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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Granville Public Library Licking County 217 East Broadway Granville, Ohio 43023

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Granville Public Library, Licking County (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2002, and December 31, 2001. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Library's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As discussed in Note 1, the Library prepares its financial statements on the basis of accounting prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the combined fund cash balances of the Library as of December 31, 2002, and December 31, 2001, and its combined cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated July 31, 2003, on our consideration of the Library's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

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This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of Trustees, and other officials authorized to receive this report under § 117.26, Ohio Revised Code, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Betty Montgomery Auditor of State

July 31, 2003

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL AND SIMILAR FIDUCIARY FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002

	Governmental Fund Types			Fiduciary Fund Types		
	General	Special Revenue	Capital Projects	Expendable Trust	Non-Expendable Trust	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:						
Other Government Grants-In-Aid	\$752,229	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$752,229
Patron Fines and Fees	24,243	0	0	0	0	24,243
Earnings on Investments	39,243	0	0	0	3,000	42,243
Contributions, Gifts and Donations	17,003	0	0	0	0	17,003
Miscellaneous Receipts	3,000	4,200	0	0	0	7,200
Total Cash Receipts	835,718	4,200	0	0	3,000	842,918
Cash Disbursements:						
Current:						
Salaries and Benefits	473,430	0	0	0	0	473,430
Supplies	9,920	0	0	0	0	9,920
Purchased and Contracted Services	123,974	2,619	0	0	0	126,593
Library Materials and Information	116,790	0	0	0	3,000	119,790
Other Objects	5,423	0	0	0	0	5,423
Capital Outlay	3,301	0	0	0	0	3,301
Total Cash Disbursements	732,838	2,619	0	0	3,000	738,457
Total Cash Receipts Over Cash Disbursements	102,880	1,581	0	0	0	104,461
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	269,886	6,674	745,129	115,000	106,000	1,242,689
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$372,766	\$8,255	\$745,129	\$115,000	\$106,000	\$1,347,150

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL AND SIMILAR FIDUCIARY FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001

	Governmental Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Types			
	General	Special Revenue	Capital Projects	Expendable Trust	Non-Expendable Trust	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:						
Other-Government-Grants-in-Aid	\$815,705	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$815,705
Patron Fines and Fees	32,384	0	0	0	0	32,384
Earnings on Investments	44,920	0	0	0	3,500	48,420
Contributions, Gifts and Donations	20,454	0	0	0	0	20,454
Miscellaneous Receipts	3,500	3,600	0	0	0	7,100
Total Cash Receipts	916,963	3,600	0	0	3,500	924,063
Cash Disbursements: Current:						
Salaries and Benefits	464,016	0	0	0	0	464,016
Supplies	8,536	0	0	0	0	8,536
Purchased and Contracted Services	56,203	5,684	0	0	0	61,887
Library Materials and Information	112,554	0	0	0	3,500	116,054
Other Objects	3,282	0	0	0	0	3,282
Capital Outlay	11,698	0	0	0	0	11,698
Total Cash Disbursements	656,289	5,684	0	0	3,500	665,473
Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements	260,674	(2,084)	0	0	0	258,590
Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements):						
Transfers-In	0	2,000	25,000	0	0	27,000
Transfers-Out	(27,000)	0	0	0	0	(27,000)
Total Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements)	(27,000)	2,000	25,000	0	0	0
Excess of Cash Receipts and Other Financing Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements and Other Financing Disbursements	233,674	(84)	25,000	0	0	258,590
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	36,212	6,758	720,129	115,000	106,000	984,099
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$269,886	\$6,674	\$745,129	\$115,000	\$106,000	\$1,242,689

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Description of the Entity

Granville Public Library, Licking County, (the Library) is a body corporate and politic established to exercise the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of Ohio. The Library is directed by a seven-member Board of Trustees. The Library provides the community with various educational and literary resources.

The Library's management believes these financial statements present all activities for which the Library is financially accountable.

B. Basis of Accounting

These financial statements follow the basis of accounting prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State, which is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements basis of accounting. Receipts are recognized when received in cash rather than when earned, and disbursements are recognized when paid rather than when a liability is incurred. Budgetary presentations report budgetary expenditures when a commitment is made (i.e., when an encumbrance is approved).

These statements include adequate disclosure of material matters, as prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State.

C. Cash and Investments

Investments are reported as assets. Accordingly, purchases of investments are not recorded as disbursements, and sales of investments are not recorded as receipts. Gains or losses at the time of sale are recorded as receipts or disbursements, respectively.

Certificates of deposit are valued at cost. The Library also holds common stock that was donated to the Library. In the financial statements the stock is reported at the market value at the time donated. In Note 2 the market value of the stock is disclosed at December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001.

D. Fund Accounting

The Library uses fund accounting to segregate cash and investments that are restricted as to use. The Library classifies its funds into the following types:

1. General Fund

The General Fund is the general operating fund. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

2. Special Revenue Funds

These funds are used to account for proceeds from specific sources (other than from trusts or for capital projects) that are restricted to expenditure for specific purposes. The Library had the following significant Special Revenue Fund:

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

D. Fund Accounting (Continued)

Sinnett House - This fund receives rental fees from the Granville Senior Citizens Association for use of the Sinnett House.

3. Capital Projects Funds

These funds are used to account for receipts that are restricted for the acquisition or construction of major capital projects (except those financed through enterprise or trust funds). The Board transfers funds from the General Fund for future capital projects. The Library had the following significant Capital Projects Fund:

Building and Repair Fund – This fund is used for capital outlay expenditures related to facilities and repairs to facilities.

4. Fiduciary Funds (Trust and Agency Funds)

Trust funds are used to account for resources restricted by legally binding trust agreements. If the agreement requires the Library to maintain the corpus of the trust, the fund is classified as a nonexpendable trust fund. Other trust funds are classified as expendable. The Library had the following significant fiduciary funds:

Mary Pabst Wilkin Expendable Trust Fund - This fund received a bequest for \$15,000 in 1997 for the purchase of books.

Elizabeth Jenkins Expendable Trust Fund - This fund received a bequest of \$100,000 in 2000 for procuring audio and musical cassettes useful to homebound persons and large print books for the visually impaired.

The Charles G. and Kathryn Marie Sellers Endowment Fund - This nonexpendable trust fund received a bequest of \$100,000. The income is used as directed by the Board.

E. Budgetary Process

The Board must annually approve appropriation measures and subsequent amendments. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year end. Budgetary expenditures (that is, disbursements and encumbrances if any) may not exceed appropriations at the fund, function, and object level of control.

A summary of 2002 and 2001 budgetary activity appears in Note 3.

F. Property, Plant and Equipment

Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment are recorded as capital outlay disbursements when paid. These items are not reflected as assets on the accompanying financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

G. Accumulated Leave

In certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment, employees are entitled to cash payments for unused leave. Unpaid leave is not reflected as a liability under the basis of accounting the Library uses.

2. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The Library maintains a cash and investments pool used by all funds. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes allowable deposits and investments. The carrying amount of cash and investments at December 31 follows:

	2002	2001
Demand deposits	\$381,149	\$276,688
Certificates of deposit	960,000	960,000
Total deposits	1,341,149	1,236,688
Donated Stock	6,000	6,000
Total deposits and investments	\$1,347,149	\$1,242,688

Deposits: Deposits are either insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation, or collateralized by the financial institution's public entity deposit pool.

Investments: The donated common stock is held with the Library's financial institution. The financial institution maintains records identifying the Library as owner of these securities. The Library reports the stock at the market price at the time of donation. The current market price of the stock at December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001 was \$77,621 and \$88,307 respectively.

3. BUDGETARY ACTIVITY

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2001 follows:

2002 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

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	Appropriation	Budgetary			
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance		
General	\$879,500	\$732,838	\$146,662		
Special Revenue	6,673	2,619	4,054		
Capital Projects	129	0	129		
Non-Expendable Trust	3,000	3,000	0		
Total	\$889,302	\$738,457	\$150,845		

2001 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	_
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$838,000	\$683,289	\$154,711
Special Revenue	6,757	5,684	1,073
Capital Projects	129	0	129
Non-Expendable Trust	3,500	3,500	0
Total	\$848,386	\$692,473	\$155,913

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

4. GRANTS-IN-AID

The primary source of revenue for Ohio public libraries is the State Library and Local Government Support Fund (LLGSF). The LLGSF is allocated to each county based on the county's prior intangibles tax of LLGSF revenues, and its population. The County Budget Commission allocates these funds to the Library based on its needs such as for the construction of new library buildings, improvements, operation, maintenance, or other expenses. The Budget Commission cannot reduce its allocation of these funds to the Library based on any additional revenues the Library receives.

5. RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Public Employees Retirement System of Ohio (PERS) is a state operated, cost-sharing, multiple employer public employee retirement system. PERS provides retirement benefits to vested employees who are eligible to retire based upon years of service. PERS also provides survivor and disability benefits to vested employees.

Contribution rates are prescribed by the Ohio Revised Code. The Library's PERS members contributed 8.5% of their gross salaries. The Library contributed an amount equal to 13.55% of participants' gross salaries for 2001 and 2002. The Library has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2002.

6. RISK MANAGEMENT

Commercial Insurance

The Granville Public Library has obtained commercial insurance for the following risks:

- Comprehensive property and general liability;
- Errors and omissions.

The Library also provides health, dental and life insurance coverage to full-time and eligible part-time employees through a private carrier.



INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Granville Public Library Licking County 217 East Broadway Granville. Ohio 43023

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Granville Public Library (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2002, and December 31, 2001, and have issued our report thereon dated July 31, 2003. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Library's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Library's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted a matter involving the internal control over financial reporting that does not require inclusion in this report, that we have reported to management of the Library in a separate letter dated July 31, 2003.

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July 31, 2003



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LICKING COUNTY

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED SEPTEMBER 30, 2003