

Commonwealth of Virginia

Walter J. Kucharski, Auditor

Auditor of Public Accounts P.O. Box 1295 Richmond, Virginia 23218

September 28, 2009

W. D. Tharp Mayor 215 East Main Street Bedford, VA 24523

City of Bedford

Dear Mr. Tharp:

We have reviewed the Commonwealth collections and remittances of the Treasurer and Commissioner of the Revenue of the locality indicated and for the year ended June 30, 2009. Our primary objectives were to determine that the officials have maintained accountability over Commonwealth collections, established internal controls, and complied with state laws and regulations.

The results of our tests found the constitutional officers complied, in all material respects, with state laws, regulations and other procedures relating to the receipt, disbursement, and custody of state funds.

Sincerely,

Auditor of Public Accounts

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cc: Charles P. Kolakowski, City Manager

Debbie A. Roberts, Treasurer

Valerie N. Wilson, Commissioner of the Revenue