#### CENTRAL OHIO RISK MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION SELF-INSURANCE POOL, INC.

FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(AUDITED)
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED
SEPTEMBER 30, 2005



# Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Board of Trustees Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self Insurance Pool, Inc. c/o City of Westerville 21 S. State Street Westerville, OH 43081

We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self Insurance Pool, Inc., Franklin County, prepared by Julian and Grube, Inc., for the audit period October 1, 2004 through September 30, 2005. 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 Risk Management Association Self Insurance Pool, Inc. is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

January 23, 2007



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#### Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Trustees Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self-Insurance Pool, Inc. c/o City of Westerville 21 S. State Street Westerville, OH 43081

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self-Insurance Pool, Inc. (the "Association"), Franklin County, Ohio as of and for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2005, which collectively comprise the Association's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Association's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. The financial statements of the Association as of September 30, 2004, were audited by other auditors whose report dated February 17, 2006, expressed an unqualified opinion on those statements.

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 the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. 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 the 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 financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Association as of September 30, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows thereof for the fiscal year ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 26, 2006, on our consideration of the Association's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The management's discussion and analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements of the Association taken as a whole. The supplemental claim information on pages 17 - 18 is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. This information is the responsibility of Association's management. Such information for the year ended September 30, 2005 has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Julian & Grube, Inc. September 26, 2006

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#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 UNAUDITED

The discussion and analysis of the Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self-Insurance Pool, Inc.'s (the "Association") financial performance provides an overall review of the Association's financial activities for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2005. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Association's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the Association's financial performance.

#### **Financial Highlights**

Key financial highlights for 2005 are as follows:

- In total, net assets were a deficit of \$321,086 at September 30, 2005. At September 30, 2004, net assets were a deficit of \$116.312.
- The Association has hired an independent actuary, Financial Risk Analysts, LLC, to determine the loss and loss adjustment expense reserves. Based upon the actuary's report, the loss and loss adjustment expense reserves has increased \$246,292 to \$829,770 at September 30, 2005, compared to \$583,478 and \$452,108 at September 30, 2004 and 2003, respectively.
- The Association had operating revenues of \$1,037,804 and operating expenses of \$1,255,341 for fiscal year 2005. The Association had \$12,763 in interest revenue. Operating loss and the change in net assets for the fiscal year was (\$217,537) and (\$204,774), respectively. The losses are primarily attributed to the increase in the loss and loss adjustment expense reserve mentioned above.

#### **Using these Basic Financial Statements**

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand the Association's financial activities. The *Statement of Net Assets* and *Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets* provide information about the activities of the Association, including all short-term and long-term financial resources and obligations.

#### **Reporting the Association Financial Activities**

### Statement of Net Assets, Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets and the Statement of Cash Flows

These documents look at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during fiscal 2005?" The statement of net assets and the statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets answer this question. These statements include *all assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses* using the *accrual basis of accounting* similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The statement of net assets and the statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets report the Association's *net assets* and changes in those assets. This change in net assets is important because it tells the reader that, for the Association as a whole, the *financial position* of the Association has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. The Association's statement of net assets and statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets can be found on pages 7-8 of this report.

The statement of cash flows provides information about how the Association finances and meets the cash flow needs of its operations. The statement of cash flows can be found on page 9 of this report.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 UNAUDITED

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the financial statements. These notes to the basic financial statements can be found on pages 10-16 of this report.

The table below provides a summary of the Association's net assets for fiscal year 2005 and 2004.

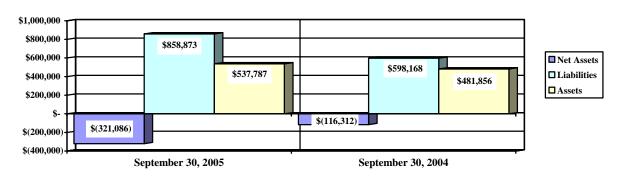
#### **Net Assets**

Agasta	2005	2004
Assets Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$ 537,787	\$ 481,856
Total assets	537,787	481,856
<u>Liabilities:</u>		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	29,103	14,690
Loss and loss adjustment expense reserves	829,770	583,478
Total liabilities	858,873	598,168
Net Assets:		
Unrestricted	(321,086)	(116,312)
Total net assets	\$ (321,086)	\$ (116,312)

Net assets increased by \$204,774 primarily due to operating expenses exceeding operating revenues by approximately \$217,537 coupled with approximately a \$4,830 increase in interest revenue earned in fiscal 2005 compared to fiscal 2004. Loss and loss adjustment expense, net was 55.54% of total fiscal 2005 operating revenue while loss and loss adjustment expense, net was 41.24% of total fiscal 2004 operating revenue.

The chart below shows a breakdown of the Associations assets, liabilities and net assets for 2005 versus 2004:

#### **Net Assets**



The table below shows the changes in net assets for fiscal year 2005 and 2004.

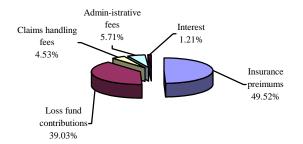
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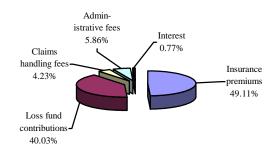
#### **Change in Net Assets**

			Increase
	2005	2004	(Decrease)
Revenues:			
Insurance premiums	\$ 520,232	\$ 502,953	\$ 17,279
Loss fund contributions	410,000	410,000	-
Claims handling fees	47,571	43,376	4,195
Administrative fees	60,001	60,001	
Total revenue	1,037,804	1,016,330	21,474
Expenses:			
Loss and loss adjustment expenses, net	576,413	419,146	157,267
Insurance premiums	520,232	503,143	17,089
Administration fees	60,001	60,001	-
Claims handling fees	47,571	43,376	4,195
Professional fees	51,114	19,415	31,699
Miscellaneous expenses	10	24	(14)
Total expenses	1,255,341	1,045,105	210,236
Operating income (loss)	(217,537)	(28,775)	(188,762)
Nonoperating revenues:			
Interest	12,763	7,933	4,830
Total nonoperating revenues	12,763	7,933	4,830
Change in net assets	(204,774)	(20,842)	(183,932)
Net assets (deficit), October 1	(116,312)	(95,470)	(20,842)
Net assets (deficit), September 30	\$ (321,086)	\$ (116,312)	\$ (204,774)

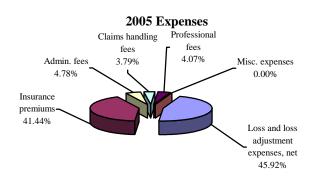
The loss and loss adjustment expenses, net, was the primary area of increase from 2004. This increase is attributable to the \$246,292 increase in the loss and loss adjustment expense reserves as determined by the Associations independent actuary. All other revenue and expense amounts were comparable to 2004. The charts below reflect the percentage of the revenues and expenses in fiscal year 2005 versus 2004:

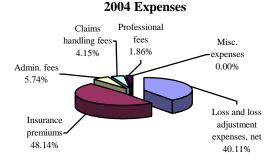
#### 2005 Revenues 2004 Revenues





#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 UNAUDITED





#### **Capital Assets**

The Association has no capital assets.

#### **Debt Administration**

The Association has no debt obligations.

#### **Current Financial Related Activities**

The Association is committed to providing its member cities with the advantages of a large buying cooperative, while maintaining control by the local city leadership. Since its inception, the Association has added one additional member to the Association, and will continue to look at other members who meet the established criteria. Underwriting considerations are of utmost importance in reviewing new membership applications, as the Association is committed to protecting the long-term financial interests of its core members, and will not admit a new member that will adversely impact premiums and claims payments.

For fiscal year 2003, the Association net assets were a deficit of \$95,470. Net assets decreased to a deficit of \$116,312 at the end of fiscal year 2004 and reached \$321,086 at the end of fiscal year 2005. Establishing premiums that satisfy all claims, administration fees, and other expenses of the Association, in addition to enhancing the net assets position is important for the short-term and long-term interests of the Association.

#### Contacting the Association s Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizen's, taxpayers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the Association's finances and to show the Association's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information contact Mr. Adam Maxwell, Treasurer, 21 South State Street, Westerville, Ohio 43081 or by calling (614) 901-6407.

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#### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR 2004)

	2005		2004	
Assets:  Equity in pooled cash and cash equivalents	\$	537,787	\$	481,856
Total assets		537,787		481,856
Liabilities:         Accounts payable and accrued expenses		29,103 829,770		14,690 583,478
Total liabilities		858,873		598,168
Net assets: Unrestricted		(321,086)		(116,312)
Total net assets	\$	(321,086)	\$	(116,312)

THE NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THIS STATEMENT.

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR 2004)

	2005	2004
Operating revenues:	 	
Member contributions:		
Insurance premiums	\$ 520,232	\$ 502,953
Loss fund contributions	410,000	410,000
Claims handling fees	47,571	43,376
Administrative fees	 60,001	 60,001
Total operating revenues	 1,037,804	 1,016,330
Operating expenses:		
Loss and loss adjustment expenses, net	576,413	419,146
Insurance premiums	520,232	503,143
Administration fees	60,001	60,001
Claims handling fees	47,571	43,376
Professional fees	51,114	19,415
Miscellaneous expenses	 10	 24
Total operating expenses	 1,255,341	 1,045,105
Operating loss	 (217,537)	 (28,775)
Nonoperating revenues:		
Interest	 12,763	 7,933
Total nonoperating revenues	 12,763	 7,933
Change in net assets	(204,774)	(20,842)
Net assets, October 1, 2004	 (116,312)	 (95,470)
Net assets, September 30, 2005	\$ (321,086)	\$ (116,312)

THE NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THIS STATEMENT.

#### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR 2004)

	2005	2004
Cash flows from operating activities:	 	
Cash received from members	\$ 1,037,804	\$ 1,016,330
Cash payments to suppliers for services	(664,515)	(613,739)
Cash payments for covered losses	 (330,121)	 (212,776)
Net cash provided by operating activities	 43,168	 189,815
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Interest received	 12,763	 7,933
Net cash provided by investing activities	 12,763	 7,933
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	55,931	197,748
Cash and cash equivalents, October 1, 2004	481,856	284,108
Cash and cash equivalents, September 30, 2005	\$ 537,787	\$ 481,856
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Operating loss	\$ (217,537)	\$ (28,775)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash provided by operating activities: Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Decrease in reimbursements receivable	_	75,000
Increase in accounts payable	14.413	12,220
Increase in loss and loss adjustment expense reserves	 246,292	 131,370
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 43,168	\$ 189,815

THE NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THIS STATEMENT.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE FOR 2004)

#### NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF THE ENTITY

The Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self-Insurance Pool, Inc. (the "Association") is a legally separate entity organized under Ohio Revised Code Section 1702.01. The Association was established on September 24, 1997. The Association was formed to administer a joint self-insurance pool under Chapter 2744.081 of the Ohio Revised Code for the public purpose of enabling the subscribing political subdivisions to obtain insurance coverage, to provide methods for paying claims and to provide for a formalized, jointly administered self-insurance fund for its members. The Association is administered by a Board of Directors appointed by the Members of the Association.

#### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic financial statements of the Association have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The Association also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Statements and Interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, provided they do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The Association also has the option to apply FASB Statements and Interpretations issued after November 30, 1989, subject to this same limitation. The Association has elected to apply these FASB Statements and Interpretations. The Association's significant accounting policies are described below.

#### A. Reporting Entity

The reporting entity has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity" as amended by GASB Statement No. 39 "Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units". The reporting entity is composed of the primary government, component units and other organization that are included to ensure that the basic financial statements of the Association are not misleading. On this basis, no governmental organizations or agencies other than the Association itself are included in the financial reporting entity.

#### **B.** Fund Accounting

The Association maintains its accounting records in accordance with the principles of "fund" accounting. Fund accounting is a concept developed to meet the needs of government entities in which legal or other restraints require the recording of specific revenues and expenses. The Association uses an enterprise fund to account for operations (a) that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises, where the intent of the governing body is that the costs of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges; or (b) where the governing body has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for public policy, management control, accountability or other purposes.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE FOR 2004)

#### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### C. Basis of Accounting/Measurement Focus

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

For financial statement presentation purposes, the Association utilizes the accrual basis of accounting. Under this method of accounting, revenues are recognized when they are earned and expenses are recognized when the liability is incurred.

The Association's activities are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the Association's operations are included on the statement of net assets. The statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in net total assets.

The Association distinguishes operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from charges to members for insurance premiums, loss fund contributions, claims handling fees and administrative fees. Operating expenses for the Association include the payment of loss and loss adjustment expenses, insurance premiums, administrative fees, claims handling fees, professional fees and miscellaneous expenses. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses. The principal nonoperating revenue of the Association is investment income.

#### D. Assets, Liabilities and Net Assets

#### Cash:

For purposes of reporting cash flows, the Association considers all cash accounts which are not subject to withdrawal restrictions or penalties, and all highly-liquid debt investments purchased with a maturity of three months or less to be cash.

#### Receivables:

All receivables are shown net of an allowance for uncollectible amounts, as applicable. Receivables in excess of 90 days are evaluated for the ability to collect them and an allowance is established, as deemed necessary, based on the best information available and in an amount that management believes is adequate. Receivables are written off when deemed uncollectible. Recoveries of receivables previously written off are recorded when received. The Association has no receivables at September 30, 2005.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE FOR 2004)

#### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### Loss and loss adjustment expense reserves:

Provisions for loss reserves and loss adjustment expense reserves are based on information reported by members and are calculated by an actuary. These amounts represent an estimate of reported unpaid claims plus a provision for claims incurred but not reported. Adjustments to this reserve account are charged or credited to expense in the period in which they are made. The Association's management believes that the estimate of the liability for loss reserves is reasonable. However, actual incurred loss and loss adjustment expense may not conform to the assumptions inherent in the determination of the liability. Accordingly, the ultimate settlement of losses and the related loss adjustment expense may vary from the estimated amounts included in the accompanying financial statements. Should the provision for loss reserves be insufficient, supplemental contributions will be assessed to the Association members.

#### Net assets:

Net assets are the excess of revenues over expenses during the period in which the Association has been in existence. If adequate provision has been made for the payment of all claims and expenses of the Association, the Board of Trustees, at its discretion, may distribute surplus funds to members during that particular year, provided that such members are also members in the year in which the distribution is made. In lieu of distributing surplus funds to the members, the Board may carry forward the surplus to offset annual or supplemental payments in the subsequent fiscal year.

In the event the Association is terminated, all members of the Association are obligated for any necessary supplemental payments applicable to the years during which they were members. After all claims and related expenses have been paid or reserves established for the payment of any such claims, any surplus funds will be distributed to members, past or present, who constituted the Association for that fiscal year.

#### E. Revenues and Expenses

#### Premiums, member and supplemental contributions, claims handling fees and administrative fees:

Premiums are determined based on the member's allocated insurance coverage costs as determined by the Association administrator and are recognized ratably as revenue and the related expense over the insurance coverage period.

Member and supplemental contributions are determined based on a formula approved by the Board of Trustees and applied to all members to provide sufficient funds within the self-insurance pool to adequately fund administrative expenses of the Association and to create adequate reserves for claims and unallocated loss adjustment expense.

Under the terms of the cooperative agreement, should the annual contributions not be sufficient to fund operations or obligations of the Association, additional supplementary payments shall be required to be made by every member based on the formula used to determine the annual contributions.

Claims handling and administrative fees are based on a contract with a third party and are recognized ratably as revenue and the related expense by the Association over the term of the agreement.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE FOR 2004)

#### NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

#### Insurance coverage:

The Association provides insurance coverage for various lines of insurance including property, general liability, automobile liability, automobile physical damage, crime, public official's liability, employee benefits liability and medical professional liability. The self-insured portion is limited to annual aggregates. Losses over the Association deductible and the varying self-insured deductible amounts are payable by commercial insurance policies with varying limits.

The Association has an agreement with a company to administer claims and loss control.

#### Reinsurance:

The Association uses reinsurance agreements to reduce its exposure to large losses on all types of insured events. Reinsurance permits recovery of a portion of losses from these reinsurance agreements, although it does not discharge the primary liability of the Association as direct insurer of the risks insured. The Association does not report reinsured risks as liabilities unless it is probable that those risks will not be covered by the reinsurance agreements. The Association is contingently liable with respect to certain loss coverage, which would become a liability in the event the insurance carriers are unable to meet the obligations under these contracts.

#### F. Cash and Investments

The Association maintains three individual accounts for claims, a loss fund, and an administrative fund. Each separate account is a depository accounts with a financial institution. The total of the three depository accounts are presented on the statement of net assets as "Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents". The Association does not maintain any investments.

#### G. Budgetary Process

Under Ohio law, the Association is not required to follow a budgetary process and, therefore, no budgetary information is provided in these basic financial statements.

#### H. Estimates

The preparation of the basic financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the basic financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

#### NOTE 3 - STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

#### Compliance with finance-related legal and contractual provisions:

The Association had no material violations of finance-related legal and contractual provisions.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE FOR 2004)

#### **NOTE 4 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS**

The Treasurer of the Association pools all available cash of the Association for investment purposes.

During fiscal 2005, deposits maintained by the Association in financial institutions were covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or were exposed to custodial credit risk.

At September 30, 2005, the carrying amount of the Association's deposits was \$537,787. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures", as of September 30, 2005, \$437,787 of the Association's bank balance of \$537,787 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$100,000 was covered by Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

At September 30, 2004, the carrying amount of the Association's deposits was \$481,856. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures", as of September 30, 2005, \$381,856 of the Association's bank balance of \$481,856 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$100,000 was covered by Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the Association's deposits may not be returned. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105% of the carrying value of the deposits. Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at Federal Reserve Banks, or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the Association.

The Association had no investments at September 30, 2005 or 2004.

#### **NOTE 5 - INSURANCE COVERAGES**

For the year ended September 30, 2005, the Association provided the following insurance coverages:

	_	2005	_	2004
Self-insured portion for covered claims per occurrence:				
Property claims	\$	25,000	\$	25,000
Liabilitiy claims		100,000		100,000
Annual aggregate self-insured portion limited by				
commercial insurance policies, property and liability				
coverages combined		450,000		450,000

Claims over the annual aggregate self-insured portion are covered by commercial insurance policies. Settled claims have not exceeded any of the above coverage's in any of the past three fiscal years. There has been no significant reduction in amounts of insurance coverage from fiscal year 2004.

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE FOR 2004)

#### NOTE 6 - LOSS AND LOSS ADJUSTMENT EXPENSE RESERVES

The Association established a reserve liability that includes a provision for reported and unreported insured events and an estimate of future payment of losses and related loss adjustment expenses. The claims liability as required by GASB Statement No. 10, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Risk Financing and Related Insurance Issues", as amended by GASB Statement No. 30, "Risk Financing Omnibus", was provided by the Associations independent actuary, Financial Risk Analysts, LLC. The changes in the aggregate liabilities for the Association for the fiscal years ended September 30, 2005 and 2004 were as follows:

** ***	2005	2004
Unpaid loss and loss adjustment expense reserves, beginning	\$ 583,478	\$ 452,108
Incurred loss and loss adjustment expenses, provision for insured events of the current period	517,525	426,125
Increase (decrease) in provision for insured events of the prior years	58,888	(48,997)
Total incurred loss and loss adjustment expenses	576,413	377,128
Payments:		
Loss and loss adjustment expenses attributable to insured events of the current year	129,963	106,858
Loss and loss adjustment expenses paid attributable to insured events of prior years	200,158	138,900
Total payments	330,121	245,758
Unpaid loss and loss adjustment expense reserves, ending	\$ 829,770	\$ 583,478

#### **NOTE 7 - CLAIMS ADMINISTRATION**

The Association has entered into agreements with companies for the purpose of claims administration, claims adjustments, loss control and Association administration. For the years ended September 30, 2005 and 2004, the amounts charged to expense were as follows:

		2004
Administrative fees Claims handling fees	\$ 60,001 47,571	\$ 60,001 43,376
	\$ 107,572	\$ 103,377

NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (WITH COMPARATIVE FOR 2004)

#### **NOTE 8 - DEFICIENCY IN NET ASSETS**

The Association has incurred net losses resulting in a deficiency in net assets. In accordance with the Association's agreement with the members, the Association has the ability to assess member's additional supplementary payments to fund operations and obligations and will make member assessments as necessary. In the event the Association does not make additional assessments as necessary or reduce insured losses, the Association may not be able to meet future obligations as they occur.

#### **NOTE 9 - CONTINGENCIES**

#### General:

In the normal course of business, the Association is involved in various legal proceedings. In the opinion of management, any liability resulting from such proceedings would not have a material adverse effect on the financial statements.

#### Concentration by geographic location and industry:

The Association is exposed to certain risks by writing all its business in the State of Ohio, thus increasing exposure to a single geographic area.

Association membership is limited to municipalities.

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	REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
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#### EIGHT-YEAR LOSS DEVELOPMENT INFORMATION

The following table illustrates how the Association's earned revenue and investment income compares to related costs of loss and other expenses assumed by the Association as of the end of the year. The rows of the table are defined as follows:

- (1) This line shows the total of each fiscal year's gross earned premiums and reported investment income.
- (2) This line shows each fiscal year's other operating costs of the Association including overhead and loss adjustment expenses not allocable to individual claims.
- (3) This line shows the Association's gross incurred losses and allocated loss adjustment expense as originally reported at the end of the year in which the event that triggered coverage occurred (called *accident year*).
- (4) This section shows the cumulative net amounts paid as of the end of the accident year.
- (5) This section shows how each accident year's net incurred losses increased or decreased as of the end of the year. (This annual re-estimation results from new information received on known losses, re-evaluation of existing information on known losses and emergence of new losses not previously known.)
- (6) This line compares the latest re-estimated net incurred losses amount to the amount originally established (line 3) and shows whether this latest estimate of losses is greater or less than originally thought.

As data for individual accident years mature, the correlation between original estimates and re-estimated amounts is commonly used to evaluate the accuracy of net incurred losses currently recognized in less mature accident years. The columns of the table show data for successive accident years. The Association has not provided loss development information for the years ended September 30, 1998 and 1999. Loss development information for the years ended September 30, 2005, 2004, 2003, 2002, 2001 and 2000 is as follows:

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#### EIGHT-YEAR LOSS DEVELOPMENT INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
1. Premiums and investment								
income	N/A	N/A	\$ 451,825	\$ 540,252	\$ 744,226	\$ 946,220	\$ 1,024,263	\$ 1,050,567
2. Unallocated expenses	N/A	N/A	329,813	364,442	397,189	600,867	625,959	678,928
3. Estimated losses incurred								
and expense, end of year	N/A	N/A	161,980	194,075	360,387	413,417	426,125	517,525
4. Paid, cumulative as of:								
End of accident year	N/A	N/A	35,268	106,567	60,285	103,457	106,858	129,963
One year later	N/A	N/A	128,780	118,989	138,791	216,765	299,481	-
Two years later	N/A	N/A	128,780	167,501	160,402	236,662	-	-
Three years later	N/A	N/A	125,000	171,482	170,898	-	_	-
Four years later	N/A	N/A	125,000	183,000	-	-	-	-
Five years later	N/A	N/A	128,750	-	-	-	-	-
5. Re-estimated incurred								
losses and expense:								
End of accident year	N/A	N/A	161,980	194,075	360,387	413,417	426,125	517,525
One year later	N/A	N/A	128,780	183,000	265,440	382,872	496,406	-
Two years later	N/A	N/A	128,780	183,000	246,988	394,409	-	-
Three years later	N/A	N/A	125,000	183,000	238,434	-	-	-
Four years later	N/A	N/A	125,000	183,000	-	-	-	-
Five years later	N/A	N/A	128,750	-	-	-	-	-
6. Increase (decrease) in estimated incurred losses and expenses from end								
of accident year	N/A	N/A	(33,230)	(11,075)	(121,953)	(19,008)	70,281	-

N/A = Information not available.

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#### Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance With Government Auditing Standards

Board of Trustees Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self-Insurance Pool, Inc. c/o City of Westerville 21 S. State Street Westerville, OH 43081

We have audited the financial statements of the Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self-Insurance Pool, Inc. (the "Association"), Franklin County, Ohio as of and for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2005, which collectively comprise the Association's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 26, 2006. The financial statements of the Association as of September 30, 2004, were audited by other auditors whose report dated February 17, 2006, expressed an unqualified opinion on those statements. 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.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Association'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 an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a reportable 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 caused by error or fraud 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 that does not require inclusion in this report that we have reported to the Association in a separate letter dated September 26, 2006.

**Board of Trustees** 

Central Ohio Risk Management Association Self-Insurance Pool, Inc.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

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As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Association's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, 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 or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

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

Julian & Grube, Inc. September 26, 2006



# Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

#### CENTRAL OHIO RISK MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION SELF INSURANCE POOL, INC.

#### **FRANKLIN 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 FEBRUARY 6, 2007**