## CENTRAL OHIO INTEROPERABLE RADIO SYSTEM

## FRANKLIN COUNTY

JANUARY 1, 2017 TO DECEMBER 31, 2017 AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES



Members of the Board Central Ohio Interoperable Radio System 5200 Emerald Parkway Dublin, Ohio 43017

We have reviewed the *Independent Accountants' Report on Applying Agreed-Upon Procedures* of the Central Ohio Interoperable Radio System, Franklin County, prepared by Julian & Grube, Inc, for the audit period January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017. Based upon this review, we have accepted this report in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code.

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 Interoperable Radio System is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Dave Yost Auditor of State

June 7, 2018





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#### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

Central Ohio Interoperable Radio System Franklin County 5200 Emerald Parkway Dublin, Ohio 43017

We have performed the procedures enumerated below, which were agreed to by the Council Board and the management of Central Ohio Interoperable Radio System Council of Government (the Council) and the Auditor of State, on the receipts, disbursements and balances recorded in the Councils cash basis accounting records for the years ended December 31, 2017 and certain compliance requirements related to those transactions and balances, included in the information provided to us by the management of the Council. The Council is responsible for the receipts, disbursements and balances recorded in the cash basis accounting records for the years ended December 31, 2017 and certain compliance requirements related to these transactions and balances included in the information provided to us by the Council. 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 recalculated the December 31, 2017 bank reconciliations for the City of Dublin (Fiscal Agent). We found no exceptions.
- 2. We agreed the January 1, 2017 beginning fund balances recorded in the Account Summary Trial Balance to the December 31, 2016 balances in the prior year audited statements. We found no exceptions.
- 3. We agreed the totals per the bank reconciliations to the total of the December 31, 2017 fund cash balances reported in the Cash Summary Report. The amounts agreed.
- 4. We confirmed the December 31, 2017 bank account balance with the Council of Government's financial institution. We found no exceptions.
- 5. Pursuant to Ohio Rev. Code Section 167.04 (B), the Council appointed a fiscal officer and prescribed allowable investments. We compared investments held at December 31, 2017 to the investments the bylaws permit. We found no exceptions.

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#### **Member Contributions**

We haphazardly selected five-member contribution cash receipts from the year ended December 31, 2017 recorded in the duplicate cash receipts book and:

- a. Agreed the receipt amount to the amount recorded in the Receipt Register Report. The amounts agreed.
- b. Agreed the amount charged complied with rates in force during the period. We found no exceptions.
- c. Inspected the Receipt Register Report to determine the receipt was posted to the proper fund and was recorded in the proper year. We found no exceptions.

## **Non-Payroll Cash Disbursements**

- 1. We haphazardly selected ten disbursements from the Expenditure Register Detail Report for the year ended December 31, 2017 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 Expenditure Register Detail Report and to the names and amounts on the supporting invoices. We found no exceptions.
  - c. The payment was posted to a fund consistent with the restricted purpose for which the fund's cash can be used. We found no exceptions.

## **Other Compliance**

Ohio Rev. Code Section 117.38 requires councils to file their financial information in the Hinkle system within 60 days after the close of the fiscal year. This statute also permits the Auditor of State to extend the deadline for filing a financial report and establish terms and conditions for any such extension. Auditor of State established policies, in addition to filing extensions granted for extenuating circumstances, allow for refiling complete financial statements, as defined in AOS Bulletin 2015-007 in the Hinkle System for December 31, 2017 and 2016 fiscal year ends included in 2015-2016 or 2016-2017 agreed-upon procedure engagements, subsequent to the Council's deadline where the initial filing was filed on time but incomplete. We confirmed the Council filed their complete financial statements, as defined by AOS Bulletin 2015-007 and Auditor of State established policy within the allotted timeframe for the years ended December 31, 2017 in the Hinkle system. There were no exceptions.

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

This report is to provide assistance in in the evaluation of the Council's receipts, disbursements and balances recorded in their cash-basis accounting records for the years ended December 31, 2017, and certain compliance requirements related to these transactions and balances and is not suitable for any other purpose.

Julian & Grube, Inc. May 10, 2018

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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 JUNE 19, 2018