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## TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE FRANKLIN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT, FRANKLIN COUNTY, INDIANA

As authorized under Indiana Code 5-11-1, we performed certain procedures to the accounting records and related documents of the Franklin County Public Library District (Library), for the period of January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2013, to determine compliance with applicable Indiana laws and uniform compliance guidelines established by the Indiana State Board of Accounts.

Our procedures were designed solely to satisfy the requirements of Indiana Code 5-11-1. Because our procedures were not designed to opine on the Library's financial statements, we did not follow *generally accepted auditing standards*. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on any basic financial statement of the Library.

Management is responsible for preparing and maintaining its accounting records and related documents, as well as compliance with applicable state laws and uniform compliance guidelines established by the Indiana State Board of Accounts.

The Library's Annual Financial Reports filed for years prior to 2011 can be found on the Indiana Transparency Portal website: <u>www.in.gov/itp/annual\_reports/</u>. For years 2011 and later, the Annual Financial Reports filed by the Library can be found on the Gateway website: <u>https://gateway.ifionline.org/</u>.

The Comments contained herein describe the identified reportable instances of noncompliance found as a result of the procedures we performed. Our procedures were not designed to identify all instances of noncompliance; therefore, noncompliance may exist that is unidentified.

## **Unresolved Comment From Prior Report**

• The Treasurer was not bonded for the period January 1, 2013 to September 17, 2014.

## **Current Period Comments**

• The beginning balances for individual funds reported in the Library's ledger at January 1, 2011, did not agree to the individual funds ending balances reported on the Annual Financial Report at December 31, 2010. The total balances for all funds did agree. The Annual Financial Report filed on Gateway for 2011, 2012, and 2013 did not agree to the ledger activity and balances. The following variances were noted:

Years	Fund	Category	Amount Per Ledger	Amount Per Gateway	Difference
2011	Operating	Beginning Balance	\$ 1,312,849.51	\$ 1,222,849.51	\$ 90,000.00
2011	Library Improvement Reserve	Beginning Balance	56,181.95	36,181.95	20,000.00
2011	Gift Cash	Beginning Balance	142,975.35	99,978.32	42,997.03
2011	Payroll Withholdings	Beginning Balance	2,095.94		2,095.94
2011	Library Capital Projects	Beginning Balance	51,433.28	71,433.28	(20,000.00)
2011	Operating	Receipts	741,551.61	771,566.61	(30,015.00)
2011	Gift Cash	Receipts	48,787.48	73,784.51	(24,997.03)
2011	Payroll Withholdings	Receipts	61,720.19	-	61,720.19
2011	Library Capital Projects	Receipts	25,249.46	15,249.46	10,000.00
2011	Operating	Disbursements	687,983.62	635,870.86	52,112.76
2011	Gift Cash	Disbursements	66,721.89	48,721.89	18,000.00
2011	Payroll Withholdings	Disbursements	63,417.34	-	63,417.34
2011	Library Capital Projects	Disbursements	55,312.52	34,524.52	20,788.00
2011	Operating	Ending Balance	1,366,417.50	1,358,545.26	7,872.24
2011	Library Improvement Reserve	Ending Balance	61,698.11	41,698.11	20,000.00
2011	Payroll Withholdings	Ending Balance	398.79	-	398.79
2011	Library Capital Projects	Ending Balance	21,370.22	52,158.22	(30,788.00)
2011	State Tech Grant	Ending Balance	3,688.45	1,864.98	1,823.47
2012	Operating	Beginning Balance	1,366,417.50	1,358,545.26	7,872.24
2012	Library Improvement Reserve	Beginning Balance	61,698.11	41,698.11	20,000.00
2012	Payroll Withholdings	Beginning Balance	398.79	-	398.79
2012	Library Capital Projects	Beginning Balance	21,370.22	52,158.22	(30,788.00)
2012	State Tech Grant	Beginning Balance	3,688.45	1,864.98	1,823.47
2012	Operating	Receipts	897,263.14	964,838.39	(67,575.25)
2012	Payroll Withholdings	Receipts	69,398.52	-	69,398.52
2012	Library Capital Projects	Receipts	92,789.83	62,001.83	30,788.00
2012	Operating	Disbursements	673,762.77	729,951.43	(56, 188.66)
2012	Library Improvement Reserve	Disbursements	20,000.00	-	20,000.00
2012	Payroll Withholdings	Disbursements	66,976.66	-	66,976.66
2012	State Tech Grant	Disbursements	3,053.47	1,230.00	1,823.47
2012	Operating	Ending Balance	1,591,010.36	1,593,432.22	(2,421.86)
2012	Payroll Withholdings	Ending Balance	1,728.36	-	1,728.36
2013	Operating	Beginning Balance	1,591,010.36	1,593,432.22	(2,421.86)
2013	Payroll Withholdings	Beginning Balance	1,728.36	-	1,728.36
2013	Operating	Receipts	963,435.75	1,046,796.04	(83,360.29)
2013	Payroll Withholdings	Receipts	83,360.29	-	83,360.29
2013	Library Capital Projects	Receipts	189.04	299.01	(109.97)
2013	Operating	Disbursements	701,529.59	787,311.74	(85,782.15)
2013	Payroll Withholdings	Disbursements	83,889.21	-	83,889.21
2013	Library Capital Projects	Disbursements	70,710.07	70,820.04	(109.97)
2013	Payroll Withholdings	Ending Balance	1, 199.44	-	1,199.44

- Payroll withholding funds were not included in the Library Annual Financial Report filed on Gateway for 2011, 2012, and 2013.
- Disbursements for some payments were not properly supported by detailed documentation for 2010, 2011, 2012, and 2013. A test of claims for seven months during the review period revealed six disbursements for which detailed supporting documentation was not presented, including three credit card payments, one store credit payment, one vendor, and one travel reimbursement. In addition, sales tax was either paid or reimbursed on four claims.
- In December 2013, the Library purchased 20 gift baskets from the Franklin County FFA at a cost of \$460. The Library provided these gifts to employees from the Library Board. There does not appear to be a business purpose for this disbursement. We requested the Board reimburse the Library for the cost of the gift baskets.

This letter is intended for the information and use of the governing body and management of the Library. This restriction is not intended to limit the distribution of this letter, which is a matter of public record.

The contents of this letter were discussed on September 15, 2014, with Brian G. Campbell, Treasurer; Hubert Branstetter, Board member; Melody L. Gault, Director; and Heidi L. Smith, Finance Officer.

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