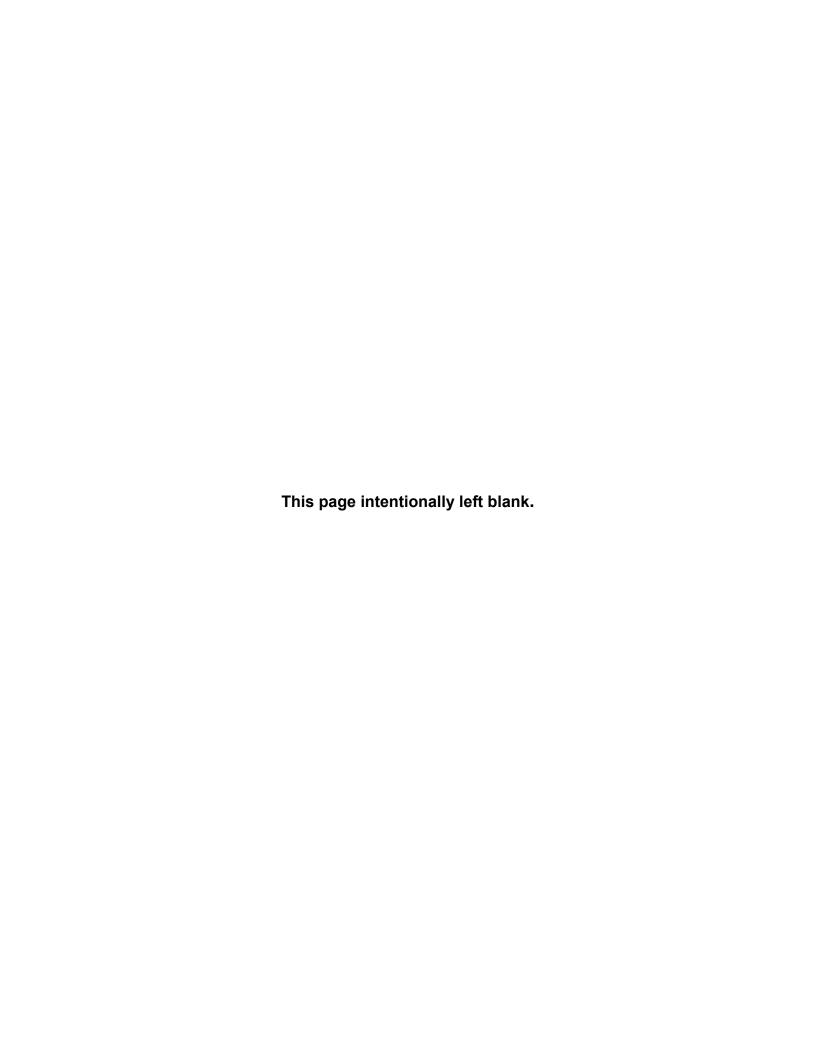




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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Andover Public Library Ashtabula County 142 West Main Street Andover, Ohio 44003

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Andover Public Library, Ashtabula County (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001. 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 audit.

We conducted our audit 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 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.

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 reserve for encumbrances of the Library as of December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001, 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 27, 2003 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 audit.

Andover Public Library Ashtabula County Independent Accountants' Report Page 2

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This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, 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.

Betty Montgomery Auditor of State

May 27, 2003

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL AND SIMILAR FIDUCIARY FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002

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Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements (10,637) (12,935) 30,991 7,419	Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements	(10,637)	(12,935)	30,991	7,419
Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements):					
Transfers-In 20,662 20,662		20,662	(0.000)	(44.000)	
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and Other Financing Disbursements 10,025 (21,997) 19,391 7,419		10,025	(21,997)	19,391	7,419
Fund Cash Balances, January 1 7,901 22,582 95,271 125,754	Fund Cash Balances, January 1	7,901	22,582	95,271	125,754
Fund Cash Balances, December 31 \$17.926 \$585 \$114.662 \$133.173	Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$17,926	\$585	\$114,662	\$133,173
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31 \$1.500 \$0 \$0 \$1.500	Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$1,500	\$0	\$0	\$1,500

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES NONEXPENDABLE TRUST FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002

	Fiduciary Fund Types
	Nonexpendable Trust
Operating Cash Receipts: Patron Fees and Fines	\$1,793
Operating Cash Disbursements: Current: Library Materials and Information	332
Operating Income/(Loss)	1,461
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	76,716
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$78,177

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

	Governmental Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Type		
	General	Capital Projects	Expendable Trust	Totals (Memorandum Only)	
Cash Receipts: Property and Other Local Taxes Patron Fines and Fees	\$282,425 13,321	\$0	\$0	\$282,425 13,321	
Earnings on Investments Contributions, Gifts and Donations	722 11,410	833	7,292	8,847 11,410	
Total Cash Receipts	307,878	833	7,292	316,003	
Cash Disbursements: Current: Salaries and Benefits Supplies Purchased and Contracted Services Library Materials & Info. Other Objects Capital Outlay	139,991 17,928 67,173 69,786 5,497 20,242	27,424	937	139,991 17,928 67,173 70,723 5,497 47,666	
Total Cash Disbursements	320,617	27,424	937	348,978	
Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements	(12,739)	(26,591)	6,355	(32,975)	
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	20,640	49,173	88,916	158,729	
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$7,901	\$22,582	\$95,271	\$125,754	
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,000	

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES NONEXPENDABLE TRUST FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001

	Fiduciary Fund Types
	Nonexpendable Trust
Operating Cash Receipts: Patron Fees and Fines	\$1,999
Operating Cash Disbursements: Current: Purchased and Contracted Services	2,498
Operating Income/(Loss)	(499)
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	77,215
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$76,716

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Description of the Entity

Andover Public Library, Ashtabula County, (the Library) is a body corporate and politic established to exercise the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of Ohio. The Library is directed by a seven-member Board of Trustees appointed by Pymatuning Valley Local School District Board of Education.

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 and Investments

Investments are reported as assets. Accordingly, purchases of investments are not recorded as disbursements, and sales of investments are not recorded as receipts. Gains or losses at the time of sale are recorded as receipts or disbursements, respectively.

Certificates of deposit are valued at cost. Stocks are recorded at cost and reported at fair value in the respective funds.

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 Project Funds

This fund is 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 had the following significant capital project fund:

Building Fund – This fund is subsidized by transfers from the General Fund.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

3. Fiduciary Funds (Trust Funds)

Trust funds are used to account for resources restricted by legally binding trust agreements. If the agreement requires the Library to maintain the corpus of the trust, the fund is classified as a nonexpendable trust fund. Other trust funds are classified as expendable. The Library had the following significant fiduciary funds:

Expendable Trust Fund - Meacham Fund

Nonexpendable Trust Fund - Sawdy Fund

E. Budgetary Process

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

A summary of 2002 and 2001 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 AND INVESTMENTS

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

	2002	2001
Demand deposits	\$25,658	\$66,776
Certificates of deposit	136,597	86,599
Total deposits	162,255	153,375
Investments:		
Common stock (at cost, see below for the fair value		
at December 31, 2002 and 2001, respectively.)	49,095	49,095
Total deposits and investments	\$211,350	\$202,470

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

2. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS (Continued)

Deposits: Deposits are either (1) insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation or (2) collateralized by the financial institution's public entity deposit pool.

Investments: Stock certificates were donated to the Library's General Fund, Sawdy Trust Fund (Nonexpendable Trust), and to the Library's Expendable Trust Funds. These investments are reported at the fair value on the date of donation. Stock dividends are reported at the fair value on the dividend distribution date. The fair value of the stock as of 12/31/02 and 12/31/01 are listed below:

Company	# of Shares	\$ per Share	Fair Value @ 12/31/02
Exxon	480	34.94	\$16,771.20
Ford	220	9.30	2,046.00
GM (Common)	60	36.86	2,211.60
GM (H)	2	25.08	50.16
GM (Delphi)	41	8.05	330.05
Sears	60	36.86	2,211.60
Morgan Stanley	46	39.92	1,836.32
All-State	55	36.99	2,034.45
Andover Bank	3	700.00	2,100.00
Citigroup	84	35.19	2,955.96
Visteon	28	6.96	<u>194.88</u>
Total			\$32,742.22

<u>Company</u>	# of Shares	\$ per Share	Fair Value @ 12/31/01
Exxon	240	39.30	\$9,432.00
Ford	220	15.72	3,458.40
GM (Common)	60	48.60	2,916.00
GM (H)	2	15.45	30.90
GM (Delphi)	41	13.66	560.06
Sears	60	47.64	2,858.40
Morgan Stanley	46	55.94	2,573.24
All-State	55	33.70	1,853.50
Andover Bank	3	700.00	2,100.00
Citigroup	84	50.48	4,240.32
Visteon	28	15.04	<u>421.12</u>
Total			\$30,443.94

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

3. BUDGETARY ACTIVITY

Budgetary activity for the years ending 2002 and 2001 as follows:

2002 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$301,000	\$291,686	\$9,314
Capital Projects	22,000	22,200	(200)
Fiduciary	98,600	36,563	62,037
Total	\$421,600	\$350,449	\$71,151

2001 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$338,199	\$321,617	\$16,582
Capital Projects	50,000	27,424	22,576
Fiduciary	10,200	3,435	6,765
Total	\$398,399	\$352,476	\$45,923

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.

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 prescribed by the Ohio Revised Code. The Library's PERS members contributed 8.5% of their gross salaries. The Library contributed an amount equal to 13.55% of participants' gross salaries for 2002 and 2001. The Library has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2002.

6. RISK MANAGEMENT

Commercial Insurance

The Andover Public Library has obtained commercial insurance for the following risks:

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



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

Andover Public Library Ashtabula County 142 West Main Street Andover, OH 44003

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Andover Public Library, Ashtabula County (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001, and have issued our report thereon dated May 27, 2003. We conducted our audit 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 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 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 one 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 27, 2003.

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This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management and Board of Trustees, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Betty Montgomery Auditor of State

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May 27, 2003

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2002-01

Finding Number	Finding Summary	Fully Corrected?	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; Explain:
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2000-41104-001	Finding for Recovery	Yes	
2000-41104-002	Ohio Admin Code 117-04-07	Yes	
2000-41104-003	Ohio Revised Code 3375.35	Yes	
2000-41104-004	Disbursement	Yes	



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ANDOVER PUBLIC LIBRARY ASHTABULA COUNTY

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

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

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED JUNE 12, 2003