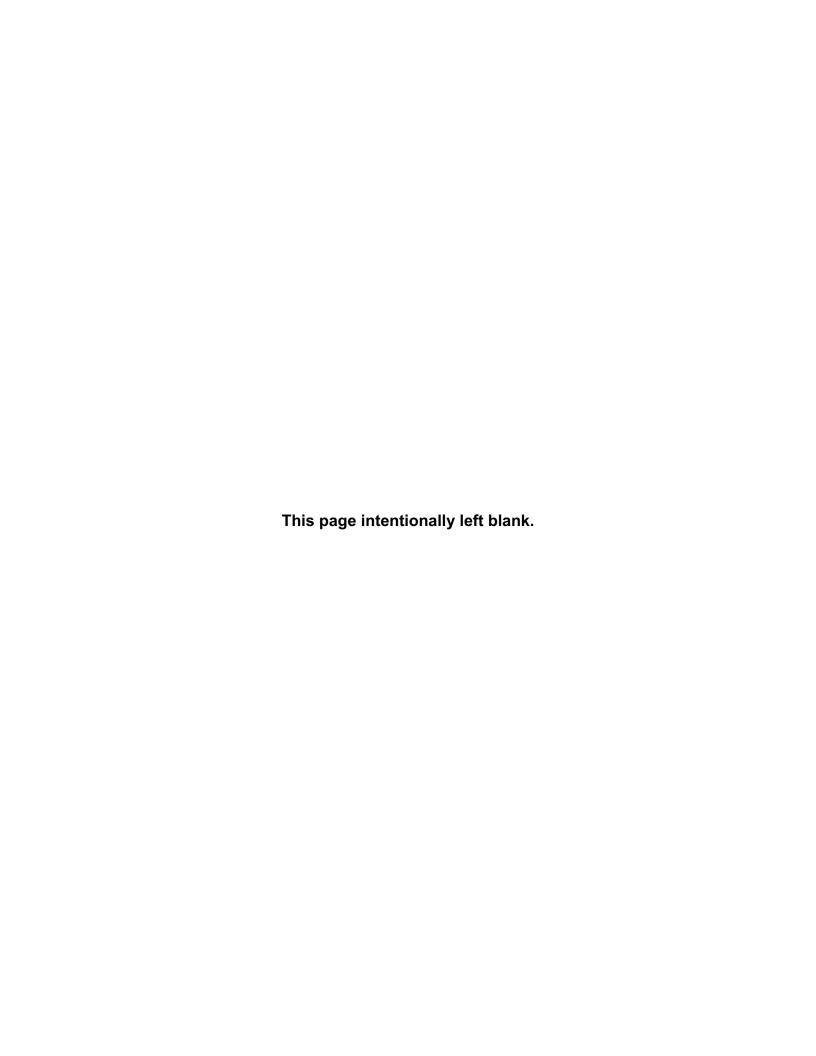




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#### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Area 10 Workforce Investment Board Richland County 171 Park Avenue East Mansfield, Ohio 44901

To the Workforce Investment Board:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and the major fund of the Area 10 Workforce Investment Board, Richland County, Ohio, (the Board) as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005, which collectively comprise the Board's basic financial statements as listed in the Table of Contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Board's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions 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 the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure 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 our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and the major fund of the Board as of June 30, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position thereof and the budgetary comparison for the general fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 12, 2006, on our consideration of the Board's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. While we did not opine on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance, that report describes the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. You should read it in conjunction with this report in assessing the results of our audit.

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Management's discussion and analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information the Governmental Accounting Standards Board requires. We have applied certain limited procedures, consisting principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measuring and presenting the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

We conducted our audit to opine on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Board's basic financial statements. The Federal Awards Expenditures Schedule presents additional information and is required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations* and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements. We subjected this schedule to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the Board's financial statements. In our opinion, this information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

**Betty Montgomery** Auditor of State

Betty Montgomery

September 12, 2006

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 UNAUDITED

This discussion and analysis of the Area 10 Workforce Investment Board's (the Board) financial performance provides an overall review of the Board's financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2005. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Board's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and notes to enhance their understanding of the Board's financial performance.

#### **Highlights**

Key Highlights for 2005 are as follows:

• The Board was formed July 1, 2004, with a carry-forward grant allocation of \$979,569 from the fiscal agent, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, as follows:

WIA Administration	\$ 27,095
WIA Adult	160,140
WIA Dislocated Worker	261,605
WIA Youth	_530,729
Total Carry-Forward	\$ 979,569

- The Board's receipts are solely from support from Federal and State government agencies. The Federal receipts are designated for employment and training related activities.
- The Board's total grant allocations, including the carry-forward of \$979,569 during the program year, were \$3,331,338.

#### **Using the Basic Financial Statements**

This annual report is presented in a format consistent with the presentation requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 34, as applicable to the Board's basis of accounting.

#### **Report Components**

The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities provides information about the activities of the Board.

These statements include all assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid. These two statements report the Board's net assets and changes in those assets. This change in net assets is important because it tells the reader that, for the Board as a whole, the financial position of the Board has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. Non-financial factors include current laws in Ohio restricting revenue growth, and other factors.

#### **Fund Financial Statements**

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The Board, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the activities of the Board are recorded in a governmental fund. Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the Board's major fund. The Board uses one fund to account for a multitude of financial transactions. The Board's major governmental fund is the general fund.

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 UNAUDITED

#### **Governmental funds**

Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of the governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for *governmental funds* with similar information presented for *governmental activities* in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between *governmental funds* and *governmental activities*.

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of the financial statements and provide expanded explanation and detail regarding the information reported in the statements.

#### The Board as a Whole

Table 1 provides a summary of the Board's net assets for 2005. Since the Board was not in existence during 2004, a comparative analysis has not been presented. In future years, when prior year information is available, a comparative analysis will be presented.

#### (Table 1) Net Assets

	2005
Assets	·
Current and Other Assets	\$484,584
Liabilities	<del></del>
Other Liabilities	\$484,584
Net Assets:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Unrestricted	\$ 0
Total Net Assets:	\$ 0

Table 2 reflects the change in net assets during 2005. Since the Board was not in existence during 2004, a comparative analysis has not been presented. In future years, when prior year information is available, a comparative analysis will be presented.

### (Table 2) Change in Net Assets

	2005
Expenses	
Workforce Development:	
Adult	\$804,253
Dislocated Worker	524,953
Youth	878,342
Reed Act	267,519
Administration	53,879
Total Expenses	<u>\$2,528,946</u>

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 UNAUDITED

#### **Program Revenues**

Net Assets, End of Year	\$0
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	0
Change in Net Assets	0
Total Program Revenues	2,528,946
Reed Act Administration	215,336 <u>82,502</u>
Dislocated Worker Youth	541,532 976,380
Operating Grants: Adult	\$713,196

Federal and State grants represent 100% of total revenues.

Administration revenues represent less than 10% of the total allocation and are primarily comprised of federal grant revenue.

Revenues and expenses for the year were largely for direct services by member counties for training, supportive, and employment related activities for both job seekers and employers within and outside of Area 10.

#### Financial Analysis of the Board's Funds

As noted earlier, the Board uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds. The focus of the Board's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Board's financing requirements. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a Board's net resources available for spending at the end of the year.

As of the end of the current year, the Board's governmental funds reported an ending fund balance of (\$484,584), which is all reported in the General Fund and reflects the deficiency of receipts under expenditures for the year.

#### **Budgeting Highlights**

The Board's budget is reflected in the Statement of Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Fund Balance – Budget (Non-GAAP Basis) and Actual and is based on accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances.

During 2005, the Board amended its budget several times to reflect changing circumstances. The budgeted receipts and disbursements are prepared on a multi-year program basis. Final budgeted receipts were in excess of final actual receipts due to this basis.

Final disbursements were budgeted at \$3,331,338 while actual disbursements were \$2,207,460. Actual receipts were exceeded by actual disbursements. The result is the decrease in fund balance of \$163,098 for 2005.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 UNAUDITED

#### **Capital Assets**

The Board does not own any capital assets. Any capital assets are owned by Richland County.

#### Debt

The Board has no debt obligations.

## **Contractual Obligations**

On November 16, 2004, the Board entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with Richland County to provide services as fiscal agent. The Richland County Auditor and Treasurer provide financial processing and accountability services for Area 10.

On May 17, 2005, the Board entered into a contract with Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center, effective from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2006, to provide youth services.

### **Contacting the Board's Financial Management**

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Board's finances for all those with an interest in the Board's activities. Questions concerning any of the information in this report or requests for additional information should be directed to Carmen Jones, Fiscal Officer, Richland County Department of Job and Services, 171 Park Avenue East, Mansfield, Ohio 44901.

### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS June 30, 2005

Assets Intergovernmental Receivable	\$484,584
Liabilities Accounts Payable Fiscal Agent Payable	321,486 163,098
Total Liabilities	484,584
Net Assets Unrestricted	0
Total Net Assets	\$0

### **STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES** FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

Expenses:
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Expenses:	
Workforce development:	
Adult	\$804,253
Dislocated Worker	524,953
Youth	878,342
Reed Act	267,519
Administration	53,879
Total program expenses	2,528,946
Program revenue:	
Operating grants:	
Adult	713,196
Dislocated Worker	541,532
Youth	976,380
Reed Act	215,336
Administration	82,502
Total program revenues	2,528,946
Change in Net Assets	0
Net Assets July 1, 2004	0
Net Assets June 30, 2005	\$0

### GENERAL FUND BALANCE SHEET June 30, 2005

Assets Intergovernmental Receivable	\$484,584
Liabilities and Fund Balances Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	321,486
Fiscal Agent Payable	163,098
Deferred Revenue	484,584
Total Liabilities	969,168
Fund Balances Unreserved, Undesignated (Deficit), Reported in:	
General Fund	(484,584)
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Total Liabilities and Fund Deficit	\$484,584

### Reconciliation of Governmental Fund Balance to Net Assets of Governmental Activities

Total General Fund Deficit

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:	·	ŕ
Some revenues in the governmental funds are deferred because they are not collected within the available period.		

(\$484,584)

Deferred Revenue 484,584

Net Assets of Governmental Activities \$0

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN GENERAL FUND BALANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

Revenues:	
Operating grants:	
Adult	\$587,628
Dislocated Worker	465,910
Youth	791,625
Reed Act	137,868
Administration	61,331
Total Revenues	2,044,362
Expenditures:	
Workforce development:	
Adult	\$804,253
Dislocated Worker	524,953
Youth	878,342
Reed Act	267,519
Administration	53,879
Total Expenditures	2,528,946
Net Change in Fund Balance	(484,584)
Fund Balance, July 1, 2004	0
Fund Deficit, June 30, 2005	(\$484,584)

### Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance of the Governmental Fund to the Statement of Activities

Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Fund	(\$484,584)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:	
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.	
Intergovernmental Revenue	484,584
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities	\$0

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN GENERAL FUND BALANCE - BUDGET (NON-GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

				Variance with Final Budget Positive
_	<u>Original</u>	Final	Actual	(Negative)
Revenues:				
Operating grants:	<b>^</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>^</b>	(4
Adult	\$767,306	\$945,989	\$587,628	(\$358,361)
Dislocated Worker	834,926	724,304	465,910	(258,394)
Youth	1,215,625	1,300,429	791,625	(508,804)
Reed Act	17,823	268,474	137,868	(130,606)
Administration	234,347	92,142	61,331	(30,811)
Total Revenues	3,070,027	3,331,338	2,044,362	(1,286,976)
Expenditures:				
Workforce development:				
Adult	767,306	945,989	743,359	202,630
Dislocated Worker	834,926	724,304	490,365	233,939
Youth	1,215,625	1,300,429	773,106	527,323
Reed Act	17,823	268,474	147,018	121,456
Administration	234,347	92,142	53,612	38,530
Total Expenditures	3,070,027	3,331,338	2,207,460	1,123,878
Net Change in Fund Balance	0	0	(163,098)	(163,098)
Fund Balance, July 1, 2004	0	0	0	0
Fund Deficit, June 30, 2005	<u>\$0</u>	\$0	(\$163,098)	(\$163,098)

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# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

#### 1. DESCRIPTION OF AREA 10 AND THE REPORTING ENTITY

#### A. Description of the Entity

The Workforce Investment Act (WIA) is a federally funded program that provides employment and job training services to eligible adults, dislocated workers and youth. The United States Department of Labor (DOL) is the federal agency responsible for the program. The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS) is the oversight agency for the State of Ohio.

Area 10 Workforce Investment Board (the Board) is designated as a local Workforce Investment Area under WIA 116 and its geopolitical span includes Richland and Crawford counties. The grant recipient is a consortium of elected officials from the counties within the local area. The functions of the consortium are carried out by a Board of Governors, which consists of the Chief Elected Official (CEO) of each participating sub area.

In accordance with WIA 117, the consortium established a local Workforce Investment Board (WIB) to set policy for the local workforce investment system. The local board has no employees. The Executive Director and business administrator perform administrative functions for the board and are employees of Richland County Department of Job and Family Services.

The grant recipient designated the Richland County as the fiscal agent for the local area. The County Auditor has the responsibility to disburse funds for the local area at the direction of the local board. Funds flow from the State to the board and are passed onto the individual counties based on allocations established by the state. The individual counties have responsibility for the administration of the adult and dislocated worker programs for their respective county. The Board has responsibility for the administration of the youth programs and unemployment insurance programs in Area 10.

### **B.** Reporting Entity

A reporting entity is comprised of the primary government, component units and other organizations included ensuring that the basic financial statements are not misleading. The primary government of the Board consists of the general fund, departments, and boards that are not legally separate from the Board. The Board's financial statements include Adult, Dislocated Worker, Youth, Reed Act, and Administrative programs.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the Board is financially accountable. The Board is financially accountable for an organization if the Board appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the Board is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the Board is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; the Board is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or the Board is obligated for the debt of the organization. The Board is also financially accountable for any organizations that are fiscally dependent on the Board in that the Board approves the budget, the issuance of debt, or the levying of taxes. Component units also include legally separate, tax-exempt entities whose resources are for the direct benefit of the Board, are accessible to the Board and are significant in amount to the Board. The Board has no component units.

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

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 (Continued)

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Board have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The Board applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) statements and interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, to its governmental activities unless those pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The most significant of the Board's accounting policies are described below.

#### A. Basis of Presentation

The Board's basic financial statements consist of government-wide statements, including a statement of net assets and a statement of activities, and fund financial statements which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

**Government-Wide Financial Statements** The statement of net assets and the statement of activities display information about the Board as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the Board.

The statement of net assets presents the financial condition of the governmental activities of the Board at year-end. The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each program or function of the Board's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include grants that are restricted to meeting the operational requirements of a particular program. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues of the Board, with certain limited exceptions. However, the Board had no general revenues. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental program is self-financing.

**Fund Financial Statements** During the year, all transactions related to the Board functions or activities are reported in the general fund in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds. The general fund is a major fund and is presented in a separate column. There are no other major or non-major funds.

#### **B.** Fund Accounting

The Board uses funds to maintain its financial records during the fiscal year. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid management by segregating transactions related to certain functions or activities. A fund is a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. The Board utilizes the governmental category of funds.

**Governmental Funds** Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions of the Board typically are financed. Governmental fund reporting focuses on the sources, uses, and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purpose for which they may or must be used. The general fund is the Board's only fund:

**General Fund** - The general fund accounts for all financial resources of the Board. The general fund balance is available for any purpose in accordance with Ohio law.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 (Continued)

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### C. Measurement Focus

**Government-Wide Financial Statements** The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of the Board are included on the statement of net assets. The statement of activities presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in total net assets.

Fund Financial Statements All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances reports on the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources. This approach differs from the manner in which the governmental activities of the government-wide financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements therefore include reconciliations with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the statements for governmental funds.

#### D. Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of deferred revenue and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

Revenues - Nonexchange Transactions Nonexchange transactions, in which the Board receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include grants. On an accrual basis, revenue from grants is recognized in the year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the Board must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the Board on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from nonexchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current year. For the Board, available means expected to be received within thirty days of year-end. Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at year-end: Federal and State grants and subsidies.

**Deferred Revenue** Deferred revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied.

On governmental fund financial statements, receivables that will not be collected within the available period have also been reported as deferred revenue.

**Expenses/Expenditures** On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in governmental funds.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 (Continued)

### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### D. Basis of Accounting (Continued)

This annual report is presented in a format consistent with the presentation requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements-and Management's Discussion and Analysis-for State and Local Governments,* as applicable to the Board's basis of accounting.

#### E. Cash

The Richland County Treasurer is the custodian for the Board's cash. The Board's assets are held in Richland County's cash and investment pool, and are valued at the County Treasurer's reported carrying amount.

#### F. Budgetary Process

Richland County (the fiscal agent) requires the Board to budget all funds. The major documents prepared are the budget based on the WIA grant allocation. The budgetary basis reports expenditures when a commitment is made (i.e., when an encumbrance is approved). The WIA grant allocation establishes a limit on the amounts the Board may budget. The budget is the Board's authorization to spend resources and sets annual limits on expenditures plus encumbrances at a level of control the Board selects. The Board uses the fund, function, object level as its legal level of control. Individual grants are limited to their approved budget. The Board must approve an increase or decrease.

The amounts reported as the original budget in the budgetary statements reflect the amounts in the WIA grant allocation when the Board adopted the original budget. The amounts reported as the final budget in the budgetary statements reflect the amounts in the WIA grant allocation in effect at the time of the final budget.

The Board may amend the budget throughout the year with the restriction that the budget may not exceed WIA grant allocations. The amounts reported as the original budget reflect the first budget for a fund covering the entire fiscal year. The amounts reported as the final budget represent the final budget the Board passed during the year.

Budget versus actual statements for the General Fund are part of the financial statements.

#### G. Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond June 30, 2005, are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method by recording a current asset for the prepaid amount and reflecting the expense in the year in which services are consumed.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 (Continued)

### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### H. Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. The government-wide statement of net assets reports \$0 of restricted net assets.

The Board applies restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available.

#### I. Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

#### 3. CASH AND DEPOSITS

The Richland County Treasurer maintains a cash pool used by all of the County's funds, including those of the Board. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes allowable deposits and investments. At year-end, the carrying amount of the Board's deposits with the Richland County Treasurer was a negative \$163,098 and reflected as Fiscal Agent payable on the financial statements. The Richland County Treasurer is responsible for maintaining adequate depositor collateral for all funds in the County's pooled cash and deposit accounts.

#### 4. RISK MANAGEMENT

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005 the Board did not have Commercial Insurance coverage. The Board was covered by the fiscal agent's insurance policies.

### 5. CONTRACTED SERVICES

The Board does not have any employees. They contract for accounting, administrative, use of facility and management services from other governmental agencies.

#### 6. CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS

On November 16, 2004, the Board entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with Richland County to provide services as fiscal agent. The Richland County Auditor and Treasurer provide financial processing and accountability services for Area 10.

On May 17, 2005, the Board entered into a contract with Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center, effective from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2006, to provide youth services.

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 (Continued)

#### 7. CONTINGENCIES

#### A. Litigation

The Board is a party to litigation concerning the awarding of a service contract. There is no specific demand for monetary relief or attorney fees.

#### B. Grants

The Board receives financial assistance from Federal and State agencies in the form of grants. Disbursing grant funds generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are subject to audit. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims through June 30, 2005 will not have a material adverse effect on the Board.

#### 8. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On October 3, 2005, the Richland County Court of Common Pleas ruled in favor of the District in the litigation noted above. An appeal was filed on October 31, 2005 with the Fifth Appellate District court who affirmed the original judgment of the Court of Common Pleas in favor of the District on September 11, 2006.

# FEDERAL AWARDS EXPENDITURES SCHEDULE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

Federal Grantor/ Pass Through Grantor/	Federal CFDA	Pass Through Entity	Federal
Program Title	Number	Number	Expenditures
U.S. Department of Labor  Passed through the Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services:			
Unemployment Insurance Program Unemployment Insurance Program/Administration Total Unemployment Insurance Program Activities	17.225	N/A N/A	\$267,519 5,823 273,342
WIA Cluster: WIA Adult Program WIA Adult Program/Administration Total WIA Adult Program Activities	17.258	N/A N/A	804,253 17,508 821,761
WIA Youth Activities WIA Youth Activities/Administration Total WIA Youth Activities	17.259	N/A N/A	878,342 19,120 897,462
WIA Dislocated Workers WIA Dislocated Workers/Administration Total WIA Dislocated Workers	17.260	N/A N/A	524,953 11,428 536,381
Total WIA Cluster			2,255,604
Total U.S. Department of Labor			\$2,528,946

The accompanying notes to this schedule are an integral part of this schedule.

# NOTES TO THE FEDERAL AWARDS EXPENDITURES SCHEDULE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

#### **NOTE A - SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The accompanying Federal Awards Expenditures Schedule (the Schedule) summarizes activity of the Board's federal award programs. The Schedule has been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

#### **NOTE B - SUBRECIPIENTS**

The Board passes-through certain Federal assistance received from Ohio Department of Job and Family Services to other governments. As described in Note A, the Board records expenditures of Federal awards to subrecipients when requested on the accrual basis of accounting.

The subrecipient agencies have certain compliance responsibilities related to administering these Federal Programs. Under Federal Circular A-133, the Board is responsible for monitoring subrecipients to help assure that Federal awards are used for authorized purposes in compliance with laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts or grant agreements, and that performance goals are achieved.



# INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Area 10 Workforce Investment Board Richland County 171 Park Avenue East Mansfield, Ohio 44901

To the Workforce Investment Board:

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities and the major fund of the Area 10 Workforce Investment Board, Richland County, Ohio, (the Board) as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005, and have issued our report thereon dated September 12, 2006. 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 the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Board's internal control over financial reporting to determine our auditing procedures in order to express our opinion on the financial statements and not to opine on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a reportable 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 caused by error or fraud in amounts material to the financial statements we audited may occur and not be timely detected by employees when performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider material weaknesses.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of reasonably assuring whether the Board's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect 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 an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Area 10 Workforce Investment Board Richland County Independent Accountants' Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Required by *Government Auditing Standards* Page 2

We intend this report solely for the information and use of management, the Workforce Investment Board, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities. It is not intended for anyone other than these specified parties.

**Betty Montgomery** Auditor of State

Betty Montgomery

September 12, 2006



# INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Area 10 Workforce Investment Board Richland County 171 Park Avenue East Mansfield, Ohio 44901

To the Workforce Investment Board:

#### Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the Area 10 Workforce Investment Board, Richland County, Ohio, (the Board) with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133, Compliance Supplement that apply to its major federal program for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005. The summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings identifies the Board's major federal program. The Board's management is responsible for complying with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each major federal program. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Board's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure whether noncompliance occurred with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could directly and materially affect a major federal program. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Board's compliance with those requirements and performing other procedures we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the Board's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Board complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that apply to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2005.

#### **Internal Control Over Compliance**

The Board's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Board's internal control over compliance with requirements that could directly and materially affect a major federal program to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

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Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133
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Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a reportable 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 noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants caused by error or fraud that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be timely detected by employees when performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

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September 12, 2006

### SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS OMB CIRCULAR A -133 § .505 FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

### 1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

(d)(1)(i)	Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unqualified
(d)(1)(ii)	Were there any material control weakness conditions reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(ii)	Were there any other reportable control weakness conditions reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(iii)	Was there any reported material noncompliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
(d)(1)(iv)	Were there any material internal control weakness conditions reported for major federal programs?	No
(d)(1)(iv)	Were there any other reportable internal control weakness conditions reported for major federal programs?	No
(d)(1)(v)	Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion	Unqualified
(d)(1)(vi)	Are there any reportable findings under § .510?	No
(d)(1)(vii)	Major Programs (list):	CFDA's # 17.258, 17.259 and 17.260: WIA Cluster
(d)(1)(viii)	Dollar Threshold: Type A\B Programs	Type A: > \$ 300,000 Type B: All others
(d)(1)(ix)	Low Risk Auditee?	No

# 2. FINDINGS RELATED TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GAGAS

None

### 3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

None



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### **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 OCTOBER 19, 2006