

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports for the Unified Government of

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Wyandotte County/Kansas City, Kansas do not provide data for years prior to 1997 and

Financial Reports for the years prior to consolidation were not available for either Kansas

City or Wyandotte County. Data regarding population and expenditures for total

government activities for 1992 and 1996 was obtained from reports issued by the United

***Total Govt Activities (any CAFR would show) =/= Total Government-WIDE Assets, Liabilities, Revenues or Expenses. Missing CAFRs are a serious deal; author doesn't say none were produced, but that none were "not available." CAFRs for the Unified Govt couldn't exist pre-1997 because the Unified Govt only came into being in 1997.

States Census Bureau. This data allows for limited analysis of expenditures and financial

This leads to the natural question, was this unified gov't potentially planned to conceal the absence of proper financial reporting for both county and government at the time? A March 2015 article I read (@ KCUR called KCK City corrupt, Wyandotte County, "corruption-free."

trends for the years prior to consolidation.

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