

Commonwealth of Virginia

Auditor of Public Accounts

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The Honorable Alfred Bates Chief Judge City of Franklin General District Court 150 North Main Street Suffolk, VA 23439

The Honorable Robert S. Brewbaker Chief Judge City of Franklin Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court 150 N. Main Street 2nd Floor Suffolk, VA 23414

Audit Period:July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016Court System:City of FranklinJudicial District:Fifth

We are performing a statewide audit of the Combined General 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 Court during this engagement.

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cc: The Honorable W. Parker Council, Judge
The Honorable James E. Wiser, Judge
Mariah Belcher, Clerk
Paul F. DeLosh, Director of Judicial Services
Supreme Court of Virginia