



**OHIO-MICHIGAN-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
WILLIAMS COUNTY**

BASIC AUDIT

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023-2022

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BASIC AUDIT REPORT

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We have completed certain procedures in accordance with Ohio Rev. Code Section 117.01(G) to the accounting records and related documents of the Ohio-Michigan-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, Williams County, Ohio (the Council) for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022.

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 Council's financial statements, we did not follow *generally accepted auditing standards*. We do not provide any assurance on the Council's financial statements, transactions or balances for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022.

The Council'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

We noted the Council did not file their 2022 Annual Financial Report timely. Ohio Rev. Code § 117.38 provides that each public office, other than a state agency, shall file a financial report for each fiscal year. The report shall be certified by the proper officer or board and filed with the auditor of state within sixty days after the close of the fiscal year.

The Council did not file the 2022 financial reports until July 14, 2023. Failure to file by the required date could result in penalties of \$25 per day up to maximum of \$750. The Council should take the necessary steps to ensure the financial report is prepared completely in accordance with Auditor of State Bulletin 2015-017 and filed within the sixty day time frame.

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Keith Faber
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

October 2, 2024

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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.



Certified for Release 10/15/2024

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