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February 27, 2025

The Honorable Lyndia P. Ramsey  
Chief Judge  
City of Hopewell General District Court

The Honorable Jacqueline R. Waymack  
Chief Judge  
City of Hopewell Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court

Audit Period: July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024  
Court System: City of Hopewell  
Judicial District: Sixth

We are performing a statewide audit of the Combined District Courts. During our review of this court, we conducted certain audit procedures, as we deemed appropriate.

Management of this court is an important part of the court's accountability since you are responsible for establishing and maintaining internal controls and complying with applicable laws and regulations. During our review, we noted no matters requiring written communication with court management.

We acknowledge the cooperation extended to us by the Clerk and the Clerk's staff during this engagement.

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cc: Ellen T. Chiasson, Clerk  
The Honorable Peter D. Eliades, Judge  
The Honorable Patricia T. Watson, Judge  
The Honorable Christopher B. Ackerman, Judge  
The Honorable Robert J. Fierro, Jr., Judge  
Paul F. DeLosh, Director of Judicial Services  
Supreme Court of Virginia