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Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

District Board of Health Clinton County 111 S. Nelson Ave. Wilmington, Ohio 45177

To the Members of the Board:

As you are aware, the Auditor of State's Office (AOS) must modify the *Independent Accountants' Report* we provide on your financial statements due to an interpretation from the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA). While AOS does not legally require your government to prepare financial statements pursuant to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), the AICPA interpretation requires auditors to formally acknowledge that you did not prepare your financial statements in accordance with GAAP. Our Report includes an adverse opinion relating to GAAP presentation and measurement requirements, but does not imply the amounts the statements present are misstated under the non-GAAP basis you follow. The AOS report also includes an opinion on the financial statements you prepared using the cash basis and financial statement format the AOS permits.

Mary Jaylo

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December 13, 2007

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# INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

District Board of Health Clinton County 111 S. Nelson Ave. Wilmington, Ohio 45177

To the Members of the Board:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the District Board of Health, Clinton County, Ohio (the District), as of and for the years ended December 31, 2006 and 2005. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District'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 the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure 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 our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described more fully in Note 1, the District has prepared these financial statements using accounting practices the Auditor of State prescribes or permits. These practices differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Although we cannot reasonably determine the effects on the financial statements of the variances between these regulatory accounting practices and GAAP, we presume they are material.

Instead of the combined funds the accompanying financial statements present, GAAP require presenting entity wide statements and also presenting the District's larger (i.e. major) funds separately. While the District does not follow GAAP, generally accepted auditing standards requires us to include the following paragraph if the statements do not substantially conform to GAAP presentation requirements. The Auditor of State permits, but does not require Districts to reformat their statements. The District has elected not to follow GAAP statement formatting requirements. The following paragraph does not imply the amounts reported are materially misstated under the accounting basis the Auditor of State permits. Our opinion on the fair presentation of the amounts reported pursuant to its non-GAAP basis is in the second following paragraph.

In our opinion, because of the effects of the matter discussed in the preceding two paragraphs, the financial statements referred to above for the years ended December 31, 2006 and 2005 do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the District as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, or its changes in financial position for the years then ended.

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Also, 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 District Board of Health, Clinton County County, as of December 31, 2006 and 2005, and its combined cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended on the accounting basis Note 1 describes.

The District has not presented Management's Discussion and Analysis, which accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the financial statements.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 13, 2007, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. While we did not opine on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance, that report describes the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. You should read it in conjunction with this report in assessing the results of our audit.

Mary Jaylo

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

December 13, 2007

#### COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)
<b>Cash Receipts:</b> Federal awards Subdivisions Levies	\$0 41,185 194,360	\$214,335 0 0	\$214,335 41,185 194,360
Fees Licenses Contractual Services WIC-SLVL Contingency Permits	75,392 0 0 0 194,763	157,913 38,993 42,706 4,007 9,260	233,305 38,993 42,706 4,007 204,023
Other receipts	52,810	39,305	92,115
Total Cash Receipts	558,510	506,519	1,065,029
Cash Disbursements: Salaries Supplies Equipment Personal Services Rentals Contracts - Services Travel and Expenses Assistance Public employee's retirement Insurance Worker's compensation Medicare Tax Remittances to State State of Ohio Water Testing Fees Refunds to EPA Project Fund Expenses Advertising and Printing Other Expenses	$\begin{array}{r} 282,033\\ 5,505\\ 5,421\\ 0\\ 10,000\\ 30,129\\ 14,575\\ 0\\ 35,758\\ 44,537\\ 3,405\\ 2,504\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 1,498\\ 51,643\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 247,184\\ 23,335\\ 0\\ 4,166\\ 0\\ 0\\ 7,983\\ 5,130\\ 35,434\\ 27,258\\ 3,341\\ 2,868\\ 10,230\\ 3,039\\ 10,000\\ 239,922\\ 0\\ 28,083\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 529,217\\ 28,840\\ 5,421\\ 4,166\\ 10,000\\ 30,129\\ 22,558\\ 5,130\\ 71,192\\ 71,795\\ 6,746\\ 5,372\\ 10,230\\ 3,039\\ 10,000\\ 239,922\\ 1,498\\ 79,726\\ \end{array}$
Total Disbursements	487,008	647,973	1,134,981
Total Receipts Over/(Under) Disbursements	71,502	(141,454)	(69,952)
Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements): Transfers-In Advances-In Transfers-Out Advances-Out	0 44,000 (103,375) (62,000)	103,375 62,000 0 (44,000)	103,375 106,000 (103,375) (106,000)
Total Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements)	(121,375)	121,375	0
Excess of Cash Receipts and Other Financing Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements and Other Financing Disbursements	(49,873)	(20,079)	(69,952)
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	349,871	310,534	660,405
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$299,998	\$290,455	\$590,453
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$14,909	\$4,977	\$19,886

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, 2005

	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts: Federal awards State Grants	\$0 0	\$151,027 99.669	\$151,027
State Grants Subdivisions Levies	41,185 186,745	99,009 0 0	99,669 41,185 186,745
Fees Licenses Contractual Service	65,193 0 0	142,739 34,727 42,900	207,932 34,727 42,900
WIC-SLVL Contingency Permits Other receipts	0 219,215 49,079	945 15,531 42,533	945 234,746 91,612
Total Cash Receipts	561,417	530,071	1,091,488
Cash Disbursements: Salaries	249,998	239,267	489,265
Supplies Equipment	4,380 1,486	15,572 0	469,205 19,952 1,486
Personal Services Rentals	0 10,000	4,087 0	4,087 10,000
Contracts - Services Travel and Expenses Assistance	24,054 14,076 0	0 8,227 4,978	24,054 22,303 4,978
Public employee's retirement Insurance Worker's compensation	34,607 41,200 2,317	31,126 30,618 2,336	65,733 71,818 4,653
Medicare Tax Remittances to State	2,254 0	2,644 12,702	4,898 12,702
State of Ohio Water Testing Fees Refunds to EPA Project Fund Expenses	0 0 0	1,771 10,000 251,896	1,771 10,000 251,896
Advertising and Printing Other Expenses	1,103 39,872	0 27,850	1,103 67,722
Total Disbursements	425,347	643,074	1,068,421
Total Receipts Over/(Under) Disbursements	136,070	(113,003)	23,067
Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements): Transfers-In		84,500	84,500
Advances-In Transfers-Out Advances-Out	44,000 (84,500) (45,000)	45,000 0 (44,000)	89,000 (84,500) (89,000)
Total Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements)	(85,500)	85,500	0
Excess of Cash Receipts and Other Financing Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements and Other Financing Disbursements	50,570	(27,503)	23,067
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	299,301	338,037	637,338
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$349.871	\$310.534	\$660.405
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$13.065	\$3.545	\$16.610

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

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005

# 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

### A. Description of the Entity

The constitution and laws of the State of Ohio establish the rights and privileges of the District Board of Health, Clinton County, Ohio (the District), as a body corporate and politic. A fivemember Board and a Health Commissioner govern the District. The Board consists of representatives of the Villages, Townships and the Board of Commissioners. The District's services include communicable disease investigations, immunization clinics, inspections, public health nursing services and issues health-related licenses and permits.

The Health Commissioner and Medical Director, who is a licensed physician, are appointed by the General Health District Board to supervise the District's activities. The District's management believes these financial statements present all activities for which the District is financially accountable.

# B. Accounting Basis

These financial statements follow the accounting basis the Auditor of State prescribes or permits. This basis is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements accounting basis. The District recognizes receipts when received in cash rather than when earned, and recognizes disbursements 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 the Auditor of State prescribes or permits.

# C. Cash

As required by the Ohio Revised Code, the Clinton County Treasurer is custodian for the District's cash. The County's cash and investment pool holds the District's assets, valued at the Treasurer's reported carrying amount.

#### D. Fund Accounting

The District uses fund accounting to segregate cash and investments that are restricted as to use. The District classifies its funds into the following types:

#### 1. General Fund

The General Fund reports all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

# 2. Special Revenue Funds

These funds account for proceeds from specific sources (other than from private-purpose trusts or for capital projects) that are restricted to expenditure for specific purposes. The District had the following significant Special Revenue Funds:

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Fund - This is a Federal grant fund which accounts for the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005 (Continued)

### 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

<u>Public Home Nursing Services (PHNF) Fund</u> - This fund receives fees for providing home nursing services to elderly and homebound persons.

#### E. Budgetary Process

The Ohio Revised Code requires the District to budget each fund annually (except certain agency funds).

# 1. Appropriations

Budgetary expenditures (that is, disbursements and encumbrances) may not exceed appropriations at the fund, function or object level of control, and appropriations may not exceed estimated resources. The District Board must annually approve appropriation measures and subsequent amendments. The County Budget Commission must also approve the annual appropriation measure. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year end.

# 2. Estimated Resources

Estimated resources include estimates of cash to be received (budgeted receipts) plus unencumbered cash as of January 1. The County Budget Commission must also approve estimated resources.

# 3. Encumbrances

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

A summary of 2006 and 2005 budgetary activity appears in Note 2.

#### F. Property, Plant, and Equipment

The District records disbursements for acquisitions of property, plant, and equipment when paid. The accompanying financial statements do not report these items as assets.

#### G. Accumulated Leave

In certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment, employees are entitled to cash payments for unused leave. The financial statements do not include a liability for unpaid leave.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005 (Continued)

# 2. Budgetary Activity

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2006 and 2005 follows:

2006 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts			
	Budgeted	Actual	
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$550,625	\$602,510	\$51,885
Special Revenue	674,548	671,894	(2,654)
Total	\$1,225,173	\$1,274,404	\$49,231

2006 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures			
	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$681,065	\$667,292	\$13,773
Special Revenue	725,244	696,950	28,294
Total	\$1,406,309	\$1,364,242	\$42,067

2005 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts			
	Budgeted	Actual	
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$664,285	\$605,417	(\$58,868)
Special Revenue	622,202	659,571	37,369
Total	\$1,286,487	\$1,264,988	(\$21,499)

2005 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures			
	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$582,100	\$567,912	\$14,188
Special Revenue	736,484	690,619	45,865
Total	\$1,318,584	\$1,258,531	\$60,053

# 3. Intergovernmental Funding

The County apportions the excess of the District's appropriations over other estimated receipts among the townships and municipalities composing the District, based on their taxable property valuations. The County withholds the apportioned excess from property tax settlements and distributes it to the District. The financial statements present these amounts as subdivision receipts. The County Commissioners serve as a special taxing authority for a special levy outside the ten-mill limitation to provide the District with sufficient funds for health programs. The levy generated \$194,360 in 2006 and \$186,745 in 2005. The financial statements present these amounts as levy receipts.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005 (Continued)

### 4. Retirement Systems

Retirement Rates	Year	Member Rate	Employer Rate
PERS – Local	2005	8.5%	13.55%
PERS – Local	2006	9%	13.7%

The District's employees belong to the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS). OPERS is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer plan. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes this plan's benefits, which include postretirement healthcare and survivor and disability benefits.

The Ohio Revised Code also prescribes contribution rates. For 2006 and 2005, OPERS members contributed 9% and 8.5%, respectively, of their gross salaries and the District contributed an amount equaling 13.7% and 13.55%, respectively, of participants' gross salaries. The District has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2006.

# 5. Risk Management

# **Risk Pool Membership**

The Government belongs to the Public Entities Pool of Ohio (PEP), a risk-sharing pool available to Ohio local governments. PEP provides property and casualty coverage for its members. PEP is a member of the American Public Entity Excess Pool (APEEP). Member governments pay annual contributions to fund PEP. PEP pays judgments, settlements and other expenses resulting from covered claims that exceed the members' deductibles.

# Casualty Coverage

PEP retains casualty risks up to \$250,000 per claim, including loss adjustment expenses. PEP pays a percentage of its contributions to APEEP. APEEP reinsures claims exceeding \$250,000, up to \$1,750,000 per claim and \$5,000,000 in the aggregate per year. Governments can elect additional coverage, from \$2,000,000 to \$10,000,000 from the General Reinsurance Corporation.

If losses exhaust PEP's retained earnings, APEEP covers PEP losses up to \$5,000,000 per year, subject to a per-claim limit of \$2,000,000.

# Property Coverage

PEP retains property risks, including automobile physical damage, up to \$100,000 on any specific loss in any one occurrence. The Travelers Indemnity Company reinsures losses exceeding \$100,000 up to \$500,000,000 per occurrence. APEEP's Guarantee Fund pays losses and loss adjustment expenses exceeding operating contributions.

The aforementioned casualty and property reinsurance agreements do not discharge PEP's primary liability for claims payments on covered losses. Claims exceeding coverage limits are the obligation of the respective local government.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006 AND 2005 (Continued)

# 5. Risk Management (Continued)

#### **Financial Position**

PEP's financial statements (audited by other accountants) conform with generally accepted accounting principles, and reported the following assets, liabilities and retained earnings at December 31, 2004 and 2003 (the latest information available):

Casualty Coverage	<u>2004</u>	<u>2003</u>
Assets	\$30,547,049	\$25,288,098
Liabilities	<u>(16,989,918)</u>	<u>(12,872,985)</u>
Retained earnings	<u>\$13,557,131</u>	<u>\$12,415,113</u>

Property Coverage	<u>2004</u>	<u>2003</u>
Assets	\$3,652,970	\$3,158,813
Liabilities	<u>(544,771)</u>	<u>(792,061)</u>
Retained earnings	<u>\$3,108,199</u>	<u>\$2,366,752</u>

# 6. Contingent Liabilities

Amounts grantor agencies pay to the District are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor, principally the federal government. The grantor may require refunding any disallowed costs. Management cannot presently determine amounts grantors may disallow. However, based on prior experience, management believes any refunds would be immaterial.

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# INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY *GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS*

District Board of Health Clinton County 111 S. Nelson Ave. Wilmington, Ohio 45177

To the District Board of Trustees:

We have audited the financial statements of the District Board of Health, Clinton County, Ohio (the District), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006 and 2005, and have issued our report thereon dated December 13, 2007, wherein we noted the District followed accounting practices the Auditor of State prescribes rather than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. 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*.

# Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our audit procedures for expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not to opine on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the District's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with its applicable accounting basis, such that there is more than a remote likelihood that the District's internal control will not prevent or detect a more-than-inconsequential financial statement misstatement.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies resulting in more than a remote likelihood that the District's internal control will not prevent or detect a material financial statement misstatement.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all internal control deficiencies that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider material weaknesses, as defined above.

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

As part of reasonably assuring whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect 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 an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We intend this report solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management and the District Board of Trustees. We intend it for no one other than these specified parties.

Mary Jaylo

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

December 13, 2007





DISTRICT BOARD OF HEALTH

**CLINTON 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.

Susan Babbett

**CLERK OF THE BUREAU** 

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