

Commonwealth of Virginia

Auditor of Public Accounts

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July 13, 2017

The Honorable Robert C. Wrenn Clerk of the Circuit Court County of Greensville/City of Emporia

Peggy R. Wiley, Chairman Board of Supervisors County of Greensville

The Honorable Mary Person, Mayor City of Emporia

Audit Period: April 1, 2016 through March 31, 2017 Court System: County of Greensville / City of Emporia

We have audited the cash receipts and disbursements of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for this locality. Our primary objectives were to test the accuracy of financial transactions recorded on the Court's financial management system; evaluate the Court's internal controls; and test its compliance with significant state laws, regulations, and policies.

Management's Responsibility

Court management has responsibility for establishing and maintaining internal controls and complying with applicable laws and regulations. Internal control is a process designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting, effectiveness and efficiency of operations, and compliance with applicable laws and regulations. Deficiencies in internal controls could possibly lead to the loss of revenues or assets, or otherwise compromise fiscal accountability.

We noted no matters involving internal control and its operation necessary to bring to management's attention.

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We acknowledge the cooperation extended to us by the Court during this engagement.

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cc: The Honorable W. Allan Sharrett, Chief Judge
K. David Whittington, County Administrator
Brian Thrower, City Manager
Paul F. DeLosh, Director of Judicial Services
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