# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

**AUDIT REPORT** 

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, Hamilton County, prepared by James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc., for the audit period July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

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 Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Keith Faber Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

January 13, 2020



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# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

# **ACRONYMS/ABBREVIATIONS**

CMAQ Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

FAST Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act

FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FIAM Fiscal Impact Analysis Model

FTA Federal Transit Administration

HCEMA Hamilton County Emergency Management Agency

HPR Highway Planning and Research

INDOT Indiana Department of Transportation

JARC Job Access Reserve Commute

KYTC Kentucky Transportation Cabinet

MPO Metropolitan Planning Organization

NARC National Association of Regional Councils

ODOT Ohio Department of Transportation

OEPA Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

OKI Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments

PL Planning

SNK Surface Transportation Planning (Northern Kentucky)

STP Surface Transportation Planning (Ohio and Indiana)

UPWP Unified Planning Work Program

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Executive Committee Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments Cincinnati, Ohio The Honorable Keith Faber Auditor State of Ohio

# **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, Ohio (OKI), as of and for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise OKI's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

# Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

# Auditor's Responsibility

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 *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to OKI's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of OKI's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

# **Opinion**

In our opinion, based on our audit, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of OKI as of June 30, 2019 and 2018, and the changes in financial position and cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

# Prior Period Financial Statements Audited by a Predecessor Auditor

The financial statements of the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, Ohio (OKI), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, were audited by predecessor auditors whose report dated December 10, 2018, expressed an unmodified opinion on those statements.

#### **Other Matters**

# Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We and the other auditors applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during the audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

# Supplementary and Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise OKI's basic financial statements. The accompanying Supplemental Schedules 1-3 and Schedules of Cumulative Revenues and Expenditures for Completed Programs and Programs in Progress present additional analysis and are not a part of the basic financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The schedules are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. We and the other auditors subjected this information to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements. We and the other auditors also applied certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, this information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

# Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 18, 2019, on our consideration of OKI's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion 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 OKI's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

(Unaudited)

The Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI) offers this narrative overview and analysis of OKI's financial performance during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019. Please read it in conjunction with OKI's financial statements, which follow this section.

# ABOUT OKI

The Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI) is a council of local governments, business organizations and community groups committed to developing collaborative strategies to improve the quality of life and the economic vitality of the region. Formed in 1964, OKI has spent over 50 years cultivating partnerships and alliances that range from the federal government to local councils. Its 118 members represent governmental, social and civic groups from nearly 200 communities in the eight-county, three-state region.

OKI works collaboratively with stakeholders to solve interstate dilemmas, create far-reaching development plans, break through political bureaucracy, provide services to the public and advocate for federal funding.

OKI has final authority over all federal dollars spent on surface transportation in the region. Each year, OKI approves roughly \$40 million in funding for projects in the region.

# **ACTIVITIES AND PROJECTS**

While OKI's primary mission has been transportation, its responsibilities are not confined to just highways and pavement.

OKI Projects include...

# **Brent Spence Bridge**

OKI is dedicated to seeing this \$2.6 billion dollar project built and the sooner, the better. The bridge is not in danger of falling down; however, it is functionally obsolete and does not meet current capacity needs and design standards. The new and refurbished existing bridge along with eight miles of expanded and improved Interstate 75 will increase travel efficiency and safety on one of the nation's busiest surface trade corridors. A yearlong study commissioned by Governor Bevin (KY) concluded in late 2018 that a new Brent Spence Bridge is necessary and a bypass highway will not address the needs. Next steps include a funding plan that is agreeable by both Kentucky and Ohio.



# **Western Hills Viaduct**

Cincinnati's gateway to the West Side, the Western Hills Viaduct is a half-mile, double-decked bridge spanning the Queen City rail yard, connecting several major roadways and has a water main built into it. The viaduct is the most decrepit bridge in the region with Federal inspectors declaring it structurally deficient. It is part of the region's multimodal, integrated transportation system and any future update will accommodate Bus Rapid Transit. The viaduct carries almost 71,000 vehicles a day and is 85 years old. Estimated costs to replace it is \$335 million.



# **Indiana Port**

Announced in June 2019, the purchase agreement was extended again for a site near Lawrenceburg that could potentially serve as Indiana's fourth port. The Ports of Indiana originally signed the agreement in September 2017 to acquire up to 725 acres of land that formerly housed the American Electric Power plant. Governor Holcomb's office says the option has again been extended six months to allow Tanners Creek Development LLC to complete its environmental remediation plan for the site and submit it to the Indiana Department of Environmental Management. In 2018, Indiana's three existing ports handled a record 14.8 million tons of cargo.



# **Riverfront Commons**

OKI working with Kentucky's Southbank Partners are developing an 11.5-mile pedestrian/bicycle trail that links Northern Kentucky's six river cities - Ludlow, Covington, Newport, Bellevue, Dayton and Fort Thomas – to the City of Cincinnati and other local trail systems. Riverfront Commons will be an integrated, continuous public corridor of multi-use trails, plazas, overlooks, parks and event venues that link six of Northern Kentucky's communities.



# Freight

Our region is a major link in America's freight transportation network. Upwards of 323 million tons of freight moves through the region annually. OKI's comprehensive freight plan includes multi-modal improvements to enhance the region's freight transportation system. More details may be found at <a href="https://www.freight.oki.org">www.freight.oki.org</a>. OKI is scheduled to host the Ohio Conference on Freight in 2021.



# **Cincinnati Mobility Lab**

Progress continues with the Cincinnati Mobility Lab, with OKI sharing data and insights for study collection, engagement of employers along with activating designers to help create an innovative and strategic transportation plan for the region. OKI, along with Cincinnati USA Regional Chamber, City of Cincinnati, SORTA, and TANK are collaborative partners.



# **Interactive Job Hubs**

The Interactive Job Hubs Map was launched in February 2018 by the Cincinnati Chamber, REDI Partnership and OKI as an innovative new tool that identifies the region's densest areas of employment and detail how accessible they are to jobs by car or public transit. Part of the *Connected Region Initiative*, the tool will inform public officials, economic developers, transportation and planning leaders, and the general public on the hubs of activity and commerce that need to be connected. Hubs are defined based on employer density and number of employees as well as aligning with local government and economic development opportunities.



# **Solar Ready**

OKI collaborated with 10 regional planning councils across the country in streamlining local government permitting and planning processes, exploring financing options, and identifying other best practices to better facilitate the installation of solar energy. In addition, OKI developed a solar map <a href="http://solar.oki.org/map/">http://solar.oki.org/map/</a> to provide general information about the estimated annual solar energy potential on building rooftops in the OKI region.



# The Coordinated Public Transit

The Coordinated Public Transit Human Services Plan (Coordinated Plan) is a unified, Transportation comprehensive strategy for public transportation service delivery that identifies the transportation needs of seniors and individuals with disabilities; lays out strategies for meeting these needs; and prioritizes services for these target populations. The Coordinated Plan addresses Section 5310 (Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities) of Title 49 of the U.S. Code (U.S.C.) and is used by OKI to prioritize and identify projects to invest 5310 federal funding in the region.



# Policy of Inclusion and Participation

Title VI and Environmental Justice programs ensure the inclusion of minority, low income, disabled, elderly and zero-car households in its transportation planning process.



# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

During fiscal year 2019:

- OKI continued its partnership with the Greater Cincinnati Energy Alliance to undertake a 3 year \$500,000 project funded by the Duke Class Benefit Fund to complete eight (8) energy efficiency plans with municipal entities (all but the City of Cincinnati) in the Southwest Ohio counties that are members of OKI. In FY19 plans were completed for Colerain Township and Silverton and plans were initiated for Middletown, North College Hill, and Turtlecreek and Harlan Townships. Consistent with OKI's strategic regional policy plan, OKI will create and share a template (or other comparable guide) for municipalities to use in creating energy efficiency plans. During FY19 program funding was re-organized to transfer \$120,000 community implementation funds from OKI's program budget to the Greater Cincinnati Energy Alliance, who is managing the disbursement of those funds.
- OKI continued executing partnership agreements with advertising outlets to provide value added services as match for the Clean Air and RideShare programs. The value of these services was used as match for the Kentucky share of these programs. Currently the Ohio share of these programs does not require match. ODOT provides 100% funding for RideShare and toll revenue credits as match for Clean Air. During fiscal year 2019 the RideShare Program received \$47,475 in contributed services and the Clean Air Program received \$34,550 in contributed services.
- Total assets exceeded liabilities as of June 30, 2019 by \$1,476,786, an increase of \$109,982 from June 30, 2018. The goal of OKI is to provide the maximum level of service to Council members within available funding, while maintaining net position of around \$1,000,000.
- OKI had operating revenues of \$5,655,181 and operating expenses of \$5,545,199, resulting in operating income of \$109,982. Contributed services in excess of match required by programs and grants totaled \$62,700.

# USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The following is a list of the basic financial statements included in this report:

Management Discussion and Analysis

Basic Financial Statements:

Statement of Net Position

Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position

Statement of Cash Flows

Notes to the Financial Statements

OKI is a single enterprise fund using proprietary fund accounting, which means these statements are presented in a manner similar to private-sector business. The statements are presented using economic resource management focus and the accrual basis of accounting. The statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of OKI's finances.

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position

Our analysis of OKI as a whole begins here. One of the most important questions asked about OKI's finances is "Is OKI as a whole better off as a result of the year's activities?". As net position increased by \$109,982, we feel that the financial position of OKI continues to be secure. Over the past few years, at the direction of the Board, OKI has increased its net position to assist with day to day cash flow and in anticipation of future activities requiring local match. Net position is currently at the level desired by the Board.

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position report information about OKI as a whole and about its activities in a way that helps answer this question. These statements include all the assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to accounting used by most private-sector companies. Accruals of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report OKI's net position and changes to it. One can think of OKI's net position, the difference between assets (what OKI owns) and liabilities (what OKI owes), as one way to measure OKI's financial health, or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in OKI's net position are one indicator of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. The Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position measures the success of operations over the past year and can be used to determine whether OKI has successfully recovered all the costs through member contribution, federal, state of Ohio, state of Kentucky, state of Indiana, local reimbursements, and other revenues.

In addition to the results of operating activities, one needs to consider other nonfinancial factors such as prevailing economic conditions, growth or decline in population, and new or changed legislation as contributing to the net change in position.

# Statement of Cash Flows

The Statement of Cash Flows provides information about OKI's cash receipts and cash payments during the year. The statement reports cash receipts, cash payments, and net changes in cash resulting from operations, capital and related financing activities and investing activities.

These financial statements can be found on pages 16 through 18 of this report.

# Notes to the Financial Statements

The notes to the basic financial statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements. The notes can be found starting on page 19 of this report.

# FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF OKI

# STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

The following table represents condensed statements of net position.

# **Statement of Net Position (\$ in Thousands)**

Current assets Capital assets, net Total assets	FY2019	FY2018	FY2017
	\$2,311	\$2,338	\$2,022
	72	46	53
	2,383	2,384	2,075
Current liabilities Non-current liabilities Total liabilities	792	898	842
	114	119	114
	906	1,017	956
Net position: Net investment in capital assets Unrestricted Total net position	72	46	53
	1,405	1,321	_1,066
	<u>\$1,477</u>	\$1,367	<u>\$1,119</u>

**Current assets** decreased by \$27k, or 1.2%, in 2019 due to a decrease in accounts receivable related to the Ohio Conference on Freight that was held in August, 2018 offset by an increase in cash. In 2018 current assets increased by \$316k, or 15.6%, due to an increase in accounts receivable related to the Ohio Conference on Freight held in August, 2018, combined with an increase in cash.

**Capital assets** increased by \$26k, or 56.5%, in 2019 due to the purchase of two new network servers and traffic data collection software offset by disposal of two outdated network servers. In 2018 capital assets decreased by \$7k, or 13.2%, due to the disposal of an outdated postage meter and related equipment.

Current liabilities decreased by \$106k, or 11.8%, in 2019 due to a decrease in open payables related to not hosting a freight conference this year offset by an increase in unearned revenues associated with an advance received from the Duke Class Benefit Fund. In 2018 current liabilities increased by \$56k, or 6.7%, due to an increase in open payables related to the traffic data collection project combined with an a increase in unearned revenues associated with an advance received from the Duke Class Benefit Fund and advances received for the Ohio Conference on Freight to be held in August 2019, which were offset by revenue recognized on completed and closed projects.

**Non-current liabilities** decreased by \$5k, or 4.2%, in 2019 due to leave payouts associated with three resignations and one retirement during the year. In 2018 non-current liabilities increased by \$5k, or 4.4%, due to a vacation accrual correction made during the year.

Unrestricted net position – the part of net position that can be used to finance day-to-day operations without constraints or legal requirements – increased by \$84k, or 6.4%, in 2019 due to continued effective management of local water, regional planning, and general and administrative activities combined with timing of current projects. In 2018 unrestricted net position increased by \$255k, or 23.9%, due to continued effective management of local water, regional planning, and general and administrative activities combined with timing of current projects and recognition of revenue on completed and closed projects.

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

The following table reflects the Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position.

# Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position (\$ in Thousands)

Operating revenues Federal and state State, local and county matching Other revenue Contributed services Total operating revenue	FY2019 \$4,291 1,114 175 	FY2018 \$4,224 1,267 82 	FY2017 \$4,281 1,039 56 <u>84</u> 5,460
Operating expenses			
Salaries and wages	2,550	2,495	2,438
Fringe benefits	1,065	1,058	1,091
Travel, subsistence and professional developmer	-	115	138
Printing, marketing and contractual	830	922	973
Depreciation	19	28	26
Other expenses	878	707	683
Contributed services	75	77	84
Total operating expenses	5,545	5,402	5,433
Operating income	110	248	27
Non-operating revenues (expenses)			
Contributed services	63	73	19
Contributed marketing	(63)	(73)	(19)
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)			
Increase (decrease) in net position	110	248	27
Net position, beginning of year	1,367	1,119	_1,092
Net position, end of year	\$1,477	\$1,367	\$1,119
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**Operating revenues** increased by 0.1% from 2018 to 2019 due to an increase in other revenues associated with the Ohio Conference on Freight offset by a decrease in state revenues associated with completion of the Boone County study.

Operating revenues increased by 3.5% from 2017 to 2018 due to a decrease in federal and state revenues associated with completion of the Forestry project offset by increased FTA 5310 project activities; combined with an increase in local revenues associated with the Duke Class Benefit Energy Fund activities, an increase in other revenues associated with the Ohio Conference on Freight, and recognition of revenue from completed and closed projects, offset by a decrease in contributed services revenue related to completion of the Forestry project.

**Operating expenses** increased by 2.6% from 2018 to 2019 due to an increase in travel, subsistence, and professional development expenses related to increased training in the area of autonomous and electric vehicles; combined with an increase in other expenses including an increase in meeting expenses related to the conference on freight, an increase in legal fees related to personnel matters and an increase in grant funded capital purchases related to installation of the final two bridge count stations, offset by a decrease in occupancy expenses related to refunds of common area maintenance expenses; offset by decreases in printing, marketing and contractual expenses related to completion of the Boone County Study and lower marketing expenses offset by increased 5310 pass through program activities; combined with a decrease in depreciation expense related to older network servers being fully depreciated.

Operating expenses decreased by 0.6% from 2017 to 2018 due to a decrease in travel, subsistence, and professional development expenses related to completion of the Forestry project and lower board member travel costs; combined with a decrease to printing, marketing and contractual expenses related to completion of the Bright 74 Study and the Establishment Survey, reduced FIAM model activities, and the CleanAir marketing survey being completed by staff rather than a consultant, offset by an increase in Boone County Transportation Plan update activities and commencement of traffic counts; and a decrease in contributed services revenue related to completion of the Forestry project.

**Contributed services in excess of required match** decreased by 13.7% from 2018 to 2019 due to fewer partnerships negotiated for the Clean Air and Rideshare programs.

Contributed services in excess of required match increased by 284.2% from 2017 to 2018 due to the program manager being able to negotiate better rates and partnerships for the Clean Air and Rideshare programs.

# **BUDGET VS ACTUAL INFORMATION**

The following table reflects a budget to actual comparison.

# **BUDGET VS ACTUAL (\$ in Thousands)**

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	Variance
Operating revenues	¢4.201	¢4.400	Φ (200)
Federal and state	\$4,291	\$4,499	\$ (208)
State, local and county matching	1,114	1,276	(162)
Other revenue	175	52	123
Contributed services	<u>75</u>	32	43
Total operating revenue	<u>5,655</u>	5,859	_(204)
Operating expenses			
Salaries and wages	2,550	2,581	31
Fringe benefits	1,065	1,180	115
Travel, subsistence and professional development	128	184	56
Printing, marketing and contractual	830	897	67
Other expenses	897	980	83
Contributed services	75	32	(43)
Total operating expenses	5,545	5,854	309
Non-operating revenues (expenses)			
Contributed services	63	74	(11)
Contributed marketing	(63)	(74)	11
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)			
Increase (decrease) in net position	110	5	105
Net position, beginning of year	1,367	1,367	-
Net position, end of year	\$1,477	\$1,372	\$ 105

Operating revenues were 96.6% of budget. Federal and state revenues were under budget due to the timing of transportation activities; local revenues were under budget due to changes to the Duke Class Benefit Energy Fund activities; and other revenues were ahead of budget due to Ohio Conference on Freight partnerships being higher than anticipated.

Operating expenses were at 94.7% of budget. Fringe benefit expenses were under budget due to savings experienced on health insurance renewals. Travel and professional development expenses were under budget due to several professional development opportunities budgeted but not taken, and lower than budgeted board travel. Printing, marketing and contractual expenses were under budget due to FIAM model development activities being postponed and changes to the Duke Class Benefit Energy Fund activities offset by an increases in 5310 program activities. Other expenses were under budget due to delays in installation of the final two bridge count stations and refunds received on lease common area maintenance expenses offset by freight conference expenses and legal expenses related to personnel matters. Contributed services is ahead of budget due to increased 5310 program activities.

In fiscal year 2019, OKI was able to stay under budget due to careful management of local regional planning, local water, and general and administrative non-federal activities combined with receipt of Ohio Conference on Freight partnerships greater than anticipated, resulting in the \$110k addition to net position.

# CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

# **Capital Assets**

As of June 30, 2019, 2018 and 2017, OKI's capital assets are reflected in the following schedule.

# **CAPITAL ASSETS (\$ in Thousands)**

	FY2019	FY2018	FY2017
Office furniture and equipment	\$ 641	\$ 620	\$ 629
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(569)</u>	<u>(574)</u>	<u>(576)</u>
Total	<u>\$ 72</u>	<u>\$ 46</u>	\$ 53

Net capital assets increased during fiscal year 2019 primarily due to the replacement of two outdated network servers and purchase of traffic data collection software.

Net capital assets decreased during fiscal year 2018 primarily due to the disposal of an outdated postage meter and related equipment.

Additional information on OKI's capital assets can be found in Note 5.

# Debt

OKI maintains an \$850,000 bank line of credit if needed. The line of credit was not used during fiscal year 2019.

Additional information on OKI's bank line of credit can be found in Note 6.

# ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

OKI considered many factors when setting the fiscal year 2019 budget, including funding from federal and state agencies, the eight counties supporting the council and program demands from the member agencies.

OKI continues to rely on federal and state grants, local program grants, special studies, and other local projects to fund its many programs. At present, federal and state funding sources are secure; however, legislative action can affect both revenue streams. The eight counties that comprise the region are contributing funding for local match and OKI's administrative costs based on each county's population at a per capita rate of \$0.33. This per capita rate has been unchanged since fiscal 2000.

The region's population and economy have grown in recent years and there are many developments occurring throughout the counties that should continue this trend. To achieve this growth, the transportation assets of the region must continue to be addressed. Chief among these is the Brent Spence Bridge project that links the region's jobs and communities. OKI continues to work closely with the business community, the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet and the Ohio Department of Transportation to develop strategies for the replacement of this vital river crossing.

On December 4, 2015, President Obama signed the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act (Pub. L. No. 114-94) into law, the first federal law in over a decade to provide long-term funding certainty for surface transportation infrastructure planning and investment. The FAST Act authorizes \$305 billion over fiscal years 2016 through 2020 for highway, highway and motor vehicle safety, public transportation, motor carrier safety, hazardous materials safety, rail, and research, technology, and statistics programs. The FAST Act maintains our focus on safety, keeps intact the established structure of the various highway-related programs we manage, continues efforts to streamline project delivery and, for the first time, provides a dedicated source of federal dollars for freight projects. With the enactment of the FAST Act, states and local governments are now moving forward with critical transportation projects with the confidence that they will have a federal partner over the long term. It is prudent for OKI to develop its operating plan based on level funding.

# **CONTACTING OKI**

This financial report is designed to provide federal and state oversight agencies, taxpayers, and creditors with a general overview of OKI's finances and to demonstrate OKI's accountability for the money it receives. Additional financial information can be obtained by contacting the Director of Finance, Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, 720 E. Pete Rose Way, Suite 420, Cincinnati, OH 45202.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2019 AND 2018

# ASSETS

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CURRENT ASSETS: Cash, cash equivalents and investments Accounts receivable Prepaid expenses	\$ 1,321,492 946,516 43,079	\$ 1,130,580 1,163,218 44,082
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	2,311,087	2,337,880
NONCURRENT ASSETS: Capital assets, net	71,930	45,933
TOTAL NONCURRENT ASSETS	71,930	45,933
TOTAL ASSETS	2,383,017	2,383,813
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES: Accounts payable Accrued expenses Compensated absences Unearned revenue  TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	233,338 116,358 194,639 248,268 792,603	384,766 110,272 198,009 205,037
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES Compensated absences	113,628	118,925
TOTAL NONCURRENT LIABILITIES	113,628	118,925
TOTAL LIABILITIES	906,231	1,017,009
NET POSITION		
Investment in capital assets Unrestricted	71,930 1,404,856	45,933 1,320,871
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 1,476,786	\$ 1,366,804

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2019 AND 2018

	2019	2018
OPERATING REVENUES:		
Federal and state grants	\$ 4,291,459	\$ 4,223,865
State, local and county matching funds	1,114,328	1,266,344
Other revenues	174,547	82,104
Contributed services	 74,847	 77,414
Total Operating Revenues	 5,655,181	 5,649,727
OPERATING EXPENSES:		
Direct expenses		
Personnel	1,430,917	1,447,903
Fringe benefits	1,009,123	994,120
Travel, subsistence and professional	108,609	90,161
Printing, marketing and contractual	780,663	872,835
Other direct expenses	263,337	102,104
Indirect costs	1,877,703	1,817,600
Contributed services	 74,847	 77,414
Total Operating Expenses	5,545,199	 5,402,137
OPERATING INCOME	 109,982	 247,590
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):		
Contributed services revenues	62,700	72,528
Contributed services expenses	 (62,700)	 (72,528)
Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)	 <u>-</u>	 
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	109,982	247,590
Net Position Beginning of Year	1,366,804	 1,119,214
Net Position End of Year	\$ 1,476,786	\$ 1,366,804

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2019 AND 2018

	2019	2018
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Receipts from federal and state grants	\$ 4,455,399	\$ 4,244,281
Receipts from local grants and matching funds	1,384,787	1,261,014
Payments to employees	(3,617,741)	(3,548,907)
Payments to suppliers	(1,986,661)	(1,708,670)
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	235,784	247,718
Cash flows from capital related activities:		
Purchase of fixed assets	(44,872)	(20,400)
Net cash provided by (used for) capital financing activities	(44,872)	(20,400)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	190,912	227,318
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	1,130,580	903,262
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 1,321,492	\$ 1,130,580
Reconciliation of operating income to net cash		
used for operating activities:		
Operating income	\$ 109,982	\$ 247,590
Adjustments to reconcile operating income		
to net cash provided by (used for) operating activities		
Depreciation	18,875	27,831
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Decrease (Increase) in:		
Accounts receivable	216,702	(77,345)
Prepaid expenses	1,003	(10,959)
Increase (Decrease) in:		
Accounts payable	(151,428)	45,483
Accrued expenses	6,086	4,814
Unearned revenue	43,231	10,218
Compensated absences	(8,667)	86
Net cash provided by (used for) operating activities	\$ 235,784	\$ 247,718

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2019 AND 2018

# 1. DESCRIPTION OF THE ENTITY

The Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI), organized under Chapter 167 of the Ohio Revised Code, assists in coordinating area-wide planning of transportation, economic development, water and air quality, and other aspects of regional development. In addition, OKI coordinates a regional ridesharing program funded by federal funds and contributed services.

OKI also acts as the area-wide review agency on state and local applications for U.S. Government financial assistance on projects located in the regional area comprised of Butler, Clermont, Hamilton, and Warren Counties in Ohio; Boone, Campbell, and Kenton Counties in Kentucky; and Dearborn County in Indiana. Funds are provided primarily by federal, state, and local government agencies.

The reporting entity for OKI has been defined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity" as amended by GASB Statement No. 39 "Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units" and GASB Statement No. 61, "The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34" and GASB Statement No. 80, "Blending Requirements for Certain Component Units - An Amendment of GASB Statement No. 14. The reporting entity can be composed of the primary government, component units and other organizations that are included to ensure that the basic financial statements of OKI are not misleading. On this basis, no governmental organizations or agencies other than OKI itself are included in the financial reporting entity.

# 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic financial statements of the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI) have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of OKI's accounting policies are described below.

# Basis of Presentation

OKI's financial statements consist of a statement of net position, a statement of revenue, expenses and changes in net position, and a statement of cash flows.

# Fund Accounting

OKI maintains its accounting records in accordance with the principles of "fund" accounting. Fund accounting is a concept developed to meet the needs of government entities in which legal or other restraints require the recording of specific revenues and expenses. OKI uses a single enterprise fund to account for operations (a) that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises, where the intent of OKI is that the costs of providing goods or services to its member governments on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through federal and state operating grants and through member government charges; or (b) where the governing body has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for public policy, management control, accountability or other purposes.

# Basis of Accounting

Enterprise fund transactions are recorded on the accrual basis of accounting; revenues are recognized when earned and measurable and expenses are recognized as incurred.

#### Measurement Focus

Enterprise funds are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the statement of net position. The statement of changes in net position presents increases (revenues) and decreases (expenses) in net total assets. The statement of cash flows provides information about how OKI finances and meets the cash flow needs of its enterprise activity.

# Cash and Cash Equivalents

Investments with an original maturity of three months or less at the time they are purchased are presented on the financial statements within cash and cash equivalents. Investments with an initial maturity of more than three months, if applicable, are reported as investments.

Investments are reported as assets. Accordingly, purchases of investments are not recorded as disbursements, and sales of investments are not recorded as receipts. Gains or losses at the time of sale are recorded as receipts or negative receipts, respectively.

During 2019, OKI invested in STAR Ohio. STAR Ohio (the State Treasury Asset Reserve of Ohio), is an investment pool managed by the State Treasurer's Office which allows governments within the State to pool their funds for investment purposes. STAR Ohio is not registered with the SEC as an investment company, but has adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), Statement No. 79, "Certain External Investment Pools and Pool Participants." OKI measures their investment in STAR Ohio at the net asset value (NAV) per share provided by STAR Ohio. The NAV per share is calculated on an amortized cost basis that provides an NAV per share that approximates fair value.

For 2019, there were no limitations or restrictions on any participant withdrawals due to redemption notice periods, liquidity fees, or redemption gates. However, notice must be given 24 hours in advance of all deposits and withdrawals of \$25 million or more. STAR Ohio reserves the right to limit the transactions to \$100 million per day, requiring the excess amount to be transacted the following business day(s), but only to the \$100 million limit. All accounts of the participant will be combined for these purposes.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, investments with an original maturity of three months or less at the time they are purchased are considered cash equivalents.

# Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable consist mainly of amounts due from various funding agencies for program costs incurred that have not been reimbursed at year-end. Management considers all accounts receivable to be collectable in full.

# Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit beyond year-end are reported as prepaid items via the consumption method.

# Capital Assets

Capital assets with a cost of \$5,000 or greater are capitalized and are depreciated on the straight-line method over the asset's estimated useful life. OKI's capital assets consist primarily of office furniture and computers. OKI depreciates office furniture and equipment over a ten year period with one-half year depreciation taken in the year of purchase and disposal. Computers are depreciated over a three year period beginning in the month of purchase.

# Compensated Absences

OKI reports compensated absences in accordance with the provisions of GASB No. 16, "Accounting for Compensated Absences." Vacation benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and it is probable that OKI will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or other means, such as a cash payment at termination or retirement. Sick leave benefits are accrued as a liability using the vesting method. The sick leave liability is based on the 25% of sick leave balances accumulated at year end for those employees with at least 20 years of employment and age 55.

# **Unearned Revenue**

Cash received under grants and contracts for which applicable services have not been performed are recorded as unearned revenue in the statement of net position.

# Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets and liabilities.

Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by any outstanding balances of any borrowings that have been used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets.

# Revenues and Expenses

OKI distinguishes operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses result from grants or contracts for the reimbursement of eligible operating costs incurred up to the maximum amounts specified under the grants or contract commitments. Operating revenues also include local matching funds, including member county supporting contributions and in-kind contributions from other agencies, to the extent required to fund program costs or to meet program matching requirements. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition, including contributed services in excess of program matching requirements, are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

# Tax Status

OKI is qualified by the Internal Revenue Service under Section 501(c)(3) and thus exempted from the payment of income taxes.

#### Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

# 3. DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

State statutes classify monies held by OKI into three categories.

Active monies are public monies determined to be necessary to meet current demands upon the OKI treasury. Active monies must be maintained either as cash in the OKI treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Inactive deposits are public deposits that OKI management has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.

Interim deposits are deposits of interim monies. Interim monies are those monies which are not needed for immediate use but which will be needed before the end of the current period of designation of depositories. Interim monies can be deposited or invested in accordance with ORC Section 135.14.

OKI maintains a written investment policy and has designated STAR Ohio as the primary depository for excess funds.

# Deposits

At June 30, 2019, the carrying amount of OKI's deposits was \$620,052 (including \$200 in undeposited cash on hand). Based on criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, *Deposits and Investments Risk Disclosures*, as of June 30, 2019, \$250,000 of OKI's bank balance of \$620,028 was covered by Federal Depository Insurance and \$240,211 was uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent, but not in OKI's name, and \$129,817 was uninsured and uncollateralized. OKI's financial institution was approved for a reduced collateral rate of 50 percent through the Ohio Pooled Collateral System, resulting in the uninsured and uncollateralized balance.

Custodial credit risk for deposits is the risk that in the event of bank failure, OKI will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. Protection of OKI's cash and deposits is provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), as well as qualified securities pledged by the institution holding the assets. Ohio law requires that deposits either be insured or protected by:

Eligible securities pledged to OKI and deposited with a qualified trustee by the financial institution as security for repayment whose fair value at all times shall be at least 105 percent of the deposits being secured; or

Participation in the Ohio Pooled Collateral System (OPCS), a collateral pool of eligible securities deposited with a qualified trustee and pledged to the Treasurer of State to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited in the financial institutions. OPCS requires the total fair value of the securities pledged to be 102 percent of the deposits being secured or a rate set by the Treasurer of State. OKI's financial institution had enrolled in OPCS as of June 30, 2019.

# Investments

As of June 30, 2019, OKI had the following investments:

	Measurement	
	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Maturity</u>
STAR Ohio	\$701,440	Average 53.3 Days
<b>Total Investments</b>	\$701,440	

OKI categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets. Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs. Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. The above tables identifies the OKI's recurring fair value measurement as of June 30, 2019. STAR Ohio is reported at its share price (Net Asset value per share).

Interest Rate Risk: Interest rate risk arises because potential purchasers of debt securities will not agree to pay face value for those securities if interest rates subsequently increase. OKI's investment policy addresses interest rate risk by requiring OKI's investment portfolio be structured so that securities mature to meet cash requirements for ongoing operations and/or long-term debt payments, thereby avoiding the need to sell securities on the open market prior to maturity, and by investing operating funds primarily in short-term investments.

*Credit Risk:* STAR Ohio carries a rating of AAAm by Standard and Poor's. OKI has no investment policy dealing with investment credit risk beyond the requirements in state statutes. Ohio law requires that STAR Ohio maintain the highest rating provided by at least one nationally recognized standard rating service and that the money market fund be rated in the highest category at the time of purchase by at least one nationally recognized standard rating service.

Concentration of Credit Risk: STAR Ohio represents 100% of OKI's investments at June 30, 2019.

A reconciliation of Cash, cash equivalents and investments is as follows:

	Cash and	
	Cash Equivalents	<u>Investments</u>
Per Statement of Net Position	\$1,321,492	\$ 0
STAR Ohio	_(701,440)	701,440
Per Details Presented Above	<u>\$ 620,052</u>	<u>\$701,440</u>

# 4. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable are from federal, state and local governmental agencies. Amounts reported are as follows:

	June 30, 2019	June 30, 2018
Receivables Under Contracts and Grants		
Federal	\$ 68,769	\$ 57,186
Ohio	706,698	828,633
Kentucky	142,963	153,241
Indiana	27,724	27,803
Local and County	-	10,000
Receivables Other	362	86,355
Total Receivables	\$946,516	\$ 1,163,218

# 5. CAPITAL ASSETS

Changes in capital assets for the year that ended June 30, 2019 are summarized below:

	Balance			Balance
<u>Description</u>	July 1, 2018	<b>Additions</b>	<b>Deletions</b>	June 30, 2019
Office furniture and equipment	\$ 619,792	\$ 44,872	\$(23,576)	\$ 641,088
Less: accumulated depreciation	(573,859)	(18,875)*	23,576	(569,158)
Furniture and Equipment net	\$ 45,933	\$ 25,997	<u>\$</u> _	\$ 71,930

<sup>\*</sup>Depreciation expense of \$14,602 was charged to the indirect cost pool and \$4,273 was charged directly to general and administrative activities, as directed by ODOT Office of Audits.

Changes in capital assets for the year that ended June 30, 2018 are summarized below:

	Balance			Balance
Description	July 1, 2017	<b>Additions</b>	<b>Deletions</b>	June 30, 2018
Office furniture and equipment	\$ 629,607	\$ 20,400	\$(30,215)	\$ 619,792
Less: accumulated depreciation	(576,243)	(27,831)*	30,215	(573,859)
Furniture and Equipment net	\$ 53,364	\$ (7,431)	<u>\$</u> _	\$ 45,933

<sup>\*</sup>Depreciation expense of \$24,891 was charged to the indirect cost pool and \$2,940 was charged directly to general and administrative activities, as directed by ODOT Office of Audits.

# 6. BANK LINE OF CREDIT

OKI has a line of credit available of \$850,000. When used, the line of credit is collateralized by the working capital of OKI and bears interest at the prime rate less one-half percent. At June 30, 2019 and 2018, OKI had no borrowings against this line of credit.

# 7. COMPENSATED ABSENCES

Changes in compensated absences for the year that ended June 30, 2019 are summarized below:

				Due
Balance			Balance	Within
July 1, 2018	Entitlements	Usage	June 30, 2019	One Year
\$316,934	<u>\$413,241</u>	\$(421,908)	\$308,267	<u>\$194,639</u>

Changes in compensated absences for the year that ended June 30, 2018 are summarized below:

				Due
Balance			Balance	Within
July 1, 2017	Entitlements	Usage	June 30, 2018	One Year
\$316,848	\$379,097	\$(379,011)	\$316,934	\$198,009

# 8. LEASE COMMITMENTS

OKI has an operating lease agreement for office facilities. The base annual lease amount is \$403,800. This amount is subject to annual escalators that are based on landlord cost and occupancy formulas. These escalators are cumulative in nature. During fiscal year 2019, \$45,629 of common area maintenance expenses paid during prior years was credited to OKI by new building owners.

Total rental expense (base lease plus escalators minus credits) was \$384,210 and \$435,874 for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

# 9. DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN AND POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

OKI By-Laws, Article IX – Employee Retirement Plan – Social Security, authorizes the Executive Committee of OKI to establish a retirement plan for employees in writing and qualified under Section 401 of Internal Revenue Service Code of 1954. The plan is to provide for contributions by OKI and may condition participation by an employee of his or her contribution to the plan. The By-Laws direct the Executive Committee to establish a trust for the funding of the plan and to appoint a private banking institution or other organization qualified by the Internal Revenue Service to serve as Director or custodian of a Section 401 plan.

The By-Laws state that administration of the retirement plan shall be vested in a Retirement Plan Administrative Committee. The committee will consist of the President, Treasurer, Executive Director, Fiscal Officer, and two full-time employees of OKI. Employee committee members are elected by secret ballot of all retirement plan participants and shall serve for one year. The Executive Director designates the time and conducts the election of committee members.

The By-Laws also direct OKI to enter into an agreement with the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide coverage of OKI's employees under the Social Security system. This coverage is to supplement any retirement plan adopted according to the previous paragraphs.

The OKI Employees Retirement Plan is a trusted, contributory, defined contribution retirement plan covering all permanent full-time employees.

Prior to January 1, 2009, OKI's Employees' retirement plan consisted of a 401(a) plan. Contributions to the plan included a contribution by OKI of 6.9% of the participant's wages and a mandatory contribution by the participant of 5% of his or her wages.

OKI considers various factors in determining employee and employer contribution rates. These factors include overall budgetary constraints, budget committee direction as well as industry standards and comparative rates of other pension plans utilized by member counties. Based on these considerations, the Board approved changes to OKI's Employees Retirement Plan. Effective January 1, 2009, the retirement plan has two components, a mandatory 401(a) and a voluntary 403(b). Eligible employees are required to contribute 6% to the 401(a) plan and OKI matches 10%. Eligible employees may contribute additional funds to the 403(b) plan. OKI matches up to 4% on the first 3% of employee contributions.

During 2019, both employee and employer contributions are 100 percent vested at the date of contribution.

For the 401(a), OKI is the Plan Administrator. The corporate trustee is Central Bank & Trust. For the ERISA 403(b), CUNA Mutual Retirement Solutions is the third party administrator and Matrix Capital Bank & Trust is the custodian. UBS serves as investment advisor and also provides employee education for both Plans.

Pension expense was \$347,272 and \$337,616 for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively, of which the full amount has been contributed during each year. Forfeitures, when they occur, reduce the current contributions of OKI to the plan. In fiscal years 2019 and 2018 there were no forfeitures.

Other postemployment benefits are not provided by OKI.

# 10. RISK MANAGEMENT

OKI maintains commercial insurance coverage against most normal hazards and there has been no significant reduction in coverage from the prior year. Settlement claims have not exceeded coverage for any of the last three fiscal years.

OKI participates in the State of Ohio's Workers' Compensation program under which premiums paid are based on a rate per \$100 of payroll. The rate is determined based on accident history. OKI also carries workers' compensation insurance in Kentucky through Kentucky Employers' Mutual Insurance based on the portion of payroll related to work activities in Kentucky.

OKI has a premium based HDHP for employee health insurance coverage. OKI makes contributions to employee HSA accounts in accordance with the approved agency budget. Premium expense for 2019 and 2018 was \$363,810 and \$391,378, respectively.

#### 11. CONTRIBUTED SERVICES

Contributed services are valued at the equivalent OKI hourly pay rate for such services for the amount of hours spent by individuals involved. In-kind contributions are valued at the fair market price on the date of receipt. The following projects received contributed services:

The Clean Air (Ozone Awareness) and RideShare programs partner with local advertising outlets, some of which provide value added services as match for the programs. Services can be air time, print ads, or promotional items to be given away at events. The amount of contributed services was \$82,025 (\$62,700 in excess of required match) and \$91,853 (\$72,528 in excess of required match) for the years ended June 30, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

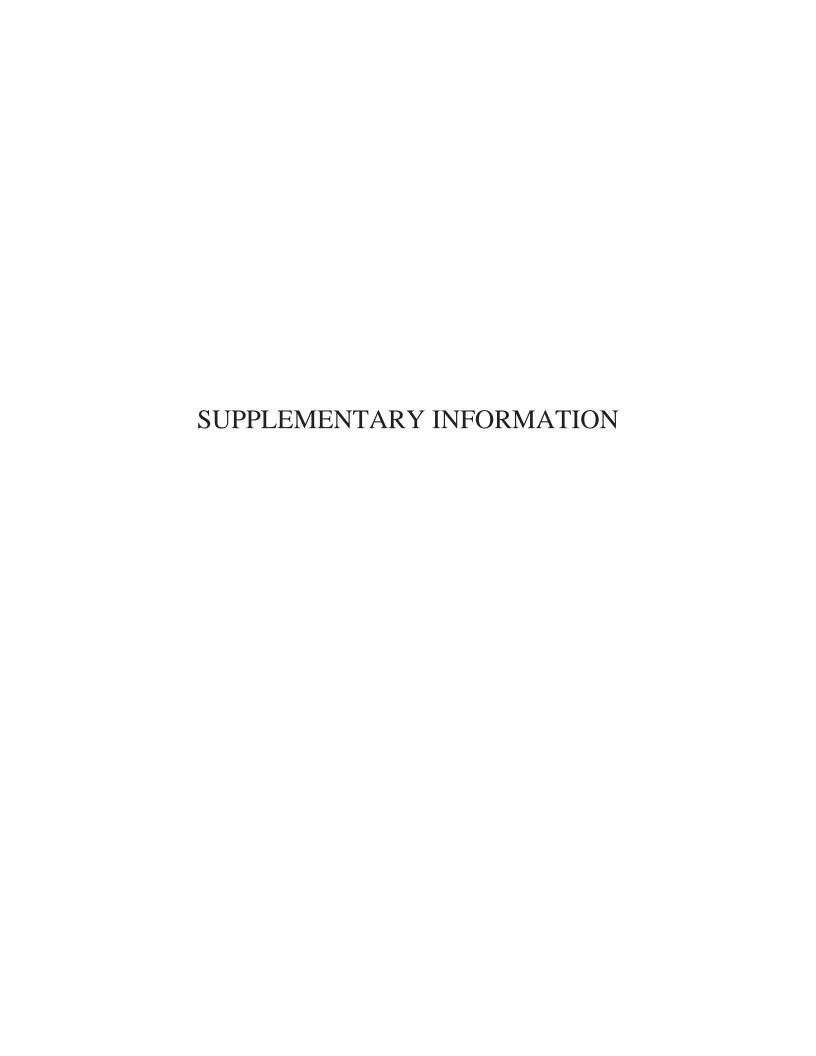
The FTA 5310 Pass-Through program received contributed services in the form of partner activities in support of the projects per the grant agreements. The amount of the contributed services was \$55,522 for the year ended June 30, 2019 and \$10,461 for the year ended June 30, 2018.

# 12. INDIRECT COSTS

During the year, indirect costs and fringe benefits are charged to individual programs based on provisional rates. Differences in amounts billed and actual costs incurred are adjusted to actual costs at year end. Indirect costs and fringe benefits in the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position represent the application of actual indirect and fringe benefit rates to programs and general and administrative operations.

# 13. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Amounts grantor agencies pay to OKI are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor, principally the federal government. Grantors 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.



# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES BY ACTIVITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019 (with comparative summary total for 2018)

	Ge Adm	General & Administrative Activities	Envi	Environmental Planning Activities	Regional Planning	Ridesharing Implementation	Transportation Planning Activities	Total 2019	Total 2018	
Operating Revenues: Federal & state grants State, local and county matching funds Other revenue Contributed services	<del>∨</del>	- 157,610 73,510	<del>&gt;</del>	125,267 45,858	\$ 136,641	\$ 197,480	\$ 3,968,712 774,219 101,037 65,747	\$ 4,291,459 1,114,328 174,547 74,847	\$ 4,223,865 1,266,344 82,104 77,414	65 44 40 41
Total Operating Revenues		231,120		171,125	136,641	206,580	4,909,715	5,655,181	5,649,727	27
Operating Expenses: Direct expenses Personnel Fringe benefits		13,345		55,260	39,438	20,187	1,302,687	1,430,917	1,447,903	03
Travel, subsistence, and professional		28,080		1,939	167	. 84	78,339	108,609	90,161	61
Printing, marketing and contractual		6,558		ı	16,955	136,482	620,668	780,663	872,835	35
Other direct expenses		46,232		2,441	516	1	214,148	263,337	102,104	40
Indirect costs Contributed services		17,512		72,514	51,752	26,490 9,100	1,709,435 65,747	1,877,703 74,847	1,817,600	000
Total Operating Expenses		121,138		171,125	136,641	206,580	4,909,715	5,545,199	5,402,137	37
Non Operating Revenues (Expenses): Contributed services revenues Contributed services expenses		1 1		1 1	1 1	38,375	24,325 (24,325)	62,700 (62,700)	72,528	28
Total Non Operating Revenues (Expenses)		'		1			'	1		-
Operating Income	↔	109,982	↔	ı	<b>S</b>	- -	€	\$ 109,982	\$ 247,590	06

# Notes:

1. Member counties pay dues each year based on census figures. Those dues are used to provide match for core planning projects and some special projects, as outlined in the board approved budget. Dues are also used to pay for direct expenses of OEPA projects, the local water program, the local regional planning program, and non-federal expenses recorded under the general and administrative program. When county funds used in programs exceed county funds received during the year, the result is negative net county revenues which indicates that surplus or fund balance has been used.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF FRINGE BENEFIT COST RATES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	 Budget	 Actual
Fringe benefit costs:		
Holidays	\$ 95,298	\$ 95,240
Sick leave	79,238	124,159
Vacation	208,094	202,509
Administrative	9,719	4,130
Retirement	382,915	365,700
Group health	563,912	506,713
FICA	186,523	183,854
Workers compensation	3,558	1,695
Unemployment	1,200	-
Employee Incentives	 4,344	7,551
Total fringe benefit costs	\$ 1,534,801	\$ 1,491,551
Allocation base: Direct and indirect personnel	\$ 2,217,310	\$ 2,114,989
Fringe benefit cost rate	<u>69.22%</u>	<u>70.52%</u>

# **Notes:**

- 1. Approval of the fringe benefit cost rate for the year ended June 30, 2019 was obtained from ODOT, OKI's cognizant agency. The authority for ODOT to be OKI's cognizant agency was granted from the FHWA.
- 2. A provisional fringe benefit rate of 69.22 percent was authorized by ODOT. The provisional rate is applied each month with a thirteenth allocation made to adjust fringe costs claimed to actual at the end of the fiscal year.
- There were no questioned costs in the fringe benefit cost pool or the direct and indirect personnel allocation base.
- 4. The approved provisional rate was utilized during the fiscal year 2019 for grant invoicing purposes. The final 2019 fringe benefit rate was applied for financial statement purposes and for determining the final grant amounts claimed.
- 5. Expenses in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Net Position reflect the application of actual rates. Individual program costs presented on pages 27 through 44 reflect the application of provisional rates adjusted to actual, subject to grant/program limitations.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF INDIRECT COST RATES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

	 Budget		 Actual
Indirect costs:	 	•	
Personnel	\$ 690,101		684,073
Fringe benefits	477,682		482,428
Auto allowance	8,700		8,700
Travel and professional development	36,446		15,015
Memberships	3,220		3,155
Printing	1,487		900
Repairs and maintenance	17,275		9,342
Office supplies	65,908		55,730
Postage	1,699		2,408
Rent	467,540		397,866
Telephone	7,970		7,902
Professional publications	937		1,097
Legal and audit	52,821		96,990
Reproductions	2,062		2,647
Insurance	27,437		27,632
Professional services	50,804		40,651
Legal notices	610		3,013
Depreciation	18,206		14,602
Payroll processing	8,021		7,813
Internet	7,260		6,261
Retirement plan admin & education fees	4,515		6,887
Other	 2,832		 2,591
Total indirect costs	\$ 1,953,533	:	\$ 1,877,703
Allocation base: Direct personnel	\$ 1,527,209	;	\$ 1,430,917
Indirect cost rate applied	<u>127.92%</u>		131.22%

# **Notes:**

- Approval of the provisional indirect cost rate for the year ended June 30, 2019 was obtained from ODOT, OKI's cognizant agency. The authority for ODOT to be OKI's cognizant agency was granted from the FHWA.
- 2. A provisional indirect cost rate of 127.92 percent was authorized by ODOT. The provisional rate is applied each month with a thirteenth allocation made to adjust indirect costs claimed to actual at the end of the fiscal year.
- 3. There were no questioned costs in the indirect cost pool or the direct personnel allocation base.
- 4. The approved provisional rate was utilized during fiscal year 2019 for grant invoicing purposes. The final 2019 indirect cost rate was applied for financial statement purposes and for determining the final grant amounts claimed.
- 5. Expenses in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Net Position reflect the application of actual rates. Individual program costs presented on pages 27 through 44 reflect the application of provisional rates adjusted to actual, subject to grant/program limitations.

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# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF CUMULATIVE REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FHWA/ODOT/KYTC/INDOT FY 2018 TRANSPORTATION PLANNING JUNE 30, 2019

		C	umulative		Cumulative		
		Re	venues and	Cui	rrent Year	Re	venues and
		Exp	enditures as	Rev	venue and	Exp	enditures as
	Budget	of J	une 30, 2018	Exp	enditures	of J	ane 30, 2019
Operating Revenues:							
Federal and state grants							
Ohio: ODOT (MPO-PL Funds)	\$ 2,359,573	\$	1,896,010	\$	463,562	\$	2,359,572
Kentucky: KYTC (HPR-PL Funds)	463,972		375,166		75,407		450,573
Kentucky: KYTC (FTA Funds)	140,531		113,639		22,840		136,479
Indiana: INDOT (Trans PL Funds)	25,000		25,000		-		25,000
State matching funds Ohio	294,947		237,001		57,945		294,946
State matching funds Kentucky	28,998		23,448		4,713		28,161
County matching funds	423,324		342,012		80,295		422,307
Other revenue	 -		29,365		101,037		130,402
Total Operating Revenues	 3,736,345		3,041,641		805,799		3,847,440
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel	1,127,476		932,008		236,411		1,168,419
Fringe benefits	821,762		631,503		163,643		795,146
Travel, subsistence & professional	61,745		38,886		15,895		54,781
Printing, marketing & contractual	235,000		221,863		1,784		223,647
Other direct expenses	92,156		44,374		85,649		130,023
Indirect costs	 1,398,206		1,173,007		302,417		1,475,424
Total Operating Expenses	 3,736,345		3,041,641		805,799		3,847,440
Tasks:							
Short range planning	77,000		58,035		21,891		79,926
Transportation improvement program	161,000		150,009		32,178		182,187
Continuing planning - surveillance	1,822,592		1,508,590		340,621		1,849,211
Transporation Plan	936,886		808,287		215,962		1,024,249
Long range planning - Conference on Freight	210,000		48,558		127,488		176,046
Transportation services	307,000		277,157		48,119		325,276
INDOT exclusive - Dearborn Co. Tran Planning	31,250		31,261		-		31,261
KYTC exclusive - transportation planning	130,517		108,702		-		108,702
UPWP administration	20,100		14,522		12,710		27,232
Transportation program reporting	10,000		5,106		-		5,106
Mobile source emissions planning	 30,000		31,414		6,830		38,244
Total Tasks	\$ 3,736,345	\$	3,041,641	\$	805,799	\$	3,847,440

- 1. The grant period for FY 2018 MPO Transportation Planning is July 1, 2017 through December 31, 2018.
- FHWA/ODOT/KYTC funds are received under agreements for continuation of a transportation planning process with ODOT and KYTC. Revenues were received and expenditures incurred in accordance with a unified planning work program approved each fiscal year. INDOT also participated with the funding being 80 percent Federal and 20 percent local match.
- 3. Due to timing differences between OH and KY funding contracts, KY revenues (PL, FTA, and state) as of June 30, 2018 are associated with FY18 KY contracts. Kentucky revenues (PL, FTA, and state) for the current fiscal year are associated with FY18 KY contracts. Please see footnote #3 on the FY 2019 Transportation Planning schedule. All within budget.
- 4. The Ohio Conference on Freight hosted by OKI in August 2018 received \$146,810 in unbudgeted partnerships and registrations of which \$130,402 in other revenue was used to offset consolidated planning grant expenses related to the conference.
- 5. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

### FY 2018 CLEAN AIR (OZONE AWARENESS) JUNE 30, 2019

		Cu	ımulative			Cumulative		
		Rev	enues and	Curr	ent Year	Revenues and		
		Expe	enditures as	Reve	enue and	Expenditures a		
	Budget	of Ju	ne 30, 2018	Expenditures		of June 30, 2019		
Operating Revenues:								
Federal and state grants								
Ohio: ODOT (CMAQ)	\$ 192,981	\$	173,140	\$	2,649	\$	175,789	
Kentucky: KYTC (SNK)	40,901		36,696		561		37,257	
Contributed services	10,225		10,225		-		10,225	
Total Operating Revenues	 244,107		220,061		3,210		223,271	
Operating Expenses:								
Direct expenses								
Personnel	10,553		10,052		-		10,052	
Fringe benefits	7,692		6,901		-		6,901	
Printing, marketing & contractual	200,000		176,342		3,210		179,552	
Other direct expenses	2,550		3,924		-		3,924	
Indirect costs	13,087		12,617		-		12,617	
Contributed services	 10,225		10,225				10,225	
Total Operating Expenses	244,107		220,061		3,210		223,271	
Non-operating Revenues (Expenses):								
Contributed services revenues	55,299		42,018		-		42,018	
Contributed services expenses	(55,299)		(42,018)				(42,018)	
Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)								
Tasks:								
Regional Clean Air Program	 244,107		262,079		3,210		265,289	
Total Tasks	\$ 244,107	\$	262,079	\$	3,210	\$	265,289	

- 1. State grants and contracts consist of the following:
  - a. ODOT agreement for July 1, 2017 through December 31, 2019 for \$192,981 in ODOT/CMAQ reimbursed to OKI at a participation rate of 100 percent of Ohio's 82.5123% share of the Clean Air program. ODOT provided toll revenue credits in lieu of match.
  - b. KYTC funding agreement July 1, 2017 through December 31, 2018 for \$40,900 in KYTC/SNK. Expenses reimbursed to OKI at a participation rate of 17.4877 percent of FY2018 expenses, matched with contributed services. A minimum 20% match was required and exceeded.
- 2. Presented as being completed at the end of FY 2018; however, due to June 2018 invoices for eligible expenditures not being received until November 2018, ODOT and KYTC both agreed via email to reopen the grants/contracts and allow payment of the invoices that resulted in above FY 2019 activity.
- 3. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2019 CLEAN AIR (OZONE AWARENESS) JUNE 30, 2019

				rrent Year	Cumulative Revenues and		
	,			venue and	Expenditures as		
Operating Revenues:		Budget	Expenditures		of Ju	ne 30, 2019	
Federal and state grants							
Ohio: ODOT (CMAQ)	\$	192,981	\$	136,080	\$	136,080	
Kentucky: KYTC (SNK)	Ψ	40,901	Ψ	28,841	Ψ	28,841	
Contributed services		10,225		10,225		10,225	
Contributed services		10,223		10,223		10,223	
Total Operating Revenues		244,107		175,146		175,146	
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel		24,684		7,756		7,756	
Fringe benefits		17,086		5,469		5,469	
Printing, marketing & contractual		160,000		138,450		138,450	
Other direct expenses		537		3,069		3,069	
Indirect costs		31,575		10,177		10,177	
Contributed services		10,225		10,225		10,225	
Total Operating Expenses		244,107		175,146		175,146	
Non-operating Revenues (Expenses):							
Contributed services revenues		57,009		24,325		24,325	
Contributed services expenses		(57,009)		(24,325)		(24,325)	
Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)							
Tasks:							
Regional Clean Air Program		244,107		199,471		199,471	
Total Tasks	\$	244,107	\$	199,471	\$	199,471	

- 1. State grants and contracts consist of the following:
  - a. ODOT agreement for July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019 for \$192,981 in ODOT/CMAQ reimbursed to OKI at a participation rate of 100 percent of Ohio's 82.5123% share of the Clean Air program. ODOT provided toll revenue credits in lieu of match.
  - b. KYTC funding agreement July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019 for \$40,900 in KYTC/SNK. Expenses reimbursed to OKI at a participation rate of 17.4877 percent of FY2019 expenses, matched with contributed services. A minimum 20% match was required and exceeded.
- 2. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2019 SURFACE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM (STP) JUNE 30, 2019

					Cumulative		
			Cur	rent Year	Revenues and		
			Rev	venue and	Expenditures as		
		Budget	Exp	penditures	of Ju	ne 30, 2019	
Operating Revenues:	' <u>-</u>	_					
Federal and state grants							
Ohio: ODOT (STP)	\$	428,774	\$	331,854	\$	331,854	
Kentucky: KYTC (SNK)		72,700		56,267		56,267	
Indiana: INDOT (STP)		25,000		25,000		25,000	
County matching funds		19,350		24,006		24,006	
Local contracts		5,075		967		967	
Total Operating Revenues		550,899		438,094		438,094	
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel		158,629		139,295		139,295	
Fringe benefits		109,801		98,235		98,235	
Travel, subsistence & professional		18,265		15,381		15,381	
Printing, marketing & contractual		60,000		-		-	
Other direct expenses		1,293		2,394		2,394	
Indirect costs		202,911		182,789		182,789	
Total Operating Expenses		550,899		438,094		438,094	
Tasks:							
Long range planning land use		374,549		378,543		378,543	
FIAM implementation		145,100		27,639		27,639	
INDOT		31,250		31,912		31,912	
Total Tasks	\$	550,899	\$	438,094	\$	438,094	

- 1. The grant period for the Land Use, FIAM and INDOT Surface Transportation Program agreements is July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.
- 2. FHWA/ODOT STP/KYTC SNK funds were received under agreements for specified long range planning activities. Revenues were received and expenditures incurred in accordance with a unified planning work program approved for the fiscal year.
- 3. The Land Use and FIAM Implementation tasks were funded with STP/SNK funds from ODOT and KYTC. ODOT's 82.5123 percent was funded at 100 percent STP utilizing toll revenue credits for match and KYTC's 17.4877 percent was funded at 80 percent SNK funds with 20 percent match from county and local funds.
- 4. The INDOT task was funded with 80 percent federal STP funds matched 20 percent from county and local funds. This task was overrun by \$20 which is immaterial and was paid with county funds.
- 5. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF CUMULATIVE REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FHWA/ODOT/KYTC FY 2019 RIDESHARE JUNE 30, 2019

	Current Year				Cumulative Revenues and			
				venue and		enditures as		
		Budget		penditures	of June 30, 2019			
Operating Revenues:		Duaget	LA	ochanaics	OI Ju	iic 30, 2017		
Federal and state grants								
Ohio: ODOT (CMAQ)	\$	171,749	\$	162,945	\$	162,945		
Kentucky: KYTC (SNK)	_	36,401	_	34,535	т	34,535		
Contributed services		9,100		9,100		9,100		
Total Operating Revenues		217,250		206,580		206,580		
Operating Expenses:								
Direct expenses								
Personnel		21,852		20,187		20,187		
Fringe benefits		15,126		14,237		14,237		
Travel, subsistence & professional		240		84		84		
Printing, marketing & contractual		142,800		136,482		136,482		
Other direct expenses		180		-		-		
Indirect costs		27,952		26,490		26,490		
Contributed services		9,100		9,100		9,100		
Total Operating Expenses		217,250		206,580		206,580		
Non-operating Revenues (Expenses):								
Contributed services revenues		15,900		38,375		38,375		
Contributed services expenses		(15,900)		(38,375)		(38,375)		
Total Non-operating Revenues (Expenses)								
Tasks:								
RideShare		217,250		244,955		244,955		
Total Tasks	\$	217,250	\$	244,955	\$	244,955		

- 1. State grants and contracts consist of the following:
  - a. ODOT agreement for the period July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019 for \$171,749 in ODOT/CMAQ reimbursed to OKI at a participation rate of 100 percent of Ohio's 82.5123% share of the RideShare program.
  - b. KYTC agreement for the period July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019 for \$36,400 in KYTC/SNK, reimbursed to OKI at a participation rate of 17.4877 percent of the FY2018 RideShare program and matched with contributed services. A minimum 20% match was required and exceeded.
- 2. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

#### FY 2019 CONFERENCE ON FREIGHT - ODOT SPONSORSHIP JUNE 30, 2019

				Cumulative			
			Cur	rent Year	Revenues and		
			Rev	enue and	Expenditures as		
	I	Budget	Exp	enditures	of June 30, 2019		
Operating Revenues:							
Federal and state grants							
Ohio: ODOT (SPR)	\$	24,000	\$	12,377	\$	12,377	
State matching funds Ohio		6,000		3,094		3,094	
Total Operating Revenues		30,000		15,471		15,471	
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Other direct expenses		30,000		15,471		15,471	
Total Operating Expenses		30,000		15,471		15,471	
Tasks:							
FY 2019 Conference on Freight - ODOT Sponsorship		30,000		15,471		15,471	
Total Tasks	\$	30,000	\$	15,471	\$	15,471	

- The grant period for FY 2019 Conference on Freight ODOT Sponsorship is July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.
- ODOT State Planning and Research funds were received under an agreement for ODOT's sponsorship of the FY 2019 Conference on Freight hosted by OKI in August 2018. ODOT paid for audio visual equipment and keynote speaker fees of the conference.
- 3. This project is funded with 80% Ohio SPR funds matched with 20% state funds from ODOT.
- 4. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2013 NEW FREEDOM ADMINISTRATION PROGRAM JUNE 30, 2019

			Rev	mulative enues and inditures as	rent Year venue and	Cumulative Revenues and Expenditures as		
	1	Budget	of June 30, 2018		Expenditures		of June 30, 2019	
Operating Revenues:				,				,,
Federal and state grants								
Federal FTA	\$	50,035	\$	38,080	\$	11,955	\$	50,035
County matching funds				-		309		309
Total Operating Revenues		50,035		38,080		12,264		50,344
Operating Expenses:								
Direct expenses								
Personnel		16,538		12,814		3,957		16,771
Fringe benefits		12,418		9,181		2,790		11,971
Other direct expenses		-		145		325		470
Indirect costs		21,079		15,940		5,192		21,132
Total Operating Expenses		50,035		38,080		12,264		50,344
Tasks:								
New Freedom Administration		50,035		38,080		12,264		50,344
Total Tasks	\$	50,035	\$	38,080	\$	12,264	\$	50,344

- 1. The New Freedom administration grant began July 1, 2013.
- 2. The New Freedom grant is 100% Federally funded. Funds are used for administration of the Coordinated Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan for the OKI region.
- 3. As of June 30, 2019 no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

#### FY 2013 NEW FREEDOM PASS-THROUGH PROGRAM JUNE 30, 2019

	Cumulative							Cumulative		
			Rev	enues and	Currei	nt Year	Rev	enues and		
			Expe	enditures as	Reven	ue and	Expe	enditures as		
		Budget	of June 30, 2018		Expenditures		of Ju	ne 30, 2019		
Operating Revenues:										
Federal and state grants										
Federal FTA	\$	385,212	\$	359,019	\$	-	\$	359,019		
Contributed services		385,212		426,142				426,142		
Total Operating Revenues		770,424		785,161				785,161		
Operating Expenses:										
Direct expenses										
Printing, marketing & contractual		385,212		359,019		-		359,019		
Contributed services		385,212		426,142				426,142		
Total Operating Expenses		770,424		785,161				785,161		
Tasks:										
Towne Taxi		130,212		78,406		-		78,406		
Senior Services of Northern Kentucky		210,000		210,000		-		210,000		
Wesley Community Services		300,000		367,123		-		367,123		
Community Cab		130,212		129,632				129,632		
Total Tasks	\$	770,424	\$	785,161	\$	_	\$	785,161		

- 1. The New Freedom Pass Through grant began May 15, 2013.
- 2. The New Freedom grants are funded at 50% for operating programs and passed through to other agencies for delivery of transportation services related to the Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan for the OKI region.
- 3. The recipient agency provides the required 50% match. Wesley Community Services over matched their share of the program, which is acceptable.
- 4. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2019 OEPA STATE BIENNIUM WATER JUNE 30, 2019

					Cu	mulative	
			Cur	rent Year	Revenues and		
			Rev	enue and	Expenditures as		
	I	Budget	Expenditures		of Jur	ne 30, 2019	
Operating Revenues:							
Federal and state grants							
Ohio: OEPA (EPA Funds)	\$	75,000	\$	75,000	\$	75,000	
County matching funds				1,903		1,903	
Total Occuption December		75 000		76.002		76.002	
Total Operating Revenues		75,000		76,903		76,903	
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel		25,073		25,375		25,375	
Fringe benefits		17,355		17,895		17,895	
Travel, subsistence & professional		400		330		330	
Other direct expenses		100		5		5	
Indirect costs		32,072		33,298		33,298	
Total Operating Expenses		75,000		76,903		76,903	
Tasks:							
General assembly		75,000		76,903		76,903	
Total Tasks	\$	75,000	\$	76,903	\$	76,903	
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- 1. The grant period under the OEPA FY2019 State Biennium Water contract is July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019 (State of Ohio grant).
- 2. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

#### FY 2019 OEPA 604B WATER QUALITY PLANNING JUNE 30, 2019

	I	Budget	Rev	rent Year venue and penditures	Rev Expe	enues and enditures as ne 30, 2019
Operating Revenues:						
Federal and state grants						
Ohio: OEPA (EPA Funds)	\$	50,267	\$	50,267	\$	50,267
County matching funds				1,475		1,475
Total Operating Revenues		50,267		51,742		51,742
Operating Expenses:						
Direct expenses						
Personnel		16,783		16,306		16,306
Fringe benefits		11,617		11,499		11,499
Travel, subsistence & professional		350		552		552
Other direct expenses		50		1,988		1,988
Indirect costs		21,467		21,397		21,397
Total Operating Expenses		50,267		51,742		51,742
Tasks:						
Program coordination		50,267		51,742		51,742
Total Tasks	\$	50,267	\$	51,742	\$	51,742

- 1. The grant period under the OEPA FY2019 State 604B Water Quality Planning contract is July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.
- 2. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

#### FY 2019 LOCAL WATER QUALITY PLANNING PROJECT JUNE 30, 2019

					Cu	mulative	
			Curr	ent Year	Revenues and		
			Rev	enue and	Expenditures as		
	I	Budget	Expo	enditures	of Jun	ne 30, 2019	
Operating Revenues:		_					
County matching funds	\$	45,000	\$	42,480	\$	42,480	
Total Operating Revenues		45,000		42,480		42,480	
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel		14,569		13,579		13,579	
Fringe benefits		10,085		9,577		9,577	
Travel, subsistence & professional		1,387		1,057		1,057	
Other direct expenses		323		448		448	
Indirect costs		18,636		17,819		17,819	
Total Operating Expenses		45,000		42,480		42,480	
Tasks:							
Local water quality planning		45,000		42,480		42,480	
Total Tasks	\$	45,000	\$	42,480	\$	42,480	

- 1. The project period for Local Water Quality Planning was July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.
- 2. Budget amounts were derived from fiscal 2019 overall agency budget.
- 3. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

#### FY 2019 LOCAL REGIONAL PLANNING JUNE 30, 2019

			ent Year nue and	Reve	mulative enues and nditures as
	]	Budget	nditures	_	ne 30, 2019
Operating Revenues:					
County matching funds	\$	38,558	\$ 34,230	\$	34,230
Total Operating Revenues		38,558	 34,230		34,230
Operating Expenses:					
Direct expenses					
Personnel		12,734	11,181		11,181
Fringe benefits		8,814	7,885		7,885
Travel, subsistence & professional		175	100		100
Other direct expenses		546	392		392
Indirect costs		16,289	 14,672		14,672
Total Operating Expenses		38,558	34,230		34,230
Tasks:					
Local regional planning		38,558	 34,230		34,230
Total Tasks	\$	38,558	\$ 34,230	\$	34,230

- 1. The project period for Local Regional Planning program was July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.
- 2. Budget amounts were derived from fiscal 2019 overall agency budget.
- 3. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

#### SCHEDULES OF CUMULATIVE REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

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# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF CUMULATIVE REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FHWA/ODOT/KYTC/INDOT FY 2019 TRANSPORTATION PLANNING JUNE 30, 2019

				C	Cumulative
		Cı	urrent Year	Re	evenues and
		R	evenue and	Ext	enditures as
	Budget	E	xpenditures		une 30, 2019
Operating Revenues:			•		
Federal and state grants					
Ohio: ODOT (MPO-PL Funds)	\$ 2,359,573	\$	1,941,139	\$	1,941,139
Kentucky: KYTC (HPR-PL Funds)	553,150		342,443		342,443
Kentucky: KYTC (FTA Funds)	150,236		100,878		100,878
Indiana: INDOT (Trans PL Funds)	25,000		25,000		25,000
State matching funds Ohio	294,947		242,642		242,642
State matching funds Kentucky	31,000		20,815		20,815
County matching funds	 446,043		339,433		339,433
Total Operating Revenues	3,859,949		3,012,350		3,012,350
Operating Expenses:					
Direct expenses					
Personnel	1,152,040		875,911		875,911
Fringe benefits	797,432		620,798		620,798
Travel, subsistence & professional	68,433		46,526		46,526
Printing, marketing & contractual	221,800		209,059		209,059
Other direct expenses	146,609		102,841		102,841
Indirect costs	 1,473,635		1,157,215		1,157,215
Total Organities Francisco	2 950 040		2.012.250		2.012.250
Total Operating Expenses	 3,859,949		3,012,350		3,012,350
Tasks:					
Short range planning	64,500		52,467		52,467
Transportation improvement program	208,250		169,116		169,116
Continuing planning - surveillance	1,956,577		1,617,220		1,617,220
Transporation Plan	1,075,000		881,067		881,067
Transportation services	221,000		179,985		179,985
INDOT exclusive - Dearborn Co. Tran Planning	31,250		31,773		31,773
KYTC exclusive - Ohio River Bridge Counters	71,438		11,745		11,745
KYTC exclusive - transportation planning	182,684		28,149		28,149
UPWP administration	21,000		17,230		17,230
Transportation program reporting	7,000		6,326		6,326
Mobile source emissions planning	 21,250		17,272		17,272
Total Tasks	\$ 3,859,949	\$	3,012,350	\$	3,012,350

- 1. The grant period for FY 2019 MPO Transportation Planning is July 1, 2018 through December 31, 2019.
- FHWA/ODOT/KYTC funds are received under agreements for continuation of a transportation planning
  process with ODOT and KYTC. Revenues were received and expenditures incurred in accordance with a
  unified planning work program approved each fiscal year. INDOT also participated with the funding
  being 80 percent Federal and 20 percent local match.
- 3. Due to timing differences between OH and KY funding contracts, KY revenues (PL, FTA, and state) from the beginning of the fiscal year were paired with OH FY18 carryover revenues and appear on the FY2018 Transportation PL page in the current year column. Total KY PL for FY2019 was \$75,407 + \$342,443 = \$417,850 from the MPO planning contract. Total KY FTA for FY2019 was \$22,840 + \$100,878 = \$123,718. Total KY State for FY2019 was \$4,713 + \$20,815 = \$25,528. All within budget.
- 4. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2013 JOB ACCESS REVERSE COMMUTE ADMINISTRATION PROGRAM JUNE 30, 2019

		Cui	mulative			Cui	nulative
		Reve	enues and	Cur	rent Year	Reve	enues and
		Expe	nditures as	Rev	enue and	Expe	nditures as
	Budget	of Jun	ne 30, 2018	Exp	enditures	of Jun	e 30, 2019
Operating Revenues:							
Federal and state grants							
Federal FTA	\$ 74,821	\$	20,249	\$	29,675	\$	49,924
Total Operating Revenues	 74,821		20,249		29,675		49,924
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel	25,048		6,833		9,785		16,618
Fringe benefits	18,536		4,754		6,900		11,654
Other direct expenses	-		39		151		190
Indirect costs	 31,237		8,623		12,839		21,462
Total Operating Expenses	74,821		20,249		29,675		49,924
Tasks:							
Job Access Reverse Commute	 74,821		20,249		29,675		49,924
Total Tasks	\$ 74,821	\$	20,249	\$	29,675	\$	49,924

- 1. The Job Access Reverse Commute administration grant was effective July 1, 2013.
- 2. The Job Access Reverse Commute program is 100% federally funded. Funds are used for administration of the Coordinated Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan for the OKI region.
- 3. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2015 FTA 5310 TRANSIT PLANNING ADMINISTRATION PROGRAM JUNE 30, 2019

		Cu	mulative			Cu	ımulative
		Rev	enues and	Cur	rent Year	Revenues and	
		Expe	enditures as	Rev	enue and	Expenditures as	
	Budget	of Ju	ne 30, 2018	Exp	enditures	of June 30, 2019	
Operating Revenues:							
Federal and state grants							
Federal FTA	\$ 271,671	\$	114,017	\$	54,223	\$	168,240
Total Operating Revenues	 271,671		114,017		54,223		168,240
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel	44,405		20,199		12,988		33,187
Fringe benefits	33,344		14,233		9,160		23,393
Travel, subsistence & professional	215		62		99		161
Printing, marketing & contractual	135,835		53,643	14,932			68,575
Other direct expenses	1,274	504		-		504	
Indirect costs	56,598		25,376	25,376 17,			42,420
Total Operating Expenses	271,671		114,017		54,223		168,240
Tasks:							
FTA - 5310 transit planning administrative activities	271,671		114,017		54,223		168,240
Total Tasks	\$ 271,671	\$	114,017	\$	54,223	\$	168,240

- 1. The FTA 5310 transit planning grant began February 9, 2015.
- 2. The FTA 5310 Transit Planning grant is 100% Federally funded. Funds are used for administration of the Coordinated Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan for the OKI region.
- 3. OKI has agreed to be the Designated Recipient of Section 5310 federal funds allocated to the Cincinnati urbanized area and SORTA has agreed to assist with the administration of the Section 5310 program in accordance with the Joint Cooperative Agreement. SORTA's primary duty will be to provide capital procurement services for the program.
- 4. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2017 FTA 5310 TRANSIT PLANNING ADMINISTRATION PROGRAM JUNE 30, 2019

		Cu	mulative			Cu	mulative
		Reve	enues and	Cur	rent Year	Revenues and	
			nditures as	Rev	enue and	Expenditures as	
	 Budget	of Jun	e 30, 2018	Exp	enditures	of June 30, 2019	
Operating Revenues:							
Federal and state grants							
Federal FTA	\$ 408,336	\$	36,563	\$	84,372	\$	120,935
Total Operating Revenues	408,336		36,563		84,372		120,935
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Personnel	69,969		6,448		16,584		23,032
Fringe benefits	51,072		4,427		11,696		16,123
Travel, subsistence & professional	200		138		438		576
Printing, marketing & contractual	200,000		16,689		29,644		46,333
Other direct expenses	100		767		4,248		5,015
Indirect costs	86,995	8,094		21,762		29,856	
	 		-,				
Total Operating Expenses	408,336		36,563		84,372		120,935
Tasks:							
FTA - 5310 transit planning administrative activities	408,336		36,563		84,372		120,935
Total Tasks	\$ 408,336	\$	36,563	\$	84,372	\$	120,935

- 1. The FTA 5310 transit planning grant began January 31, 2017.
- 2. The FTA 5310 Transit Planning grant is 100% Federally funded. Funds are used for administration of the Coordinated Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan for the OKI region.
- 3. OKI has agreed to be the Designated Recipient of Section 5310 federal funds allocated to the Cincinnati urbanized area and SORTA has agreed to assist with the administration of the Section 5310 program in accordance with the Joint Cooperative Agreement. SORTA's primary duty will be to provide capital procurement services for the program.
- 4. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## FY 2017 FTA 5310 TRANSIT PLANNING PASS-THROUGH PROGRAM JUNE 30, 2019

			mulative enues and	Cu	rrent Year		mulative enues and
		Expenditures as					
	Budget		ne 30, 2018	Expenditures		of June 30, 2019	
Operating Revenues:	8		,			-	, , , , , , , , , ,
Federal and state grants							
Federal FTA	\$ 505,026	\$	40,342	\$	223,589	\$	263,931
Contributed services	 126,659		10,461		55,522		65,983
Total Operating Revenues	 631,685		50,803		279,111		329,914
Operating Expenses:							
Direct expenses							
Printing, marketing & contractual	505,026		40,342		223,589		263,931
Contributed services	 126,659		10,461		55,522		65,983
Total Operating Expenses	 631,685		50,803		279,111		329,914
Tasks:							
Clermont Senior Services - software license renewal	37,500		13,125		13,785		26,910
Clermont Senior Services - preventive maintenance	48,590		-		-		-
No. Ky Area Development District - mobility mgmt	100,000		-		62,322		62,322
Jewish Community Center - preventive maintenance	11,875		-		-		-
Episcopal Retirement Homes - preventative maint	6,200		-		-		-
Clermont Senior Services -security equipment	60,000		-		52,011		52,011
Community First (Partners inPrime) - hardware	50,000		-		44,552		44,552
No. Ky Area Development District - mobility mgmt	129,050		37,678		-		37,678
Jewish Community Center - security equipment,							
preventative maintenance, and training	23,504		-		-		-
Cancer Justice Network	 164,966				106,441		106,441
Total Tasks	\$ 631,685	\$	50,803	\$	279,111	\$	329,914

- 1. The FTA 5310 transit planning grant began January 31, 2017.
- 2. The FTA 5310 Transit Planning grant pass through projects are funded at 80% for capital and planning programs and passed through to other agencies for delivery of transportation services related to the Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan for the OKI region.
- 3. The recipient agency provides the required 20% match.
- 4. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

#### FY 2017 DUKE CLASS BENEFIT FUND ENERGY PLANS JUNE 30, 2019

			Rev Expe	renues and enditures as	Re	rrent Year venue and	Rev Expe	enditures as
O		Budget	of Ju	ne 30, 2018	Ex	penditures	of Ju	ne 30, 2019
Operating Revenues:	_						_	
Local contracts	\$	380,000	\$	109,695	\$	102,411	\$	212,106
Total Operating Revenues		380,000		109,695		102,411		212,106
Operating Expenses:								
Direct expenses								
Personnel		73,650		32,869		28,257		61,126
Fringe benefits		55,874		22,655		19,928		42,583
Travel, subsistence & professional		-		39		67		106
Printing, marketing & contractual		154,500		12,645		16,955		29,600
Other direct expenses		2,266		162		124		286
Indirect costs		93,710		41,325		37,080		78,405
Total Operating Expenses		380,000		109,695		102,411		212,106
Tasks:								
Duke class benefit fund energy plans		380,000		109,695		102,411		212,106
Total Tasks	\$	380,000	\$	109,695	\$	102,411	\$	212,106

- 1. The project period for the Duke Class Action / Class Benefit Fund: A More Efficient and Secure Energy Future Through Planning project is February 20, 2017 through December 31, 2019.
- OKI received grant funds through the Duke Class Benefit Fund to assist, in partnership with the Greater Cincinnati Energy Alliance, 8 municipal entities in it's southwest Ohio member counties with energy efficiency plans.
- 3. In February 2019 programmatic changes were made that resulted in \$120,000 of the original \$500,000 being reallocated to the Greater Cincinnati Energy Alliance for disbursement of incentive funds to be awarded and managed after the Energy Plan are complete. The result is OKI's grant being reduced to \$380,000.
- 4. As of June 30, 2019, no costs subject to audit have been questioned.

## OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

## SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor/ Program/Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Direct Grant or Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Passed Through to Subrecipients	Total Federal Expenditures
U.S. Department of Transportation				
Direct Programs:				
Federal Transit Cluster				
Enhanced Mobility of Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities	20.513	OH 16 W012 00	f 14.022	f 54.000
FTA 5310 Transit Planning		OH-16-X012-00 OH-2017-005-01	\$ 14,932 29,644	\$ 54,223 84,372
FTA 5310 Transit Planning FTA 5310 Transit Planning Pass-Through		OH-2017-005-01 OH-2017-005-02	162,403	162,403
FTA 5310 Transit Planning Pass-Through		OH-2017-005-02	61,186	61,186
Total CFDA #20.513		011 2017 003 03	268,165	362,184
Job Access and Reverse Commute Program	20.516	OH-37-X099-00	0	29,675
Too recess and reverse commute Frogram	20.510	011 37 11077 00		25,673
New Freedom Program	20.521	OH-57-X064-00	0	11,955
Total Federal Transit Cluster			268,165	403,814
Total Direct Programs - U.S. Department of Transportation			268,165	403,814
Pass Through Programs:				
Highway Planning and Construction Cluster				
Highway Planning and Construction	20.205			
Passed Through Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT)		<b>521000</b>	0	2.540
Clean Air - Ozone Awareness (CMAQ funds)		731800	0	2,649
Clean Air - Ozone Awareness (CMAQ funds)		733593	0	136,080
Ride Share (CMAQ funds) Transportation Planning (MPO-PL funds)		733594 731814	0	162,945 463,562
Transportation Planning (MPO-PL funds)  Transportation Planning (MPO-PL funds)		733610	0	1,941,139
Surface Transportation (STP funds)		733591	0	309,049
Surface Transportation (STP funds)		733592	0	22,806
2019 Conference on Freight-ODOT Sponsorship (SPR funds)		308819	0	12,377
Total CFDA #20.205 Passed through ODOT			0	3,050,607
Passed Through Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC)				
Transportation Planning (HPR-PL funds)		1900000312	0	408,454
Transportation Planning (HPR-PL funds)		1900000312	0	9,396
Ride Share (SNK funds)		1900000326	0	34,535
Clean Air-Ozone Awareness (SNK funds)		1700006004	0	561
Clean Air-Ozone Awareness (SNK funds)		1900000326	0	28,841
Surface Transportation (SNK funds)		1900000326	0	56,267
Total CFDA #20.205 Passed through KYTC			0	538,054
Passed Through Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT)				
Transportation Planning (PL funds)		A249-19-G180348	0	25,000
Surface Transportation (STP funds)		A249-19-G180348	0	25,000
Total CFDA #20.205 Passed through INDOT			0	50,000
Total Highway Planning and Construction Cluster			0	3,638,661
Passed Through Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC)				
Metropolitan Transportation Planning and State and Non-Metropolitan	20.505	KW 2017 002 02		100.710
Planning and Research - Transportation Planning (FTA funds)	20.505	KY-2017-002-02	0	123,718 3,762,379
Total Pass Through Programs - U.S. Department of Transportation  Total U.S. Department of Transportation			268,165	4,166,193
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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency				
Passed Through Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (OEPA)  Water Ouglity Management Planning, Water Ouglity Planning (EPA funds)	66.454	OWI ED COALS	-	50.045
Water Quality Management Planning - Water Quality Planning (EPA funds)	66.454	OKI-FD60417	0	50,267
Total U.S. Environmental Protection Agency			0	50,267
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$ 268,165	\$ 4,216,460

## OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

#### NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

#### NOTE 1: **BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes the federal award activity of Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI) under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2019. The information on this Schedule is prepared in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of OKI, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, or cash flows of OKI.

#### NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

#### NOTE 3. INDIRECT COST RATE

OKI has elected not to use the 10 percent de minims indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance. The Schedule reflects the application of actual fringe benefits and indirect cost rates, subject to grant or program limitations.

#### NOTE 4: SUBRECIPIENTS

OKI passes certain federal awards received from the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the U.S. Department of Transportation to other not-for-profit agencies (subrecipients). As described in Note 2, OKI reports expenditures of federal awards to subrecipients on an accrual basis.

OKI has certain compliance responsibilities, such as monitoring its subrecipients to help assure they use these subawards as authorized by laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts or grant agreements, and that subrecipients achieve the award's performance goals.

#### NOTE 5. MATCHING REQUIREMENTS

Certain federal programs require OKI to contribute non-federal funds (matching funds) to support the federally-funded programs. OKI has met its matching requirements. The Schedule does not include the expenditure of non-federal matching funds.

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

To the Executive Committee The Honorable Keith Faber Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments Auditor State of Ohio

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, Hamilton County, Ohio, (OKI) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise OKI's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 18, 2019.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered OKI's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of OKI's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of OKI's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of OKI's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. 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 deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

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

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether OKI's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on 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 such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of OKI's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering OKI's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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#### REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

To the Executive Committee Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments Cincinnati, Ohio The Honorable Keith Faber Auditor State of Ohio

#### Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments, Hamilton County, Ohio's (OKI) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on OKI's major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2019. OKI's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

#### Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for OKI's major federal program based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about OKI's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for the major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of OKI's compliance.

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2019.

#### Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Management of OKI is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered OKI's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on the major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for the major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of OKI's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

James G. Zupka, CPA, President James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc. Certified Public Accountants Digitally signed by James G. Zupka, CPA, President DN: cn=James G. Zupka, CPA, President, o=James G. Zupka, CPA, Inc., ou=Accounting, email=jgz@jgzcpa.com, c=US Date: 2019.12.20 16:33:15 -05'00'

December 18, 2019

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS JUNE 30, 2019

#### 1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

2019(i)	Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unmodified
2019(ii)	Were there any material control weaknesses reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
2019(ii)	Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
2019(iii)	Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
2019(iv)	Were there any material internal control weaknesses reported for major federal programs?	No
2019(iv)	Were there any significant deficiencies in internal control reported for major federal programs?	No
2019(v)	Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinions	Unmodified
2019(vi)	Are there any reportable findings under 2 CFR 200.516(a)?	No
2019(vii)	Major Programs (list):	
	Federal Highway Administration Highway Planning and Construction Cluster- CFDA #20.205	
2019(viii)	Dollar Threshold: A/B Program	Type A: \$750,000 Type B: All Others
2019(ix)	Low Risk Auditee?	Yes

## 2. FINDINGS RELATED TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

None.

#### 3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None.

# OHIO-KENTUCKY-INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

The prior audit report, as of June 30, 2018, included no citations or instances of noncompliance. Management letter recommendations have been corrected, repeated, or procedures instituted to prevent occurrences in this audit period.



#### OHIO – KENTUCKY – INDIANA REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

#### **HAMILTON 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 JANUARY 23, 2020