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March 9, 2022

The Honorable Bruce A. Clark, Jr. 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, 2020, through June 30, 2021

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.

The Clerk has taken corrective action to remediate the internal control finding that we reported in the previous audit.

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

Staci Henshaw
AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

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cc: The Honorable Elbert D. Mumphery, Judge
The Honorable Christopher B. Ackerman, Judge
The Honorable Wallace W. Brittle, Jr., Judge
Ellen T. Chiasson, Clerk
Paul F. DeLosh, Director of Judicial Services
Supreme Court of Virginia