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#### **BASIC AUDIT REPORT**

**Biglick Township** Hancock County 6855 Township Road 254 Findlay, Ohio 45840

We have completed certain procedures in accordance with Ohio Rev. Code § 117.01(G) to the accounting records and related documents of Biglick Township, Hancock County, Ohio (the Township) for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Our procedures were designed solely to satisfy the audit requirements of Ohio Rev. Code § 117.11(A). Because our procedures were not designed to opine on the Township's financial statements, we did not follow generally accepted auditing standards. We do not provide any assurance on the Township's financial statements, transactions or balances for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023.

The Township's management is responsible for preparing and maintaining its accounting records and related documents. Our responsibility under Ohio Rev. Code § 117.11(A) is to examine, analyze and inspect these records and documents.

Based on the results of our procedures, we found the following significant compliance or accounting issue to report.

### **Current Year Observation**

We noted the Township did not file their 2024 Annual Financial Report timely. Ohio Rev. Code § 117.38 provides that each public office, other than a state agency, shall file a financial report for each fiscal year. The report shall be certified by the proper officer or board and filed with the auditor of state within sixty days after the close of the fiscal year.

The Township did not file the 2024 annual report until March 5, 2025. Failure to file by the required date could result in penalties of \$25 per day up to maximum of \$750. The Township should take the necessary steps to ensure the financial report is prepared completely in accordance with Auditor of State Bulletin 2015-007 and filed within the sixty-day time frame.

KEITH FABER Ohio Auditor of State

Tiffany L Ridenbaugh, CPA, CFE, CGFM

Chief Deputy Auditor

July 22, 2025

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# **BIGLICK TOWNSHIP**

## **HANCOCK COUNTY**

### **AUDITOR OF STATE OF OHIO CERTIFICATION**

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



Certified for Release 8/5/2025

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