AUDIT REPORT

JANUARY 1, 2007 – DECEMBER 31, 2008

Wolfe, Wilson, & Phillips, Inc. 37 South Seventh Street Zanesville, Ohio 43701



Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Board of Trustees Monday Creek Township 635 Bell Bottom Road SE New Straitsville, Ohio 43766

We have reviewed the *Independent Auditors' Report* of Monday Creek Township, Perry County, prepared by Wolfe, Wilson & Phillips, Inc., for the audit period January 1, 2007 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. Monday Creek Township is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

Mary Taylor

July 20, 2009



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WOLFE, WILSON, & PHILLIPS, INC. 37 SOUTH SEVENTH STREET ZANESVILLE, OHIO 43701

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Monday Creek Township Perry County 635 Bell Bottom Road New Straightsville, Ohio 43766

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, major funds and aggregate remaining fund information of Monday Creek Township, Perry County as of and for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, which collectively comprised the Township's basic financial statements. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Township's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

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

As discussed in Note 2, the Township has prepared these financial statements and notes using the cash basis of accounting. This is a comprehensive accounting basis other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position-cash basis of the governmental activities, major funds and the aggregate remaining fund information of Monday Creek Township, Perry County, as of December 31, 2008 and 2007, and the respective changes in financial position-cash basis and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund, Motor Vehicle License Tax Fund, Gasoline Tax Fund, FEMA 2904 Fund and FEMA 2905 Fund thereof for the years then ended in conformity with the basis of accounting Note 2 describes.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued a report dated June 5, 2009, on our consideration of Monday Creek Township's internal control structure over financial reporting and our 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 our 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 read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Management's discussion and analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information the Government 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.

Wolfe, Wilson, & Phillips, Inc. Zanesville, Ohio June 5, 2009

This discussion and analysis of the Monday Creek Township's financial performance provides an overall review of the Township's financial activities for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, within the limitations of the Township's cash basis accounting. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the Township's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the financial statements and notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the Township's financial performance.

Highlights

Key highlights for 2008 and 2007 are as follows:

The Township's general receipts are primarily Real Estate and property taxes for governmental activities for the year. Tax receipts for 2008 and 2007 changed very little compared to 2006 as development within the Township has stayed about the same.

In 2007, The Township entered into a loan agreement with The First National Bank to build a new Township garage.

In 2008 and 2007, the Township received various grants, including a homeland security grant, used to purchase fire supplies and equipment.

In 2008 and 2007, the Township once again provided chip and seal services to various Township roads.

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 Township's cash basis of accounting.

Report Components

The statement of net assets and statement of activities provide information about the cash activities of the Township as a whole. The statement of cash basis assets and fund balances, and the statement of cash receipts, disbursements and changes in fund cash balances, present financial information by fund, presenting funds with the largest balances or most activity in separate columns.

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

Basis of Accounting

The basis of accounting is a set of guidelines that determine when financial events are recorded. The Township has elected to present on a cash basis of accounting. This basis of accounting is a basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. Under the Township's cash basis of accounting, receipts and disbursements are recorded when cash is received or paid.

As a result of using the cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues (such as accounts receivable) and certain liabilities and their expenses (such as accounts payable) are not recorded in the financial statements. Therefore, when reviewing the financial information and discussion within this report, the reader must keep in mind the limitations resulting from the use of the cash basis of accounting.

Reporting the Government as a Whole

The statements of net assets and statements of activities for 2008 and 2007 reflect how the Township did financially within the limitations of the cash basis of accounting. The statement of net assets present the cash balances of the governmental activities of the Township at year end. The statement of activities compares cash disbursements with program receipts for each governmental program. Program receipts include charges paid by the recipient of the programs services and grants and contributions restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. General cash receipts are all receipts not classified as program receipts. The comparison of cash disbursements with program receipts identifies how each governmental function draws form the Township's general receipts.

These statements report the Township's cash position and the changes in cash position. Keeping in mind the limitations of the cash basis of accounting, you can think of these changes as one way to measure the Township's financial health. Over time, increases or decreases in the Township's cash position is one indicator of whether the Township's financial health is improving or deteriorating. When evaluating the Township's financial condition, you should also consider other nonfinancial factors as well such as the Township's tax base, the extent of the Township's debt obligations, the reliance on non-local financial resources for operations and the need for continued growth in the major local revenue sources such as property and real estate taxes.

In the statement of net assets and the statement of activities, we divide the government into governmental activities. All of the Township's basic services are reported here, including road maintenance. Real estate and property taxes finance most of these activities. Benefits provided through governmental activities are not necessarily paid for by the people receiving them.

Reporting the Government's Most Significant Funds

Fund financial statements provide detailed information about the Township's major funds – not the Township as a whole. The Township establishes separate funds to better manage its many activities and to help demonstrate that money that is restricted as to how it may be used is being spent for the intended purpose.

Governmental Funds - All of the Township's activities are reported in governmental funds. The governmental fund financial statements provide a detailed view of the Township's governmental operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or less financial resources that can be spent to finance the Township's programs. The Township's significant governmental funds are presented on the financial statements in separate columns. The information for non-major funds (funds whose activity or balances are not large enough to warrant separate reporting) is combined and presented in total in a single column. The Township's major governmental funds for 2008 are the General Fund, Motor Vehicle License Tax Fund and Gasoline Tax Fund. The Township's major governmental funds for 2007 are the General Fund, Motor Vehicle License Tax Fund, Gasoline Tax Fund, FEMA 2904 Fund and FEMA 2905 Fund. The programs reported in governmental funds are related to those reported in the governmental activities section of the entity-wide statements. There are no reconciliations between the two reports as the township reports on the cash basis.

The Government as a Whole

Table 1 provides a summary of the Township's net assets for 2008 compared to 2007 and 2006 on the cash basis:

Table 1 NET ASSETS

		Governmental Activities										
	,	2008	2008 2007				2006					
Assets						_		_				
Cash	\$	87,143		\$	158,275		\$	169,978				
Total Assets	\$	87,143		\$	158,275	-	\$	169,978				
Net Assets												
Restricted for:												
Permanent:												
Expendable	\$	519		\$	322		\$	315				
Nonexpendable		3,210			3,210			3,210				
Other Purposes		82,568			146,849			155,218				
Unrestricted		846			7,894			11,235				
Total Net Assets	\$	87,143		\$	158,275		\$	169,978				
		-				-						

Table 2 reflects the changes in net assets in 2008 and 2007 and 2006

Table 2 CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

	Governmental Activities										
	-	2008		2007		2006					
Receipts:			<u> </u>								
Program Receipts:											
Charges for Services	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,545					
Operating Grants		99,656		155,033		85,545					
Capital Grants		-		-		135					
Total Program Receipts		99,656	<u> </u>	155,033		97,225					
General Receipts;											
Property and Other Tax		14,370		21,990		18,520					
Grants and Entitlements											
not Restricted		6,732		16,007		54,711					
Special Assessments		-		-		116					
Other Loan Proceeds		-		55,000		-					
Interest		555		1,595		7,518					
Miscellaneous		2,473		2,980		7,853					
Total General Receipts		24,130		97,572		88,718					
Total Receipts		123,786		252,605		185,943					
Disbursements:											
General Government		27,371		30,537		57,638					
Public Safety		4,990		45,258		5,889					
Public Works		148,734		118,974		137,511					
Health		173		499		215					
Other		-		1,098		2,785					
Capital Outlay		-		61,642							
DS - Principal		11,187		4,984		-					
DS - Interest		2,463		1,316		-					
Total Disbursements		194,918		264,308		204,038					
Increase/(Decrease)											
In Net Assets		(71,132)		(11,703)		(18,095)					
Net Assets, January 1		158,275		169,978		188,073					
Net Assets, December 31	\$	87,143	\$	158,275	\$	169,978					

Program receipts represent 81%, 61% and 52% of total receipts for 2008, 2007 and 2006, respectively. They are primarily comprised of restricted intergovernmental receipts such as motor vehicle license and gas tax money.

General receipts represent 19%, 39% and 48% of the Township's total receipts for 2008, 2007 and 2006, respectively. Local taxes represent 60%, 23% and 21% of the general receipts. Grants and entitlements make up the balance of general receipts. Other receipts are insignificant and somewhat unpredictable receipt sources.

Disbursements for general government represent the overhead costs of running the Township and the support services provided for the other Township activities.

Governmental Activities

If you look at the Statement of Activities, you will see that the first column lists the major services provided by Monday Creek Township. The next column identifies the costs of providing these services. The major program disbursements for governmental activities are General Government, Public Safety, and Public Works, which account for 14%, 3% and 76% in 2008 and 12%, 17% and 45% in 2007 of all governmental disbursements. The next three columns of the Statement entitled Program Receipts identify amounts paid by people who are directly charged for the service and grants received by the Township that must be used to provide a specific service. This "net cost" amount represents the cost of the service, which ends up being paid from money provided by local taxpayers. These net costs are paid from the general receipts, which are presented at the bottom of the Statement. A comparison between the total cost of service and the net cost for 2008 and 2007 is presented in Table 3.

TABLE 3

	Total Cost of Services 2008		Net Cost of Services 2008			Total Cost of Services 2007			et Cost of Services 2007
General Government	\$ 27,371		\$	27,371	_	\$	30,537		\$ 30,537
Public Safety	4,990			4,990			45,258		7,218
Public Works	148,734			49,078			118,974		1,981
Health	173			173			499		499
Other	-			-			1,098		1,098
Capital Outlay	-			-			61,642		61,642
DS – Principal	11,187			11,187			4,984		4,984
DS - Interest	 2,463			2,463	_		1,316	_	1,316
Total Expenses	\$ 194,918		\$	95,262		\$	264,308		\$ 109,275

The dependence upon property tax is apparent as over 7% and 8% for 2008 and 2007 of governmental activities are supported through these general receipts.

The Government's Funds

Total governmental funds had receipts of \$123,786 and \$252,605 for 2008 and 2007 and disbursements of \$194,918 and \$264,308 for 2008 and 2007, respectively.

Fund Budgeting Highlights

The Township's budget is prepared according to Ohio law and is based upon accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts and disbursements. The most significant budgeted fund is the General Fund

During 2008 and 2007, the Township made amendments to its appropriation budget and receipts budget to reflect changing circumstances. For 2008 actual receipts were less than budgeted receipts and in actual receipts were greater than budgeted receipts.

Final budgeted disbursements for 2008 and 2007 were \$32,187 and \$30,815, respectively. Actual disbursements for 2008 and 2007 were \$29,284 and \$29,021, respectively. The Township kept spending close to budgeted amounts.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

The Township does not currently keep track of its capital assets and infrastructure in the accompanying financial statements, but records payments for capital assets as disbursements.

Debt

As of December 31, 2008, the Township had debt outstanding in the amount of \$38,829, with \$5,848 due within one year.

Contacting the Government's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors, and creditors with a general overview of the Township's finances and to reflect the Township's accountability for the monies it receives. Questions concerning any of the information in this report or requests for additional information should be directed to Dodie Carpenter, Fiscal Officer, 635 Bell Bottom Road, SE, New Straightsville, Ohio 43766.

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS-CASH BASIS December 31, 2008

		ernmental ctivities
ASSETS: Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	87,143
Equity in Fooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	<u> </u>	67,143
Total Assets	\$	87,143
NET ASSETS:		
Restricted for:		
Permanent Fund:		
Expendable	\$	519
Nonexpendable		3,210
Other Purposes		82,568
Unrestricted		846
Total Net Assets	\$	87,143

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES-CASH BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

	_ Dish	Cash oursements	Chai for Se and S	rvices	Gra	erating ants and cributions	Gran	pital its and ibutions	Red Ch	Net oursements) ceipts and nanges in et Assets
Governmental Activities:										
General Government	\$	27,371	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	(27,371)
Public Safety		4,990		-				-		(4,990)
Public Works		148,734		-		99,656		-		(49,078)
Health		173		-		-		-		(173)
Debt Service:		44.40=								(44.40=)
Principal		11,187		-		-		-		(11,187)
Interesr		2,463	-							(2,463)
Total Governmental Activities	\$	194,918	\$		\$	99,656	\$		\$	(95,262)
			Grants a	Taxes I al Purpos nd Entit eted to S	Levied f ses lements					14,370 6,732 555 2,473
			Total G	eneral Re	eceipts					24,130
			Change	in Net A	ssets					(71,132)
			Net Ass	ets Begi	nning o	f Year				158,275
			Net Ass	ets End	of Year	•			\$	87,143

STATEMENT OF CASH BASIS ASSETS AND FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS-CASH BASIS December 31, 2008

	General		Motor Vehicle Tax		Gasoline Tax		Other Governmental Funds		Total Governmenta Funds	
ASSETS: Equity in Pooled Cash and cash Equivalents	\$	846	\$	28,695	\$	52,555	\$	5,047	\$	87,143
Total Assets	\$	846	\$	28,695	\$	52,555	\$	5,047	\$	87,143
Fund Balances: Unreserved:										
General Fund		846		_		_		_		846
Special Revenue		-		28,695		52,555		1,318		82,568
Permanent Fund								3,729		3,729
Total Fund Balances	\$	846	\$	28,695	\$	52,555	\$	5,047	\$	87,143

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS-CASH BASIS December 31, 2008

	General		Motor Vehicle Tax		Gasoline Tax		Gove	Other ernmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds	
CASH RECEIPTS										
Property and Other Local Taxes	\$	14,117			\$	-	\$	253	\$	14,370
Intergovernmental		6,624		11,060		84,613		108		102,405
Interest		358		1,306		2,677		197		4,538
Other		1,137						1,336		2,473
Total Receipts		22,236		12,366		87,290		1,894		123,786
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:										
Current:										
General Government		27,253		-		-		118		27,371
Public Safety		-		-		-		4,990		4,990
Public Works		1,858		22,904		123,922		50		148,734
Health		173		-		-		-		173
Debt Service:										
Principal Retirement		-		-		11,187		-		11,187
Interest and Fiscal Charges						2,463				2,463
Total Disbursements		29,284		22,904		137,572		5,158		194,918
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		(7,048)		(10,538)		(50,282)		(3,264)		(71,132)
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year		7,894		39,233		102,837		8,311		158,275
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$	846	\$	28,695	\$	52,555	\$	5,047	\$	87,143

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

		Budgeted	Amou			Fina	ance with al Budget ositive	
	0	riginal		Final	A	Actual		egative)
CASH RECEIPTS								
Property and Other Local Taxes	\$	15,538	\$	15,538	\$	14,117	\$	(1,421)
Licenses, Permits and Fees		50		50		-		(50)
Intergovernmental		6,800		6,800		6,624		(176)
Interest		1,105		1,105		358		(747)
Other		800		800		1,137		337
Total Receipts		24,293		24,293		22,236		(2,057)
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:								
Current:								
General Government		29,087		29,087		27,253		1,834
Public Works		2,800		2,800		1,858		942
Health		300		300		173		127
Total Disbursements		32,187		32,187		29,284		2,903
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		(7,894)		(7,894)		(7,048)		846
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year		7,894		7,894		7,894		
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$		\$	_	\$	846	\$	846

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE TAX FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance with Final Budget Positive
	Original	Final	Actual	(Negative)
CASH RECEIPTS				
Intergovernmental	\$ 9,509	\$ 9,509	\$ 11,060	\$ 1,551
Interest	1,100	1,100	1,306	206
Total Receipts	10,609	10,609	12,366	1,757
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:				
Current:				
Public Works	36,842	36,842	22,904	13,938
Other	12,000	12,000	-	12,000
Capital Outlay	1,000	1,000		1,000
Total Disbursements	49,842	49,842	22,904	26,938
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements	(39,233)	(39,233)	(10,538)	28,695
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year	39,233	39,233	39,233	
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 28,695	\$ 28,695

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS GASOLINE TAX FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

		Budgeted	Amou			Fina	iance with al Budget Positive	
	O	riginal		Final		Actual	(Negative)	
CASH RECEIPTS								
Intergovernmental	\$	113,022	\$	113,022	\$	84,613	\$	(28,409)
Interest		4,500		4,500		2,677		(1,823)
Total Receipts		117,522		117,522		87,290		(30,232)
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:								
Current:								
General Government		3,000		3,000		-		6,000
Public Works		200,859		199,359		123,922		75,437
Debt Service:								
Principal Retirement		11,000		12,000		11,187		813
Interest and Fiscal Charges		2,500		3,000		2,463		537
Total Disbursements		217,359		217,359		137,572		82,787
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		(99,837)		(99,837)		(50,282)		49,555
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year		102,837		102,837		102,837		
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$	3,000	\$	3,000	\$	52,555	\$	49,555

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS-CASH BASIS December 31, 2007

		ernmental ctivities
ASSETS:	Ф	150.075
Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	158,275
Total Assets	\$	158,275
NET ASSETS:		
Restricted for:		
Permanent Fund:		
Expendable	\$	322
Nonexpendable		3,210
Other Purposes		146,849
Unrestricted		7,894
Total Net Assets	\$	158,275

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES-CASH BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

	_Dist	Cash oursements		rges ervices Sales	Gr	perating cants and tributions	Gran	oital ts and butions	Rec	Net oursements) ceipts and nanges in et Assets
Governmental Activities:										_
General Government	\$	30,537	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	(30,537)
Public Safety		45,258		-		38,040		-		(7,218)
Public Works		118,974		-		116,993		-		(1,981)
Health		499		-		-		-		(499)
Other		1,098		-		-		-		(1,098)
Capital Outlay		61,642		-		-		-		(61,642)
Debt Service:										
Principal		4,984		-		-		-		(4,984)
Interesr		1,316			-					(1,316)
Total Governmental Activities	\$	264,308	\$		\$	155,033	\$		\$	(109,275)
			Propert Gener	I Receipty Yaxes I Tal Purpos	evied :					21,990
			Restri	cted to S	pecific	Programs				16,007
				oan Proc		C				55,000
			Interest							1,595
			Miscell	aneous						2,980
			Total G	eneral Re	eceipts					97,572
			Change	in Net A	ssets					(11,703)
			Net Ass	sets Begi	nning	of Year				169,978
			Net Ass	sets End	of Yea	r			\$	158,275

STATEMENT OF CASH BASIS ASSETS AND FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS-CASH BASIS December 31, 2007

	G	eneral	Mot	or Vehicle Tax	(Gasoline Tax	EMA 2904	EMA 2905	Gov	Other ernmental Funds		Total ernmental Funds
ASSETS: Equity in Pooled Cash and cash Equivalents	\$	7,894	\$	39,233	\$	102,837	\$ 	\$ 540	s	7,771	s	158,275
Total Assets	\$	7,894	\$	39,233	\$	102,837	\$ 	\$ 540	\$	7,771	\$	158,275
Fund Balances: Unreserved:												
General Fund		7,894		-		-		-		-		7,894
Special Revenue Permanent Fund				39,233		102,837	 -	 540		4,239 3,532		146,849 3,532
Total Fund Balances	\$	7,894	\$	39,233	\$	102,837	\$ 	\$ 540	\$	7,771	\$	158,275

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS-CASH BASIS December 31, 2007

	General	Motor Vehicle Tax	Gasoline Tax	FEMA 2904	FEMA 2905	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds	
CASH RECEIPTS								
Property and Other Local Taxes	\$ 14,042		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,395	\$ 19,437	
Intergovernmental	9,040	21,308	98,878	-	38,040	746	168,012	
Interest	1,377	1,440	4,141	-	-	218	7,176	
Other	1,221	9				1,750	2,980	
Total Receipts	25,680	22,757	103,019		38,040	8,109	197,605	
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:								
Current:								
General Government	26,236	-	3,000	_	-	1,301	30,537	
Public Safety	-	-	-	_	37,500	7,758	45,258	
Public Works	2,496	1,427	82,930	30,557	-	1,564	118,974	
Health	289	-	-	-	-	210	499	
Other	-	-	1,098	-	-	-	1,098	
Capital Outlay	-	-	61,642	-	-	-	61,642	
Debt Service:								
Principal Retirement	-	-	4,984	-	-	-	4,984	
Interest and Fiscal Charges			1,316				1,316	
Total Disbursements	29,021	1,427	154,970	30,557	37,500	10,833	264,308	
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements	(3,341)	21,330	(51,951)	(30,557)	540	(2,724)	(66,703)	
Other Financing Sources:								
Other Loan Proceeds			55,000				55,000	
Total Other Financing Sources			55,000				55,000	
Net Change in Cash Fund Balance	(3,341)	21,330	3,049	(30,557)	540	(2,724)	(11,703)	
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year	11,235	17,903	99,788	30,557		10,495	169,978	
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$ 7,894	\$ 39,233	\$ 102,837	\$ -	\$ 540	\$ 7,771	\$ 158,275	

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

	Budgeted Amounts						Fina	ance with I Budget ositive
	O	riginal		Final	A	Actual	(Negative)	
CASH RECEIPTS								3 /
Property and Other Local Taxes	\$	11,593	\$	11,593	\$	14,042	\$	2,449
Licenses, Permits and Fees		258		258		-		(258)
Intergovernmental		5,876		5,876		9,040		3,164
Interest		1,030		1,030		1,377		347
Other		617		617		1,221		604
Total Receipts		19,374		19,374		25,680		6,306
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:								
Current:		25.065		27.065		26.226		1.620
General Government		27,865		27,865		26,236		1,629
Public Works		2,500		2,500		2,496		4
Health		450		450		289		161
Total Disbursements		30,815		30,815		29,021		1,794
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		(11,441)		(11,441)		(3,341)		8,100
Other Financing Sources								
Other Financing Sources		206		206				(206)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		206		206				(206)
Net Change in Fund Balances		(11,235)		(11,235)		(3,341)		7,894
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year		11,235		11,235		11,235		
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$	-	\$		\$	7,894	\$	7,894

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE TAX FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

	Budgeted Amounts						Fin: P	iance with al Budget Positive
CACH DE CENERA	Original		Final		Actual		(Negative)	
CASH RECEIPTS		40.000		40.000		• • • • • •		44.000
Intergovernmental	\$	10,300	\$	10,300	\$	21,308	\$	11,008
Interest		-		-		1,440		1,440
Other		1,173	#	1,173		9		(1,164)
Total Receipts		11,473		11,473		22,757		11,284
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:								
Current:								
General Government		2,000		2,000		-		2,000
Public Works		19,176		19,176		1,427		17,749
Other		6,200		6,200		-		6,200
Capital Outlay		2,000		2,000				2,000
Total Disbursements		29,376		29,376		1,427		27,949
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		(17,903)		(17,903)		21,330		39,233
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year		17,903		17,903		17,903		
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$		\$		\$	39,233	\$	39,233

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS GASOLINE TAX FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

		Budgeted	Amou	ints		Variance w Final Budg Positive		
	C	Original		Final	Actual		egative)	
CASH RECEIPTS		<u> </u>					,	
Intergovernmental	\$	59,099	\$	59,099	\$ 98,878	\$	39,779	
Interest		1,288		1,288	 4,141		2,853	
Total Receipts		60,387		60,387	103,019		42,632	
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:								
Current:								
General Government		3,000		3,000	3,000		9,000	
Public Works		95,175		142,575	82,930		59,645	
Other		-		1,100	1,098		2	
Capital Outlay		62,000		62,000	61,642		358	
Debt Service:								
Principal Retirement		-		5,000	4,984		16	
Interest and Fiscal Charges				1,500	 1,316		184	
Total Disbursements		160,175		215,175	 154,970		69,205	
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		(99,788)		(154,788)	(51,951)		102,837	
Other Financing Sources (Uses)								
Other Loan Proceeds				55,000	 55,000			
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)				55,000	 55,000			
Net Change in Fund Balances		(99,788)		(99,788)	3,049		102,837	
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year		99,788		99,788	99,788			
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 102,837	\$	102,837	

See notes to basic financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS FEMA 2904 FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

	B	udgeted	Amou			Variance with Final Budget			
	Origi	nal	Final		A	ctual	Positive (Negative)		
CASH RECEIPTS									
Intergovernmental	\$		\$		\$		\$		
Total Receipts									
CASH DISBURSEMENTS: Current:									
Public Works	3	0,557		30,557		30,557			
Total Disbursements	3	0,557		30,557		30,557			
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements	(3	0,557)		(30,557)		(30,557)		-	
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year	3	0,557		30,557		30,557			
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$		\$		\$		\$	_	

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BUDGET BASIS FEMA 2905 FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

		Budgeted	Amou	nts		Variance with Final Budget		
	0	riginal	Final		 Actual	Positive (Negative)		
CASH RECEIPTS								
Intergovernmental	\$	37,500	\$	37,500	\$ 38,040	\$	540	
Total Receipts		37,500		37,500	38,040		540	
CASH DISBURSEMENTS: Current:								
Public Safety		37,500		37,500	 37,500		112,500	
Total Disbursements		37,500		37,500	 37,500		112,500	
Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements		-		-	540		540	
Cash Fund Balances Beginning of Year					 			
Cash Fund Balances End of Year	\$		\$		\$ 540	\$	540	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE REPORTING ENTITY

Reporting Entity

The Township of Monday Creek, Perry County, is a body politic and corporate established to exercise the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of the State of Ohio. The Township is directed by a publicly-elected three member Board of Trustees and a publicly elected Fiscal Officer.

The reporting entity is comprised of the primary government, component units and other organizations that were included to ensure that the financial statements are not misleading.

Primary Government

The primary government consists of all funds, departments, boards and agencies that are not legally separate from the Township. The Township provides general government services, road and bridge maintenance and fire protection services. Police protection is provided by the Perry County Sheriff's Department.

Component Units

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the Township is financially accountable. The Township is financially accountable for an organization if the Township appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the Township is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organization; or (2) the Township is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; the Township is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide support to, the organization; or the Township is obligated for the debt of the organization. The Township is also financially accountable for any organizations that are fiscally dependent on the Township in that the Township approves their budget, the issuance of their debt or the levying of their taxes. Component units also include legally separate, tax-exempt entities whose resources are for the direct benefit of the Township, are accessible to the Township and are significant in amount to the Township.

Monday Creek Township has no component units.

Joint Ventures, Jointly Governed Organizations and Public Entity Risk Pools

A joint venture is a legal entity or other organization that results from a contractual arrangement and that is owned, operated, or governed by two or more participants as a separate and specific activity subject to joint control, in which the participants retain (a) an ongoing financial interest or (b) an ongoing financial responsibility. Under the cash basis of accounting, the Township does not report assets for equity interest in joint ventures.

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

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements are presented on a cash basis of accounting. This cash basis of accounting differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Generally accepted accounting principles include all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements, which have been applied to the extent they are applicable to the cash basis of accounting. In the government-wide financial statements, Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) pronouncements and Accounting Principles Board (APB) opinions issued on or before November 30, 1989, have been applied, to the extent they are applicable to the cash basis of accounting, unless those pronouncements, in which case GASB prevails. Following are more of the Township's accounting policies.

Basis of Presentation

The Township's basic financial statements consist of government-wide financial 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 Township as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government. The statements distinguish between those activities or the Township that are governmental and those that are considered business-type. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental receipts or other non-exchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods or service. The Township has no business-type activities.

The statement of net assets present the cash balance of the governmental activities of the Township at year end. The statement of activities compares disbursements with program receipts for each of the Township's governmental activities. Disbursements are reported by function. A function is a group of related activities designed to accomplish a major service or regulatory program for which the Township is responsible. Program receipts include charges paid by the recipient of the programs goods or services, grants and contributions restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program and receipts of interest earned on grants that is required to be used to support a particular program. General receipts are all receipts not classified as program receipts, with limited exceptions. The comparison of direct disbursements with program receipts identifies the extent to which each governmental function is self-financing on a cash basis or draws from the Township's general receipts.

Fund Financial Statements

During the year, the Township segregates transactions related to certain Township functions or activities in separate funds to aid management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the Township at this more detailed level. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Non-major funds are aggregated and presented in a single column.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Fund Accounting

The Township uses fund accounting to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. Funds are used to segregate resources that are restricted as to use. The funds of the Township are divided into one category: governmental.

Governmental Funds

The Township classifies funds financed primarily from taxes, intergovernmental receipts (e.g. grants), and other non-exchange transactions as governmental funds. The Township's major governmental funds for 2008 are the General Fund, Motor Vehicle License Tax Fund and Gasoline Tax Fund. The Township's major governmental funds for 2007 are the General Fund, Motor Vehicle License Tax Fund, Gasoline Tax Fund, FEMA 2904 Fund and FEMA 2905 Fund. The General Fund is used to account for all financial resources, except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The General Fund balance is available to the Township for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of Ohio. The Motor Vehicle License Tax Fund receives license tax monies used for the maintenance and upkeep of roads. The Gasoline Tax Fund is used for the maintenance and upkeep of roads. The FEMA 2904 Fund is used to repair Township roads and bridges damaged by natural disasters. The FEMA 2905 Fund received a Homeland Security Grant that was used to purchase fire protection equipment. The other governmental funds of the Township account for grants and other resources whose use is restricted to a particular purpose.

Basis of Accounting

The Township's financial statements are prepared using the cash basis of accounting. Except for modifications having substantial support, receipts are recorded in the Township's financial records and reported in the financial statements when cash is received rather when earned and disbursements are recorded when cash is paid rather than when a liability is incurred. Any such modifications made by the Township are described in the appropriate section in this note. There were no modifications having substantial support.

As a result of the use of this cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues (such as accounts receivable and revenue billed or provided services not yet collected) and certain liabilities (such as accounts payable and expenses for goods or services received but not yet paid, and accrued expenses and liabilities) are not recorded in these financial statements

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Budgetary Process

All funds are legally required to be budgeted and appropriated (except certain agency funds). The major documents prepared are the tax budget, the certificate of estimated resources, and the appropriations ordinance, all of which are prepared on the budgetary basis of accounting. The tax budget demonstrates a need for existing or increased tax rates. The certificate of estimated resources establishes a limit on the amount the township may appropriate.

The appropriations ordinance is the Township's authorization to spend resources and set limits on disbursements plus encumbrances at the level of control selected by the Township. The legal level of control has been established at the fund, department, and object level for all funds.

The certificate of estimated resources may be amended during the year if projected increases or decreases in receipts are identified by the Township Fiscal Officer. The amounts reported in the original budget on the budgetary statements reflect the amounts on the certificate of estimated resources when the original appropriations were adopted. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts on the budgetary statements reflect the amounts on the amended certificate of estimated resources in effect at the time final appropriations were passed by the Township.

The appropriations ordinance is subject to amendment throughout the year with the restriction that appropriations cannot exceed estimated resources. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts reflect the first appropriation ordinance for that fund that covered the entire year, including amounts automatically carried forward from prior years. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts represent the final appropriation amounts passed by the Township during the year.

Cash and Investments

To improve cash management, cash received by the Township is pooled and invested. Individual fund integrity is maintained through Township records. Each fund's interest in the pool is presented as "Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents".

Investments of the cash management pool and investments with an original maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase are presented on the financial statements as cash equivalents. Investments with an initial maturity of more than three months that were not purchased from the pool are reported as investments. Investments are reported as assets. Accordingly, purchases of investments are not recorded as disbursements, and sales of investments are not recorded as receipts. Gains or losses at the time of sale are recorded as receipts or negative receipts (contra revenue), respectively.

During 2008 and 2007, the Township invested in certificates of deposits. The certificates of deposits are reported at cost.

Interest earnings are allocated to Township funds according to State statutes, grant requirements, or debt related restrictions. In 2008 and 2007, interest credited to the General Fund was \$358 and \$1,377, respectively.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Restricted Assets

Cash and cash equivalents are reported as restricted when limitations on their use change the nature or normal understanding of their use. Such constraints are either imposed by creditors, contributors, grantors, or laws of other governments, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. Amounts restricted for other purposes represents special revenue funds restricted to a specific use.

Inventory and Prepaid Items

The Township reports disbursements for inventories and prepaid items when paid. These items are not reflected as assets in the accompanying financial statements.

Employer Contributions to Cost-Sharing Pension Plans

The Township recognizes the disbursement for their employer contributions to cost-sharing pension plans when they are paid. As described in Note 6, the employer contributions include portions for pension benefits and for postretirement health care benefits.

Long-Term Obligations

The Township's cash basis financial statements do not report liabilities for bonds or other long-term obligations. Proceeds of debt are reported when the cash is received and principal and interest payments are reported when paid. Since recording a capital asset when entering into a capital lease is not the result of a cash transaction, neither an other financing source nor a capital outlay expenditure are reported at inception. Lease payments are reported when paid.

Net Assets

Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments. Net assets restricted for other purposes include gasoline tax receipts used for the upkeep of Township roads and bridges, real estate tax used for fire protection and cemetery operations, permissive tax used for upkeep of roads.

Capital Assets

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

Fund Balance Reserve

The Township may reserve any portion of fund balances which is not available for appropriation or which is legally segregated for a specific future use. The Township has no reserves as of December 31, 2008 and 2007. Unreserved fund balance indicates that portion of fund balance which is available for appropriation in future periods.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Accumulated Leave

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

Interfund Transactions

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as cash receipts in the seller funds and as cash disbursements in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds. Repayments from funds responsible for particular cash disbursements to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements. In the government-wide statements, transfers within governmental activities are eliminated.

3. BUDGETARY BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on the basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances. The Statement of Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Fund Balance-Budget and Actual-Budgetary Basis presented for the General Fund is prepared on the budgetary basis to provide a meaningful comparisons of actual results with the budget. The difference between the budgetary basis and the cash basis is outstanding year end encumbrances are treated as disbursements (budgetary basis) rather than as a reservation of fund balance (cash basis). There were outstanding encumbrances at year-end for 2008 and 2007.

4. DEPOSITS

Monies held by the Township are classified by State into three categories.

Active monies are public monies determined to be necessary to meet current demands upon the Township treasury. Active monies must be maintained either as cash in the Township treasury, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts.

Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Township has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

4. **DEPOSITS** (Continued)

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 current period of designation of depositories. Interim deposits must be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts, including passbook accounts.

Interim monies held by the Township can be deposited or invested in the following securities:

- 1. United States Treasury bills, bonds, notes, or any other obligation or security issued by the United States Treasury, or any other obligation guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States;
- 2. Bonds, notes, debentures, or any other obligation or security issued by any federal government agency or instrumentality including but not limited to, the Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Government National Mortgage Association, and Student Loan Marketing Association. All federal agency securities shall be direct issuance of federal government agencies or instrumentalities;
- 3. Written repurchase agreements in the securities listed above provided the market value of the securities subject to the repurchase agreement must exceed the principal value of the agreement by at least 2 percent and be marked to market daily, and the term of the agreement must not exceed thirty days;
- 4. Bonds and other obligation of the State of Ohio or Ohio local governments;
- Time certificates of deposit or savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts;
- 6. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligation described in division (1) or (2) and repurchase agreements secured by such obligations, provided that investments in securities described in this division are made only through eligible institutions;
- 7. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAR Ohio).

Investments in stripped principal or interest obligations, reverse repurchase agreements, and derivatives are prohibited. The issuance of taxable notes for the purpose of arbitrage, the use of leverage, and short selling are also prohibited. An investment must mature within five years from the date of purchase, unless matched to a specific obligation or debt of the Township, and must be purchased with the expectation that it will be held to maturity. Investments may only be made through specified dealers and institutions.

Protection of the Township's deposits is provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), by collateral pledged to the Township by the financial institution, or by a collateral pool established by the financial institution, to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited with the institution. The First National Bank is the financial institution for Monday Creek Township.

The Township did not have any undeposited cash on hand for 2008 and 2007.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

4. DEPOSITS (Continued)

Deposits:

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of bank failure, the Township will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are the possession of an outside party. At year ended December 31, 2008, none of the Township's bank balance of \$100,524 was exposed to custodial credit risk. At year ended December 31, 2007, \$70,559 of the Township's bank balance of \$170,559 was exposed to custodial credit risk because those deposits were uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent, but not in the Township's name.

The Township has no deposit policy for custodial risk beyond the requirements of State statute. Ohio law requires that deposits be either insured or be protected by eligible securities pledged to and deposited either with the Township or a qualified trustee by the financial institution as security for repayment, or by a collateral pool of eligible securities deposited with a qualified trustee and pledged to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited in the financial institution whose market value at all times shall be at least one hundred five percent of the deposits being secured.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees and natural disasters. During 2008 and 2007 the Township contracted with Ohio Public Risks Insurance. Coverage provided is as follows as of December 31, 2008:

Legal Liability	\$1,000,000	Per Occurrence
Automobile Liability	\$1,000,000	Per Occurrence
Wrongful Acts	\$1,000,000	Per Occurrence
Property	\$719,698	Total Coverage

There were no significant reductions in coverage from prior years and claims have not exceeded insurance coverage in any of the past three years. The Township pays the State Workers' Compensation System a premium based on a rate per \$100 of salaries. This rate is based on accident history and administrative costs.

6. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

Ohio Public Employees Retirement System

The Township participates in the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS). OPERS administers three separate pension plans. The traditional plan is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. The member-directed plan is a defined contribution plan in which the member invests both member and employer contributions (employer contributions vest over five years at 20 percent per year). Under the member directed plan, members accumulate retirement assets equal to the value of the member and vested employer contributions plus any investment earnings.

The combined plan is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that has elements of both a defined benefit and a defined contribution plan. Under the combined plan, employer contributions are invested by the retirement system to provide a formula retirement benefit similar to the traditional plan benefit. Member contributions, whose investment is self-directed by the member, accumulate retirement assets in a manner similar to the member directed plan.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

6. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (Continued)

OPERS provides retirement, disability, survivor and death benefits and annual cost of living adjustments to members of the traditional and combined plans. Members of the member directed plan do not qualify for ancillary benefits. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Chapter 145 of the Ohio Revised Code. OPERS issues a stand-alone financial report that may be obtained by writing to OPERS, 277 East Town Street, Columbus, OH 43215-4642 or by calling (614) 222-6705 or (800) 222-7377.

For the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, the members in the traditional plan, were required to contribute 10.0 and 9.5, percent, respectively, of their annual covered salaries. The Township's contribution rate for pension benefits for 2008 and 2007 was 14.00 percent and 13.85 percent, respectively. The Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions.

The Township's required contributions for pension obligations to the traditional and combined plans for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006 were \$4,466, \$4,299, and \$4,142, respectively. The full amount has been contributed for 2008, 2007 and 2006. Contributions to the member-directed plan for 2008 were \$4,466 made by the Township and \$3,190 made by the plan members.

Post Employment Benefits

Ohio Public Employees Retirement System

The Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS) provides postretirement health care coverage to age and service retirees with ten or more years of qualifying Ohio service credit with either the traditional or combined plans. Health care coverage for disability recipients and primary survivor recipients is available. Members of the member-directed plan do not qualify for postretirement health care coverage. The health care coverage provided by the retirement system is considered an Other Postemployment Benefit. A portion of each employer's contribution to the traditional or combined plans is set aside for the funding of postretirement health care based on authority granted by State Statute. The portion of employer contributions in 2008, for all employers, allocated to health care was 7.0%.

Benefits are advance-funded using the entry age normal actuarial cost method. Significant actuarial assumptions, based on OPERS's latest actuarial review performed as December 31, 2007, include a rate of return on investments of 6.5 percent, an annual increase in active employee total payroll of 4 percent compounded annually (assuming no change in the number of active employees) and an additional increase in total payroll of between .5 percent and 6.3 percent based on additional annual pay increases. Health care premiums were assumed to increase between .50 percent and 4 percent annually for the next seven years and 4 percent annually after eight years.

All investments are carried at market value. For actuarial valuation purposes, a smoothed market approach is used. Assets are adjusted to reflect 25 percent of unrealized market appreciation or depreciation on investment assets annually, not to exceed a 12 percent corridor.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

6. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (Continued)

The number of active contributing participants in the traditional and combined plans was 363,503. Actual employer contributions for 2008 and 2007 which were used to fund postemployment benefits were \$2,233 and \$1,707, respectively. The actual contribution and the actuarially required contribution amounts are the same. OPERS's net assets available for payment of benefits at December 31, 2007, (the latest information available) were \$12.8 billion. The actuarially accrued liability and the unfunded actuarial accrued liability were \$29.8 billion and \$17.0 billion, respectively.

On September 9, 2004, the OPERS Retirement Board adopted a Health Care Preservation Plan (HCPP) with an effective date of January 1, 2007. Member and employer contribution rates increased as of January 1, 2006, January 1, 2007 and January 1, 2008, which allowed additional funds to be allocated to the health care plan.

7. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real property, public utility property, and tangible personal property located in the Township. Real property tax receipts received in 2008 represent the collection of 2007 taxes. Real property taxes received in 2008 were levied after October 1, 2007, on the assessed values as of January 1, 2007, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State statute at 35 percent of appraised market value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semiannually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semiannually, the first payment is due December 31, with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstance, State statute permits alternate payment dates to be established.

Public utilities are also taxed on personal and real property located in the Township.

Tangible personal property tax is assessed by the property owners, who must be file a list of such property to the County by each April 30.

The County is responsible for assessing property, and for billing, collecting and distributing all property taxes on behalf of the Township.

The full tax rate for all Township operations for the year ended December 31, 2008, was \$3.00 per \$1,000 of assessed value. The assessed values of real property, public utility property, and tangible personal property upon which 2008 property tax receipts were based are as follows:

Real Property	
Residential	\$ 4,047,510
Agriculture	3,234,680
Commercial/Industrial/Mineral	98,050
Public Utility Property	
Real	-
Personal	242,810
Tangible Personal Property	16,190
Total Assessed Value	\$ 7,639,240

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

8. DEBT

Long term debt of the Township, as of December 31, 2008 is as follows:

	Bala	ance]	Balance	Ame	ount Due
	Janu	ary 1					De	cember 31	V	Vithin
	20	07	A	Additions	De	eductions		2008	Oı	ne Year
Loan - Building	\$	-	\$	55,000	\$	16,171	\$	38,829	\$	5,848

In 2007, the Township entered a loan agreement in the amount of \$55,000 with The First National Bank to build a new Township maintenance building to be used for housing Township equipment and offices. This loan agreement is collateralized by the building. Payments of \$777 are made monthly. The Township has made 17 payments of \$1,050 as of December 31, 2008 in an effort to pay the loan off early.

Amortization of the above debt is as follows:

		Building					
	P	Principal		Interest			
2009	\$	5,848		\$	1,656		
2010		6,692			1,494		
2011		7,034			1,152		
2012		7,394			792		
2013		7,773			414		
2014		4,088			59		
Total	\$	38,829		\$	5,567		

9. COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Contrary to ORC Section 5705.36, the Township had one fund in which appropriations were greater than unencumbered balance plus actual receipts which should have resulted in getting a new certificate of estimated resources.

Contrary to Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.38, the legislative authority of the Township did not pass a permanent appropriation measure by April 1 for 2008.

Contrary to ORC Section 5705.41(D), the Township had expenditures where the invoice was dated prior to the fiscal certificate.

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

Monday Creek Township Perry County 635 Bell Bottom Road New Straightsville, Ohio 43766

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Monday Creek Township, Perry County as of and for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007 and have issued our report thereon dated June 5, 2009, wherein we noted the Township followed the cash basis of accounting, a comprehensive accounting basis other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Monday Creek Township's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our audit procedures for expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not to opine on the effectiveness of the Township's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the Township's internal control over financial reporting.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be significant deficiencies and that we consider to be material weaknesses.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in 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 Township's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with its applicable accounting basis, such that there is more than a remote likelihood that the Township's internal control will not prevent or detect a more-than-inconsequential financial statement misstatement. We consider the following deficiency to be a significant deficiency in internal control.

Finding number 2008-001 in the Schedule of Findings is considered to be significant deficiencies.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies resulting in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented by the Township's internal control. We believe that Finding 2008-001 is a material weakness.

We also noted other matters involving internal control over financial reporting, which we have reported to management of Monday Creek Township in a separate letter dated June 5, 2009

Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Required by Government Auditing Standards Page 2

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Monday Creek Township's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed one instance of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standard* and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 2008-001. We also we noted certain immaterial instances of noncompliance that we have reported to the management of Monday Creek Township in a separate letter dated June 5, 2009.

Monday Creek Township's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. We did not audit Monday Creek Township's response and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This report is intended for the information of the Township's management, fiscal officer, and Auditor of State, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Wolfe, Wilson, & Phillips, Inc. Zanesville, Ohio June 5, 2009

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS DECEMBER 31, 2008

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

FINDING NUMBER 2008-001

Noncompliance Citation / Significant Deficiency / Material Weakness

Proper Classification of Receipts and Expenditures

Ohio Admin. Code Section 117-2-02(A) provides that all local public offices should maintain an accounting system and accounting records sufficient to enable the public office to identify, assemble, analyze, classify, record and report its transactions, maintain accountability for the related assets, document compliance and finance-related legal and contractual requirements and prepare financial statements.

The testing of expenditures revealed that all debt payments were not properly classified by the Township Fiscal Officer. All of these items required reclassification. Items requiring reclassification included Redemption of Principal, Interest Expense and Capital Outlay.

The Township Fiscal Officer should review the account code classifications in the UAN system and the "Ohio Township Handbook" chart of accounts and post receipts and expenditures to the proper line item account codes and fund. This will help ensure receipts and expenditures are properly reflected in the financial statements. In addition, fairly presented financial statements provide the Township Trustees with the ability to analyze information in a consistent manner which aids in making informed financial decisions regarding Township operations.

The Fiscal Officer should input the correct estimated receipts into the proper line item accounts on the budgetary system once they have been certified by the Budget Commission and the correct appropriation amounts into the proper line item accounts on the budgetary system once they have been approved by the Board. Monthly comparisons of budgeted and actual revenue and expenditures for all funds should be presented to the Board to allow for monitoring of fiscal operations of the Township. The Board of Trustees should review these reports for significant variances from expectations.

Client Response: The Fiscal Officer will review the account code classification in the UAN system.

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS December 31, 2008

			Not Corrected, Partially Corrected
Finding	Finding	Fully	Significantly Different Corrective Action
Number	Summary	Corrected	Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid;
			Explain:
	ORC 5705.41 (D)		
2006-01	Fiscal Certificates	No	Partially Corrected - Refer to Management
	Dated Prior to		Letter
	Invoices		



Mary Taylor, CPA Auditor of State

MONDAY CREEK TOWNSHIP

PERRY 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 JULY 30, 2009