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STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS 302 West Washington Street Room E418 INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204-2769

EXAMINATION REPORT

OF

COUNTY AUDITOR

TIPTON COUNTY, INDIANA

January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007

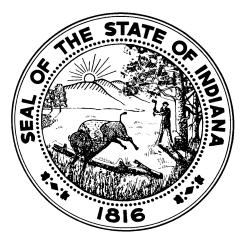




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COUNTY OFFICIALS

Office

Official

Brad Nichols

Monty Henderson Ken Ziegler

<u>Term</u>

01-01-07 to 12-31-10

Auditor

President of the County Council

President of the Board of **County Commissioners**

Suzanne Alexander

01-01-07 to 12-31-08

01-01-07 to 12-31-07 01-01-08 to 12-31-08



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TO: THE OFFICIALS OF TIPTON COUNTY

STATE OF INDIANA AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

We have examined the records of the County Auditor for the period from January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007, and certify that the records and accountability for cash and other assets are satisfactory to the best of our knowledge and belief, except as stated in the Examination Result and Comment. The financial transactions of this office are reflected in the Annual Report of Tipton County for the year 2007.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS

December 10, 2008

COUNTY AUDITOR TIPTON COUNTY EXAMINATION RESULT AND COMMENT

CONDITION OF THE RECORDS - DRAINAGE FUNDS

The total of subsidiary ledger balances for both the Drainage Maintenance funds and the General Drain Improvement Fund were not in agreement with funds ledger balances maintained by the County Auditor. The subsidiary ledger balances for the General Drain Improvement fund totaled \$1,662.35 more than the fund balance as shown on the records of the County Auditor. The subsidiary ledger balances for the Drainage Maintenance Fund were \$379.78 less than the fund balance as shown on the records of the County Auditor.

At all times, the manual and/or computerized records, subsidiary ledgers, control ledger, and reconciled bank balance should agree. (Accounting and Uniform Compliance Guidelines Manual for Public Drainage Funds Chapter 9)

COUNTY AUDITOR TIPTON COUNTY EXIT CONFERENCE

The contents of this report were discussed on December 17, 2008, with Suzanne Alexander, Auditor. The official concurred with our examination finding.