



CITY OF HOPEWELL

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John M. Altman, Jr., City Manager Sandra. Robinson, City Attorney Camisha M. Brown, Assistant City Clerk

Special Meeting: 6:00 PM

August 12, 2020

ELECTRONIC MEETING

OPEN MEETING

6:00 p.m. Call to order, roll call, and welcome to visitors

SPECIAL MEETING

- SB 1 FY18 CAFR Update- March Altman, City Manager
- SB-2 FY18 CAFR Update- Joan Gosier, City of Hopewell Treasurer
- SB-3 FY18 CAFR Update- Dr. Melody Hackney, Superintendent of Hopewell Public Schools
- SB-4 Compliance with Virginia State Code § 15.2-2511
- SB-5 Authorization for the City Manager, Finance Director and the Mayor to sign for the City of Hopewell to receive this Final Allocation of the CARES Funding for COVID-19 relief funding

Adjournment

SPECIAL MEETING

SB-1



ROBINSON, FARMER, COX ASSOCIATES, PLLC

Certified Public Accountants

Date: August 10, 2020

To: John M. Altman, City Manager Michael Terry, City Finance Director

From: David Foley, Audit Partner

Subject: Outstanding items needed to complete the FY 18 Audit

Mr. Altman and Mr. Terry,

Below are the outstanding items that are needed for us to be able to complete the City's FY 18 audit.

- 1. School Board to provide an Adjusted Trial Balance for School Board Funds that reconcile to the financial statements, along with the supporting schedules and related supporting documentation that support the amounts included the adjusted trial balance and financial statements.
- 2. There are outstanding issues related to cash balances and reconciliations that were provided by the Treasurer.
 - a. There are differences between cash transactions on the City's general ledger and cash transactions within the bank accounts. These include questions for the Treasurer related to posting and accounting of cash transactions for bond payments and transfers and other outstanding items related to bank reconciliations that have not yet been resolved.
 - b. There are differences between cash transactions on the School Board's accounting records and the Treasurers accounting records. These differences have not yet been resolved.

Once we receive these outstanding items, we will work to complete the FY 18 audit.

ROBINSON, FARMER, COX ASSOCIATES

David E. Foley
Certified Public Accountant

Member

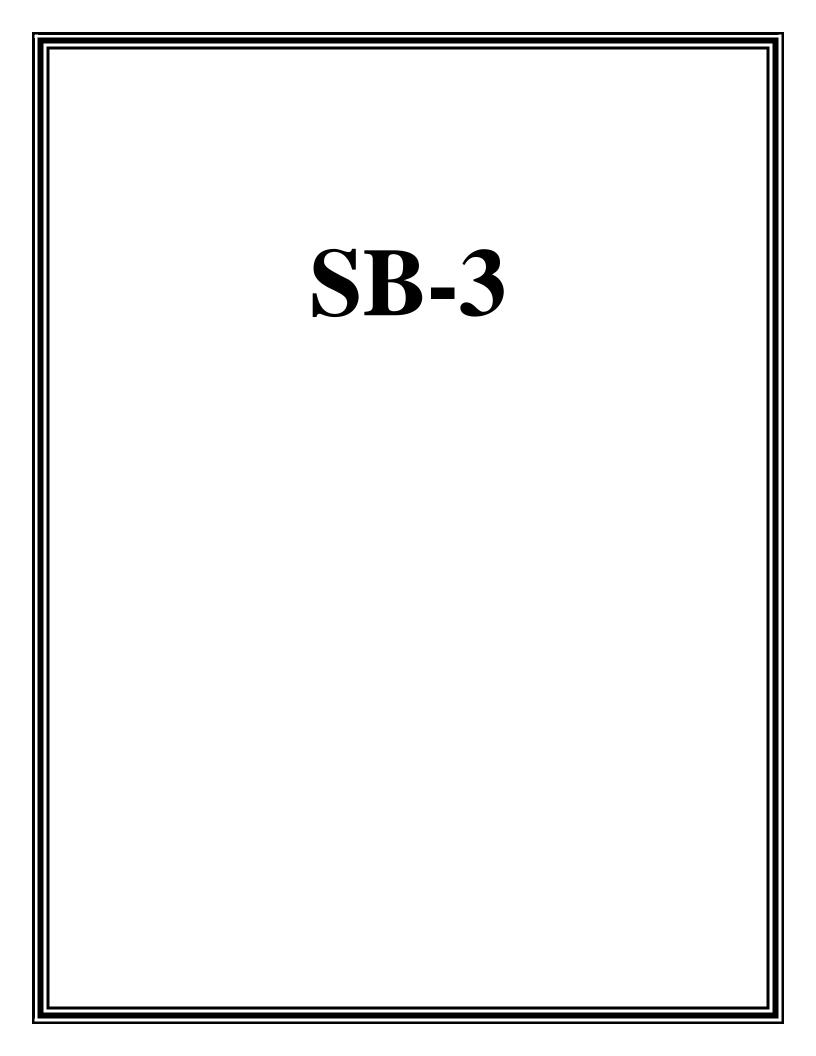
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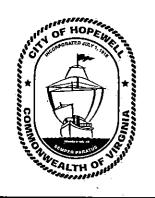
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SB-2



SB-4



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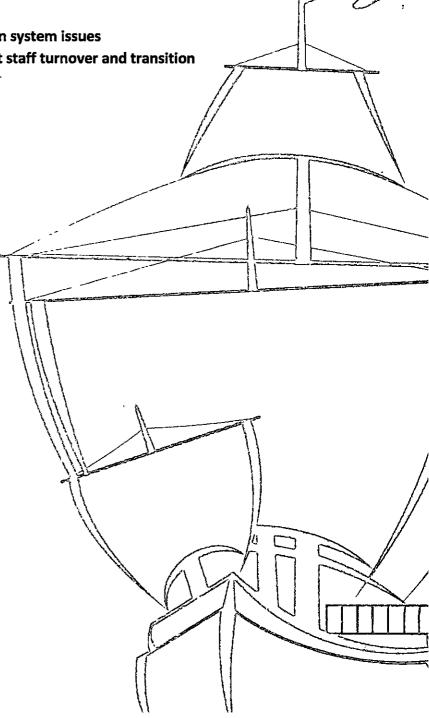
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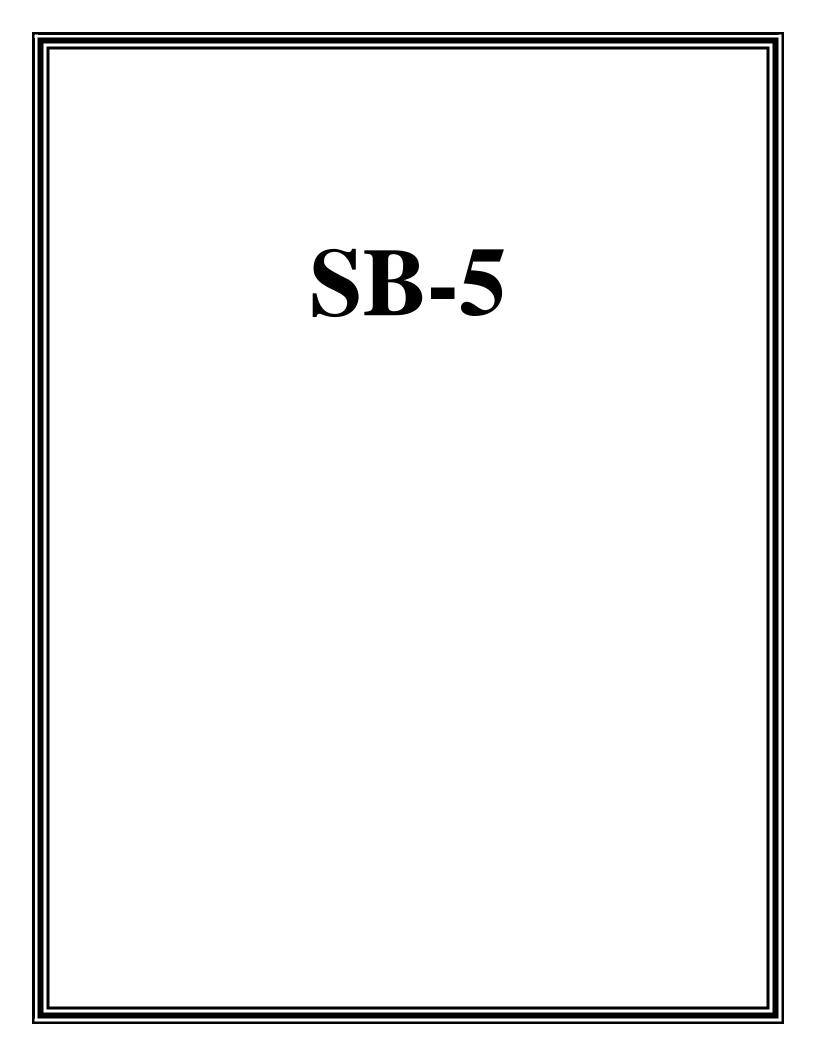
The City of Hopewell's remediation implementation plan to bring current Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports (CAFR) --- Status Update:

- FY 15-16 CAFR Completed 10.24.2018
- FY 16-17 CAFR Completed 06.10.2019
- FY 17-18 CAFR Ongoing (estimated completion 08.31.2020)

Delays has been due to:

- Post implementation system issues
- Finance Department staff turnover and transition
- COVID 19





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