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General Purpose Financial Statements

For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

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We have reviewed the Independent Auditor's Report of the Central Ohio Rural Consortium, Licking County, prepared by Williams Young, LLC, for the audit period July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The Central Ohio Rural Consortium is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.



JIM PETRO
Auditor of State

March 20, 2000

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors
Central Ohio Rural Consortium
Newark, Ohio

We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of Central Ohio Rural Consortium as of and for the year ended June 30, 1999, as identified in the accompanying table of contents as Exhibits A, B, and C. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of Central Ohio Rural Consortium's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about 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 that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the general purpose financial statements referred to in the first paragraph present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Central Ohio Rural Consortium as of June 30, 1999, and its operations for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

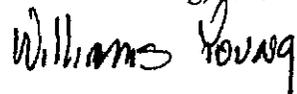
In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 16, 1999 on our consideration of Central Ohio Rural Consortium's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements of Central Ohio Rural Consortium taken as a whole. The accompanying *Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards*, which includes the requirements of U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, Schedule A, and Schedules A-1 through A-11 and Schedules B through D are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are

not a required part of the basic financial statements of the Consortium. The information in these schedules, has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

The Year 2000 supplementary information, presented as Schedule E, is not a required part of the general purpose financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures on the Year 2000 supplementary information, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the Year 2000 information presented on Schedule E and do not express an opinion on it. In addition, we do not provide assurance that Central Ohio Rural Consortium is or will become Year 2000 compliant, that Central Ohio Rural Consortium's Year 2000 remediation efforts will be successful in whole or in part, or that parties with which Central Ohio Rural Consortium does business are or will become Year 2000 compliant.

Williams Young, LLC

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Williams Young".

Madison, Wisconsin
September 16, 1999

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Exhibit A

Combined Balance Sheet
All Fund Types and Account Groups
June 30, 1999

	<u>Governmental Fund Types</u>		<u>Account Groups</u>	<u>Totals (Memorandum Only)</u>
	<u>General</u>	<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>General Fixed Assets</u>	
ASSETS				
Equity in pooled cash	(\$ 7,666)	\$ 479,149	\$ 0	\$ 471,483
Grants receivable	154,432	153,265	0	307,697
Equipment	0	0	663,510	663,510
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 146,766	\$ 632,414	\$ 663,510	\$ 1,442,690
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable	\$ 49,470	\$ 126,708	\$ 0	\$ 176,178
Wages and benefits payable	33,696	243,953	0	277,649
Compensated absences payable	30,000	148,632	0	178,632
Deferred revenue	12,054	113,121	0	125,175
Total Liabilities	\$ 125,220	\$ 632,414	\$ 0	\$ 757,634
FUND EQUITY				
Investment in general fixed assets	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 663,510	\$ 663,510
Fund balance-unreserved	21,546	0	0	21,546
Total Fund Equity	\$ 21,546	\$ 0	\$ 663,510	\$ 685,056
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$ 146,766	\$ 632,414	\$ 663,510	\$ 1,442,690

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Exhibit B

Combined Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and
Changes in Fund Balances
All Governmental Fund Types
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

	<u>Governmental Fund Types</u>		<u>Totals (Memorandum Only)</u>
	<u>General</u>	<u>Special Revenue</u>	
REVENUE			
JTPA grants	\$ 0	\$ 3,241,897	\$ 3,241,897
Other revenue	97,672	0	97,672
TANF grants	566,882	0	566,882
Program income	296	10,306	10,602
Interest income	161	0	161
Total Revenue	<u>\$ 665,011</u>	<u>\$ 3,252,203</u>	<u>\$ 3,917,214</u>
EXPENDITURES			
Administration	\$ 551,070	\$ 1,021,534	\$ 1,572,604
Program	111,568	2,230,669	2,342,237
Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 662,638</u>	<u>\$ 3,252,203</u>	<u>\$ 3,914,841</u>
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	<u>\$ 2,373</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 2,373</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Returned to grantor	(\$ 1,882)	\$ 0	(\$ 1,882)
Total Other Financing (Uses)	<u>(\$ 1,882)</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>(\$ 1,882)</u>
Excess of Revenue and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	<u>\$ 491</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 491</u>
Fund equity - June 30, 1998	21,055	0	21,055
FUND EQUITY - JUNE 30, 1999	<u>\$ 21,546</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 21,546</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Exhibit C

Combined Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and
Changes in Fund Balances (Budget and Actual)
All Governmental Fund Types
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

	General Fund			Special Revenue Funds		
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUE						
JTPA grants	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$4,207,868	\$3,241,897	(\$ 965,971)
Other revenue	33,874	97,672	63,798	0	0	0
TANF grants	1,009,733	566,882	(442,851)	0	0	0
Program income	0	296	296	0	10,306	10,306
Other income	0	161	161	0	0	0
Total Revenue	\$ 1,043,607	\$ 665,011	(\$ 378,596)	\$4,207,868	\$3,252,203	(\$ 955,665)
EXPENDITURES						
Administration	\$ 875,835	\$ 551,070	\$ 324,765	\$1,181,849	\$1,021,534	\$ 160,315
Program	167,772	111,568	56,204	3,026,019	2,230,669	795,350
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,043,607	\$ 662,638	\$ 380,969	\$4,207,868	\$3,252,203	\$ 955,665
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 2,373	\$ 2,373	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Returned to grantor	\$ 0	(\$ 1,882)	(\$ 1,882)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Other Financing (Uses)	\$ 0	(\$ 1,882)	(\$ 1,882)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Excess of Revenue and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	\$ 0	\$ 491	\$ 491	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Fund equity - June 30, 1998	21,055	21,055	0	0	0	0
FUND EQUITY - JUNE 30, 1999	\$ 21,055	\$ 21,546	\$ 491	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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Notes to General Purpose Financial Statements

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Operations

The Central Ohio Rural Consortium (the Consortium) is a Regional Council of Government established under Chapter 167 of the Ohio Revised Code by the County Commissioners of Licking, Muskingum, Coshocton, Delaware, and Morgan Counties for the purpose of providing personal employment skills and support to the residents of these counties. The Consortium receives 82% of its funding from the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services.

The Consortium focuses services in its five-county area on the following:

- ♦ Targeting efforts to young people, working women with families, older and dislocated workers.
- ♦ Offering a highly supportive approach to help individuals gain the personal, educational, and employment skills they need.
- ♦ Assisting employers, especially small businesses, by supporting training activities for their new and existing workers.
- ♦ Continuing to develop more productive relationships with area educational institutions and community agencies so more and better training opportunities for people will result.

The Consortium was formed to act as a Service Delivery Area in these five counties under Title I, Part A, Section 101 of the U. S. Job Training Partnership Act. Section 102 of the ACT establishes a "Private Industry Council" in each Service Delivery Area. The Consortium is governed by a thirty-one-member Joint Policy Board consisting of a seven-member Commissioners Executive Board and a twenty-four-member Private Industry Council Executive Board.

Significant Policies

The financial statements of the Consortium have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental entities. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the Consortium's accounting policies are described below.

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Reporting Entity

As required by generally accepted accounting principles, these financial statements present the government and its component units, entities for which the government is considered to be financially accountable. Blended component units presented, although legally separate entities, are in substance, part of the government's operation and, therefore, data from such a unit is combined with data of the primary government.

The blended component unit included herein is CORC Private Industry Council, Inc. (also known as PIC, Inc.). PIC, Inc. was established in 1991 as a corporation, not for profit, under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. While legally there is no relation between PIC, Inc. and the Private Industry Council established under Section 102 of the Job Training Partnership Act or the Consortium itself, the PIC Executive Board of the Consortium also serves as the legislative board of PIC, Inc. The Consortium has assumed the role of fiduciary and operator to support PIC, Inc.'s activities and record keeping. PIC, Inc. has been blended into the primary government as a General Revenue Fund.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation

The accounts of the Consortium are organized and operated on the basis of funds and account groups. A fund is an independent fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. Fund accounting segregates funds according to their intended purpose and is used to aid management in demonstrating compliance with finance-related legal and contractual provisions. The minimum number of funds are maintained consistent with legal and management requirements. Account groups are a reporting device to account for certain assets and liabilities of the governmental funds not recorded directly in those funds.

The Consortium has the following fund types and account groups:

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds are used to account for the government's general government activities. Governmental fund types use the flow of current financial resource's measurement focus and modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenue is recognized when susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they are "measurable and available"). "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period or soon thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. The government considers all revenue to be available if they are collected within sixty days after year end. Expenditures are

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (continued)

recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for unmatured interest on a general long-term debt which is recognized when due, and certain compensated absences and claims and judgments which are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources.

Entitlements and shared revenue on federal grants are recorded at the time of receipt or as grants receivable if the susceptible to accrual criteria is met. Interest earnings are also susceptible to accrual. TANF and other grants in the General Fund recognize revenue at the time the related expenditure is incurred.

Deferred revenue is reported on the balance sheet when a potential revenue does not meet both the “measurable” and “available” criteria for recognition in the current period. Deferred also arises when resources are received by CORC before it has a legal claim to them, as when grant monies are received prior to the incurrence of qualifying expenditures. In subsequent periods when both revenue recognition criteria are met, or when the government has a legal claim to the resources, the liability on the balance sheet is removed and revenue is recognized.

Governmental funds include the following fund types:

General Funds – The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Consortium and is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The General Fund balance is available to the Consortium for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of the State of Ohio.

Special Revenue Funds – Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to the expenditures for specified purposes, including grants.

Fiduciary Funds include the following fund types:

Account Groups

General Fixed Assets Account Group - This account group is established to account for all fixed assets of the Consortium.

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Equity in Pooled Cash

The Consortium's cash is considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and savings accounts. Cash received by the Consortium is deposited in a central bank account with individual fund balance integrity maintained.

State statutes authorize the Consortium to invest in obligations of U.S. Treasury, commercial paper and repurchase agreements. However, the Consortium does not currently invest any of its excess funds.

Intergovernmental Revenue

In governmental funds, entitlements and non-reimbursable grants are recorded as receivables and revenue when measurable and available. Reimbursement type grants are recorded as receivables and revenue when the related expenditures are incurred. The Consortium participates in various federal programs primarily grants from the U.S. Department of Labor, Job Training Partnership Act.

Equipment

General fixed assets used in governmental fund types of the Consortium are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for the cost of additions and retirements during the year in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. Donated fixed assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date donated. The Consortium follows the policy of not capitalizing assets with a cost of less than \$1,000. No depreciation is recognized for assets in the General Fixed Assets Account Group.

Compensated Absences

Vacation and sick leave benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employee's rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered. It is probable that the employer will compensate employees for the benefits through time off or some other means such as cash payment at termination or retirement. While there is a liability for personal leave at the fiscal year-end, this earned but unused balance must be liquidated at the calendar year-end. There is no minimum length of service required for severance benefits to vest and as such employees are paid for such leave time accrued upon reduction in labor force (layoffs) and funds are available. Sick leave accrued is paid at the rate of twenty percent of all earned but unused time. The total liability for vacation, personal leave, and termination payments has been calculated using pay rates in effect at the balance sheet date.

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NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Compensated Absences (continued)

The Consortium follows the policy of almost fully funding the compensated absences earned by its employees. Since the liability for compensated absences is expected to be “liquidated with expendable available financial resources,” almost the entire liability has been recorded as a current liability of the General and Special Revenue Fund types that were the source of the funding.

Fund Equity

Reserved fund balances indicate that portion of fund equity, which is not available for current appropriation or is legally segregated for a specific use. The unreserved portions of fund equity reflected for the governmental funds are available for use within the specific purposes of those funds.

Memorandum Only - Total Columns

Total columns on the general purpose financial statements are captioned as “Memorandum Only” to indicate that they do not represent consolidated financial information and are presented only to facilitate financial analysis. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or cash flows in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Interfund eliminations have not been made in the aggregation of this data.

Cost Allocation

The Consortium uses an approved JTPA Cost Allocation Plan to allocate its indirect costs to program funds. The basis of allocation, employee hours, is determined separately for each county office and is recalculated monthly.

NOTE B – STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

The Consortium files a budget for each of its Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) federal grants with the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services by the end of April before the ensuing program year. These budgets include the actual allocation plus the estimated carry-in from the preceding program year. The budgets are adjusted whenever additional funds are added to the grant or reduced. A budget is filed for all other federal grants; they are modified if warranted by changing program activities. Budgets are not prepared for the non-JTPA funds (non-federal monies).

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NOTE B – STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY
(continued)

Actual revenue and expenditures in the budgetary statements were prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is reported when susceptible to accrual and expenditures are reported when the liability is incurred.

NOTE C – EQUITY IN POOLED CASH

The Consortium maintains a cash pool used by all funds. Each fund type's portion of this pool is displayed on the combined balance sheet as "Equity in Pooled Cash."

Statutes require the classification of monies held by the Consortium into three categories:

Active Monies

Those monies required to be kept in a "cash" or "near-cash" status for immediate use by the Consortium. Such monies must, by law, be maintained either as cash in the Consortium treasury, in depository accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Inactive Monies

Those monies not required for use within the current two-year period of designation of depositories. Ohio law permits inactive monies to be deposited or invested as certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or as savings or deposit accounts, including, but not limited to passbook accounts.

Interim Monies

Those monies which are not needed for immediate use but which will be needed before the end of the current period of designation of depositories. Ohio law permits interim monies to be invested or deposited in the following securities:

1. Bonds, notes, or other obligations of or guaranteed by the United States, or those for which the faith of the United States is pledged for the payment of principal and interest.
2. Bonds, notes, debentures, or other obligations of securities issued by any federal government agency, or the Export Import Bank of Washington.

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NOTE C – EQUITY IN POOLED CASH (continued)

Interim Monies (continued)

3. Repurchase agreements in the securities enumerated above.
4. Interim deposits in the eligible institutions applying for interim monies to be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts, including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.
5. Bonds and other obligations of the State of Ohio.
6. The State Treasurer's Investment pool.

Deposits

At year end, the carrying amount of the Consortium's deposits was \$471,483 and the bank balance was \$726,113. Of the bank balance, \$100,000 was covered by federal depository insurance. The remaining balance of \$626,113 was uncollateralized as defined by Statement No. 3 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, these uncollateralized deposits are covered by securities held by third party trustees pursuant to Section 135.081 of the Ohio Revised Code in single institution collateral pools securing all public funds on deposit with specific depository institutions. The code specifies that the total value of securities pledged as collateral must be at least equal to 110% of the total amounts of the insured deposits, including the portion covered by federal deposit insurance.

NOTE D – GRANTS RECEIVABLE

Grants receivable at June 30, 1999 consisted of intergovernmental entitlements. All receivables are considered collectible in full due to the current year guarantee of federal funds. Grants receivable at June 30, 1999 consist of the following:

Federal programs	\$ 302,697
State programs	<u>5,000</u>
TOTAL GRANT RECEIVABLE	<u>\$ 307,697</u>

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NOTE E – EQUIPMENT

A summary of the changes in the General Fixed Asset Account Group during the fiscal year follows:

	Balance <u>July 1, 1998</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	Balance <u>June 30, 1999</u>
Equipment	<u>\$ 517,084</u>	<u>\$ 154,375</u>	<u>\$ 7,949</u>	<u>\$ 663,510</u>

**NOTE F – CONVERSION OF OPERATIONS FROM
BUDGET BASIS TO GAAP BASIS**

The budget basis financial statements are presented in accordance with the modified accrual basis of accounting. As such, no adjustments are necessary to convert the results of operations at year end from the budget basis to the GAAP basis.

NOTE G – EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLAN

The Consortium contributes to the Public Employees Retirement System of Ohio (PERS), a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the Public Employees Retirement Board. PERS provides basic retirement benefits, disability, survivor, and health care benefits based upon eligible service credit to members and beneficiaries. Benefits are established by Chapter 145 of the Ohio Revised Code. PERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for PERS. That report may be obtained by writing to the Public Employees Retirement System, 277 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

All regular employees of the Consortium are required to contribute 8.5% of their annual covered salary to fund pension obligations and the Consortium is required to contribute 13.55%. Contributions are authorized by state statute. The contribution rates are determined actuarially. The Consortium's contribution to PERS for the year ended June 30, 1999 was \$194,226, equal to the required contributions for the year.

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NOTE G – EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLAN (continued)

Benefits are advance-financed using the entry age normal method. This actuarial cost method of valuation is used in determining the present value of benefit liabilities and normal cost. The difference between assumed and actual experience (actuarial gains and losses) becomes part of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability. Significant actuarial assumptions include: (based upon PERS's latest actuarial review performed as of December 31, 1997-the latest information available) an investment assumption rate of 7.75% for 1997; the base portion of the individual pay increase assumption is an annual increase of 4.75% compounded annually assuming no change in the number of employees; annual pay increases over and above the 4.75% base rate increase were assumed to range from .54% to 7.85%; and health care premiums were assumed to increase 4.2% annually.

Short-term securities consisting of commercial paper and U.S. Treasury obligations are carried at cost, which approximates market value. Equity securities, fixed income investments, and investments in real estate are carried at market. For actuarial valuation purposes, a smoothed market approach is used. Under this approach, assets are adjusted annually to reflect 25% of unrealized market appreciation or depreciation on investment assets.

The number of contributing participants was 371,563. Based upon the portion of each employer's contribution to PERS set aside for funding post retirement benefits, as described above, the Consortium's contribution for fiscal year 1999 was approximately \$82,760. The actual contribution and the actuarially required contribution were the same. Net assets available for payment of benefits at December 31, 1998 was \$9,447 million. The actuarially accrued liability and the unfunded actuarial accrued liability based upon the actuarial cost method was \$34,971 million and \$1,125 million, respectively.

Other Post-Employment Benefits

The Public Employees Retirement System of Ohio (PERS) provides postretirement health care coverage to age and service retirants of the Consortium with ten or more years of qualifying Ohio service credit. Health care coverage for disability recipients and primary survivor recipients is available. The Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for employer contributions. A portion of each employer's contribution to PERS is set aside for the funding of post retirement health care. That portion was 4.2% for 1998.

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NOTE H – EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

The Consortium has a deferred compensation plan that is available to all employees of the organization. The plan is a voluntary contribution plan, which was formed under Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code. The Consortium adopted GASB Statement 32, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Internal Revenue Code Section 457 Deferred Compensation Plans, a rescission of GASB Statement No. 2 and an amendment of GASB Statement No. 31*. GASB 32 specifies that the plan assets are to be held in trust for the exclusive benefit of participating employees and are not available to creditors.

The assets are the property of the employees who have made the contributions into the plan and therefore are not included in these financial statements.

NOTE I – RISK MANAGEMENT

The Consortium is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees, and natural disasters. The Consortium maintains comprehensive commercial insurance coverage including liability coverage for building contents, and any hired or borrowed vehicles. *Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded the commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.*

NOTE J – OPERATING LEASES

The Consortium leases various facilities for operation of their programs under cancelable leases. Rent expense for the year ended June 30, 1999 was \$128,002.

NOTE K – CONTINGENCIES

The Consortium receives significant financial assistance under numerous federal, state, and local grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and is subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the General Fund or other applicable funds. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material effect on any of the financial statements of the individual fund types included herein or on the overall financial position of the Consortium at June 30, 1999.

There is no pending litigation outstanding against the Consortium.

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S U P P L E M E N T A R Y
S C H E D U L E S

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Schedule A

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Grantor's Program Number	Program Period	Current Year Allocation	State Set Aside/ Reobligated/ Transfers	Receipts	Expenditures(1)	Unexpended Allocation	Supporting Schedule
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR									
Passed Through Ohio Bureau of Employment Services - Job Training Partnership Act									
Title II A 5% Incentive	07/01/96 - 06/30/99	3-96-15-00	17.250	\$ 5,192	\$ 0	\$ 15,846	\$ 5,192	\$ 0	A-1
Title II A 5% Incentive	07/01/98 - 06/30/99	3-97-15-00	17.250	50,282	0	50,282	50,282	0	A-1
Title II A 77%	07/01/97 - 06/30/00	0-97-15-01	17.250	45,890	0	31,096	45,890	0	A-2
Title II A 77%	07/01/98 - 06/30/01	0-98-15-01	17.250	818,305	0	785,000	685,672	132,633	A-2
Title II A 5%	07/01/97 - 06/30/00	1-97-15-01	17.250	10,371	0	22,363	10,371	0	A-3
Title II A 5%	07/01/98 - 06/30/01	1-98-15-01	17.250	54,152	0	49,000	47,308	6,844	A-3
Title IIC	07/01/98 - 06/30/01	Y-98-15-01	17.250	118,296	27,000	131,919	142,447	2,849	A-4
Title IIB	10/01/97 - 09/30/00	5-98-15-01	17.250	667,821	(27,000)	841,159	640,821	0	A-5
Title IIB	04/01/99 - 06/30/00	5-99-15-00	17.250	893,251	0	104,000	212,686	680,565	A-5
Passed Through Ohio Dept. of Education									
Title II A 8%	07/01/97 - 06/30/00	4-97-15-02	17.250	0	13,008	25,441	13,008	0	A-6
Title II A 8%	07/01/98 - 06/30/01	4-98-15-02	17.250	75,348	0	63,000	71,781	3,567	A-6
Total CFDA #17.250 (2)				\$ 2,738,908	\$ 13,008	\$ 2,119,106	\$ 1,925,458	\$ 826,458	
Passed Through Ohio Bureau of Employment Services - Job Training Partnership Act									
One Stop	11/01/97 - 06/30/99	COST/295-PROJ/3853	17.207	\$ 473,174	(\$ 19,729)	\$ 454,771	\$ 445,806	\$ 7,639	A-7
Passed Through Ohio Bureau of Employment Services - Job Training Partnership Act									
Title III EDWAA	07/01/97 - 06/30/00	A-97-15-01	17.246	\$ 62,149	\$ 0	\$ 65,563	\$ 62,149	\$ 0	A-8
Title III EDWAA	07/01/98 - 06/30/01	A-98-15-01	17.246	573,296	0	558,000	570,249	3,047	A-8
Title III EDWAA NAFB DD	10/01/94 - 06/30/99	G-93-15-05	17.246	29,787	0	19,000	(5,064)	34,851	A-9
Title III EDWAA GOV Reserve-PY97	04/22/96 - 06/30/98	B-97-15-01	17.246	0	0	90,555	0	0	A-10
Title III EDWAA GOV Reserve-PY98	07/01/98 - 06/30/00	B-98-15-00	17.246	233,152	0	218,000	220,241	12,911	A-10
Title III EDWAA COC II	04/22/96 - 06/30/99	F-95-15-04	17.246	35,995	0	17,000	23,058	12,937	A-11
Total CFDA #17.246 (2)				\$ 934,379	\$ 0	\$ 968,118	\$ 870,633	\$ 63,746	
Total U.S. Dept. of Labor				\$ 4,146,461	(\$ 6,721)	\$ 3,541,995	\$ 3,241,897	\$ 897,843	

(1) Expenditures do not include program income, for information on those revenue and expenditures see Schedule D.
(2) CFDA #17.250 and #17.246 are a cluster program.

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Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	Program Period	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Grantor's Program Number	State Set Aside/ Reobligated/ Transfers	Current Year Allocation	Receipts	Expenditures(1)	Unexpended Allocation	Supporting Schedule
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES									
Passed through Ohio DHS, then to Licking, Muskingum, Coshocton, Delaware, and Morgan County Auditors									
JOBS	07/01/98 - 06/30/99	93.558		0	\$ 1,009,733	\$ 263,523	\$ 393,782	\$ 879,474	
JOBS	07/01/98 - 06/30/99	93.560		0	\$ 0	\$ 173,346	\$ 173,100	\$ 246	
Total U.S. DHHS				0	\$ 1,009,733	\$ 436,869	\$ 566,882	\$ 879,720	
PIC, INC. FUNDS									
U. S. Department of Education									
Passed Through Ohio Dept. of Education Adult Education - State Administered Grants									
ABLE/AJEP	07/01/98 - 06/30/99	84.002	106310-AB-S1	0	\$ 33,874	\$ 21,292	\$ 30,342	\$ 3,532	
Total U.S. Department of Education				0	\$ 33,874	\$ 21,292	\$ 30,342	\$ 3,532	
TOTAL FEDERAL FUNDS				(\$ 6,721)	\$ 5,190,068	\$ 4,000,156	\$ 3,839,121	\$ 1,781,095	

Expenditures per Exhibit B	\$ 3,914,841
Program income expenditures	(10,602)
Other expenditures	(65,118)
EXPENDITURES PER SCHEDULE A	\$ 3,839,121

(1) Expenditures do not include program income, for information on those revenue and expenditures see Schedule D.

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Schedule A-1

Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title IIA 5% Incentive
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
3-96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 43,846	\$ 43,846	\$ 0
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 43,846	\$ 43,846	\$ 0
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	38,654	38,654	0
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	5,192	5,192	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 43,846	\$ 43,846	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 5,192	\$ 5,192	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%
3-97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 50,282	\$ 50,282	\$ 0
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 50,282	\$ 50,282	\$ 0
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	50,282	50,282	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 50,282	\$ 50,282	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 50,282	\$ 50,282	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	100.00%	100.00%	0.00%
3-98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 50,282		
Obligations	0		
TOTAL	\$ 50,282		
Percentage Achieved	100%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title IIA 77%
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
0-96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 683,021	\$ 136,604	\$ 546,417
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 683,021	\$ 136,604	\$ 546,417
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 490,064	\$ 43,382	\$ 446,682
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	192,957	58,606	134,351
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 683,021	\$ 101,988	\$ 581,033
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 34,616	(\$ 34,616)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	14.93%	85.07%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
0-97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 815,225	\$ 163,045	\$ 652,180
Transfers	15,021	0	15,021
Total Allocation	\$ 830,246	\$ 163,045	\$ 667,201
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 784,356	\$ 123,523	\$ 660,833
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	45,890	12,177	33,713
Total Expenditures	\$ 830,246	\$ 135,700	\$ 694,546
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 27,345	(\$ 27,345)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	16.34%	83.66%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 45,890	\$ 39,522	\$ 6,368
Percentage Achieved	100.00%	30.81%	529.41%
0-98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 818,305	\$ 163,661	\$ 654,644
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 818,305	\$ 163,661	\$ 654,644
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 685,672	\$ 172,750	\$ 512,922
Total Expenditures	\$ 685,672	\$ 172,750	\$ 512,922
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 132,633	(\$ 9,089)	\$ 141,722
Percentage of Allocation	83.79%	21.11%	62.68%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 818,305	\$ 163,661	\$ 654,644
Percentage Achieved	83.79%	105.55%	78.35%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 685,672		
Obligations	10,864		
TOTAL	\$ 696,536		
Percentage Achieved	85.12%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title IIA 5%
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
1-96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 45,273	\$ 9,054	\$ 36,219
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 45,273	\$ 9,054	\$ 36,219
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 25,156	\$ 3,021	\$ 22,135
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	20,117	774	19,343
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 45,273	\$ 3,795	\$ 41,478
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 5,259	(\$ 5,259)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	8.38%	91.62%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
1-97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 53,863	\$ 10,773	\$ 43,090
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 53,863	\$ 10,773	\$ 43,090
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 43,492	\$ 6,837	\$ 36,655
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	10,371	3,936	6,435
Total Expenditures	\$ 53,863	\$ 10,773	\$ 43,090
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	20.00%	80.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 10,371	\$ 3,936	\$ 6,435
Percentage Achieved	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
1-98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 54,152	\$ 10,830	\$ 43,322
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 54,152	\$ 10,830	\$ 43,322
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 47,308	\$ 10,988	\$ 36,320
Total Expenditures	\$ 47,308	\$ 10,988	\$ 36,320
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 6,844	(\$ 158)	\$ 7,002
Percentage of Allocation	87.36%	20.29%	67.07%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 54,152	\$ 10,830	\$ 43,322
Percentage Achieved	87.36%	101.46%	83.84%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 47,308		
Obligations	142		
TOTAL	\$ 47,450		
Percentage Achieved	87.62%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title IIC
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
Y-96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 107,823	\$ 21,564	\$ 86,259
Transfers from IIB	10,000	1,500	8,500
Transfers to IIA	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 117,823	\$ 23,064	\$ 94,759
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 93,052	\$ 5,930	\$ 87,122
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	24,771	4,343	20,428
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 117,823	\$ 10,273	\$ 107,550
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 12,791	(\$ 12,791)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	8.72%	91.28%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Y-97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 122,719	\$ 24,544	\$ 98,175
Transfers from IIB	125,798	4,680	121,118
Transfers to IIA	(15,021)	0	(15,021)
Total Allocation	\$ 233,496	\$ 29,224	\$ 204,272
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 233,496	\$ 11,022	\$ 222,474
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 233,496	\$ 11,022	\$ 222,474
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 18,202	(\$ 18,202)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	4.72%	95.28%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Y-98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 118,296	\$ 23,659	\$ 94,637
Transfers from IIB	27,000	0	27,000
Transfers to IIA	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 145,296	\$ 23,659	\$ 121,637
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 142,447	\$ 23,075	\$ 119,372
Total Expenditures	\$ 142,447	\$ 23,075	\$ 119,372
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 2,849	\$ 584	\$ 2,265
Percentage of Allocation	98.04%	15.88%	82.16%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 145,296	\$ 23,659	\$ 121,637
Percentage Achieved	98.04%	97.53%	98.14%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 142,447		
Obligations	1,934		
TOTAL	\$ 144,381		
Percentage Achieved	99.37%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title IIB
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
5-97 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 1,021,395	\$ 110,755	\$ 910,640
Transfers to IIA	0	0	0
Transfers to IIC	(125,798)	(4,680)	(121,118)
Total Allocation	\$ 895,597	\$ 106,075	\$ 789,522
Expenditures			
Expenditures 10/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 220,227	\$ 36,556	\$ 183,671
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	675,370	67,041	608,329
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 895,597	\$ 103,597	\$ 792,000
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 2,478	(\$ 2,478)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	11.57%	88.43%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
5-98 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 961,159	\$ 144,174	\$ 816,985
Transfers to IIA	0	0	0
Transfers to IIC	(27,000)	0	(27,000)
Total Allocation	\$ 934,159	\$ 144,174	\$ 789,985
Expenditures			
Expenditures 10/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 293,338	\$ 47,015	\$ 246,323
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	640,821	97,156	543,665
Total Expenditures	\$ 934,159	\$ 144,171	\$ 789,988
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 3	(\$ 3)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	15.43%	84.57%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 640,821	\$ 97,156	\$ 543,665
Percentage Achieved	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
5-99 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 893,251	\$ 133,988	\$ 759,263
Transfers to IIA	0	0	0
Transfers to IIC	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 893,251	\$ 133,988	\$ 759,263
Expenditures			
Expenditures 10/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 212,686	\$ 14,343	\$ 198,343
Total Expenditures	\$ 212,686	\$ 14,343	\$ 198,343
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 680,565	\$ 119,645	\$ 560,920
Percentage of Allocation	23.81%	1.61%	22.20%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 893,251	\$ 133,988	\$ 759,263
Percentage Achieved	23.81%	10.70%	26.12%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 212,686		
Obligations	0		
TOTAL	\$ 212,686		
Percentage Achieved	23.81%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title IIA 8%
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
4-96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 65,334	\$ 13,066	\$ 52,268
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 65,334	\$ 13,066	\$ 52,268
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 65,334	\$ 13,066	\$ 52,268
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	0	0	0
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 65,334	\$ 13,066	\$ 52,268
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	20.00%	80.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
4-97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	77,433	15,486	61,947
Transfers	13,008	2,600	10,408
Total Allocation	\$ 90,441	\$ 18,086	\$ 72,355
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 77,433	\$ 10,332	\$ 67,101
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	13,008	2,616	10,392
Total Expenditures	\$ 90,441	\$ 12,948	\$ 77,493
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 5,138	(\$ 5,138)
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	14.32%	85.68%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 13,008	\$ 2,600	\$ 10,408
Percentage Achieved	100.00%	100.62%	99.85%
4-98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 75,348	\$ 15,070	\$ 60,278
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 75,348	\$ 15,070	\$ 60,278
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 71,781	\$ 16,459	\$ 55,322
Total Expenditures	\$ 71,781	\$ 16,459	\$ 55,322
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 3,567	(\$ 1,389)	\$ 4,956
Percentage of Allocation	95.27%	21.84%	73.42%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 75,348	\$ 15,070	\$ 60,278
Percentage Achieved	95.27%	109.22%	91.78%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 71,781		
Obligations	0		
TOTAL	\$ 71,781		
Percentage Achieved	95.27%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, One Stop
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<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	0	0	0
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 483,000	\$ 483,000	\$ 0
Transfers	(19,729)	(19,729)	0
Total Allocation	\$ 463,271	\$ 463,271	\$ 0
Expenditures			
Expenditures 11/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 9,826	\$ 9,826	\$ 0
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	445,806	445,806	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 455,632	\$ 455,632	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 7,639	\$ 7,639	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	98.35%	98.35%	0.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 453,445	\$ 453,445	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	98.32%	98.32%	0.00%
98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures			
Expenditures 11/01/97-06/30/99	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 455,632		
Obligations	0		
TOTAL	\$ 455,632		
Percentage Achieved	98.35%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title III EDWAA For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>
A-96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 417,356	\$ 62,603	\$ 354,753
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 417,356	\$ 62,603	\$ 354,753
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 361,989	\$ 62,458	\$ 299,531
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	55,367	145	55,222
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 417,356	\$ 62,603	\$ 354,753
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	15.00%	85.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
A-97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 681,563	\$ 136,313	\$ 545,250
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 681,563	\$ 136,313	\$ 545,250
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 619,414	\$ 132,087	\$ 487,327
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	62,149	4,226	57,923
Total Expenditures	\$ 681,563	\$ 136,313	\$ 545,250
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	20.00%	80.00%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 62,149	\$ 4,226	\$ 57,923
Percentage Achieved	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
A-98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 573,296	\$ 114,659	\$ 458,637
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 573,296	\$ 114,659	\$ 458,637
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 570,249	\$ 114,144	\$ 456,105
Total Expenditures	\$ 570,249	\$ 114,144	\$ 456,105
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 3,047	\$ 515	\$ 2,532
Percentage of Allocation	99.47%	19.91%	79.56%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 573,296	\$ 114,659	\$ 458,637
Percentage Achieved	99.47%	99.55%	99.45%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 570,249		
Obligations	0		
TOTAL	\$ 570,249		
Percentage Achieved	99.47%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual, Title III NAFB For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Direct Training</u>	<u>Training Related & Supportive Service</u>
G-93 (Year Before Prior Year)				
Allocation amount	\$ 1,518,843	\$ 171,253	\$ 1,237,205	\$ 110,385
Transfers	0	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 1,518,843	\$ 171,253	\$ 1,237,205	\$ 110,385
Expenditures				
Expenditures 10/01/94-06/30/95	\$ 393,344	\$ 62,050	\$ 313,985	\$ 17,309
Expenditures 07/01/95-06/30/96	666,297	40,717	589,323	36,257
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	274,232	65,046	170,384	38,802
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	155,183	6,797	119,655	28,731
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	(5,064)	(4,851)	(86)	(127)
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,483,992	\$ 169,759	\$ 1,193,261	\$ 120,972
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 34,851	\$ 1,494	\$ 43,944	\$ 10,587
Percentage of Allocation	97.70%	11.18%	78.56%	7.96%
Budget				
PY98 budget	\$ 29,787	(\$ 3,357)	\$ 43,858	(\$ 10,714)
Percentage Achieved	-17.00%	144.50%	-0.20%	1.19%
G-94 (Prior Year)				
Allocation amount	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Allocation	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures				
Expenditures 07/01/95-06/30/96	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	0	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Budget				
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
G-95 (Current Year)				
Allocation amount	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Allocation	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures				
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Budget				
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
85% Analysis				
Expenditures	\$ 0			
Obligations	0			
TOTAL	\$ 0			
Percentage Achieved	0.00%			

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Schedule A-10

Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual
Gov. Reserve 96,97,98
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

Allocation	Grant Amount	Administration	Program
B-96 (Year Before Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 177,002	\$ 16,700	\$ 160,302
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 177,002	\$ 16,700	\$ 160,302
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 118,873	\$ 16,700	\$ 102,173
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	0	0	0
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 118,873	\$ 16,700	\$ 102,173
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 58,129	\$ 0	\$ 58,129
Percentage of Allocation	67.15%	9.43%	57.72%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
B-97 (Prior Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 253,555	\$ 46,711	\$ 206,844
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 253,555	\$ 46,711	\$ 206,844
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 253,555	\$ 46,711	\$ 206,844
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 253,555	\$ 46,711	\$ 206,844
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	100.00%	18.42%	81.58%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
B-98 (Current Year)			
Allocation amount	\$ 233,152	\$ 46,630	\$ 186,522
Transfers	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 233,152	\$ 46,630	\$ 186,522
Expenditures			
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	\$ 220,241	\$ 46,203	\$ 174,038
Total Expenditures	\$ 220,241	\$ 46,203	\$ 174,038
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 12,911	\$ 427	\$ 12,484
Percentage of Allocation	94.47%	19.82%	74.65%
Budget			
PY98 budget	\$ 233,152	\$ 46,630	\$ 186,522
Percentage Achieved	94.46%	99.08%	93.31%
85% Analysis			
Expenditures	\$ 220,241		
Obligations	0		
TOTAL	\$ 220,241		
Percentage Achieved	94.47%		

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Analysis of Cost Limitations and Budget to Actual
Title III COC II
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

<u>Allocation</u>	<u>Grant Amount</u>	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Direct Training</u>	<u>Training Related & Supportive Service</u>
F-95 (Prior Year)				
Allocation amount	\$ 458,901	\$ 29,225	\$ 101,642	\$ 328,034
Transfers	0	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 458,901	\$ 29,225	\$ 101,642	\$ 328,034
Expenditures				
Expenditures 07/01/95-06/30/96	\$ 38,137	\$ 2,315	\$ 5,282	\$ 30,540
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	263,241	13,704	57,758	191,779
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	121,528	12,601	29,009	79,918
Expenditures 07/01/98-06/30/99	23,058	186	11,633	11,239
Total Expenditures	\$ 445,964	\$ 28,806	\$ 103,682	\$ 313,476
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 12,937	\$ 419	(\$ 2,040)	\$ 14,558
Percentage of Allocation	97.18%	6.28%	22.59%	68.31%
Budget				
PY98 budget	\$ 35,995	\$ 605	\$ 9,593	\$ 25,797
Percentage Achieved	64.06%	30.74%	121.27%	43.57%
F-96 (Prior Year)				
Allocation amount	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Allocation	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures				
Expenditures 07/01/96-06/30/97	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	0	0	0	0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Budget				
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
F-97 (Prior Year)				
Allocation amount	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Transfers	0	0	0	0
Total Allocation	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Expenditures				
Expenditures 07/01/97-06/30/98	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
UNEXPENDED FUNDS	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage of Allocation	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Budget				
PY98 budget	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Percentage Achieved	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
85% Analysis				
Expenditures	\$ 0			
Obligations	0			
TOTAL	\$ 0			
Percentage Achieved	0.00%			

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Schedule B

Schedule of Variances
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

	<u>JTP Ohio</u>	<u>Audit Report</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Title II			
0-96-15-00-01	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
0-97-15-00-01	45,890	45,890	0
0-98-15-00-01	685,672	685,672	0
1-96-15-00-01	0	0	0
1-97-15-00-01	10,371	10,371	0
1-98-15-00-01	47,308	47,308	0
Y-96-15-00-01	0	0	0
Y-97-15-00-01	0	0	0
Y-98-15-00-01	142,447	142,447	0
5-97-15-00-00	0	0	0
5-98-15-00-01	640,821	640,821	0
5-99-15-00-00	212,686	212,686	0
3-96-15-00-00	5,192	5,192	0
3-97-15-00-00	50,282	50,282	0
4-96-15-00-01	0	0	0
4-97-15-00-02	13,008	13,008	0
4-98-15-00-02	71,781	71,781	0
TOTAL CFDA #17.250	<u>\$ 1,925,458</u>	<u>\$ 1,925,458</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Title III			
A-96-15-00-01	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
A-97-15-00-01	62,149	62,149	0
A-98-15-00-01	570,249	570,249	0
F-95-15-00-04	23,058	23,058	0
G-93-15-00-05	(5,064)	(5,064)	0
B-97-15-00-01	0	0	0
B-98-15-00-00	220,241	220,241	0
TOTAL CFDA #17.246	<u>\$ 870,633</u>	<u>\$ 870,633</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
One Stop			
COST\295-PROJ\3853	\$ 445,806	\$ 445,806	\$ 0
TOTAL CFDA #17.207	<u>\$ 445,806</u>	<u>\$ 445,806</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

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Schedule C

Schedule of Stand-In Costs
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

	<u>Administration</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>Total</u>
Title II			
0-96-15-00-01	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
0-97-15-00-01	0	42,243	42,243
0-98-15-00-01	0	13,136	13,136
1-96-15-00-01	0	0	0
1-97-15-00-01	0	0	0
1-98-15-00-01	0	570	570
Y-96-15-00-01	0	0	0
Y-97-15-00-01	0	2,990	2,990
Y-98-15-00-01	0	2,345	2,345
5-97-15-00-00	0	0	0
5-98-15-00-01	0	0	0
5-99-15-00-00	0	0	0
3-96-15-00-00	0	0	0
3-97-15-00-00	0	0	0
4-96-15-00-01	0	354	354
4-97-15-00-02	0	0	0
4-98-15-00-02	0	0	0
TOTAL CFDA #17.250	\$ 0	\$ 61,638	\$ 61,638
Title III			
A-96-15-00-01	\$ 0	\$ 3,740	3,740
A-97-15-00-01	0	6,858	6,858
A-98-15-00-01	0	1,358	1,358
F-95-15-00-04	0	106	106
G-93-15-00-05	0	0	0
B-97-15-00-01	0	0	0
B-98-15-00-00	0	0	0
TOTAL CFDA #17.246	\$ 0	\$ 12,062	\$ 12,062
One Stop			
COST295-PROJ3853	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
TOTAL CFDA #17.207	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

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Newark, Ohio

Schedule D

Schedule of Program Income
For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

	<u>Balance July 1, 1998</u>	<u>Earned Current Year</u>	<u>Expended Current Year</u>	<u>Balance June 30, 1999</u>
Title II				
0-96-15-00-01	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
0-97-15-00-01	2,475	0	2,475	0
0-98-15-00-01	0	2,321	1,557	764
1-96-15-00-01	0	0	0	0
1-97-15-00-01	68	0	68	0
1-98-15-00-01	0	149	96	53
Y-96-15-00-01	0	0	0	0
Y-97-15-00-01	0	0	0	0
Y-98-15-00-01	0	429	267	162
5-97-15-00-00	0	0	0	0
5-98-15-00-01	256	1,048	1,304	0
5-99-15-00-00	0	53	0	53
3-96-15-00-00	24	15	39	0
3-97-15-00-00	0	0	0	0
4-96-15-00-01	0	0	0	0
4-97-15-00-02	0	0	0	0
4-98-15-00-02	0	172	107	65
TOTAL CFDA #17.250	<u>\$ 2,823</u>	<u>\$ 4,187</u>	<u>\$ 5,913</u>	<u>\$ 1,097</u>
Title III				
A-96-15-00-01	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
A-97-15-00-01	1,904	0	1,904	0
A-98-15-00-01	0	2,199	1,847	352
F-95-15-00-04	6	56	23	39
G-93-15-00-05	266	0	266	0
B-97-15-00-01	353	0	353	0
B-98-15-00-00	0	453	0	453
TOTAL CFDA #17.246	<u>\$ 2,529</u>	<u>\$ 2,708</u>	<u>\$ 4,393</u>	<u>\$ 844</u>
One Stop				
COST295-PROJ\3853	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
TOTAL CFDA #17.207	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>

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Schedule E

Required Supplemental Information - Year 2000 (Unaudited) For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

Manufacturers have only recently designed equipment to accommodate date fields larger than two digits and consider the effects of certain date calculations. Previous devices will not be able to distinguish between the years 2000 and 1900 and determine the validity of such dates as February 29, 2000.

The Consortium activities will likely be disrupted, with a temporary increase in costs, if date sensitive devices are not fixed. Additionally, the Consortium could be subject to legal liability for the consequences of any malfunctions.

Disclosures required about year 2000 issues include the following:

Awareness Stage – Encompasses establishing a budget and project plan for dealing with the year 2000 issue.

Assessment Stage – When the Consortium begins the actual process of identifying all of its systems and individual components of the systems.

Remediation Stage – When the Consortium actually makes changes to systems and equipment.

Validation/Testing Stage – When the Consortium validates and tests the changes made during the conversion process.

Following are management's estimates of work in process or work completed:

System	Awareness	Assessment	Remediation	Validation/ Testing
Accounting, General Ledger	C	C	C	C
Accounts Payable	C	C	C	C
Payroll	C	C	C	C
Telecommunications	C	C	C	C
Education Software	C	C	C	C
Server	C	C	P	A

C = Completed, P = In Process, A= To be Addressed

**REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL
CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN
AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED
IN ACCORDANCE WITH *GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS***

To the Board of Directors
Central Ohio Rural Consortium
Newark, Ohio

We have audited the financial statements of Central Ohio Rural Consortium (a nonprofit organization) as of and for the year ended June 30, 1999, and have issued our report thereon dated September 16, 1999. We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Central Ohio Rural Consortium's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Central Ohio Rural Consortium's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Williams Young, LLC

Williams Young

Madison, Wisconsin
September 16, 1999

**REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE
TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER
COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133**

To the Board of Directors
Central Ohio Rural Consortium
Newark, Ohio

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Central Ohio Rural Consortium (a nonprofit organization) with the types of compliance requirements described in the *U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 1999. Central Ohio Rural Consortium's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its major federal program is the responsibility of Central Ohio Rural Consortium's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Central Ohio Rural Consortium's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Central Ohio Rural Consortium's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on Central Ohio Rural Consortium's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, Central Ohio Rural Consortium complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 1999.

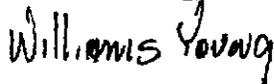
Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of Central Ohio Rural Consortium is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Central Ohio Rural Consortium's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Williams Young, LLC



Madison, Wisconsin
September 16, 1999

Central Ohio Rural Consortium

Newark, Ohio

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended June 30, 1999

A. SUMMARY OF AUDIT RESULTS

1. The auditors' report expresses an unqualified opinion on the financial statements of Central Ohio Rural Consortium.
2. No reportable conditions relating to the audit of the financial statements are reported in the Report on Compliance and on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance With *Government Auditing Standards*.
3. No instances of noncompliance material to the financial statements of Central Ohio Rural Consortium were disclosed during the audit.
4. No reportable conditions were disclosed during the audit of the major federal award program as reported in the Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable to Each Major Program and Internal Control Over Compliance in Accordance With OMB Circular A-133.
5. The auditors' report on compliance for the major federal award program for Central Ohio Rural Consortium expresses an unqualified opinion.
6. There were no audit findings relative to the major federal award program for Central Ohio Rural Consortium.
7. The program tested as a major program was U.S. Department of Labor, JTPA Cluster CFDA #17.250 and #17.246.
8. The threshold for distinguishing Types A and B programs was \$300,000.
9. Central Ohio Rural Consortium was determined to be a low-risk auditee.

B. FINDINGS – FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AUDIT

None

C. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS – MAJOR FEDERAL AWARD PROGRAMS AUDIT

Findings: None
Questioned Costs: None



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CENTRAL OHIO RURAL CONSORTIUM

LICKING 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.

By: Susan Babbitt

Date: APRIL 4, 2000