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BASIC AUDIT REPORT

Killbuck Community Improvement Corporation
Holmes County
Killbuck, Ohio 44637

We have completed certain procedures in accordance with Ohio Rev. Code Section 117.01(G) to the accounting records and related documents of the Killbuck Community Improvement Corporation, Holmes County, (the CIC) for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021.

Our procedures were designed solely to satisfy the audit requirements of Ohio Rev. Code Section 117.11(A). Because our procedures were not designed to opine on the CIC's financial statements, we did not follow *generally accepted auditing standards*. We do not provide any assurance on the CIC's financial statements, transactions or balances for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021.

The CIC's management is responsible for preparing and maintaining its accounting records and related documents. Our responsibility under Ohio Rev. Code Section 117.11(A) is to examine, analyze and inspect these records and documents.

Based on the results of our procedures, we found the following significant compliance issue to report.

Current Year Observations

1. We noted the CIC did not file their Financial Statement on the Hinkle System in a timely manner, nor did they file GAAP statements. **Ohio Rev. Code § 1724.05** states that each community improvement corporation shall prepare an annual financial report that conforms to rules prescribed by the auditor of state pursuant to §117.20 of the Revised Code, that is prepared according to generally accepted accounting principles, and that is certified by the board of directors of the corporation or its treasurer or other chief fiscal officer to the best knowledge and belief of those persons certifying the report. The financial report shall be filed with the auditor of state within one hundred twenty days following the last day of the corporation's fiscal year, unless the auditor of state extends that deadline. The CIC reported their 2021 and 2022 financial statements on the cash basis of accounting. In addition, the 2021 financial statements were filed on May 13, 2022, which is more than 120 days after fiscal year-end and there was no extension granted by the Auditor of State. This comment was also noted in the prior year basic audit report.

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Keith Faber
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

September 14, 2023

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KILLBUCK COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION

HOLMES COUNTY

AUDITOR OF STATE OF OHIO CERTIFICATION

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



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