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# PICKAWAY COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT PICKAWAY COUNTY REGULAR AUDIT FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019-2018



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We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Pickaway County General Health District, Pickaway County, prepared by Perry & Associates, Certified Public Accountants, A.C., for the audit period January 1, 2018 through December 31, 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 Pickaway County General Health District is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Keith Faber Auditor of State Columbus, Ohio

April 13, 2021



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

January 22, 2021

Pickaway County General Health District Pickaway County 110 Island Road, 2nd Floor, Suite C Circleville, Ohio 43113

To the Board of Trustees:

#### Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the cash balances, receipts and disbursements by fund type, and related notes of the Pickaway County General Health District, Pickaway County, Ohio (the District) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

#### Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the *Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles* paragraph, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the District as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the years then ended.

#### Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the cash balances, receipts and disbursements by fund type, and related notes of Pickaway County General Health District, Pickaway County, as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, and for the years then ended in accordance with the financial reporting provisions Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D) permit, described in Note 2.

#### Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 11 to the financial statements, the financial impact of COVID-19 and the ensuing emergency measures will impact subsequent period of the District. We did not modify our opinion regarding this matter.

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#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated January 22, 2021, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. That report describes the scope of our internal control testing over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing, and does not opine on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

**Perry and Associates** 

Certified Public Accountants, A.C.

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Marietta, Ohio

### PICKAWAY COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT PICKAWAY COUNTY

# COMBINED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES (REGULATORY CASH BASIS) ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019

		General		Special Revenue	(Me	Totals emorandum Only)
Cash Receipts	•	004404	•		•	
Charges for Services	\$	204,161	\$	4,775	\$	208,936
Fines, Licenses and Permits		68,847 694,571		139,121 78,953		207,968
Intergovernmental Miscellaneous		21,540		5,297		773,524 26,837
Miscellarieous		21,340		5,291	_	20,037
Total Cash Receipts		989,119		228,146		1,217,265
Cash Disbursements Current:						
Health:						
Salaries		432,611		108,976		541,587
Fringe Benefits		189,078		63,550		252,628
Supplies		20,981		1,725		22,706
Remittances to State		55,697		14,706		70,403
Contracts		67,291		9,409		76,700
Travel		11,928		5,830		17,758
Other		47,415		3,305		50,720
Capital Outlay		162,715				162,715
Total Cash Disbursements		987,716		207,501		1,195,217
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		1,403		20,645		22,048
Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)						
Advances In		-		3,500		3,500
Advances Out		(3,500)				(3,500)
Total Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)		(3,500)		3,500		<u>-</u> _
Net Change in Fund Cash Balances		(2,097)		24,145		22,048
Fund Cash Balances, January 1		113,258		81,438		194,696
Fund Cash Balances, December 31						
Restricted		-		105,583		105,583
Unassigned		111,161				111,161
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$	111,161	\$	105,583	\$	216,744
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#### Note 1 - Reporting Entity

#### Description of the Entity

The constitution and laws of the State of Ohio establish the rights and privileges of the Pickaway County General Health District, Pickaway County, (the District) as a body corporate and politic. A seven-member Board and a Health Commissioner govern the District. The District's services include communicable disease investigations, immunization clinics, inspections, public health nursing services, and the District issues health-related licenses and permits.

Pickaway County serves as fiscal agent for the District.

The District's management believes these financial statements present all activities for which the District is financially accountable.

#### **Public Entity Risk Pools**

The District participates in a public entity risk pool. Note 7 to the financial statements provides additional information for this entity. The District's management believes these financial statements present all activities for which the District is financially accountable.

#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### Basis of Presentation

These District's financial statements consist of a combined statement of receipts, disbursements and changes in fund balances (regulatory cash basis) for all governmental fund types organized on a fund type basis.

#### **Fund Accounting**

The District uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. The funds of the District are presented below:

**General Fund** The general fund accounts for and reports all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund. The general fund balance is available to the District for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio.

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

<u>Food Service Fund</u> – This fund received license revenues and permit fees for the operations of food services within the county.

<u>Water Systems Fund</u> – This fund accounts for fees, licenses, and permits associated with water systems within the county.

<u>Public Health Infrastructure Grant Fund</u> – This fund receives grant funds from the State to provide for the establishment of public health preparedness infrastructure to protect the county for disease outbreaks, bioterrorism and other health related emergencies.

#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

#### **Basis of Accounting**

These financial statements follow the accounting basis permitted by the financial reporting provisions of Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03 (D). This basis is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements accounting basis. The Board recognizes receipts when received in cash rather than when earned, and recognizes disbursements when paid rather than when a liability is incurred. Budgetary presentations report budgetary expenditures when a commitment is made (i.e., when an encumbrance is approved).

These statements include adequate disclosure of material matters, as the financial reporting provisions of Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03 (D) permit.

#### **Budgetary Process**

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

**Appropriations** Budgetary expenditures (that is, disbursements and encumbrances) may not exceed appropriations at the fund, function or object level of control, and appropriations may not exceed estimated resources. The District Board must annually approve appropriation measures and subsequent amendments. The County Budget Commission must also approve the annual appropriation measure. Appropriations lapse at year end.

**Estimated Resources** Estimated resources include estimates of cash to be received (budgeted receipts) plus cash as of January 1. The County Budget Commission must also approve estimated resources.

**Encumbrances** The Ohio Revised Code requires the District to reserve (encumber) appropriations when individual commitments are made. Encumbrances outstanding at year end are canceled, and reappropriated in the subsequent year.

A summary of 2019 budgetary activity appears in Note 3.

#### **Capital Assets**

The District records disbursements for acquisitions of property, plant, and equipment when paid. The accompanying financial statements do not report these items as assets.

#### **Accumulated Leave**

In certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment, employees are entitled to cash payments for unused leave. The financial statements do not include a liability for unpaid leave.

#### **Fund Balance**

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

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

#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

#### Fund Balance (Continued)

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

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

**Assigned** Assigned fund balances are intended for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as *restricted* or *committed*.

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

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

#### Note 3 - Budgetary Activity

Budgetary activity for the year ending December 31, 2019 follows:

2019 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts						
	Budgeted		Actual			
Fund Type		Receipts Receipts		Variance		
General	\$	954,281	\$	989,119	\$	34,838
Special Revenue		258,084		228,146		(29,938)
Total	\$	1,212,365	\$	1,217,265	\$	4,900

2019 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures							
	Appropriation						
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance				
General	\$ 1,024,149	\$ 987,716	\$ 36,433				
Special Revenue	287,377	207,501	79,876				
Total	\$ 1,311,526	\$ 1,195,217	\$ 116,309				

#### Note 4 - Deposits and Investments

As required by the Ohio Revised Code, the Pickaway County Treasurer is custodian for the District's deposits. The County's deposit and investment pool holds the District's assets, valued at the Treasurer's reported carrying amount.

#### Note 5 - Intergovernmental Funding

The County apportions 60 percent of the excess of the District's appropriations over other estimated receipts among the townships and municipalities composing the District, based on their taxable property valuations. The County withholds the apportioned excess from property tax settlements and distributes it to the District. The District Advisory Council has a contractual agreement with the City of Circleville to match the township and municipalities' contribution at 66.66 percent. The financial statements present these amounts as intergovernmental receipts.

#### Note 6 - Interfund Balances

Outstanding advances at December 31, 2019, consisted of \$26,991 advanced to the PHI Grant Fund to provide working capital for operations or projects. The amount of \$3,500 was advanced from the General Fund to the PHEP Grant Fund to provide working capital for operations or projects.

#### Note 7 - Risk Management

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

The District is a member of the Public Entities Pool of Ohio (The Pool). The Pool assumes the risk of loss up to the limits of the District's policy. The Pool covers the following risks:

- General liability and casualty
- Public official's liability
- Cyber
- Law enforcement liability
- Automobile liability
- Vehicles
- Property
- Equipment breakdown

The Pool reported the following summary of assets and actuarially-measured liabilities available to pay those liabilities as of December 31:

	<u>2019</u>
Cash and investments	\$ 38,432,610
Actuarial liabilities	\$ 14,705,917

#### Note 8 - Defined Benefit Pension Plans

The District's employees belong to the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS). OPERS is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer plan. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes this plan's benefits, which include postretirement healthcare and survivor and disability benefits.

The Ohio Revised Code also prescribes contribution rates. OPERS members contributed 10% of their gross salaries, and the District contributed an amount equaling 14% of participants' gross salaries. The District has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2019.

#### Note 9 - Postemployment Benefits

OPERS offers a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit postemployment plan, that includes multiple health care plans including medical coverage, prescription drug coverage, deposits to a Health Reimbursement Arrangement, and Medicare Part B premium reimbursements, to qualifying benefit recipients. The portion of employer contributions allocated to health care for members in the traditional pension plan and combined plan was 0 percent during calendar year 2019. The portion of employer contributions allocated to health care for members in the member-directed plan was 4.0 percent during calendar year 2019.

#### Note 10 - Contingent Liabilities

Amounts grantor agencies pay to the District are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor. The grantor may require refunding any disallowed costs. Management cannot presently determine amounts grantors may disallow. However, based on prior experience, management believes any refunds would be immaterial.

#### Note 11 – Subsequent Events

The United States and the State of Ohio declared a state of emergency in March 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The financial impact of COVID-19 and the ensuing emergency measures will impact subsequent periods of the District. The impact on the District's future operating costs, revenues, and recovery from emergency funding, either federal or state, cannot be estimated.

### PICKAWAY COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT PICKAWAY COUNTY

# COMBINED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES (REGULATORY CASH BASIS) ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018

	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts			
Charges for Services	\$ 154,316	\$ 8,052	\$ 162,368
Fines, Licenses and Permits	67,678	126,521	194,199
Intergovernmental	668,559	113,439	781,998
Miscellaneous	20,989	9,918	30,907
Total Cash Receipts	911,542	257,930	1,169,472
Cash Disbursements			
Current:			
Health:			
Salaries	450,922	123,667	574,589
Fringe Benefits	207,388	60,736	268,124
Supplies	12,516	4,154	16,670
Remittances to State	49,251	13,954	63,205
Contracts	14,341	28,540	42,881
Travel	8,524	4,266	12,790
Other	202,527	11,241	213,768
Capital Outlay	10,017	1,251	11,268
Total Cash Disbursements	955,486	247,809	1,203,295
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements	(43,944)	10,121	(33,823)
Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)			
Advances In	44,413	41,088	85,501
Advances Out	(41,088)	(44,413)	(85,501)
Total Other Financing Receipts (Disbursements)	3,325	(3,325)	
Net Change in Fund Cash Balances	(40,619)	6,796	(33,823)
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	153,877	74,642	228,519
Fund Cash Balances, December 31 Restricted Unassigned	- 113,258	81,438 -	81,438 113,258
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Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$ 113,258	\$ 81,438 	\$ 194,696

#### Note 1 - Reporting Entity

#### Description of the Entity

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#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

#### Fund Balance (Continued)

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#### Note 3 - Budgetary Activity

Budgetary activity for the year ending December 31, 2018 follows:

2018 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts							
	Budgeted		Actual				
Fund Type	Receipts Receipts		Variance				
General	\$	1,004,688	\$	911,542	\$	(93,146)	
Special Revenue		270,901		257,930		(12,971)	
Total	\$	1,275,589	\$	1,169,472	\$	(106,117)	

2018 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures							
Appropriation	Budgetary						
Authority	Expenditures	Variance					
\$ 1,044,766	\$ 955,486	\$ 89,280					
282,099	247,809	34,290					
\$ 1,326,865	\$ 1,203,295	\$ 123,570					
	Appropriation Authority \$ 1,044,766 282,099	Appropriation         Budgetary           Authority         Expenditures           \$ 1,044,766         \$ 955,486           282,099         247,809					

#### Note 4 - Deposits and Investments

As required by the Ohio Revised Code, the Pickaway County Treasurer is custodian for the District's deposits. The County's deposit and investment pool holds the District's assets, valued at the Treasurer's reported carrying amount.

#### Note 5 - Intergovernmental Funding

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#### Note 6 - Interfund Balances

Outstanding advances at December 31, 2018, consisted of \$23,491 advanced to the PHI Grant Fund to provide working capital for operations or projects. The amount of \$41,088 advanced from the General Fund to the Swimming Pool Fund, Infectious Waste Fund, and PHI Grant Fund to provide working capital for operations or projects, and \$44,413 was advanced from the Swimming Pool Fund, Infectious Waste Fund, PHI Grant, and Water System Fund for repayment.

#### Note 7 - Risk Management

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

The District is a member of the Public Entities Pool of Ohio (The Pool). The Pool assumes the risk of loss up to the limits of the District's policy. The Pool covers the following risks:

- General liability and casualty
- Public official's liability
- Cyber
- · Law enforcement liability
- Automobile liability
- Vehicles
- Property
- Equipment breakdown

The Pool reported the following summary of assets and actuarially-measured liabilities available to pay those liabilities as of December 31:

	<u>2018</u>
Cash and investments	\$ 35,381,789
Actuarial liabilities	\$ 12,965,015

#### Note 8 - Defined Benefit Pension Plans

The District's employees belong to the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS). OPERS is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer plan. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes this plan's benefits, which include postretirement healthcare and survivor and disability benefits.

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#### Note 9 - Postemployment Benefits

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#### Note 10 - Contingent Liabilities

Amounts grantor agencies pay to the District are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor. The grantor may require refunding any disallowed costs. Management cannot presently determine amounts grantors may disallow. However, based on prior experience, management believes any refunds would be immaterial.

#### Note 11 - Subsequent Events

The United States and the State of Ohio declared a state of emergency in March 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The financial impact of COVID-19 and the ensuing emergency measures will impact subsequent periods of the District. The impact on the District's future operating costs, revenues, and recovery from emergency funding, either federal or state, cannot be estimated.



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

January 22, 2021

Pickaway County General Health District Pickaway County 110 Island Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Suite C Circleville, Ohio 43113

#### To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*, the financial statements of the cash balances, receipts, and disbursements by fund type of **Pickaway County General Health District**, Pickaway County, (the District) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated January 22, 2021, wherein we noted the District followed financial reporting provisions Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code Section 117-2-03(D) permit. We also noted the financial impact of COVID-19 and the ensuing emergency measures will impact subsequent periods of the District.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all internal control deficiencies that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Therefore, unidentified material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist. We did identify a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying schedule of audit findings that we consider a material weakness. We consider finding 2019-001 to be a material weakness.

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

As part of reasonably assuring whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect the financial statements. However, opining on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and accordingly, we do not express an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### Purpose of this Report

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

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### PICKAWAY COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT PICKAWAY COUNTY

#### SCHEDULE OF AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019-2018

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

#### **FINDING NUMBER 2019-001**

#### **Material Weakness**

#### **Posting Receipts**

The District should have procedures and controls in place to prevent and detect errors in financial reporting.

During 2019 and 2018, receipts were not always classified correctly. The following posting errors were noted:

• Receipts from the State were incorrectly recorded as Miscellaneous instead of Intergovernmental in both 2019 and 2018.

Not posting receipts accurately resulted in the financial statements requiring reclassification. The financial statements reflect all reclassifications.

To help ensure accuracy and reliability in the financial reporting process, we recommend management perform a detailed review of its draft financial statements. Such review should include procedures to ensure that all receipts are properly identified and classified on the financial statements.

**Management's Response** – We did not receive a response from officials to this finding.

### PICKAWAY COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT PICKAWAY COUNTY

#### SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019-2018

Finding Number	Finding Summary	Status	Additional Information
2017-001	Posting Receipts and Disbursements	Partially Corrected	Repeated as Finding 2019-001



### PICKAWAY COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT

#### **PICKAWAY COUNTY**

#### **AUDITOR OF STATE OF OHIO CERTIFICATION**

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



Certified for Release 5/6/2021

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