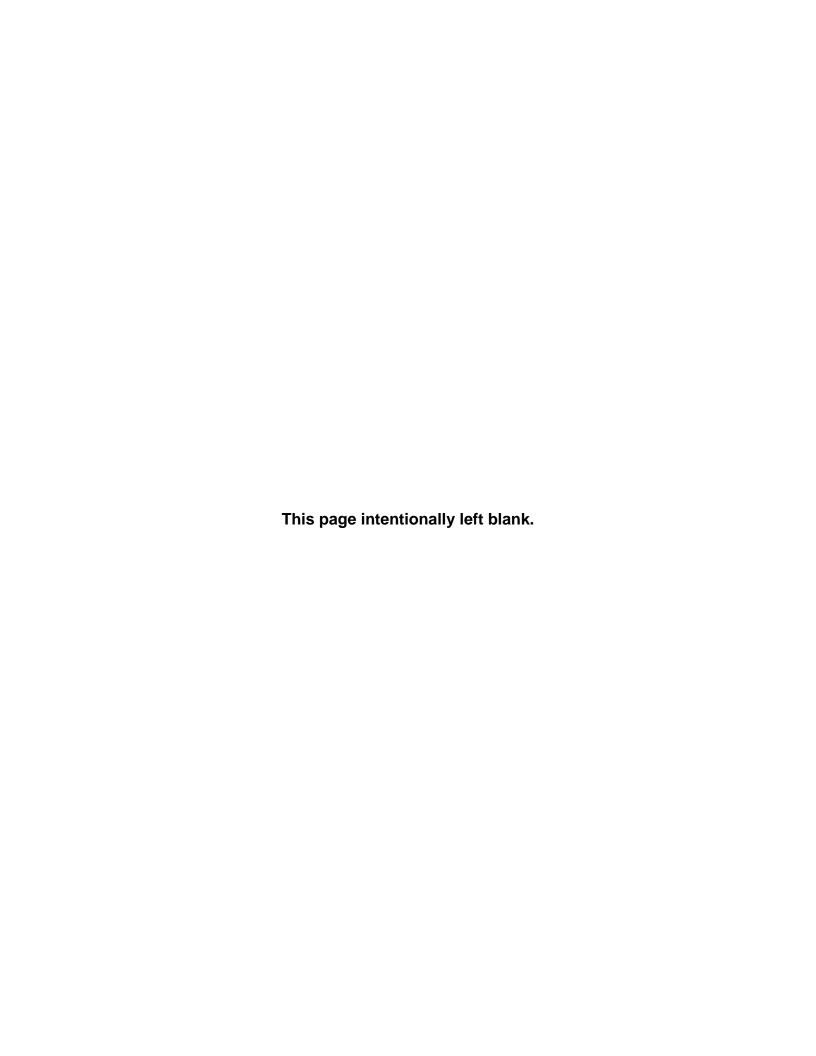




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Mohawk Community Library Wyandot County 200 S. Sycamore Avenue P.O. Box 9 Sycamore, Ohio 44882

#### To the Board of Trustees:

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 Library 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 Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

May 29, 2009

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#### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Mohawk Community Library Wyandot County 200 S. Sycamore Avenue P.O. Box 9 Sycamore, Ohio 44882

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Mohawk Community Library, Wyandot County, Ohio, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007. 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 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. The Library processes its financial transactions with the Auditor of State's Uniform Accounting Network (UAN). *Government Auditing Standards* considers this service to impair the independence of the Auditor of State to audit the Library because the Auditor of State designed, developed, implemented, and as requested, operates UAN. However, *Government Auditing Standards* permits the Auditor of State to audit and opine on this entity, because Ohio Revised Code § 117.101 requires the Auditor of State to provide UAN services, and Ohio Revised Code §§ 117.11(B) and 115.56 mandate the Auditor of State to audit Ohio governments. We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described more fully in Note 1, the Library 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 funds the accompanying financial statements present, GAAP require presenting entity wide statements and also presenting the Library's larger (i.e. major) funds separately. While the Library 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 Libraries to reformat their statements. The Library 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.

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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, 2008 and 2007 do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the Library as of December 31, 2008, and 2007, or its changes in financial position for the years then ended.

Also, in our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, thefund cash balances and reserves for encumbrances of the Mohawk Community Library, Wyandot County, Ohio, as of December 31, 2008 and 2007, and its cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended on the accounting basis Note 1 describes.

The Library 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 May 29, 2009, 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 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 Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

May 29, 2009

#### STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

	Governmental Fund Types			Totals		
		General		Capital Projects	(Me	emorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:				, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Library and Local Government Support	\$	239,018.98	\$	-	\$	239,018.98
Intergovernmental		800.00		-		800.00
Patron Fines and Fees		8,859.98		-		8,859.98
Contributions, Gifts and Donations		3,637.51		-		3,637.51
Earnings on Investments		985.32		709.39		1,694.71
Miscellaneous		1,352.28				1,352.28
Total Cash Receipts		254,654.07		709.39		255,363.46
Cash Disbursements: Current:						
Salaries		117,065.64		-		117,065.64
Employee Fringe Benefits		18,346.28		-		18,346.28
Purchased and Contractual Services		42,051.61		-		42,071.56
Library Materials and Information		50,922.61		-		50,922.61
Supplies		9,219.36		-		9,219.36
Other		3,513.18		-		3,513.18
Capital Outlay		809.37				809.37
Total Cash Disbursements		241,948.00		-		241,948.00
Total Receipts Over Disbursements		12,706.07		709.39		13,415.46
Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements):						
Transfers-In		-		27,838.54		27,838.54
Transfers-Out		(27,838.54)		-		(27,838.54)
Total Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements)		(27,838.54)		27,838.54		
Excess of Cash Receipts and Other Financing Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements And Other Financing Disbursements		(15,132.47)		28,547.93		13,415.46
And Other Financing Dispulsements		(10,102.47)		20,041.33		10,410.40
Fund Cash Balance, January 1		36,131.69		127,305.05		163,456.69
Fund Cash Balance, December 31	\$	21,019.17	\$	155,852.98	\$	176,872.15

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

#### STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

	Governmental Fund Types			Totals		
		General		Capital Projects	(Me	emorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:						
Library and Local Government Support	\$	242,446.68	\$	-	\$	242,446.68
Patron Fines and Fees		9,218.63		-		9,218.63
Services Provided to Other Entities		-		-		-
Contributions, Gifts and Donations		19,699.83		-		19,699.83
Earnings on Investments		1,150.72		-		1,150.72
Miscellaneous		427.77		-		427.77
Total Cash Receipts		272,943.63				272,943.63
Cash Disbursements: Current:						
Salaries		118,299.59		=		118,299.59
Employee Fringe Benefits		18,109.96		=		18,109.96
Purchased and Contractual Services		42,832.61		-		42,832.61
Library Materials and Information		62,917.08		-		62,917.08
Supplies		9,441.84		-		9,441.84
Other		3,689.35		-		3,689.35
Capital Outlay		3,855.51				3,855.51
Total Cash Disbursements		259,145.94				259,145.94
Total Receipts Over Disbursements		13,797.69				13,797.69
Fund Cash Balance, January 1		22,334.00		127,305.05		149,639.05
Fund Cash Balance, December 31	\$	36,131.69	\$	127,305.05	\$	163,436.74
Reserve for Encumbrances, December 31	\$	306.21	\$	-	\$	306.21

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

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND 2007

#### 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 Mohawk Community Library, Wyandot County, Ohio, (the Library) as a body corporate and politic. The Mohawk Local School District Board of Education appoints a seven-member Board of Trustees to govern the Library. The Library provides the community with various educational and literary resources.

The Mohawk Community Library Foundation (the Foundation) is a legally separate not-for-profit entity associated with the Library. The Foundation receives donations which are provided to the Library as needed and approved by the Foundation's Board of Trustees.

The Library's management believes these financial statements present all activities for which the Library 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 Library 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. Deposits

The Library maintains an interest bearing checking account, a money market depository account, and a certificate deposit.

#### 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 reports all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

#### 2. Capital Project Fund

This fund accounts for receipts restricted to acquiring or constructing major capital projects. The Library had the following capital project fund:

**Building Fund** – This fund is used to accumulate monies for future capital projects at the Library.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND 2007 (Continued)

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

#### 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, function, and object level of control.

A summary of 2008 and 2007 budgetary activity appears in Note 3.

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

The Library 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.

#### 2. Equity in Pooled Deposits

The Library maintains a deposit pool all funds use. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes allowable deposits and investments. The carrying amount of deposits at December 31 was as follows:

	2008	2007
Demand deposits	\$76,230	\$163,437
Certificates of deposit	100,642	0
Total deposits	176,872	163,437

**Deposits:** Deposits are insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation or collateralized by securities specifically pledged by the financial institution to the Library.

#### 3. Budgetary Activity

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2008 and 2007 follows:

2008 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts					
Budgeted	_				
Receipts	Receipts	Variance			
\$255,550	\$254,654	(\$896)			
1,000	28,548	27,548			
\$256,550	\$283,202	\$26,652			
	Budgeted Receipts \$255,550 1,000	Budgeted         Actual           Receipts         Receipts           \$255,550         \$254,654           1,000         28,548			

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND 2007 (Continued)

#### 3. Budgetary Activity (Continued)

	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$291,554	\$269,787	\$21,767
Capital Projects	128,305	0	128,305
Total	\$419,859	\$269,787	\$150,072

2007 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts

	Budgeted	Actual	
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$272,846	\$272,944	\$98
Capital Projects	960	0	(960)
Total	\$273,806	\$272,944	(\$862)

2007 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$295,180	\$259,452	\$35,728
Capital Projects	128,265	0	128,265
Total	\$423,445	\$259,452	\$163,993

#### 4. Grants-In-Aid

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

The Library'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 2008 and 2007, OPERS members contributed 10% and 9.5%, respectively, of their gross salaries and the Library contributed an amount equaling 14% and 13.85%, respectively, of participants' gross salaries. The Library has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2008.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND 2007 (Continued)

#### 6. Risk Management

#### **Commercial Insurance**

The Library has obtained commercial insurance for the following risks:

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



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

Mohawk Community Library Wyandot County 200 S. Sycamore Avenue P.O. Box 9 Sycamore, Ohio 44882

To the Library Board of Trustees:

We have audited the financial statements of the Mohawk Community Library, Wyandot County, Ohio, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, and have issued our report thereon dated May 29, 2009, wherein we noted the Library followed accounting practices the Auditor of State prescribes rather than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We also noted the Library uses the Auditor of State's Uniform Accounting Network (UAN) to process its financial transactions. *Government Auditing Standards* considers this service to impair the Auditor of State's independence to audit the Library. However, *Government Auditing Standards* permits the Auditor of State to audit and opine on this entity, because Ohio Revised Code § 117.101 requires the Auditor of State to provide UAN services, and Ohio Revised Code §§ 117.11(B) and 115.56 mandate the Auditor of State to audit Ohio governments. 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 Library'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 Library's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the Library'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 Library'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 Library'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 Library'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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We noted certain matters that we reported to the Library's management in a separate letter dated May 29, 2009.

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

As part of reasonably assuring whether the Library'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 management and the Library Board of Trustees. We intend it for no one other than these specified parties.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

May 29, 2009

#### SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND 2007

Finding	Finding	Fully	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; <i>Explain</i>
Number	Summary	Corrected?	
2006-001	Significant Deficiency / Material Weakness Financial Reporting	Yes	



#### **MOHAWK COMMUNITY LIBRARY**

#### **WYANDOT 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 30, 2009