Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority

Financial Statements

For the Year Ended December 31, 2008



Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Board of Directors Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority 478 Thorne Avenue Wilmington, Ohio 45177

We have reviewed the *Independent Auditor's Report* of the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Clinton County, prepared by Salvatore Consiglio, CPA, Inc., for the audit period January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Mary Taylor

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September 3, 2009



CLINTON METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY AUDIT REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

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Independent Auditors' Report

Board of Directors Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the business-type activities of Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008, which collectively comprise the Authority basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my 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 I 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. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the business-type activities of the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, as of December 31, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position and the cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, I have also issued a report dated June 30, 2009, on my consideration of Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's internal control over financial reporting and my tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of my testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be consider in conjunction with this report in considering the results of my audit.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the accounting principles generally accepted in the United State of America. I have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiry of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, I did not audit the information and express no opinion thereon.

My Audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority basic financial statements. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditure of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States*, *Local Government and Non-Profit Organizations* and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly presented in all material respect in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Salvatore Consiglio, CPA, Inc. June 30, 2009

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Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority's ("the Authority") management's discussion and analysis is designed to (a) assist the reader in focusing on significant financial issues, (b) provide an overview of the Authority's financial activity, (c) identify changes in the Authority's financial position, and (d) identify individual fund issues or concerns.

Since the Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) is designed to focus on the current years activities, resulting changes and currently known facts, please read it in conjunction with the Authority's financial statements (beginning on page 12).

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The Authority's net assets decreased by \$193,530 (or 24.46 %) during 2008. Since the Authority engages only in business-type activities, the decrease is all in the category of business-type net assets. Net Assets were \$597,653 and \$791,183 for 2008 and 2007 respectively.
- Revenues decreased by \$170,350 (or 11.02%) during 2008, and were \$1,375,693 and \$1,546,043 for 2008 and 2007 respectively. The decrease in revenue was mainly due to interest earned on cash on hand and the operating subsidy.
- The total expenses of all Authority programs decreased by \$30,519 (or 1.91%). Total expenses were \$1,569,223 and \$1,599,742 for 2008 and 2007 respectively. The decrease in expenses was mainly due to a freeze in issuing vouchers in order to get within the baseline imposed by HUD.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The Report includes three major sections, the "Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A)", "Basic Financial Statements", and "Other Required Supplementary Information":

MD&A

~ Management's Discussion & Analysis ~

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Basic Financial Statements

~ Authority-wide Financial Statements ~

Other Required Supplementary Information

~ Required Supplementary Information ~ (other than the MD&A)

The primary focus of the Authority's financial statements is on both the Authority as a whole (Authority-wide) and the major individual funds. Both perspectives (authority-wide and major fund) allow the user to address relevant questions, broaden a basis for comparison (year to year or Authority to Authority) and enhance the Authority's accountability.

Authority-Wide Financial Statements

The Authority-wide financial statements are designed to be corporate-like in that all business type activities are consolidated into columns which add to a total for the entire Authority.

These Statements include a <u>Statement of Net Assets</u>, which is similar to a Balance Sheet. The Statement of Net Assets reports all financial and capital resources for the Authority. The statement is presented in the format where assets, minus liabilities, equal "Net Assets", formerly known as equity. Assets and liabilities are presented in order of liquidity, and are classified as "Current" (convertible into cash within one year), and "Non-current".

The focus of the Statement of Net Assets (the "<u>Unrestricted</u> Net Assets") is designed represent the net available liquid (non-capital) assets, net of liabilities, for the entire Authority. Net Assets (formerly equity) are reported in three broad categories:

<u>Net Assets, Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt</u>: This component of Net Assets consists of all Capital Assets, reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds, mortgages, notes or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

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Authority-Wide Financial Statements (continued)

<u>Restricted Net Assets</u>: This component of Net Assets consists of restricted assets, when constraints are placed on the asset by creditors (such as debt covenants), grantors, contributors, laws, regulations, etc.

<u>Unrestricted Net Assets</u>: Consists of Net Assets that do not meet the definition of "Net Assets Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt", or "Restricted Net Assets".

The Authority-wide financial statements also include a <u>Statement of Revenues</u>, <u>Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets</u> (similar to an Income Statement). This Statement includes Operating Revenues, such as rental income, Operating Expenses, such as administrative, utilities, and maintenance, and depreciation, and Non-Operating Revenue and Expenses, such as capital grant revenue, investment income and interest expense.

The focus of the Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets is the "Change in Net Assets", which is similar to Net Income or Loss.

Finally, a <u>Statement of Cash Flows</u> is included, which discloses net cash provided by, or used for operating activities, non-capital financing activities, and from capital and related financing activities.

Financial Statements

The Authority consists of exclusively Enterprise Funds. Enterprise funds utilize the full accrual basis of accounting. The Enterprise method of accounting is similar to accounting utilized by the private sector accounting.

Many of the programs maintained by the Authority are required by the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Others are segregated to enhance accountability and control.

The Authority's Funds

Business Type Fund

<u>Housing Choice Voucher Program</u> – Under the Housing Choice Voucher Program, the Authority administers contracts with independent landlords that own the property. The Authority subsidizes the family's rent through a Housing Assistance Payment made to the landlord. The program is administered under and Annual Contributions Contract (ACC) with HUD. HUD provides Annual Contributions Funding to enable the Authority to structure a lease that sets the participants' rent at 30% of household income.

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Business Type Fund (continued)

<u>Public Housing Program</u> – The Authority does not have any public housing units that it is currently administering. The public housing assets were sold in prior years. Part of the proceeds from the sale of the property was used to purchase and renovate a single family home. This home will be used to operate a homeownership program. The goal of the Authority is to continue the homeownership program with the remaining public housing cash balance on hand.

AUTHORITY-WIDE STATEMENTS

Statement of Net Assets

The following table reflects the condensed Statement of Net Assets compared to prior year. The Authority is engaged only in Business-Type Activities.

TABLE 1
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

	2008		<u>2007</u>
Current and Other Assets	\$ 445,971	\$	617,713
Capital Assets	177,109		192,436
Total Assets	\$ 623,080	\$	810,149
Current Liabilities	\$ 17,686	\$	7,163
Long-Term Liabilities	7,741		11,803
Total Liabilities	25,427		18,966
Net Assets:			
Investment in Capital Assets, net of Related Debt	177,109		192,436
Restricted net assets	297,293	П	482,142
Unrestricted Net Assets	123,251		116,605
Total Net Assets	597,653		791,183
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 623,080	\$	810,149

For more detailed information see page 11 for the Statement of Net Assets.

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Major Factors Affecting the Statement of Net Assets

During 2007, current and other assets decreased by \$171,742. Current liabilities increased by \$10,523. The current and other assets, primarily cash, decreased due to current year activities, especially additional expenses incurred for housing assistance payments.

The increase in liabilities is due to change in current year activities.

Capital assets decreased from \$192,436 to \$177,109. The \$15,327 decrease is due to current year purchases less depreciation expense. For more detail see "Capital Assets and Debt Administration" below.

Table 2 presents details on the change in Unrestricted Net Assets

TABLE 2
CHANGE OF TOTAL NET ASSETS

			Restricted	Investment in
		Unrestricted	Net Assets	Capital Assets
Beginning Balance - December 31, 2007	\$	116,605 \$	482,142 \$	192,436
Results of Operation		(193,530)	-	-
Adjustments:				
Current year Depreciation Expense (1)		17,046	-	(17,046)
Capital Expenditure		(1,719)	-	1,719
Prior Period Adjustment		-	-	
Transfer Between Net Assets		184,849	(184,849)	-
Ending Balance - December 31, 2008	\$_	123,251 \$	297,293 \$	177,109

(1) Depreciation is treated as an expense and reduces the results of operations but does not have an impact on Unrestricted Net Assets

While the results of operations are a significant measure of the Authority's activities, the analysis of the changes in Total Net Assets provides a clearer change in financial well-being.

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TABLE 3

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

The following schedule compares the revenues and expenses for the current and previous fiscal year. The Authority is engaged only in Business-Type Activities.

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Revenues		
Total Tenant Revenue \$	5,007	\$ -
Operating Subsidies	1,356,067	1,515,964
Investment Income	12,098	26,715
Other Revenues	2,521	3,364
Total Revenues	1,375,693	1,546,043
Expenses		
Administrative	189,747	170,155
Utilities	2,725	3,878
Maintenance	4,753	3,888
General Expenses	21,763	3,201
Housing Assistance Payaments	1,333,189	1,399,245
Depreciation	17,046	19,375
Total Expenses	1,569,223	1,599,742
Net Increases (Decreases) \$	(193,530)	\$ (53,699)

MAJOR FACTORS AFFECTING THE STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

Total Revenue decreased for the year by \$170,350. The decrease was mainly due to less grant funds received HUD and also decrease in interest earned due to change in interest rate and having less cash at bank.

Total expenses decreased by \$30,519. This decrease was mainly due to due a decrease in housing assistance payments. The PHA imposed a freeze on issuing new vouchers in an effort to be within the baseline imposed by HUD.

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CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

As of year end, the Authority had \$177,109 invested in a variety of capital assets as reflected in the following schedule, which represents a net decrease (addition, deductions and depreciation) of \$15,327 from the end of last year. As explained earlier, the increase is due to renovation costs for the homeownership home less depreciation expense.

TABLE 4

CAPITAL ASSETS AT YEAR-END
(NET OF DEPRECIATION)

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Land and Land Rights	\$ 6,750 \$	6,750
Buildings	353,190	353,190
Equipment	46,124	44,405
Leasehold Improvements	52,534	52,533
Accumulated Depreciation	 (281,489)	(264,442)
Total	\$ 177,109 \$	192,436

The following reconciliation summarizes the change in Capital Assets, which is presented in detail on page 22 of the notes.

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TABLE 5

CHANGE IN CAPITAL ASSETS (IN THOUSANDS)

Beginning Balance - December 31, 2007	\$ 192,436
Current year Additions	1,719
Current year Depreciation Expense	 (17,046)
Ending Balance - December 31, 2008	\$ 177,109
Current year Additions are summarized as follows:	
Purchase of 2 Printers	\$ 1,719
Total 2008 Additions	\$ 1,719

ECONOMIC FACTORS

Significant economic factors affecting the Authority are as follows:

- Federal funding provide by Congress to the Department of Housing and Urban Development
- Local labor supply and demand, which can affect salary and wage rates
- Local inflationary, recessionary and employment trends, which can affect resident incomes and therefore the amount of rental income
- Inflationary pressure on utility rates, supplies and other costs

FINANCIAL CONTACT

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Statement of Net Assets Proprietary Funds December 31, 2008

ASSETS	
Current assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$200,052
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	205,836
Receivables, net	33,114
Prepaid expenses and other assets	6,969
Total current assets	445,971
Noncurrent assets	
Capital assets:	
Land	6,750
Building and equipment	451,848
Less accumulated depreciation	(281,489)
Total noncurrent assets	177,109
Total assets	\$623,080
LIABILITIES	
Current liabilities	
Accounts payable	\$2,567
Accrued liabilities	8,323
Intergovernmental payables	1,261
Tenant security deposits	370
Deferred revenue	5,165
Total current liabilities	17,686
Noncurrent liabilities	
Other noncurrent liabilities	7,741
Total noncurrent liabilities	7,741
Total liabilities	\$25,427
NET ASSETS	
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$177,109
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The accompanying notes to the Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

Restricted net assets

Total net assets

Unrestricted net assets

297,293 123,251

\$597,653

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Net Assets Proprietary Funds

For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

OPERATING REVENUES	
Tenant Revenue	\$5,007
Government operating grants	1,356,067
Other revenue	2,521
Total operating revenues	1,363,595
OPERATING EXPENSES	
Administrative	189,747
Utilities	2,725
Maintenance	4,753
General	21,763
Housing assistance payment	1,333,189
Depreciation	17,046
Total operating expenses	1,569,223
Operating income (loss)	(205,628)
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)	
Interest and investment revenue	12,098
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	12,098
Income (loss) before contributions and transfers	(193,530)
Change in net assets	(193,530)
Total net assets - beginning	791,183
Total net assets - ending	\$597,653

The accompanying notes to the Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

Statement of Cash Flows Proprietary Fund Type For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Operating grants received	\$1,356,067
Tenant revenue received	5,007
Other revenue received	(29,196)
Total operating expenses paid	(210,479)
Housing Assistance Payments	(1,333,189)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	(211,790)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
Interest earned	12,098
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	12,098
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED ACTIVITIES	
Property and equipment purchased	(1,719)
Net cash provided (used) by capital and related activities	(1,719)
Net increase (decrease) in cash	(201,411)
Cash and cash equivalents - Beginning of year	607,299
Cash and cash equivalents - End of year	\$405,888

The accompanying notes to the Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

Statement of Cash Flows (Continued) Proprietary Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Net Operating Income (Loss)	(\$205,628)
Adjustment to Reconcile Operating Loss to Net Cash Used by Operating Act	ivities
- Depreciation	17,046
- (Increases) Decreases in Accounts Receivable	(31,717)
- (Increases) Decreases in Prepaid Assets	2,048
- Increases (Decreases) in Accounts Payable	1,592
- Increases (Decreases) in Accounts Payable - Intergovermental	(59)
- Increases (Decreases) in Other Current Liabilities	(3,196)
- Increases (Decreases) in Accrued Expenses Payable	7,994
- Increases (Decreases) in Accrued Compensated Absences	1,197
- Increases (Decreases) in Noncurrent Liabilities Other	(1,067)
Net cash provided by operating activities	(\$211,790)

The accompanying notes to the Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements of the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority (the Authority) have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the Authority's accounting policies are described below.

Reporting Entity

The Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority was created under the Ohio Revised Code, Section 3735.27. The Authority contracts with the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to provide low and moderate income persons with safe and sanitary housing through subsidies provided by HUD. The Authority depends on the subsidies from HUD to operate.

The accompanying basic financial statements comply with the provision of Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 14, the Financial Reporting Entity, in that the financial statements include all organizations, activities and functions for which the Authority is financially accountable. This report includes all activities considered by management to be part of the Authority by virtue of Section 2100 of the Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards.

Section 2100 indicates that the reporting entity consists of a) the primary government, b) organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable, and c) other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

The definition of the reporting entity is based primarily on the notion of financial accountability. A primary government is financially accountable for the organizations that make up its legal entity. It is also financially accountable for legally separate organizations if its officials appoint a voting majority of an organization's government body and either it is able to impose its will on that organization or there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or to impose specific financial burdens on, the primary government. A primary government may also be financially accountable for governmental organizations that are fiscally dependent on it.

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

A primary government has the ability to impose its will on an organization if it can significantly influence the programs, projects, or activities of, or the level of services performed or provided by, the organization. A financial benefit or burden relationship exists if the primary government a) is entitled to the organization's resources; b) is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the obligation to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or c) is obligated in some manner for the debt of the organization.

Management believes the financial statements included in this report represent all of the funds of the Authority over which the Authority is financially accountable.

Basis of Presentation

The Authority's basic financial statements consist of a statement of net assets, a statement of revenue, expenses and changes net assets, and a statement of cash flows.

Fund Accounting

The Authority uses the proprietary fund to report on its financial position and the results of its operations for the HUD programs. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain government functions or activities.

Funds are classified into three categories: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. The Authority uses the proprietary category for its programs.

Proprietary Fund Types

Proprietary funds are used to account for the Authority's ongoing activities, which are similar to those found in the private sector. The following is the proprietary fund type:

Enterprise Fund - This fund is used to account for the operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises where the intent is that the costs (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges or where it has been decided that periodic determination of revenue earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control, accountability or other purposes.

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Measurement Focus/Basis of Accounting

The proprietary funds are accounted for on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized in the period earned and expenses are recognized in the period incurred. Pursuant to GASB Statement No. 20 Accounting and Financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities that Use Proprietary Fund Accounting, the Authority follows GASB guidance as applicable to proprietary funds and FASB Statements and Interpretations, Accounting Principles Board Opinions and Accounting Research Bulletins issued after November 30, 1989, that do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements.

Description of programs

The following are the various programs which are included in the single enterprise fund:

Housing Choice Voucher Program

The Housing Choice Voucher Program was authorized by Section 8 of the National Housing Act and provides housing assistance payments to private, not-for-profit or public landlords to subsidize rentals for low-income persons.

Investments

The provisions of the HUD Regulations restrict investments. Investments are valued at market value. Interest income earned in fiscal year ending December 31, 2008 totaled \$12,098.

Capital Assets

Capital assets are stated at cost. The capitalization policy of the Authority is to depreciate all non-expendable personal property having a useful life of more than one year and purchase price of \$500 or more per unit. Expenditures for repairs and maintenance are charged directly to expense as they are incurred. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Buildings 271/2 - 40 year Buildings Improvements 15 years Furniture, equipment and machinery 3-7 years

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets – net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balance of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net assets are recorded as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use by internal or external restrictions.

Operating Revenues and Expenses

Operating revenues and expenses are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activities of the proprietary fund and expenses incurred for the day to day operation. For the Authority, operating revenues are tenant rent charges, operating subsidy from HUD and other miscellaneous revenue.

Capital Contributions

This represents contributions made available by HUD with respect to all federally aided projects under an annual contribution contract.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents include all highly liquid debt instruments with original maturities of three months or less.

Compensated Absences

The Authority accounts for compensated absences in accordance with GASB Statement No. 16. Sick leave and other compensated absences with similar characteristics are accrued as a liability based on the sick leave accumulated at the balance sheet date by those employees who currently are eligible to receive termination payments. To calculate the liability, these accumulations are reduced to the maximum amount allowed as a termination payment. All employees who meet the termination policy of the Authority for years of service are included in the calculation of the compensated absence accrual amount.

Vacation leave and other compensated absences with similar characteristics are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned by the employees if both of the following conditions are met: (1) the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee. (2) It is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means, such as cash payments at termination or retirement.

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

In the proprietary fund, the compensated absences are expensed when earned with the amount reported as a fund liability.

	Current Accrued Compensated Absence	Long-Term Accrued Compensated Absence	Total Accrued Compensated Absence
HCV Program	\$4,192	\$0	\$4,192
Total	\$4,192	\$0	\$4,192

The following is a summary of changes in compensated absence liability:

	Balance			Balance
	12/31/07	Increase	Decrease	12/31/08
Total Liability	\$2,995	\$14,688	(\$13,491)	\$4,192

Budgetary Accounting

The Authority is required by contractual agreements to adopt annual, appropriated operating budgets for all its Enterprise Funds receiving federal expenditure awards. All budgets are prepared on a HUD basis, which is materially consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end. The Board of Commissioners adopts the budget through passage of a budget resolution.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Deposits – State statutes classify monies held by the Authority into three categories:

NOTE 2: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

- A. Active deposits are public deposits necessary to meet demands on the treasury. Such monies must be maintained either as cash in the Authority's treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawal on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.
- B. Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Authority has identified as not required for use within the current two period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificate of deposits maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of the depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to passbook accounts.
- C. Interim deposits are deposits of interim monies. Interim monies are those monies which are not needed for immediate use but which will be needed before the end of the end of the current period of designation of depositories. Interim deposits must be evidenced by time certificate of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts including passbook accounts.

Protection of the Authority deposits is provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), by eligible securities pledged by the financial institution as security for repayment, by collateral held by Authority or by a single collateral pool established by the financial institution to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited with the institution.

At fiscal year end December 31, 2008, the carrying amount of the Authority's deposits totaled \$405,888 and its bank balance was \$425,811. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosure," as of December 31, 2008, \$175,811 was exposed to custodial risk as discussed below, while \$250,000 was covered by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of bank failure, the Authority will not be able to recover the deposits. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105% of the carrying value of the deposits.

Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio Revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at the Federal Reserve Banks or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the Authority.

NOTE 3: RESTRICTED CASH AND INVESTMENT

Restricted cash balance as of December 31, 2008 of \$205,836 represents cash on hand for the following:

- FSS escrow funds held for tenants	\$7,718
- Tenant security deposit	\$370
- Cash on hand advance from HUD for housing assistance	\$197,748

NOTE 4: CAPITAL ASSETS

The following is a summary of changes:

	Balance				Balance
_	12/31/07	Adjustment	Additions	Deletion	12/31/08
Capital Assets Not Being De	preciated:				
Land	\$6,750	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,750
Construction in Progress	0	0	0	0	0
Total Capital Assets Not					
Being Depreciated	6,750	0	0	(0)	6,750
Capital Assets Being Deprec	iated:				
Buildings	353,190	0	0	0	353,190
Furnt, Mach. and Equip. –	,				•
Admin	44,405	0	1,719	0	46,124
Leasehold Improvement	52,533	1	0	0	52,534
Total Capital Assets Being					
Depreciated	450,128	1	1,719	0	451,848
A communicated Domino dictions					
Accumulated Depreciation:	(219,622)	0	(0.052)	0	(227.676)
Buildings Event Mach and Equip	(218,623)	0	(9,053)	0	(227,676)
Furnt, Mach. and Equip. – Admin	(40.217)	0	(4.401)	0	(16,000)
	(42,317)		(4,491)	0	(46,808)
Leasehold Improvement	(3,502)	(1)	(3,502)	0	(7,005)
Total Accumulated	(0.64, 4.40)	(1)	(17.046)	0	(201 400)
Depreciation	(264,442)	(1)	(17,046)	0	(281,489)
Total Capital Assets Being	107 606	0	(15.225)	0	170.250
Depreciated, Net	185,686	0	(15,327)	0	170,359
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$192,436	\$0	(\$15,327)	(\$0)	\$177,109

NOTE 5: <u>DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLANS -PUBLIC EMPLOYEES</u> <u>RETIREMENT SYSTEM</u>

All full-time employees of Authority participate in the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system administered by the Public Employees Retirement Board. OPERS provide basic retirement, disability and survivor benefits, based on eligible service credit to members and beneficiaries. Benefits are established by Chapter 145 of the Ohio Revised Code. OPERS issue a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for OPERS. Interested parties may obtain a copy by making a written request to 277 East Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-4642 or by calling (614) 466-2085 or (800) 222-PERS.

Ohio Public Employees Retirement System administers three separate pension plans as described below:

- 1. The Traditional Pension Plan A cost sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan.
- 2. The Member-Direct Plan A defined contribution plan in which the member invests both member and employer contributions (employer contributions vest over five years at 20% per year). Under the Member-Direct Plan, members accumulate retirement assets equal to the value of member and (vested) employer contributions, plus any investment earnings.
- 3. The Combined Plan A cost sharing, multiple-employer defined pension plan. Under the Combined Plan, OPERS invests employer contributions to provide a formula retirement benefits similar in nature to the Traditional Pension Plan benefit. Member contributions, the investment of which is self-directed by the members, accumulate retirement assets in a manner similar to the Member-Directed Plan.

Plan members are required to contribute 10.0 percent of their annual covered salary to fund pension obligations. The 2008 employer pension contribution rate for Authority was 14.0 percent. Contributions are authorized by state statue. The contribution rates are determined actuarially. The Authority's contribution for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006 amounted to \$13,890, \$12,818, and \$12,436, respectively. Ninety-Six percent has been contributed for 2008. All required contributions for the two previous years have been paid.

NOTE 6: POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Public Employees Retirement System of Ohio (OPERS) provides post-employment health care benefits to age and service retirants with ten or more years of qualifying Ohio service credit and to primary survivor recipients of such retirants. Health care coverage for disability recipients is also available. The health care coverage provided by the OPERS is considered an Other Post-employment Benefit (OPEB) as described in GASB Statement No. 12. A portion of each employer's contribution to the OPERS is set aside for the funding of post retirement health care. The Ohio Revised Code provides statutory Authority requiring public employers to fund post-employment health care through their contributions to the OPERS. The portion of the 2008 employer contribution rate (identified above) that was used to fund health care for the year ended December 31, 2008 was 5.0 percent of covered payroll, which amounted to \$4,961. The significant actuarial assumptions and calculations relating to post-employment health care benefits were based on the OPERS' latest actuarial review performed as of December 31, 2007. An entry age normal actuarial cost method of valuation is used in determining the present value of OPEB. The difference between assumed and actual experience (actuarial gains and losses) becomes part of unfunded actuarial accrued liability. All investments are carried at market value. For actuarial valuation purposes, a smoothed market approach is used. Under this approach assets are adjusted annually to reflect 25 percent of unrealized market appreciation or depreciation on investment assets. The investment assumption rate for 2007 was 6.5 percent. An annual increase of 4.0 percent compounded annually is the base portion of the individual pay increase assumption. This assumes no change in the number of active employees. Additionally, annual pay increases, over and above the 4.0 percent base increase, were assumed to range from 0.50 percent to 6.3 percent. Health care costs were assumed to increase at a project wage inflation rate plus an additional factor ranging from .5% to 4% for the next 7 years. In subsequent years (8 and beyond), health care costs were assumed to increase at 4% (the projected wage inflation rate).

Benefits are advanced-funded on an actuarially determined basis. The number of active contributing participants was 363,503. The actuarial value of the OPERS' net assets available for OPEB at December 31, 2007 was \$12.8 billion. The actuarially accrued liability and the unfunded actuarial accrued liability, based on the actuarial cost method used, were \$29.8 billion and \$17 billion, respectively.

OPERS Retirement Board Implemented its Health Care Preservation Plan (HCPP). HCPP was adopted on September 9, 2004, and is effective on January 1, 2007. In addition, OPERS created a separate investment pool for health care assets. Members and employers contribution rates increases in January 1, 2006, 2007, and in 2008 will allow additional funds to be allocated to the health care plan.

NOTE 7: SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURE OF FEDERAL AWARD

The accompanying schedule of expenditure of federal award is a summary of the activity of the Authority's federal programs. This schedule has been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

NOTE 8: RISK MANAGEMENT

The Authority is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees and natural disasters. During fiscal year ending December 31, 2008 the Authority maintains comprehensive insurance coverage with private carriers for health, real property, building contents and vehicles. Vehicle policies include liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage.

Settled claims have not exceeded this coverage in any of the last three years. There has been no significant reduction in coverage from last year.

Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority Schedule of Expenditure of Federal Award For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

FEDERAL GRANTOR / PASS THROUGH GRANTOR PROGRAM TITLES	CFDA NUMBER	EXPENDITURES
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Direct Program		
Housing Choice Voucher Program	14.871	\$1,356,067
Total Expenditure of Federal Award		\$1,356,067



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REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Directors Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority

I have audited the financial statements of the business-type activities of the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008, which collectively comprise the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority basic financial statements and have issued my report thereon dated June 30, 2009. I conducted my 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.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing my audit, I considered Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinion on the financial statements, but no for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the authority's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the authority's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the authority' internal control.

My consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority financial statements are free of material misstatement, I performed tests of its compliance with certain provision of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statements amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of my audit, and accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The result of my tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

This report is intended for the information of the Board of Directors, management, and federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

Salvatore Consiglio, CPA, Inc. June 30, 2009



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

Board of Directors Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority

Compliance

I have audited the compliance of the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2008. Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's result section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's compliance based on my audit.

I conducted my 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 I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures, as I considered necessary in the circumstances. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion. My audit does not provide a legal determination on Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's compliance with those requirements.

In my opinion, Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio, complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2008. However, the result of my audit procedures disclosed an instance of noncompliance with those requirements, which is required to be reported in accordance with OMB Circular A-133 and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item CMHA-2008-1.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio 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 my audit, I considered Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control over compliance.

A control deficiency in an Authority's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Authority's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Authority's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

My consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. I did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that I consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio response to the findings identified in my audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. I did not audit Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio response and, accordingly, I express no opinion on it.

This report is intended for the information of the Board of Directors, management, and federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

Salvatore Consiglio, CPA, Inc. June 30, 2009

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Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs OMB Circular A-133 § .505 December 31, 2008

1. SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

Type of Financial Statement Opinion	Unqualified
Were there any significant deficiency reported as material weakness at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
Were there any other significant deficiencies in internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
Was there any reported material non-compliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)?	No
Were there any significant deficiency reported for any major federal programs as material weakness?	No
Were there any other significant deficiency reported for the major federal programs?	No
Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion	Unqualified
Are there any reportable findings under § .510?	Yes
Major Programs (list):	CFDA # 14.871 Housing choice Voucher Program
Dollar Threshold: Type A/B Programs	Type A: > \$300,000 Type B: All Others
Low Risk Auditee?	No

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

There are no Findings or questioned costs for the year ended December 31, 2008.

Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs OMB Circular A-133 § .505 December 31, 2008

3. FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR FEDERAL AWARDS

REPORTABLE NONCOMPLIANCE

Negative Administrative Fee Equity

U.S. Department of HUD Housing Choice Voucher Program (CFDA # 14.871)

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development notice PIH 2006-03 issued on January 11, 2006 states:

"Starting January 1, 2005, excess budget authority disbursed to PHAs that is not utilized to pay Housing Assistance Payments (HAP) will become part of the undesignated fund balance account in accordance with GAAP and may only be used to assist additional families up to the number of units under contract..."

Analysis of current year Housing Choice Voucher Program expenses revealed that the PHA reported a negative Administration Fee Equity of \$57,809. This balance was a carry forward negative balance noted from previous audits. Current year expenses did not exceed administration revenue earned. It is believed that this negative equity was covered with housing assistance money received from HUD in prior years. As noted above notice PIH 2006-03 specifically states that HAP money can only be used to cover expenses for providing Housing Assistance. Therefore, Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority is not in comply with the above notice and HAP reserve balance must be reimbursed \$57,809 to cover the over expenditure in the administrative funds incurred in fiscal year 2008. This finding was noted in previous audit.

Recommendation: Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority must continue to take action to reduce expenses to comply with the above requirement.

PHA Response:

CMHA has taking action and will continue to look at all possible means to reduce administration expenses without affecting clients' services. The housing authority continues to operate with minimum staffing and will continue to do so in an effort to reduce the negative admin equity balance as soon as possible.

Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs – Cont'd OMB Circular A-133 § .505 December 31, 2008

As Executive Director of Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, I am responsible for resolving this finding. I believe that corrective actions have already been implemented and the PHA needs time to make up the deficit.

Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority Schedule of Prior Audit Findings December 31, 2008

The following are the status of the December 31, 2007 audit findings. Those findings not fully corrected are repeated in the 2007 audit report.

Finding	Finding	Fully	Not Corrected; Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action
Number	Summary	Corrected?	Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; Explain :
CMHA- 2006-1	FSS Program	No	Partially Corrected - The PHA did not meet the required number (30) of participants participating in the program. PHA is continuing to try to recruit participants for the program, but is not able to meet the 30 participant requirement. Since the PHA as not been able to meet this requirement regardless to effort taking, a recommendation was made by the Auditor that a waiver be requested from HUD.
CMHA- 2007-1	Negative Admin Equity	No	Not Corrected – As of December 31, 2008 the negative admin equity is \$57,809. Finding was repeated as CMHA-2008-1.



Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

CLINTON METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY CLINTON 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 17, 2009