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**DISTRICT BOARD OF HEALTH
MORROW COUNTY**

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Morrow County District Board of Health
Morrow County
619 West Marion Road
Mt. Gilead, Ohio 43338

To the Board of Health:

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements and related notes of the Morrow County District Board of Health, Morrow County, Ohio, (the District) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for preparing and fairly presenting these financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D) permit; this responsibility includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to preparing and fairly presenting financial statements free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to opine on these financial statements based on our audit. We audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the financial audit standards in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require us to plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit requires obtaining evidence about financial statement amounts and disclosures. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including assessing the risks of material financial statement misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In assessing those risks, we consider internal control relevant to the District's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not to the extent needed to opine on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of management's accounting policies and the reasonableness of their significant accounting estimates, as well as our evaluation of the overall financial statement presentation.

We believe the audit evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to support our audit opinion.

Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

As described in Note 1 of the financial statements, the District prepared these financial statements using the accounting basis permitted by the financial reporting provisions of Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D), which is an accounting basis other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), to satisfy these requirements.

Although the effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory accounting basis and GAAP are not reasonably determinable, we presume they are material.

Though the District does not intend these statements to conform to GAAP, auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America require us to include an adverse opinion on GAAP. However, the adverse opinion does not imply the amounts reported are materially misstated under the accounting basis Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D) permit. Our opinion on this accounting basis is in the *Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting* paragraph below.

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the *Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles* paragraph, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the District as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, or changes in financial position thereof for the years then ended.

Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the combined cash balances of the Morrow County District Board of Health, Morrow County, Ohio, as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, and its combined cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended in accordance with the financial reporting provisions Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D) permit, described in Note 1.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 30, 2015, 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. That report describes the scope of our internal control testing over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing, and does not opine on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



Dave Yost
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

September 30, 2015

**MORROW COUNTY DISTRICT BOARD OF HEALTH
MORROW COUNTY**

**COMBINED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES (CASH BASIS)
ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014**

	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts			
Federal Awards	\$ 14,802	\$ 65,595	\$ 80,397
Intergovernmental	539,719	15,183	554,902
Inspection Fees	135	-	135
Permits	71,385	9,570	80,955
Other Fees	66,068	-	66,068
Licenses	-	62,468	62,468
Fines	791	144	935
Contractual Services	102,520	1,500	104,020
Miscellaneous	170	31,624	31,794
<i>Total Cash Receipts</i>	<u>795,590</u>	<u>186,084</u>	<u>981,674</u>
Cash Disbursements			
Current:			
Health:			
Salaries	438,915	83,770	522,685
Fringe Benefits	165,234	14,376	179,610
Supplies	33,162	12,508	45,670
Remittance to State	19,211	12,338	31,549
Equipment	7,391	-	7,391
Contracts - Repair	5,881	2,400	8,281
Contracts - Services	42,071	2,355	44,426
Travel	12,740	4,732	17,472
Printing & Advertising	3,487	1,752	5,239
Other	39,589	12,301	51,890
<i>Total Cash Disbursements</i>	<u>767,681</u>	<u>146,532</u>	<u>914,213</u>
<i>Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements</i>	<u>27,909</u>	<u>39,552</u>	<u>67,461</u>
Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)			
Rebates	6,137	1,443	7,580
Reimbursements	1,776	-	1,776
<i>Total Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)</i>	<u>7,913</u>	<u>1,443</u>	<u>9,356</u>
<i>Net Change in Fund Cash Balances</i>	35,822	40,995	76,817
<i>Fund Cash Balances, January 1</i>	<u>571,695</u>	<u>372,973</u>	<u>944,668</u>
Fund Cash Balances, December 31			
Nonspendable	-	-	-
Restricted	-	413,968	413,968
Committed	-	-	-
Assigned	51,485	-	51,485
Unassigned (Deficit)	556,034	-	556,034
<i>Fund Cash Balances, December 31</i>	<u>\$ 607,517</u>	<u>\$ 413,968</u>	<u>\$ 1,021,485</u>

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

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AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES (CASH BASIS)
ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2013**

	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts			
Federal Awards	\$ 12,858	\$ 60,779	\$ 73,637
Intergovernmental	437,038	12,363	449,401
Inspection Fees	740	-	740
Permits	57,420	7,388	64,808
Other Fees	74,503	-	74,503
Licenses	-	72,581	72,581
Fines	4,459	1,637	6,096
Contractual Services	125,737	1,500	127,237
Miscellaneous	1,879	33,568	35,447
	714,634	189,816	904,450
<i>Total Cash Receipts</i>			
Cash Disbursements			
Current:			
Health:			
Salaries	426,774	93,992	520,766
Fringe Benefits	158,162	17,239	175,401
Supplies	16,892	5,407	22,299
Remittance to State	17,668	11,003	28,671
Equipment	9,428	1,185	10,613
Contracts - Repair	4,572	2,200	6,772
Contracts - Services	24,028	1,940	25,968
Travel	11,113	4,842	15,955
Printing & Advertising	4,709	1,339	6,048
Other	35,453	23,694	59,147
	708,799	162,841	871,640
<i>Total Cash Disbursements</i>			
<i>Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements</i>	5,835	26,975	32,810
Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)			
Rebates	5,544	1,026	6,570
Reimbursements	4,590	-	4,590
	10,134	1,026	11,160
<i>Total Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)</i>			
<i>Net Change in Fund Cash Balances</i>	15,969	28,001	43,970
<i>Fund Cash Balances, January 1</i>	555,726	344,972	900,698
Fund Cash Balances, December 31			
Nonspendable	-	-	-
Restricted	-	372,973	372,973
Committed	-	-	-
Assigned	15,677	-	15,677
Unassigned (Deficit)	556,018	-	556,018
	\$ 571,695	\$ 372,973	\$ 944,668
<i>Fund Cash Balances, December 31</i>			

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

**MORROW COUNTY DISTRICT BOARD OF HEALTH
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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2014 AND 2013**

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 Morrow County District Board of Health, Morrow County, Ohio, (the District) as a body corporate and politic. A five-member Board and a Health Commissioner govern the District. The District's services include communicable disease investigations, immunization clinics, tuberculosis screenings, home visits, public health nursing services and issues health-related licenses and permits as well as birth certificates and death certificates.

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 permitted by the financial reporting provisions of Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D). This basis is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements accounting basis. The Board 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 financial reporting provisions of Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D) permit.

C. Deposits and Investments

As required by the Ohio Revised Code, the Morrow County Treasurer is custodian for the District's deposits. The County's deposit 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 accounts for and reports all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

2. Special Revenue Funds

These funds account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The District had the following significant Special Revenue Funds:

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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

D. Fund Accounting (Continued)

2. Special Revenue Funds (Continued)

Food Service Fund – This fund receives revenue from food service operations in the form of fees and licenses to maintain food service establishments. These monies are used by the District to cover staff expenses and supplies.

Public Health Infrastructure Grant Fund - This federal grant, which is disbursed through the Ohio Department of Health, is used to develop effective plans and resources at local and regional levels to address bioterrorism, other outbreaks of infectious disease, and other public health threats and emergencies.

Solid Waste Fund – Revenue for this fund comes from contributions to the fund by member agencies/governments, including the County Commissioners, Health Department, townships, and villages for past property clean-ups as ordered by the townships and villages..

E. Budgetary Process

The Ohio Revised Code requires the District to budget each fund annually.

1. Appropriations

Budgetary expenditures (that is, disbursements and encumbrances) may not exceed appropriations at the function 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 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 2014 and 2013 budgetary activity appears in Note 2.

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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

F. Fund Balance

Fund balance is divided into five classifications based primarily on the extent to which the District must observe constraints imposed upon the use of its governmental-fund resources. The classifications are as follows:

1. Nonspendable

The District classifies assets as *nonspendable* when legally or contractually required to maintain the amounts intact.

2. Restricted

Fund balance is *restricted* when constraints placed on the use of resources are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or is imposed by law through constitutional provisions.

3. Committed

The Board can *commit* amounts via formal action (resolution). The District must adhere to these commitments unless the Board amend the resolution. Committed fund balance also incorporates contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed to satisfy contractual requirements.

4. Assigned

Assigned fund balances are intended for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as *restricted* or *committed*. Governmental funds other than the general fund report all fund balances as *assigned* unless they are restricted or committed. In the general fund, *assigned* amounts represent intended uses established by the Board or a District official delegated that authority by resolution, or by State Statute.

5. Unassigned

Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund and includes amounts not included in the other classifications. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is used only to report a deficit balance.

The District applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which either restricted or unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) amounts are available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund balance, committed amounts are reduced first followed by assigned, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

G. 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.

H. 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. Budgetary Activity

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2014 and 2011 follows:

2014 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts			
Fund Type	Budgeted Receipts	Actual Receipts	Variance
General	\$834,720	\$803,503	(\$31,217)
Special Revenue	282,493	187,527	(94,966)
Total	\$1,117,213	\$991,030	(\$126,183)

2014 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures			
Fund Type	Appropriation Authority	Budgetary Expenditures	Variance
General	\$844,944	\$819,166	\$25,778
Special Revenue	258,103	162,477	95,625
Total	\$1,103,047	\$981,643	\$121,403

2013 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts			
Fund Type	Budgeted Receipts	Actual Receipts	Variance
General	\$771,900	\$724,768	(\$47,132)
Special Revenue	414,683	190,761	(223,922)
Total	\$1,186,583	\$915,529	(\$271,054)

2013 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures			
Fund Type	Appropriation Authority	Budgetary Expenditures	Variance
General	\$836,724	\$724,475	\$112,249
Special Revenue	359,703	169,600	190,103
Total	\$1,196,427	\$894,075	\$302,352

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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 intergovernmental 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 \$319,009 in 2014 and \$252,890 in 2013. The financial statements present these amounts as intergovernmental receipts.

4. Retirement Systems

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 2014 and 2013, OPERS members contributed 10% of their gross salaries and the District contributed an amount equaling 14% of participants' gross salaries. The District has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2014.

5. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of property and casualty losses and injuries to employees.

The District insures against injuries to employees through the Ohio Bureau of Worker's Compensation.

The District 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. York Risk Pooling Services, Inc. (YORK), functions as the administrator of PEP and provides underwriting, claims, loss control, risk management, and reinsurance services for PEP. PEP is a member of the American Public Entity Excess Pool (APEEP) which is also administered by ARPCO. Member governments pay annual contributions to the fund PEP. PEP pays judgments, settlements and other expenses resulting from covered claims that exceed the members' deductibles.

Casualty and Property Coverage

APEEP provides PEP with an excess risk-sharing program. Under this arrangement, PEP retains insured risks up to an amount specified in the contracts. At December 31, 2014, PEP retained \$350,000 for casualty claims and \$100,000 for property claims.

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5. Risk Management (Continued)

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 PEP member.

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, 2014 and 2013:

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Assets	\$35,402,177	\$34,411,883
Liabilities	(12,363,257)	(12,760,194)
Net Position	\$23,038,920	\$21,651,689

At December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively, the liabilities above include approximately \$11.2 million and \$11.6 million of estimated incurred claims payable. The assets above also include approximately \$10.8 million and \$11.1 million of unpaid claims to be billed to approximately 488 member governments in the future, as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively. These amounts will be included in future contributions from members when the related claims are due for payment. As of December 31, 2014, the District's share of these unpaid claims collectible in future years is approximately \$6,410.

Based on discussions with PEP, the expected rates PEP charges to compute member contributions, which are used to pay claims as they become due, are not expected to change significantly from those used to determine the historical contributions detailed below. By contract, the annual liability of each member is limited to the amount financial contributions required to be made to PEP for year of membership.

<u>Contributions to PEP</u>	
<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
\$3,205	\$3,182

After one year of membership, a member may withdraw on the anniversary of the date of joining PEP, if the member notifies PEP in writing (via certified mail) 60 days prior to the anniversary date. Upon withdrawal, members are eligible for a full or partial refund of their capital contributions, minus the subsequent year's contribution. Withdrawing members have no other future obligation to PEP. Also upon withdrawal, payments for all casualty claims and claim expenses become the sole responsibility of the withdrawing member, regardless of whether a claim occurred or was reported prior to the withdrawal.

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 AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Morrow County District Board of Health
Morrow County
619 West Marion Road
Mt. Gilead, Ohio 43338

To the Board of Health:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*, the financial statements of the Morrow County District Board of Health, Morrow County, Ohio, (the District) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated September 30, 2015, wherein we noted the District followed financial reporting provisions Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D) permit.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

As part of our financial statement audit, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures appropriate in the circumstances to the extent necessary to support our opinion on the financial statements, but not to the extent necessary to opine on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we have not opined on it.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and timely correct misstatements. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of internal control deficiencies resulting in a reasonable possibility that internal control will not prevent or detect and timely correct a material misstatement of the District's financial statements. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all internal control deficiencies that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider material weaknesses. However, unidentified material weaknesses may exist.

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, opining 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*.

Purpose of this Report

This report only describes the scope of our internal control and compliance testing and our testing results, and does not opine on the effectiveness of the District's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed under *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Yost". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping "D" and "Y".

Dave Yost
Auditor of State
Columbus, Ohio

September 30, 2015



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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.

Susan Babbitt

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

**CERTIFIED
NOVEMBER 5, 2015**