## BOOKKEEPING SYSTEM - Small Borrower

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$\frac{\text { Street or Post Office Box }}{}$ City, State, and ZIP Code

[^0]|  | Date | Check <br> Number | Description/Payee | CONTROL ACCOUNTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  | Amount Forward | 46,582 | - | 38,444 | - | 8,138 | - | 23,920 | - | - |  | 23,920 | - |  |  |  | 2,420 | - |  | 32,813 | - |
| 1 | 12/1 | - | Transfer to Debt Servicee (1) |  |  | 2,175 | - | 5,963 | - | 2.175 | - |  |  | 26,095 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | 12/1 | 489 | Transfer to Reserve (2) |  |  | 220 | - | 5,743 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 220 | - |  |  |  |
| 3 | 12/2 | 490 | County Wide Electric Co. (3) |  |  | 150 | - | 5,593 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | 12/3 | 491 | Carens Office Supply (3) |  |  | 26 | - | 5,367 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | 12/3 | Deposit | 1st National Bank (4) | 1,750 | - |  |  | 7,317 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | 12/7 | 492 | $M$ \& $M$ Contracting (3) |  |  | 498 | - | 6,819 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | 12/8 | 493 | U. S. Postmaster (3) |  |  | 50 | - | 6,769 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | 12/12 | 494 | City Wide Trucking (3) |  |  | 63 | - | 6,706 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | 12/12 | Deposit | 1st National Bank (4) | 1,245 | - |  |  | 7,951 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | 12/15 | 495 | Rhodes Building Supply (3) |  |  | 22 | - | 7,929 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | 12/21 | 496 | Browns Stationery (3) |  |  | 18 | - | 7,911 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 | 12/21 | Deposit | 1st National Bank (4) | 300 | - |  |  | 8,211 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 13 | 12/22 | 497 | USDA - Rural Development - RHS (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 26,095 | - | -0- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14 | 12/30 | Deposit | Interest earned on saving (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 425 | - |  | 33,458 | - |
| 15 | 12/30 | 498 | Mary L. Swift (7) |  |  | 426 | - | 7,785 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 17 <br> 18 <br> 19 <br> 20 |  |  | (1) Transfer for loan payment per loan resolution <br> (5) USDA, Rural Development, RHS annual note payment-principal \& interest <br> (2) Monthly transfer to reserve account per loan resolution <br> (6) Record interest earned on Savings credited by Saving <br> (check payable to savings account) \& Loan <br> (3) Expenses paid <br> (7) Payroll expense - detail recorded in Payroll Register <br> (4) Bank deposits (see Income Record for detail) <br> (8) Bring down monthly \& year to date totals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  | TOTAL for page/month (8) | 3,295 | - | 3,648 | - | - |  | 2,175 | - | 26,095 | - | - |  |  |  |  | 645 | - | - | - |  |
|  |  |  | TOTAL year to date forward (8) | 49,877 | - | 42,092 | - | 7,785 | - | 26,095 | - | 26,095 | - | -0- |  |  |  |  | 3,065 | - | - | 33,458 | - |

[^1]This bookkeeping system has been designed for small organizations as a method of recording and maintaining accounting transactions and as the source for preparing the required financial reports. Since this system is designed for the small business it contains only the minimum number of transaction schedules. You may wish to supplement these with additional records and forms as may be necessary for your particular operation.

This book, together with any additional records, paid bills, cancelled checks, payroll earnings, bank deposit receipts, etc., should be filed in an orderly manner and stored in a safe place. For most small organizations, the checkbook and bank deposit transaction slips are the prime source for entries into business records.

Record keeping and business aids are also available from the Department of the Treasury (Internal Revenue Service) and the Small Business Administration. Some of these publications are:

IRS Publication 583, "Record Keeping for a Small Business".
SBA Management Series No. 15, "A Handbook of Small Business Finance".

## MANAGEMENT AND BOOKKEEPING ASSISTANCE

FREE MANAGEMENT AND BOOKKEEPING ASSISTANCE IS AVAILABLE FROM VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS. CONTACT YOUR LOCAL DISTRICT DIRECTOR FOR THEIR NAMES.

## INSTRUCTIONS

Illustrations and Examples

1. Accounts to be used by your organization must conform to those contained in your Loan Resolution (Form RD 1942-9).
2. Sample entries for various bookkeeping transaction's are included in this booklet, followed by a supply of blank forms. Please note that the sample entries for the "Check Register and Cash Deposit" form are for the accounts contained in the most recent edition of the Loan Resolution. These are: General, Debt and Reserve.
3. For organizations who have signed Loan Resolution forms dated prior to January 29, 1981, the following accounts should be entered on the "Check Register and Cash Deposits" form: Revenue, Debt, Operations \& Maintenance, Reserve. All entries affecting these accounts should be made in accordance with the Loan Resolution.

## Check Register and Cash Deposits Page

1. Enter balances in appropriate "Control Accounts" under "General", "Debt" and Reserve" on the Amount Forward Line. (Borrowers making monthly debt service payments will not need a "Debt" service account. These payments can be made from the "General" account.) During the construction period the "General" account heading may be changed to "Construction" account.
2. For those accounts which are not maintained as separate bank accounts, transfers are made as bookkeeping entries on the "Check Register and Cash Deposits" form. (See item (1) in example.) For accounts which are maintained in separate bank accounts, transfers of cash should be made by check (See item (2) in example).

NOTE: The Reserve Account should be a separate savings account.

## Disbursement Record Page

1. Head up disbursement columns with appropriate categories.
2. Enter balances on next line, "Amount Forward".

Income Record Page

1. Head up columns for types of income received.

## BANK DEPOSITS

1. Enter total amount of deposit into appropriate account on "Check Register and Cash Deposit" page.
2. On the "Income Record" detail the types of income included in the total deposit entered in item 1 above, i.e., meter deposits, sales, penalties, membership, etc.

## CHECKS WRITTEN

1. Record all checks written in your check book on the "Check Register and Cash Deposits" form. Record each check and make appropriate distribution as shown in example.



## BILLS PAYABLE

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## ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

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Address $\qquad$

Phone No. $\qquad$


Year 19XX


## CUSTOMER ACCOUNT

 (Accounts Receivable)Name

Address $\qquad$

Meter No

Deposit Amount

Date of Deposit $\qquad$

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## PAYROLL REGISTER

| Name | Pay Period | Earnings |  |  | Deductions |  |  |  | Net Pay | Check No. |
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PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT REGISTER


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| 2 | 12-12 | 1,245 | - | 1,225 | - |  |  | 20 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | 12-21 | 300 | - | 300 | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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CUSTOMER ACCOUNT
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BILLS PAYABLE

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