswego. The Agency is a legally separate organization managed by seven members. The Agency financial statements are presented on pages 8-9 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is an accountability unit used to maintain control over resources segregated for specific activities or objectives and to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related laws and regulations. The Agency is a proprietary fund.

Proprietary funds, which are business-type activities, are reported in the fund financial statements and generally report services for which the Agency charges a fee. Services are provided to companies external to the organization such as making loans and issuing bonds.

Proprietary fund statements provide both long-term and short-term financial information, consistent with the focus provided by the Agency financial statements, but with more detail.

The basic Proprietary Fund financial statements are presented on pages 10 through 14 of this report.

Notes to the Financial Statements

The accompanying notes to the financial statements provide information essential to a full understanding of the Agency and Fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements begin on page 15 of this report.

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Other information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain New York State required supplementary information concerning the Agency's issuance of bonds, a limited obligation of the Agency and straight leases. This information begins on Page 20.

Financial Analysis of the Agency

The Agency's net assets at fiscal year end are \$17,126,331. This is a \$2,007,628 increase over last year's net assets of \$15,118,703. The following table provides a summary of the Agency's net assets:

	Business-type Activities 2010	Business-type Activities 2009	Percent Change
Cash and other assets	\$ 8,366,440	\$ 5,902,949	41.7%
Loans Receivable	8,797,213	9,256,831	-5.0%
Total assets	<u>\$ 17,163,653</u>	<u>\$ 15,159,780</u>	<u>13.2%</u>
Other liabilities	<u>\$ 37,322</u>	<u>\$ 41,077</u>	<u>-9.1%</u>
Net assets			
Restricted	12,561,728	12,175,712	3.2%
Unrestricted	4,564,603	2,942,991	55.1%
Total net assets	<u>\$ 17,126,331</u>	<u>\$ 15,118,703</u>	<u>13.3%</u>

Business-type activities realize benefits from loan repayments and administrative fees for company project assistance.

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Financial Analysis of the Agency (continued)

The following table provides a summary of the Agency's changes in net assets:

	Business-type Activities			
	2010	Percent of Total	2009	Percent of Total
Revenues				
Charges for services	\$ 42,830	8.7%	\$ 123,240	18.9%
Grants/miscellaneous	3,000	0.6%	3,000	0.4%
Interest - loans	217,016	44.1%	304,472	46.7%
Interest - savings	16,263	3.3%	37,286	5.7%
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	213,044	43.3%	184,605	28.3%
Total revenues	<u>492,153</u>	<u>100.0%</u>	<u>652,603</u>	<u>100.0%</u>
Expenses				
Administration	155,558	46.0%	135,617	174.5%
Professional fees	50,375	14.9%	28,840	37.1%
Cogeneration facility	93,344	27.6%	153,983	198.1%
Other	7,710	2.3%	20,047	25.8%
Provision for uncollectible loans	30,876	9.2%	(260,758)	-335.5%
Total expenses	<u>337,863</u>	<u>100.0%</u>	<u>77,729</u>	<u>100.0%</u>
Change in net assets				
before non-recurring item	154,290	<u>1.0%</u>	574,874	<u>4.0%</u>
Cogeneration facility settlement	<u>1,853,338</u>		-	
Change in net assets	2,007,628		574,874	
Beginning net assets	<u>15,118,703</u>		<u>14,543,829</u>	
Ending net assets	<u>\$ 17,126,331</u>		<u>\$ 15,118,703</u>	

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Financial Analysis of the Agency's Fund

Agency Proprietary Fund

As discussed, the Agency proprietary fund is reported in the fund statements with a short-term inflow and outflow of spendable resources focus. This information is useful in assessing resources available at the end of the year in comparison with upcoming financing requirements. The Agency proprietary fund reported ending net assets of \$15,752,372. Of this year end total, \$4,564,603 is unrestricted indicating availability for continuing Agency service requirements. Restricted net assets consist of \$11,187,769 for economic development loans to the business community funded with federal grants, county authorized pilot funding and loan repayments.

The total ending net assets of the Agency proprietary fund shows an increase of \$1,948,742 over the prior year. This increase is primarily the result of the events and programs described within the analysis of the Agency's business-type activities.

Major Business-Type Activities

The Agency is a proprietary fund. Net assets increased by \$1,948,742. A key factor contributing to this increase relates to litigation collections associated with Fulton Cogeneration asset disposition and the settlement with NY3C.

The Agency also receives one-time HUD grants for loans to assist in economic development.

Contacting the Agency's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Agency's finances, comply with finance-related laws and regulations, and demonstrate the Agency's commitment to public accountability. If you have questions about this report or would like to request additional information, contact the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency, 44 West Bridge Street, Oswego, NY 13126.

L. Michael Treadwell
Chief Executive Officer

**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS**

	July 31,	
	2010	2009
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash - unrestricted	\$ 2,979,056	\$ 1,111,088
Cash - restricted	5,107,664	4,493,780
Accounts receivable	-	18,361
Loans receivable	1,596,095	1,751,723
Total current assets	<u>9,682,815</u>	<u>7,374,952</u>
Other assets		
Loans receivable - long term	7,324,919	7,623,298
Allowance for loans receivable	(123,801)	(118,190)
Net loans receivable	<u>7,201,118</u>	<u>7,505,108</u>
Project assets	<u>279,720</u>	<u>279,720</u>
	<u>\$ 17,163,653</u>	<u>\$ 15,159,780</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Current liabilities		
Deferred revenue	\$ 13,967	\$ 13,967
Accounts payable	500	14,457
Due to government	22,855	12,653
Total current liabilities	<u>37,322</u>	<u>41,077</u>
Net assets		
Restricted - cash	5,107,664	4,493,780
Restricted - loans receivable	7,454,064	7,681,932
Unrestricted	4,564,603	2,942,991
Total net assets	<u>17,126,331</u>	<u>15,118,703</u>
	<u>\$ 17,163,653</u>	<u>\$ 15,159,780</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

	For the years ended July 31,	
	2010	2009
REVENUES		
Administration/application fees	\$ 42,830	\$ 123,240
Interest on savings	16,263	37,286
Interest on loans	217,016	304,472
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	213,044	184,605
Rent income	3,000	3,000
Total revenues	<u>492,153</u>	<u>652,603</u>
EXPENSES		
Administration:		
Administration fee	147,500	130,000
Dues	4,600	4,375
Professional fees	50,375	28,840
Miscellaneous	3,458	1,242
Cogeneration facility expenses (Note 8)	93,344	153,983
Provision for uncollectible loans	30,876	(260,758)
Other expenses	7,710	20,047
Total expenses	<u>337,863</u>	<u>77,729</u>
Change in net assets before non-recurring item	154,290	574,874
Cogeneration facility settlement (Note 8)	<u>1,853,338</u>	<u>-</u>
Change in net assets	2,007,628	574,874
Net assets, beginning of year	<u>15,118,703</u>	<u>14,543,829</u>
Net assets, end of year	<u>\$ 17,126,331</u>	<u>\$ 15,118,703</u>

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**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS - PROPRIETARY FUND**

ASSETS	July 31,	
	2010	2009
Current assets		
Cash - unrestricted	\$ 2,979,056	\$ 1,111,088
Cash - restricted	5,107,664	4,493,780
Accounts receivable	-	18,361
Loans receivable - current	1,596,095	1,751,723
Total current assets	9,682,815	7,374,952
Other assets		
Loans receivable	7,324,919	7,623,298
Allowance for loans receivable	(123,801)	(118,190)
Net loans receivable	7,201,118	7,505,108
Project assets	279,720	279,720
	\$ 17,163,653	\$ 15,159,780
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Current liabilities		
Deferred revenue	\$ 1,387,926	\$ 1,329,040
Accounts payable	500	14,457
Due to government	22,855	12,653
Total current liabilities	1,411,281	1,356,150
Net assets		
Reserved - cash	5,107,664	4,493,780
Reserved - loans receivable	6,080,105	6,366,859
Unreserved	4,564,603	2,942,991
Total net assets	15,752,372	13,803,630
	\$ 17,163,653	\$ 15,159,780

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RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS -
PROPRIETARY FUND TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
For the year ended July 31, 2010

Total net assets - proprietary fund	\$ 15,752,372
Amounts reported for business-type activities in the statement of net assets are different because:	
Deferred revenues are recorded in accordance with grant accounting rules to account for HUD revolving loan funds, but eliminated as Agency liabilities.	<u>1,373,959</u>
Net assets	<u><u>\$ 17,126,331</u></u>

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**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS - PROPRIETARY FUND**

	For the years ended July 31,	
	2010	2009
REVENUES		
Administration/ application fees	\$ 42,830	\$ 123,240
Interest on savings	16,263	37,286
Interest on loans	196,869	288,665
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	213,044	184,605
Rent income	3,000	3,000
Federal funds - loan repayments		
Principal	(58,886)	103,672
Interest	20,147	15,807
Total revenues	<u>433,267</u>	<u>756,275</u>
EXPENDITURES		
Administration:		
Administration fee	147,500	130,000
Dues	4,600	4,375
Professional fees	50,375	28,840
Miscellaneous	3,458	1,242
Cogeneration facility expenses (Note 8)	93,344	153,983
Provision for uncollectible loans	30,876	(260,758)
Other expenses	7,710	20,047
Total expenditures	<u>337,863</u>	<u>77,729</u>
Change in net assets before non-recurring item	95,404	678,546
Cogeneration facility settlement (Note 8)	<u>1,853,338</u>	<u>-</u>
Change in net assets	1,948,742	678,546
Net assets, beginning of year	<u>13,803,630</u>	<u>13,125,084</u>
Net assets, end of year	<u>\$ 15,752,372</u>	<u>\$ 13,803,630</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
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RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS - PROPRIETARY FUND
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

For the year ended July 31, 2010

Change in net assets - proprietary fund	\$ 1,948,742
Principal on loan repayments and federal fund expenditures are recorded in accordance with grant accounting rules to account for HUD revolving loan funds, but eliminated as Agency revenue and expense.	<u>58,886</u>
Change in net assets of Statement of Activities	<u><u>\$ 2,007,628</u></u>

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**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - PROPRIETARY FUND**

	<u>For the years ended July 31,</u>	
	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Cash received for administration/application fees	\$ 61,191	\$ 241,036
Cash received for PILOT program	213,044	184,605
Cash received for interest	233,279	341,758
Cash received for rent	3,000	3,000
Cash received for loan repayments	428,742	322,137
Cash received for cogeneration facility	1,853,338	-
Cash paid for administration	(159,313)	(139,767)
Cash paid for cogeneration facility expenses	(93,344)	(153,983)
Cash paid for professional fees	(50,375)	(28,840)
Cash paid for other operating expenses	(7,710)	(20,047)
	<u>2,481,852</u>	<u>749,899</u>
Net cash provided by operating activities		
Cash at beginning of year	<u>5,604,868</u>	<u>4,854,969</u>
Cash at end of year	<u>\$ 8,086,720</u>	<u>\$ 5,604,868</u>
Reconciliation of changes in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities		
Change in net assets	\$ 1,948,742	\$ 678,546
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Net change in loans receivable	454,007	322,137
Net change in allowance for loans receivable	5,611	(260,758)
Net change in receivables	18,361	117,796
Net change in deferred revenue	58,886	(103,672)
Net change in accounts payable/due to government	(3,755)	(4,150)
	<u>2,481,852</u>	<u>749,899</u>
Net cash provided by operating activities		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

**COUNTY OF OSWEGO
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of Operations

The County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency (the Agency) was created on April 23, 1973 as a public benefit corporation by the County of Oswego under provisions of the Laws of New York State for the purpose of encouraging economic growth in the County of Oswego. The Agency is exempt from federal, state and local income taxes. The Agency, although established by and as a component unit of the County of Oswego, is a separate entity and operates independently of the County of Oswego.

The Agency has previously implemented the reporting model standards required by Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 34. GASB 34 generally requires two sets of financial statements: one set to report in accordance with government fund accounting; one set to report with a business focus similar to the private sector with full accrual accounting.

Basis of Accounting

The accounts of the Agency are maintained on the accrual basis of accounting. The Agency is regulated by the Office of the State Comptroller and must maintain its records in accordance with the prescribed New York State "Uniform System of Accounts for Industrial Development Agencies."

Grant Accounting

Pass-through grants are recorded as receivables, revenues, liabilities and expenses when awarded. All other grants are recorded as receivables and deferred revenues upon award of the contracts; revenues are recognized as the Agency meets performance requirements of the contracts. Unpaid loans, which consist of federal funds, are reflected as Loans Receivable and Deferred Revenue.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the 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 revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Subsequent Events

In accordance with FASB ASC 855, the Organization evaluated subsequent events through October 26, 2010, the date these financial statements were available to be issued. There were no material subsequent events that required recognition or additional disclosure in these financial statements.

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2. Revolving Economic Development Funds

The Agency has a revolving economic development fund offering low and no interest loans and lease financing, to area businesses and tax-exempt organizations. The loan rates are approved by the governing board after giving consideration to the enhancement of the local economic environment. Revenue recognition on these loans/leases is limited to the receipt of interest. However, repayment of loans of federal funds is recognized as the receipt of federal funds in the accompanying Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Net Assets.

3. Industrial Development Revenue Bond and Note Transactions

Certain industrial development revenue bonds and notes issued by the Agency are secured by property which is leased to companies and is retired by lease payments. The bonds and notes are not obligations of the Agency, County or the State. The Agency does not record the assets or liabilities resulting from completed bond and note issues in its accounts since its primary function is to arrange the financing between the borrowing companies and bond and note holders. Funds arising from these transactions are controlled by trustees or banks, acting as fiscal agents. For providing this service, the Agency receives bond administration fees from the borrowing companies. Such administrative fee income is recognized immediately upon issuance of bonds and notes. At July 31, 2010 the original issue value of bonds aggregated \$265,120,246 and the approximate outstanding balance was \$33,600,000.

The Agency takes title to the property as security interest and retains such title until the bonds are paid in full. When real property is involved, a Payment in Lieu of Taxes Agreement is also executed. The Agency has limited liability on bonds issued. Since the financing arrangement is basically a sale/leaseback arrangement, the Agency is liable to the extent of resources received under the sale/leaseback agreement. Additionally, members, directors or officers of the issuer have no personal liability in connection with the issuance of the bonds.

4. Investments

The Agency's investment policies are governed by State statutes. In addition, the Agency has its own written investment policy. Agency monies must be deposited in FDIC insured commercial banks or trust companies located within the State. The Secretary/Treasurer is authorized to use demand accounts and certificates of deposit. Permissible investments include obligations of the U.S. Treasury and obligations of New York State or its localities.

Collateral is required for demand deposits and certificates of deposits at 105% of all deposits not covered by federal deposit insurance. Obligations that may be pledged as collateral are obligations of the United States and its agencies and obligations of the State and its municipalities and school districts.

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5. Related Party

The Agency provides a share of the funding for Operation Oswego County, Inc. (OOC), a separate tax-exempt development corporation. The financial records of the Agency are maintained at the offices of OOC. During fiscal years 2010 and 2009, the Agency disbursed \$147,500 and \$130,000, respectively, to OOC as an administrative support fee.

The Agency has also made interest-free loans to OOC for building construction. Loans receivable from OOC were approximately \$1,827,000 and \$1,940,000 at July 31, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

6. Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Agency considers all short-term investments purchased with a maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents. At various times during the year, the Agency's cash and cash equivalent balances exceeded the insured limits of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. However, the Agency's accounts were fully collateralized by securities pledged by the depository bank at July 31, 2010.

7. Allowance for Loans Receivable

Management determines an allowance for doubtful loans annually. The allowance was determined using a formula of 25% of delinquent loans six to twelve months in arrears; 50% of delinquent loans over one year in arrears with subsequent collections; and 100% of bankrupt borrowers and loans delinquent over one year without subsequent collections. Based on the formula, the allowance approximated \$124,000 and \$118,000 at July 31, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

8. Contingency

The Agency is subject to Federal and State audit and inspection to determine compliance with contract requirements.

The Agency is the plaintiff in litigation involving Fulton Cogeneration Associates and its general partners. The Agency has obtained a Judgment in the amount of \$4,728,799, plus interest, attorney's fees and costs. Two of the defendants have appealed the decision of the Court awarding the Judgment and that appeal is pending. The Agency attached property in connection with the litigation in the amount of approximately \$3.33 million. According to court authorization, the Agency sold the attached property and used the proceeds to pay the defaulted PILOT payments to applicable taxing authorities, which amounted to approximately \$1.48 million. The remaining proceeds from the sale, which approximated \$1.85 million, were recorded as Cogeneration facility revenue in the Statement of Activities. The Agency is still aggressively pursuing the litigation. Through July 31, 2010, the Agency has incurred actual expenses of approximately \$776,000 in connection with the litigation.

9. Accounts Receivable

The Agency was involved in the project of reopening a closed manufacturing plant and received a State grant. Uncollected costs of \$18,361 were written off in the current year.

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10. Restricted Cash

The segregation of cash is a contractual requirement, except for the designated funds. The Agency maintains separate cash accounts for federal funds, payment in lieu of taxes (PILOT) revolving economic development funds, micro enterprise revolving loan funds and designated grant funds, as follows:

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
Federal Funds	\$ 1,183,321	\$ 1,053,798
PILOT Funds	3,520,453	3,032,071
Micro Enterprise	<u>403,890</u>	<u>407,911</u>
	<u>\$ 5,107,664</u>	<u>\$ 4,493,780</u>

Approved PILOT financing loan commitments at July 31, 2010 of approximately \$2,142,000 reduce the available restricted cash balance in the PILOT funds to approximately \$1,378,000.

The Agency, per contractual requirements, maintains revolving economic development funds in which principal and interest repayments on current financing are a source of funds for future financing to businesses. Such fund balances are, therefore, also restricted. Balances are as follows:

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2009</u>
PILOT Funds	\$ 6,058,091	\$ 6,204,058
HUD Funds	1,307,916	1,421,014
HUD Micro Enterprise Funds	<u>88,057</u>	<u>56,860</u>
Total	7,454,064	7,681,932
Less: deferred revenue	<u>(1,373,959)</u>	<u>(1,315,073)</u>
	<u>\$ 6,080,105</u>	<u>\$ 6,366,859</u>

11. Due to Government

The Agency maintains a separate savings account for Federal Funds, as indicated in Note 10. Interest earned on the Federal Funds is required to be remitted to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) shortly after December 31, 2010. Also, the Agency acts as a conduit for the receiving and disbursing of PILOT payments. Interest due to HUD, as well as amounts due to other government agencies for PILOT payments are classified as Due to Government in the Statement of Net Assets; these amounts approximated \$23,000 and \$13,000 at July 31, 2010 and 2009, respectively.

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12. Commitment

At July 31, 2010 approved financing applications totaled \$2,452,000. There has not been any financing closed subsequent to year end.

13. Project Assets

The Agency partnered with the City of Fulton and the Fulton Community Development Agency to purchase real property in the City of Fulton. The Agency's share of the \$1,000,000 purchase price was \$254,720. Title is in the name of the Agency. Effective September 1, 2005, the property was leased under a ten year lease (with a five year extension) for \$12,000 annually. Rent is adjusted upward every five years based on a Consumer Price Index formula, limited to a maximum 10 percent increase. The Agency retained \$3,000 as its share of the annual rent.

In addition, the Agency purchased land for a company's expansion. The land was purchased for \$25,000 and the company will buy the land for \$25,000 when the project begins.

14. Deferred Revenue

Estimated legal fees of \$13,967 involving a plant closing have not yet been disbursed and are reflected in the Statement of Net Assets as deferred revenue.

15. Reclassifications

Certain items in the fiscal 2009 statements have been reclassified to conform to the fiscal 2010 presentation. These reclassifications had no effect on the changes in net assets previously reported.

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<u>Project / Owner</u>	<u>Purpose Code</u>	<u>Issued/ Maturity Date</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Tax Status</u>	<u>Beginning / Ending Balances</u>	<u>Estimated Jobs Created / Retained</u>	<u>Tax Exemptions</u>	<u>PILOTS</u>
Seneca Hill Manor, Inc. 110 W. Sixth St. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	11/20/1997 8/1/2037	5.35% - 5.65%	Exempt	9,093,851 8,850,342	2 / 0	\$ -	\$ -
Oswego County Opportunities, Inc. 239 Oneida St. Fulton, NY 13069	Civic Facility	1/2/1998 7/1/2018	6.23%	Exempt	418,217 382,360	15 / 362	-	-
St. Luke Residential Health Care Facility, Inc. 299 E. River Rd. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	4/1/1998 2/1/2038	4.35% - 5.40%	Exempt	8,750,000 8,345,000	0 / 226	-	-
St. Luke Residential Health Care Facility, Inc. 299 E. River Rd. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	4/1/1998 2/1/2012	7%	Exempt	125,000 75,000	0 / 0	-	-
O.H. Properties, Inc. 110 West Sixth St. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	6/29/1999 6/1/2024	3.45% - 4.02%	Exempt	1,530,000 1,450,000	0 / 0	10,429	10,429
O.H. Properties, Inc. 110 West Sixth St. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	6/29/1999 6/1/2024	5.37% - 5.45%	Taxable	920,000 880,000	0 / 0	-	-
Captain's Quarters G&S Broadwell, Inc. 26 East First Street Oswego, NY 13126	Services	10/21/1993 4/1/2015	8.3% for 7 yrs.; Prime + 1.5% for 3 yrs.	Taxable	2,506,161 -	0 / 0	146,427	70,000

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Bishop's Commons, Inc. 299 East River Rd. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	5/6/1999 2/1/2049	4.5% - 5.38%	Exempt	\$ 5,510,000 -	0 / 0	\$ -	\$ 7,618
Springside at Seneca Hill 110 West Sixth St. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	12/6/2000 6/1/2021	3.45% - 4.02%	Exempt	2,485,000 2,385,000	0 / 0	-	23,940
Fulton Thermal Corporation 3981 Port St. Pulaski, NY 13142	Manufacturing	12/1/2000 6/1/2014	per remarketing agent	Exempt	830,000 -	7 / 219	63,578	25,431
Pathfinder Courts Norstar Dev USA, LP 1100 Emery Street Fulton, NY 13069	Civic Facility	12/27/2002 12/1/2034	2.8% above LIBOR rate	Exempt	1,432,652 1,412,023	0 / 5	2,985	2,985
Oswego College Foundation, Inc. 300 Washington Blvd. Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	12/18/2003 1/1/2024	per remarketing agent	Exempt	4,255,000 4,045,000	5 / 0	-	-
Oswego School District Public Library 120 East Second Oswego, NY 13126	Civic Facility	6/29/2006 12/15/2035	4-5%	Exempt	5,890,000 5,775,000	0 / 0	-	-

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Project / Owner	Purpose	Straight Lease End Date	Lease Amount	Estimated Jobs Created / Retained	Tax Exemptions	PILOTS
Gioia & Associates, Inc. 300 E. Albany Street Oswego, NY 13126	Services	3/31/2014	A	0 / 0	\$ 47,243	\$ 46,468
Empire Fresh Cuts, LLC 8033 State Route 104 Oswego, NY 13126	Manufacturing	3/31/2024	A	0 / 0	33,287	8,322
Lighthouse Lanes, LLC 295 East Albany Street Oswego, NY 13126	Services	3/31/2013	A	0 / 0	41,010	28,707
Pioneer Management Group Fulton Commons 250 Clinton Street Syracuse, NY 13202	Services	12/31/2012	A	2 / 0	176,030	150,008
Southern Graphics 1327 E. Cary Street Richmond, VA 23261	Manufacturing	1/31/2010	A	2 / 0	19,144	15,315
Huhtamaki Packaging 100 State Street Fulton, NY 13069	Manufacturing	3/31/2017	A	0 / 429	409,047	251,816

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Sithe Energies 59 Independence Way Oswego, NY 13126	Electric	1/21/2013	A	0 / 0	\$ 20,979,502	\$ 5,333,333
Geo Hotel Co. P.O. Box 385 Oswego, NY 13126	Services	7/31/2014	A	11 / 0	218,256	89,568
Operation Oswego Co., Inc. Discover Day Care Center 44 West Bridge Street Oswego, NY 13126	Services	3/31/2040	A	0 / 0	25,026	2,362
McIntosh Box & Pallet P.O. Box 127 East Syracuse, NY 13057	Manufacturing	1/31/2016	A	1 / 27	5,566	3,618
Operation Oswego Co., Inc. SUNY Oswego Continuing Education Center 44 West Bridge Street Oswego, NY 13126	Services	3/31/2025	A	0 / 0	23,170	4,946
Fulton Savings Bank 75 South First Street Fulton, NY 13069	Finance	2/1/2012	A	0 / 0	26,149	20,919

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Brookfield Power (Orwell) Erie Blvd. Hydropower, L.P. 225 Greenfield Parkway Liverpool, NY 13138	Electric	12/31/2012	A	0 / 2	\$ 772,038	\$ 600,000
Fulton Tool Company, Inc. 802 W. Broadway Fulton, NY 13069	Manufacturing	12/31/2015	A	0 / 12	19,644	19,786
Winter Harbor, LLC 604 County Route 37 Central Square, NY 13036	Services	3/31/2015	A	0 / 0	25,197	15,118
Schuyler Street Commons Fulton Tool Company, Inc. 802 W. Broadway Fulton, NY 13069	Services	3/31/2014	A	0 / 10	31,379	21,053
Operation Oswego Co., Inc. Spec Building 44 West Bridge Street Oswego, NY 13126	Manufacturing	3/31/2027	A	0 / 0	49,663	10,562
Buckhout-Jones Enterprises, Inc. 7 W. Bridge Street Oswego, NY 13126	Services	3/31/2012	A	0 / 0	11,905	8,333
Whitewater Commons, Inc. 7 Bridie Square Oswego, NY 13126	Services	3/31/2013	A	0 / 0	32,360	22,652

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Geo Hotel Corp d/b/a The Sub Shop 70 East First Street Oswego, NY 13126	Retail	3/1/2014	A	0 / 0	\$ 9,314	\$ 6,579
Sunoco, Inc. 376 Owen Road Fulton, NY 13069	Manufacturing	3/31/2027	A	65 / 0	1,218,108	304,527
Precision Wood Flooring Products, LLC 99 Harris Street Fulton, NY 13069	Manufacturing	3/31/2016	A	1 / 0	24,362	24,362
Sure-Lock Industries, LLC 193 East Seneca Street Oswego, NY 13126	Manufacturing	11/30/2017	A	0 / 0	31,746	34,357
Riccelli Fulton PO Box 6418 Syracuse, NY 13217	Transportation	3/31/2017	A	0 / 0	64,732	45,225
Oswego Hamilton Homes, LLC 1201 East Fayette Street Syracuse, NY 13212	Other	9/1/2027	A	0 / 0	39,996	6,567
Oswego Hamilton Homes, LLC Phase I 1201 East Fayette Street Syracuse, NY 13212	Other	9/1/2027	A	0 / 0	39,996	6,687

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Oswego Hamilton Homes, LLC Phase II 1201 East Fayette Street Syracuse, NY 13212	Other	9/1/2027	A	0 / 0	\$ 39,996	\$ 6,567
Super Coil, Inc. 43 County Route 59 Phoenix, NY 13136	Manufacturing	3/31/2010	A	1 / 0	11,058	8,847
Indeck Energy Services of Oswego, Inc. 600 North Buffalo Grove Road, Suite 300 Buffalo Grove, IL 60089	Electric	3/31/2010	A	0 / 0	406,741	325,392
Operation Oswego Co., Inc. Oswego County Start-Up Facility 44 West Bridge Street Oswego, NY 13126	Other	12/31/2050	A	0 / 0	10,859	2,358
Operation Oswego Co., Inc. Oswego County Business Expansion Center 44 West Bridge Street Oswego, NY 13126	Other	12/31/2050	A	0 / 0	27,455	1,289
Oneida Lake Ready-Mix, LLC 2915 State Route 49 Central Square, NY 13036	Manufacturing	3/31/2029	A	4 / 1	1,271	-
Otis Products, Inc. 6987 Laura St. Lyons Falls, NY 13368	Manufacturing	3/31/2030	A	5 / 0	-	-

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**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***

Agency Members

County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency
44 West Bridge Street
Oswego, New York 13126

We have audited the financial statements of the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency (the Agency) as of and for the year ended July 31, 2010, and have issued our report thereon dated October 26, 2010. 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.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Agency's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Agency's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency's internal control over financial reporting.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

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 grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We noted certain matters that we reported to management of the County of Oswego Industrial Development Agency in a separate letter dated October 26, 2010.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of Directors, and federal awarding agencies, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Green + Seifter CPAs

Syracuse, New York

October 26, 2010