

THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY
DESCRIPTION OF ENTERPRISE FUNDS

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SEWERAGE SERVICES

The Department of Water and Sewerage Services provides services to customers on a self-supporting basis utilizing a rate structure designed to produce revenues sufficient to fund debt service requirements, operating expenses and adequate working capital.

NASHVILLE CONVENTION CENTER

The Nashville Convention Center was created for the purpose of providing meeting and exhibit space for conventions, trade shows and business and other meetings, on a user charge basis. The operations of the Nashville Convention Center are supported in part by allocations from the Hotel Occupancy Tax Fund.

BOARD OF FAIR COMMISSIONERS

The Board of Fair Commissioners performs administrative and fiscal duties relative to the Tennessee State Fair and fairgrounds. Revenues are derived primarily from the annual State Fair, monthly flea markets and the Nashville Speedway.

FARMERS MARKET

The Farmers Market provides farmers with a setting in which to sell their agriculture products to the general public. Revenues are derived from fees collected from farmers for display space and from other private vendors for flea market space.

POLICE SECONDARY EMPLOYMENT

The Police Secondary Employment Unit coordinates the scheduling of off duty police officers to engage in providing security as requested by Metropolitan Government agencies and private entities, when the presence of an officer and police vehicle during certain events and activities would help protect the safety of the public. Revenues are derived from the fees collected for this service from the requesting agency or private entity.