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TO: THE OFFICIALS OF WAYNE TOWNSHIP, HENRY COUNTY, INDIANA

As authorized under Indiana Code 5-11-1, we performed certain procedures to the accounting records and related documents of Wayne Township (Township), for the period of January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2015, 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 Township's financial statements, we did not follow auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on any basic financial statement of the Township.

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 Annual Financial Reports filed by the Township can be found on the Gateway website: https://gateway.ifionline.org/.

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 Township's December 31, 2015 bank reconciliation contained an adjustment with the description "deposits that have not cleared" of \$1,382.56. The date for this adjustment was December 31, 2004. As a result, the Township's bank account was short \$1,382.56. No supporting documentation has been provided for this adjustment.

Current Period Comments

- The financial institution did not return the actual cancelled checks with the monthly bank statements, but instead returned only an optical image of the front side of the checks. The back side or endorsement side of the checks was not returned.
- The Payroll Deduction Fund had an overdrawn balance of \$1,050 at December 31, 2013, 2014, and 2015.

- Each elected officer did not certify in writing that the officer had not violated Indiana Code 36-1-20.2 (Nepotism) by December 31, 2013, 2014, and 2015.
- Each elected officer did not certify in writing that the officer had not violated Indiana Code 36-1-21 (Contracting With a Unit) by December 31, 2013, 2014, and 2015.
- The Township used a debit card for purchases during 2013, 2014, and 2015, but did not have a debit card policy approved by the Township Board.

This letter is intended for the information and use of the governing body and management of the Township. 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 May 11, 2016, with Randall W. Overman, Trustee. Any Official Response attached to this letter was not verified for accuracy.

Paul D. Joyce, CPA State Examiner