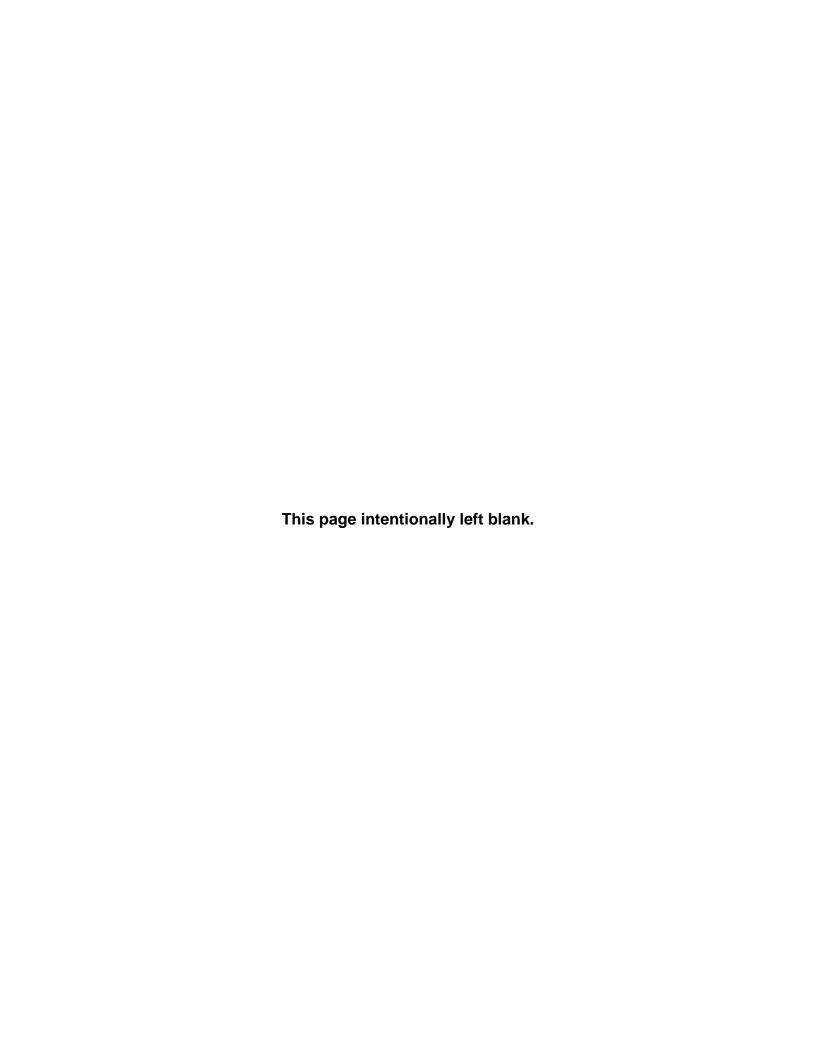




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Ida Rupp Public Library Ottawa County 310 Madison Street Port Clinton, Ohio 43452-1921

To the Board of Library Trustees:

Mary Saylor

As you are aware, the Auditor of State's Office (AOS) must modify the *Independent Accountants' Report* we provide on your financial statements due to an interpretation from the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA). While AOS does not legally require your government to prepare financial statements pursuant to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), the AICPA interpretation requires auditors to formally acknowledge that you did not prepare your financial statements in accordance with GAAP. Our Report includes an adverse opinion relating to GAAP presentation and measurement requirements, but does not imply the amounts the statements present are misstated under the non-GAAP basis you follow. The AOS report also includes an opinion on the financial statements you prepared using the cash basis and financial statement format the AOS permits.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

September 18, 2007

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#### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Ida Rupp Public Library Ottawa County 310 Madison Street Port Clinton, Ohio 43452-1921

To the Board of Library Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Ida Rupp Public Library, Ottawa County, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2006 and 2005. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Library's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to reasonably assure whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described more fully in Note 1, the Library has prepared these financial statements using accounting practices the Auditor of State prescribes or permits. These practices differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Although we cannot reasonably determine the effects on the financial statements of the variances between these regulatory accounting practices and GAAP, we presume they are material.

Instead of the combined funds the accompanying financial statements present, GAAP require presenting entity wide statements and also presenting the Library's larger (i.e. major) funds separately. While the Library does not follow GAAP, generally accepted auditing standards requires us to include the following paragraph if the statements do not substantially conform to GAAP presentation requirements. The Auditor of State permits, but does not require Libraries to reformat their statements. The Library has elected not to follow GAAP statement formatting requirements. The following paragraph does not imply the amounts reported are materially misstated under the accounting basis the Auditor of State permits. Our opinion on the fair presentation of the amounts reported pursuant to its non-GAAP basis is in the second following paragraph.

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In our opinion, because of the effects of the matter discussed in the preceding two paragraphs, the financial statements referred to above for the years ended December 31, 2006 and 2005, do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the Library as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, or its changes in financial position for the years then ended.

Also, in our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the combined fund cash balances and reserves for encumbrances of the Ida Rupp Public Library, Ottawa County, as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, and its combined cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended on the accounting basis Note 1 describes.

As described in Note 2, the Library changed the classification of funds previously classified as expendable and nonexpendable trust funds.

The Library has not presented Management's Discussion and Analysis, which accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the financial statements.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 18, 2007, on our consideration of the Library's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. While we did not opine on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance, that report describes the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. You should read it in conjunction with this report in assessing the results of our audits.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

September 18, 2007

## COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	Governmental Fund Types		
	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:			
Library and Local Government Support	\$783,540		\$783,540
Patron Fines and Fees	21,961		21,961
Contributions, Gifts and Donations	23,661		23,661
Earnings on Investments	19,897	\$178	20,075
Miscellaneous	1,850		1,850
Total Cash Receipts	850,909	178	851,087
Cash Disbursements:			
Current:			
Salaries	434,990		434,990
Employee Fringe Benefits	92,503		92,503
Purchased and Contractual Services	89,164	25	89,189
Library Materials and Information	175,319		175,319
Supplies	16,603		16,603
Other	6,595		6,595
Capital Outlay	48,308		48,308
Total Cash Disbursements	863,482	25	863,507
Total Receipts Over/(Under) Disbursements	(12,573)	153	(12,420)
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	454,835	30,616	485,451
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$442,262	\$30,769	\$473,031
Reserve for Encumbrances, December 31	\$6,709		\$6,709

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

## COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Governmental Fund Types		_
	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:			
Library and Local Government Support	\$788,969		\$788,969
Patron Fines and Fees	18,054		18,054
Contributions, Gifts and Donations	5,005		5,005
Earnings on Investments	13,965	\$126	14,091
Miscellaneous	2,170		2,170
Total Cash Receipts	828,163	126	828,289
Cash Disbursements:			
Current:			
Salaries	461,417		461,417
Employee Fringe Benefits	94,446		94,446
Purchased and Contractual Services	105,083	25	105,108
Library Materials and Information	159,718		159,718
Supplies	19,228		19,228
Other	2,048		2,048
Capital Outlay	142,469		142,469
Total Cash Disbursements	984,409	25	984,434
Total Receipts Over/(Under) Disbursements	(156,246)	101	(156,145)
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	611,081	30,515	641,596
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$454,835	\$30,616	\$485,451
Reserve for Encumbrances, December 31	\$11,930		\$11,930

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. Description of the Entity

The constitution and laws of the State of Ohio establish the rights and privileges of the Ida Rupp Public Library, Ottawa County, (the Library) as a body corporate and politic. The Port Clinton City School District Board of Education appoints a seven-member Board of Trustees to govern the Library. The Library provides the community with various educational and literary resources.

The Library's management believes these financial statements present all activities for which the Library is financially accountable.

#### **B.** Accounting Basis

These financial statements follow the accounting basis the Auditor of State prescribes or permits. This basis is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements accounting basis. The Library recognizes receipts when received in cash rather than when earned, and recognizes disbursements when paid rather than when a liability is incurred. Budgetary presentations report budgetary expenditures when a commitment is made (i.e., when an encumbrance is approved).

These statements include adequate disclosure of material matters, as the Auditor of State prescribes or permits.

#### C. Cash and Investments

The Library's accounting basis includes investments as assets. This basis does not record disbursements for investment purchases or receipts for investment sales. This basis records gains or losses at the time of sale as receipts or disbursements, respectively.

The Library values certificates of deposit at cost. The investment in STAR Ohio is valued at amounts reported by the State Treasurer.

#### D. Fund Accounting

The Library uses fund accounting to segregate cash and investments that are restricted as to use. The Library classifies its funds into the following types:

#### 1. General Fund

The General Fund reports all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

#### 2. Special Revenue Funds

These funds account for proceeds from specific sources that are restricted to expenditure for specific purposes. The Library had the following significant Special Revenue Fund:

<u>Trust Fund</u> – This fund receives investment income for contributions, gifts, and donations to which have been earmarked by the contributors for purposes other than routine expenditures.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005 (Continued)

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES – (CONTINUED)

#### E. Budgetary Process

The Board must annually approve appropriation measures and subsequent amendments. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year end. Budgetary expenditures (that is, disbursements and encumbrances) may not exceed appropriations at the fund, function, and object level of control.

A summary of 2006 and 2005 budgetary activity appears in Note 4.

#### F. Property, Plant, and Equipment

The Library records disbursements for acquisitions of property, plant, and equipment when paid. The accompanying financial statements do not report these items as assets.

#### G. Accumulated Leave

In certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment, employees are entitled to cash payments for unused leave. The financial statements do not include a liability for unpaid leave.

#### 2. FUND RECLASSIFICATION AND RESTATEMENT OF FUND BALANCES

Changes to fund classifications introduced as part of the changes to the financial reporting model established by GASB Statement No. 34 eliminated expendable and nonexpendable trust fund classifications. Beginning in fiscal year 2005 the Library funds previously classified as expendable and nonexpendable trust funds were reclassified to special revenue funds, as the Library deemed this classification more appropriate based on the permitted use of these funds. This change in classification and restatement had the following effect on the fund balances previously reported for the year ended December 31, 2004:

	Special		
	Revenue	Expendable	Nonexpendable
	Funds	Trust Fund	Trust Fund
Fund Balance at December 31, 2004	\$8,369	\$20,119	\$2,027
Fund reclassification	22,146	(20,119)	(2,027)
Adjusted Fund Balance at January 1, 2005	\$30,515		

#### 3. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The Library maintains a cash and investments pool all funds use. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes allowable deposits and investments. The carrying amount of cash and investments at December 31 was as follows:

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005 (Continued)

#### 3. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS – (CONTINUED)

	2006	2005
Demand deposits	\$89,817	\$101,245
Cash on Hand	460	460
Certificates of deposit	4,025	3,968
Total deposits	94,302	105,673
STAR Ohio	378,729	379,778
Total deposits and investments	\$473,031	\$485,451

**Deposits:** Deposits are insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation or collateralized by the financial institution's public entity deposit pool.

**Investments:** The investment in STAR Ohio is not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book-entry form.

#### 4. BUDGETARY ACTIVITY

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2006 and 2005 follows:

2006 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipt	ts
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	Budgeted	Actual	
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$826,087	\$850,909	\$24,822
Special Revenue		178	178
Total	\$826,087	\$851,087	\$25,000

2006 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	_
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$1,004,795	\$870,191	\$134,604
Special Revenue		25	(25)
Total	\$1,004,795	\$870,216	\$134,579

2005 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts

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Budgeted	Actual	_		
Receipts	Receipts	Variance		
\$826,087	\$828,163	\$2,076		
	126	126		
\$826,087	\$828,289	\$2,202		
	Budgeted Receipts \$826,087	Budgeted         Actual           Receipts         Receipts           \$826,087         \$828,163           126		

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005 (Continued)

#### 4. BUDGETARY ACTIVITY – (CONTINUED)

2005 Budgeted vs.	Actual Budgetar	v Rasis Ev	nenditures
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	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$1,129,763	\$996,339	\$133,424
Special Revenue		25	(25)
Total	\$1,129,763	\$996,364	\$133,399

#### 5. GRANTS-IN-AID

The primary source of revenue for Ohio public libraries is the State Library and Local Government Support Fund (LLGSF). The State allocates LLGSF to each county based on the county's prior intangibles tax of LLGSF revenues, and its population. The County Budget Commission allocates these funds to the Library based on its needs such as for the construction of new library buildings, improvements, operation, maintenance, or other expenses. The Budget Commission cannot reduce its allocation of these funds to the Library based on of any additional revenues the Library receives.

#### 6. RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Library's employees belong to the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS). OPERS is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer plan. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes this plan's benefits, which include postretirement healthcare and survivor and disability benefits.

The Ohio Revised Code also prescribes contribution rates. For 2006 and 2005, OPERS members contributed 9% and 8.5%, respectively, of their gross salaries and the Library contributed an amount equaling 13.7% and 13.55%, respectively, of participants' gross salaries. The Library has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2006.

#### 7. RISK MANAGEMENT

#### **Commercial Insurance**

The Library has obtained commercial insurance for the following risks:

- · Comprehensive property and general liability;
- Umbrella / excess liability;
- Electronic data processing;
- · Valuable papers; and
- Legal liability.



### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Ida Rupp Public Library Ottawa County 310 Madison Street Port Clinton, Ohio 43452-1921

To the Library Board of Trustees:

We have audited the financial statements of the Ida Rupp Public Library, Ottawa County, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2006 and 2005, and have issued our report thereon dated September 18, 2007, wherein we noted the Library followed accounting practices the Auditor of State prescribes rather than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and the Library reclassified funds previously reported as expendable and nonexpendable trust funds. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the Comptroller General of the United States' Government Auditing Standards.

#### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audits, we considered the Library's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our audit procedures for expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not to opine on the effectiveness of the Library's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the Library's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Library's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with its applicable accounting basis, such that there is more than a remote likelihood that the Library's internal control will not prevent or detect a more-than-inconsequential financial statement misstatement.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies resulting in more than a remote likelihood that the Library's internal control will not prevent or detect a material financial statement misstatement.

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Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all internal control deficiencies that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider material weaknesses, as defined above.

We noted certain matters that we reported to the Library's management in a separate letter dated September 18, 2007.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of reasonably assuring whether the Library's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audits and accordingly, we do not express an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We did note certain noncompliance or other matters that we reported to the Library's management in a separate letter dated September 18, 2007.

We intend this report solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, and the Library Board of Trustees. We intend it for no one other than these specified parties.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

September 18, 2007



#### **IDA RUPP PUBLIC LIBRARY**

#### **OTTAWA 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.

**CLERK OF THE BUREAU** 

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED OCTOBER 16, 2007