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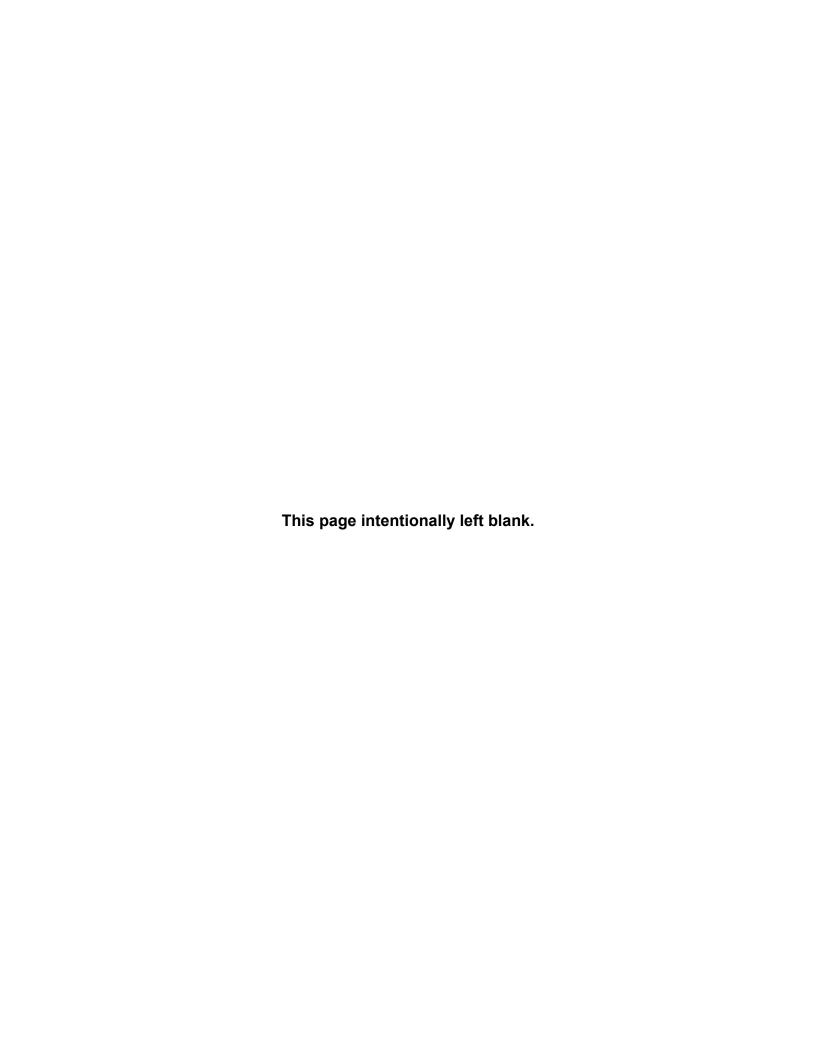
REGULAR AUDIT

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001-2000



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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

Peninsula Public Library and Historical Society Summit County P.O. Box 236 Peninsula, Ohio 44264-0236

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Peninsula Public Library and Historical Society, Summit County, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2001 and 2000. 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 *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits 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 audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As discussed in Note 1, the Library prepares its financial statements on the basis of accounting prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

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 Library as of December 31, 2001 and 2000, and its combined cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated May 17, 2002 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 grants. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audits.

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This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of Trustees and other officials authorized to receive this report under § 117.26, Ohio Revised Code, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Jim Petro Auditor of State

May 17, 2002

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001

	Governmental	Governmental Fund Types		
	General	Capital Projects	Totals (Memorandum Only)	
Cash Receipts:				
Property and Other Local Taxes	\$15,141	\$0	\$15,141	
Other Government Grants-In-Aid	461,276	•	461,276	
Patron Fines and Fees	6,697		6,697	
Earnings on Investments	1,623		1,623	
Miscellaneous Receipts	652		652	
Total Cash Receipts	485,389	0	485,389	
Cash Disbursements:				
Current:				
Salaries and Benefits	216,210		216,210	
Purchased and Contracted Services	108,464		108,464	
Supplies	6,993		6,993	
Library Materials and Information	45,053		45,053	
Other Objects	4,881	4.040	4,881	
Capital Outlay	2,827	1,342	4,169	
Total Cash Disbursements	384,428	1,342	385,770	
Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements	100,961	(1,342)	99,619	
Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements):				
Transfers-In		50,000	50,000	
Transfers-Out	(50,000)		(50,000)	
Total Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements)	(50,000)	50,000	0	
Excess of Cash Receipts and Other Financing				
Receipts Over Cash Disbursements				
and Other Financing Disbursements	50,961	48,658	99,619	
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	42,781	28,927	71,708	
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$93,742	\$77,585	\$171,327	
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$17,668	\$0	\$17,668	
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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, 2000

	Governmental	Governmental Fund Types		
	General	Capital Projects	Totals (Memorandum Only)	
Cash Receipts:	¢1E 111	ድር	¢15 111	
Property and Other Local Taxes Other Government Grants-In-Aid	\$15,141 329,913	\$0	\$15,141 329,913	
Patron Fines and Fees	6,967		6,967	
	536		536	
Earnings on Investments				
Total Cash Receipts	352,557	0	352,557	
Cash Disbursements:				
Current:				
Salaries and Benefits	201,280		201,280	
Purchased and Contracted Services	98,245		98,245	
Supplies	5,073		5,073	
Library Materials and Information	32,288		32,288	
Other Objects	3,465		3,465	
Capital Outlay	808_	9,766	10,574	
Total Cash Disbursements	341,159	9,766	350,925	
Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements	11,398	(9,766)	1,632	
Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements):				
Transfers-In	21,000		21,000	
Transfers-Out		(21,000)	(21,000)	
Total Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements)	21,000	(21,000)	0	
Excess of Cash Receipts and Other Financing				
Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements and Other Financing Disbursements	32,398	(30,766)	1,632	
and Other Financing Disbursements	32,396	(30,700)	1,032	
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	10,383	59,693	70,076	
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	<u>\$42,781</u>	\$28,927	\$71,708	
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$12,184	\$0	\$12,184	

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

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2001 AND 2000

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Description of the Entity

Peninsula Public Library and Historical Society, Summit County, (the Library) is a body corporate and politic established to exercise the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and the laws of the State of Ohio. The Library is an Association Library directed by a twelve-member Board of Trustees. As an association, the Board of Trustees "appoints" new members. 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. Basis of Accounting

These financial statements follow the basis of accounting prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State, which is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements basis of accounting. Receipts are recognized when received in cash rather than when earned, and disbursements are recognized 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 prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State.

C. Cash

All monies are maintained in an interest bearing checking account.

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 is the general operating fund. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

2. Capital Projects Funds

These funds are used to account for receipts that are restricted for the acquisition or construction of major capital projects (except those financed through enterprise or trust funds). The Library has the following significant Capital Projects fund:

Building Fund - This fund is used for the acquisition of building and land improvements.

E. Budgetary Process

The Ohio Administrative Code requires budgeting for each fund annually.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2001 AND 2000 (Continued)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Budgetary Process (continued)

1. Appropriations

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.

2. Estimated Resources

Estimated resources include estimates of cash to be received (budgeted receipts) plus unencumbered cash as of January 1.

3. Encumbrances

The Ohio Administrative Code requires the Library to reserve (encumber) appropriations when commitments are made. Encumbrances outstanding at year end are carried over, and need not be reappropriated.

Effective January 1, 2001, the Ohio Administrative Code amended library budgetary requirements. Libraries are not required to estimate resources or encumber appropriations.

A summary of 2001 and 2000 budgetary activity appears in Note 3.

F. Property, Plant and Equipment

Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment are recorded as capital outlay disbursements when paid. These items are not reflected as assets on the accompanying financial statements.

G. Accumulated Leave

In certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment, employees are entitled to cash payments for unused leave. Unpaid leave is not reflected as a liability under the basis of accounting the Library uses.

2. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH

The Library maintains a cash pool used by all funds. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes allowable deposits. The carrying amount of cash at December 31 follows:

	2001	2000
Demand deposits Petty Cash	\$171,127 200	\$71,508 200
Total deposits	\$171,327	\$71,708

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

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2001 AND 2000 (Continued)

3. BUDGETARY ACTIVITY

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2001 and 2000 follows:

Fund Type		Budgeted Receipts	Actual Receipts	Variance
General Capital Projects		\$494,777 0	\$485,389 50,000	(\$9,388) 50,000
	Total	\$494,777	\$535,389	\$40,612

2001 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

Fund Type		Appropriation Authority	Budgetary Expenditures	Variance
General Capital Projects		\$524,722 28,927	\$452,096 1,342	\$72,626 27,585
	Total	\$553,649	\$453,438	\$100,211

2000 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts

Fund Type		Budgeted Receipts	Actual Receipts	Variance
General Capital Projects		\$357,990 0	\$373,557 0	\$15,567 0
	Total	\$357,990	\$373,557	\$15,567

2000 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

Fund Type		Appropriation Authority	Budgetary Expenditures	Variance
General Capital Projects		\$357,993 59,693	\$353,343 30,766	\$4,650 28,927
	Total	\$417,686	\$384,109	\$33,577

4. GRANTS-IN-AID AND TAX RECEIPTS

The primary source of revenue for Ohio public libraries is the State Library and Local Government Support Fund (LLGSF). The LLGSF is allocated 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.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2001 AND 2000 (Continued)

4. GRANTS-IN-AID AND TAX RECEIPTS (Continued)

Real property taxes become a lien on January 1 preceding the October 1 date for which rates are adopted by the taxing authority of the subdivision to whose jurisdiction the Library is subject. The State Board of Tax Equalization adjusts these rates for inflation. Property taxes are also reduced for applicable homestead and rollback deductions. Homestead and rollback amounts are then paid by the State, and are reflected in the accompanying financial statements as Other Governments Grants In Aid. Payments are due to the County by December 31. If the property owner elects to make semiannual payments, the first half is due December 31. The second half payment is due the following June 20.

Public utilities are also taxed on personal and real property located within the taxing district.

Tangible personal property tax is assessed by the property owners, who must file a list of such property to the County by each April 30.

The County is responsible for assessing property, and for billing, collecting, and distributing all property taxes on behalf of the Library.

5. RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Public Employees Retirement System of Ohio (PERS) is a state operated, cost-sharing, multiple employer public employee retirement system. PERS provides retirement benefits to vested employees who are eligible to retire based upon years of service. PERS also provides survivor and disability benefits to vested employees.

Contribution rates are also prescribed by the Ohio Revised Code. For 2001 and 2000, PERS members contributed 8.5% of their gross salaried. The Library contributed an amount equal to 13.55% of participants' gross salaries for 2001 and from January 1, 2000 through June 30, 2000. PERS temporarily reduced the employer contribution rate to 8.13% effective July 1, 2000 through December 31, 2000. The Library has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2001.

6. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Library has obtained commercial insurance for the following risks:

- Comprehensive property and general liability;
- Vehicles; and
- · Errors and omissions.

The Library also provides health insurance and dental and vision coverage to full-time employees through a private carrier.



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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Peninsula Public Library and Historical Society Summit County P.O. Box 236 Peninsula, Ohio 44264-0236

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Peninsula Public Library and Historical Society, Summit County, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2001 and 2000, and have issued our report thereon dated May 17, 2002. 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 *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Library'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 audits 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 audits, we considered the Library'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.

However, we noted a matter involving the internal control over financial reporting that does not require inclusion in this report, that we have reported to management of the Library in a separate letter dated May 17, 2002.

Peninsula Public Library and Historical Society Summit County Report of Independent Accountants on Compliance and on Internal Control Required By *Government Auditing Standards* Page 2

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Jim Petro Auditor of State

May 17, 2002

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS DECEMBER 31, 2001 AND 2000

Finding Number	Finding Summary	Fully Corrected?	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; <i>Explain</i> :
1999-00977-001	During 1999 and 1998 appropriations exceeded budgeted receipts in the General and Capital Projects Funds.	Yes	



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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 JUNE 11, 2002