



### OAK HILL PUBLIC LIBRARY JACKSON COUNTY DECEMBER 31, 2018 AND 2017

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# INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

Oak Hill Public Library Jackson County 226 South Front Street Oak Hill, Ohio 45656

We have performed the procedures enumerated below, which were agreed to by the Board of Trustees and the management of the Oak Hill Public Library, Jackson County, Ohio (the Library), on the receipts, disbursements and balances recorded in the Library's cash basis accounting records for the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 and certain compliance requirements related to those transactions and balances, included in the information provided to us by the management of the Library. The Library is responsible for the receipts, disbursements and balances recorded in the cash basis accounting records for the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 and certain compliance requirements related to these transactions are presented at the information provided to us by the Library. The sufficiency of the procedures is solely the responsibility of the parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

This report only describes exceptions exceeding \$10.

#### **Cash and Investments**

- 1. We recalculated the December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017 bank reconciliations. We found no exceptions.
- 2. We agreed the January 1, 2017 beginning fund balances recorded in the Cash Journal to the December 31, 2016 balances in the prior year documentation in the prior year Agreed-Upon Procedures working papers. We found no exceptions. We also agreed the January 1, 2018 beginning fund balances recorded in the Fund Ledger Report to the December 31, 2017 balances in the Cash Journal. We found no exceptions.
- 3. We agreed the totals per the bank reconciliations to the total of the December 31, 2018 and 2017 fund cash balances reported in the Fund Status Report and the Cash Journal, respectively. The amounts agreed.
- 4. We confirmed the December 31, 2018 bank account balances with the Library's financial institutions. We found no exceptions. We also agreed the confirmed balances to the amounts appearing in the December 31, 2018 bank reconciliation without exception.
- 5. We selected a sample (agreed upon) of five reconciling debits (such as outstanding checks) from the December 31, 2018 bank reconciliation:
  - a. We traced each debit to the subsequent January bank statement. We found no exceptions.
  - b. We traced the amounts and dates to the check register, to determine the debits were dated prior to December 31. There were no exceptions.

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# Cash and Investments (Continued)

- 6. We inspected investments held at December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017 to determine that they:
  - a. Were of a type authorized by Ohio Rev. Code §§ 135.13, 135.14 or 135.144. We found no exceptions.
  - b. Mature within the prescribed time limits noted in Ohio Rev. Code § 135.13 or § 135.14. We noted no exceptions.

# Public Library Fund Receipts

We selected two Public Library Fund (PLF) receipts from the County Vendor Audit Trail Report from 2018 and two from 2017.

- a. We compared the amount from the County Vendor Audit Trail to the amount recorded in the Receipt Register Report for 2018 and the Receipt Ledger for 2017. The amounts agreed.
- b. We inspected the Receipt Register Report for 2018 and the Receipt Ledger for 2017 and observed these receipts were posted to the General Fund. We found no exceptions.
- c. We inspected the Receipt Register Report for 2018 and the Receipt Ledger for 2017 and observed the receipts were recorded in the proper year. We found no exceptions.
- d. We inspected the Receipt Register Report for 2018 and the Receipt Ledger for 2017 to determine whether it included one PLF receipt per month for 2018 and 2017. We found no exceptions.

#### Other Confirmable Cash Receipts

We agreed amounts paid from the Wesbanco Bank, Inc. to the Library during 2017 to documentation supporting the amount received. We noted that this was actually a certificate of deposit in the amount of \$65,679 that matured and was cashed in and incorrectly recorded as a receipt. A new certificate of deposit for the same amount was subsequently purchased and was also incorrectly recorded as a disbursement.

#### Debt

- 1. The prior agreed-upon procedures documentation disclosed no debt outstanding as of December 31, 2016
- 2. We inquired of management, and inspected the Receipt Register Report for 2018 and Receipt Ledger for 2017 and Payment Register Detail Report for 2018 and Appropriation Ledger for 2017 for evidence of debt issued during 2018 or 2017 or debt payment activity during 2018 or 2017. There were no new debt issuances, nor any debt payment activity during 2018 or 2017.

### **Payroll Cash Disbursements**

- 1. We selected one payroll check for five employees from 2018 and one payroll check for five employees from 2017 from the Employee Detail Adjustment Report in 2018 and the Payroll Record in 2017 and:
  - a. We compared the hours and pay rate, or salary recorded in the Employee Detail Adjustment Report for 2018 and the Payroll Record in 2017 to supporting documentation (timecard, legislatively or statutorily-approved rate or salary). We found no exceptions.
  - b. For 2017, we recomputed gross and net pay and agreed it to the amount recorded in the payroll register. We found no exceptions.

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# Payroll Cash Disbursements (Continued)

- c. We inspected the fund and account codes to which the check was posted to determine the posting was reasonable based on the employees' duties as documented in the employees' personnel files and/or minute record. We also confirmed the payment was posted to the proper year. We found no exceptions.
- 2. We inspected the last remittance of tax and retirement withholdings for the year ended December 31, 2018 to confirm remittances were timely paid, and if the amounts paid agreed to the amounts withheld, plus the employer's share where applicable, during the final withholding period of 2018. We observed the following:

Withholding (plus employer share, where applicable)	Date Due	Date Paid	Amount Due	Amount Paid
Federal Income Taxes & Medicare	01/31/19	01/03/19	\$832	\$832
State Income Taxes	01/15/19	01/04/19	\$186	\$186
Local Income Tax	01/31/19	01/07/19	\$162	\$162
OPERS Retirement	01/31/19	01/02/19	\$2,522	\$2,522

#### Non-Payroll Cash Disbursements

- 1. From the 2017 Appropriation Ledger, we re-footed checks recorded as General Fund disbursements for Furniture and Equipment. We found no exceptions.
- 2. We selected a sample (agreed upon) of 10 disbursements from the Payment Register Detail Report for the year ended December 31, 2018 and 10 from the year ended 2017 from the Cash Journal and determined whether:
  - a. The disbursements were for a proper public purpose. We found no exceptions.
  - b. The check number, date, payee name and amount recorded on the returned, canceled check agreed to the check number, date, payee name and amount recorded in the Payment Register Detail Report and the Cash Journal and to the names and amounts on the supporting invoices. We found no exceptions.
  - c. The payment was posted to a fund consistent with the restricted purpose for which the fund's cash can be used. We found no exceptions.

#### **Compliance – Budgetary**

- 1. We compared total appropriations required by Ohio Admin. Code § 117-8-02, to the amounts recorded in the Appropriation Status Report for 2018 and the Appropriation Ledger for 2017 for the General Fund. The amounts on the appropriation resolution agreed to the amounts recorded in the Appropriation Leger for 2017. However, the amount on the appropriation resolution for 2018 was \$408,000 and the amount recorded in the Appropriation Status Report for 2018 was \$410,225.
- 2. Ohio Admin. Code § 117-8-02 prohibits spending in excess of budgeted amounts. We compared total expenditures to total appropriations for the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 for the General Fund, as recorded in the Appropriation Status Report for 2018 and the Appropriation Ledger for 2017. We observed that no funds for which expenditures exceeded appropriations.

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# Other Compliance

- 1. Ohio Rev. Code § 117.38 requires libraries to file their financial information in the HINKLE system within 60 days after the close of the fiscal year. This statute also permits the Auditor of State to extend the deadline for filing a financial report and establish terms and conditions for any such extension. Auditor of State established policies regarding the filing of complete financial statements, as defined in AOS Bulletin 2015-007 in the Hinkle System. We confirmed the Library filed their complete financial statements, as defined by AOS Bulletin 2015-007 and Auditor of State established policy within the allotted timeframe for the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017 in the Hinkle system. There were no exceptions.
- 2. For all credit card accounts we obtained:
  - copies of existing internal control policies,
  - a list(s) of authorized users, and
  - a list of all credit card account transactions.
  - a. We inspected the established policies obtained above and determined they are:
    - i. in compliance with the HB 312 statutory requirements, and
    - ii. implemented by the entity.

We found no exceptions.

- b. We selected 3 credit card transactions for testing. For selected transactions we inspected documentation to determine that:
  - i. Use was by an authorized user within the guidelines established in the policy, and
  - ii. Each transaction was supported with original invoices and for a proper public purpose.

We found no exceptions.

This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants attestation standards and applicable attestation engagement standards included in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, or review, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion or conclusion, respectively on the Library's receipts, disbursements, balances and compliance with certain laws and regulations. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion or conclusion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is to provide assistance in the evaluation of the Library's receipts, disbursements and balances recorded in their cash-basis accounting records for the years ended December 31, 2018 and 2017, and certain compliance requirements related to these transactions and balances and is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Keith Faber Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

June 17, 2019



# OAK HILL PUBLIC LIBRARY

JACKSON COUNTY

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

Susan Babbett

**CLERK OF THE BUREAU** 

CERTIFIED JULY 2, 2019

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