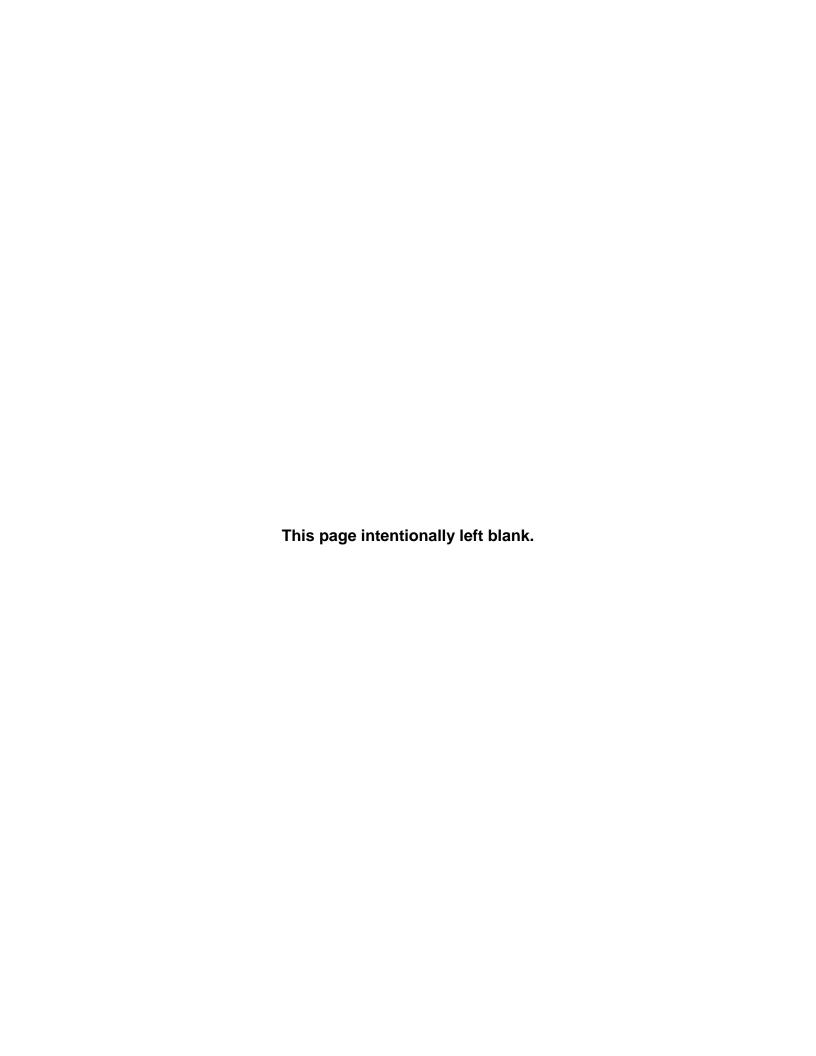




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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

Gallia, Jackson, Meigs, Vinton Solid Waste Management District Jackson County 1056 South New Hampshire Avenue Wellston, Ohio 45692

We have performed the procedures enumerated below, with which the Board of Directors and the management of the Gallia, Jackson, Meigs, Vinton Solid Waste Management District, Jackson County, Ohio (the District), agreed, solely to assist the Board in evaluating receipts, disbursements and balances recorded in their cash-basis accounting records for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, and certain compliance requirements related to these transactions and balances. Management is responsible for recording transactions; and management and the Board are responsible for complying with the compliance requirements. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants' attestation standards and applicable attestation engagement standards included in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. The sufficiency of the procedures is solely the responsibility of the parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

This report only describes exceptions exceeding \$10.

Cash and Investments

- 1. We tested the mathematical accuracy of the December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 bank reconciliations. We found no exceptions.
- 2. We agreed the January 1, 2012 beginning fund balance recorded in the Account List Detail to the December 31, 2011 balance in the prior year audited statements. We found no exceptions. We also agreed the January 1, 2013 beginning fund balance recorded in the Account List Detail to the December 31, 2012 balance in the Account List Detail. We found no exceptions.
- 3. We agreed the totals per the bank reconciliations to the total of the December 31, 2013 and 2012 fund cash balances reported in the Account List Detail. The amounts agreed.
- 4. We confirmed the December 31, 2013 bank account balances with the District's financial institution. We found no exceptions. We also agreed the confirmed balances to the amounts appearing in the December 31, 2013 bank reconciliation without exception.

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Cash and Investments (Continued)

- 5. We selected five reconciling debits (such as outstanding checks) haphazardly from the December 31, 2013 bank reconciliation:
 - a. We traced each debit to the subsequent January bank statement. We found no exceptions.
 - b. We traced the amounts and dates to the check register, to determine the debits were dated prior to December 31. We noted no exceptions.
- 6. We tested interbank account transfers occurring in December of 2013 and 2012 to determine if they were properly recorded in the accounting records and on each bank statement. We found no exceptions.
- 7. We tested investments held at December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 to determine that they:
 - a. Were of a type authorized by Ohio Rev. Code Sections 135.13, 135.14 or 135.144. We found no exceptions
 - b. Mature within the prescribed time limits noted in Ohio Rev. Code Section 135.13 or 135.14. We noted no exceptions.

Tipping Fees and Other Confirmable Cash Receipts

1. We confirmed the amounts paid from Rumpke to the District during 2013 and 2012. They confirmed payment of the following amounts to the District:

Company	2013 Payments	2012 Payments
Rumpke	\$ 770,863	\$ 648,018

- a. We compared the amount confirmed with the amount the District recorded in its receipt records. We found no exceptions.
- b. We determined whether these receipts were allocated to the proper fund. We found no exceptions.
- c. We determined whether the receipts were recorded in the proper year. We found no exceptions.
- 2. We obtained the October 2012 and March 2013 total tonnage reports from the landfill in step 1.
 - a. We recalculated the dollar amount sent to the District based on the rates in force during the period and agreed to the amounts posted to the Districts ledgers. We found no exceptions.
- 3. We confirmed the amounts paid from Advanced Fiber, L & L Scrap Metals, Modern Plastics, and Newark Group for 2013 and from Advanced Fiber, Novelis, Newark Group, and Modern Plastics for 2012 to the District for Recycling Receipts. We found no exceptions.
 - a. We determined whether these receipts were allocated to the proper fund. We found no exceptions.
 - b. We determined whether the receipts were recorded in the proper year. We found no exceptions.

Debt

 From the prior audit documentation, we noted the following notes outstanding as of December 31, 2011. These amounts agreed to the Districts January 1, 2012 balances on the summary we used in step 3.

Issue	Principal outstanding as of December 31, 2011:		
Jackson County Bonds	\$30,000		
Gallia County Bonds	\$30,000		

- 2. We inquired of management, and scanned the Bank Register and Account Transaction Ledger for evidence of debt issued during 2013 or 2012 or debt payment activity during 2013 or 2012. We noted no new debt issuances, nor any debt payment activity during 2013.
- 3. We obtained a summary of bonded debt activity for 2012 and agreed principal and interest payments from the related debt amortization schedules to general fund payments reported in the Account Transaction Ledger. We also compared the date the debt service payments were due to the date the District made the payments. We found no exceptions.

Payroll Cash Disbursements

- 1. We haphazardly selected one payroll check for five employees from 2013 and one payroll check for five employees from 2012 from the Individual Payroll Register and:
 - a. We compared the hours and pay rate, or salary amount recorded in the Payroll Account Register to supporting documentation (timecard, legislatively or statutorily-approved rate or salary). We found no exceptions.
 - b. We recomputed gross and net pay and agreed it to the amount recorded in the payroll register. We found no exceptions.
 - c. We determined whether the account codes to which the check was posted were reasonable based on the employees' duties as documented in the employees' personnel files. We also determined whether the payment was posted to the proper year. We found no exceptions.
- 2. For any new employees selected in step 1 we determined whether the following information in the employee's personnel file was consistent with the information used to compute gross and net pay related to this check:
 - a. Name.
 - b. Authorized salary or pay rate.
 - c. Department to which the check should be charged.
 - d. Retirement system participation and payroll withholding.
 - e. Federal, State & Local income tax withholding authorization and withholding.
 - f. Any other deduction authorizations (deferred compensation, etc.).

We found no exceptions related to steps a. – f. above.

Payroll Cash Disbursements (Continued)

3. We scanned the last remittance of tax and retirement withholdings for the year ended December 31, 2013 to determine whether remittances were timely paid, and if the amounts paid agreed to the amounts withheld, plus the employer's share where applicable, during the final withholding period of 2013. We noted the following:

Withholding (plus employer share, where applicable)	Date Due	Date Paid	Amount Due	Amount Paid
Federal income taxes & Medicare	01/31/14	12/27/13	\$2,756	\$2,756
State income taxes	01/15/14	12/27/13	\$413	\$413
Local income tax	01/31/14	12/27/13	\$205	\$205
OPERS retirement	01/30/14	12/26/13	\$4,810	\$4,810

- 4. We haphazardly selected and recomputed one termination payment (unused vacation, etc.) using the following information, and agreed the computation to the amount paid as recorded in the Payroll Ledger:
 - a. Accumulated leave records.
 - b. The employee's pay rate in effect as of the termination date.
 - c. The District's payout policy.

The amount paid was consistent with the information recorded in a. through c. above.

Non-Payroll Cash Disbursements

- 1. From the Account Transaction Ledger, we re-footed checks recorded as disbursements for *supplies and materials*, and checks recorded as *Contract Services* for 2013. We found no exceptions.
- 2. We haphazardly selected ten disbursements from the Account Transaction Ledger for the year ended December 31, 2013 and ten from the year ended 2012 and determined whether:
 - a. The disbursements were for a proper public purpose. We found no exceptions.
 - b. The check number, date, payee name and amount recorded on the returned, canceled check agreed to the check number, date, payee name and amount recorded in the Account Transaction Ledger and to the names and amounts on the supporting invoices. We found no exceptions.
 - c. The payment was posted to an account code consistent with the restricted purpose for which the fund's cash can be used. We found no exceptions.
 - d. The Fiscal Officer certified disbursements requiring certification or issued a *Then and Now Certificate*, as required by Ohio Rev. Code Sections 5705.28(B)(2), *and* 5705.41(D). We found no exceptions
 - e. The disbursement was allowable under Ohio Rev. Code Section 3734.57(G), and the Districts policies and procedures. We found no exceptions.

Compliance – Budgetary

 We compared the total estimated receipts from the Amended Official Certificate of Estimated Resources, required by Ohio Rev. Code Sections 5705.28(B)(2) and 5705.36(A)(1), to the amounts recorded in the Monthly Line item Report for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012. The amounts agreed.

Compliance - Budgetary (Continued)

- 2. We scanned the appropriation measures adopted for 2013 and 2012 to determine whether the Directors appropriated separately for "each office, department, and division, and within each, the amount appropriated for personal services," as is required by Ohio Rev. Code Sections 5705.28(B)(2) and 5705.38(C). We found no exceptions.
- 3. We compared total appropriations required by Ohio Rev. Code Sections 5705.28(B)(2), 5705.38 and 5705.40, to the amounts recorded in the Monthly Line item Report for 2013 and 2012 for the general fund. The amounts on the appropriation resolutions agreed to the amounts recorded in the Monthly Line Item report.
- 4. Ohio Rev. Code Section 5705.28(B)(2)(c) prohibits appropriations from exceeding the estimated revenue available for expenditure (receipts plus beginning unencumbered cash). We compared total appropriations to total estimated revenue for the General fund for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012. We noted no funds for which appropriations exceeded estimated revenue.
- 5. Ohio Rev. Code Sections 5705.28(B)(2) and 5705.41(B) prohibit expenditures (disbursements plus certified commitments) from exceeding appropriations. We compared total expenditures to total appropriations for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012 for the General fund, as recorded in the Monthly Line Item Report. We noted that expenditures did not exceed appropriations.

We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on the District's receipts, disbursements, balances and compliance with certain laws and regulations. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, those charged with governance, and others within the District, and is not intended to be, and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Dave Yost Auditor of State

Columbus, Ohio

March 20, 2014





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CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

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

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED APRIL 1, 2014