



JEFFERSON YOUTH FOUNDATION, INC.

Independent Auditor's Report and Financial Statements  
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

Deemer CPA and Consulting Services, LLC

**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
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### **Independent Auditor's Report**

**To the Board of Directors of Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.:**

#### ***Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements***

##### ***Opinion***

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc., which comprise the Statement of Financial Position as of June 30, 2024, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to financial statements.

In my opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Jefferson Youth Foundation as of June 30, 2024, and the changes in net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

##### ***Basis for Opinion***

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. My responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of my report. I am required to be independent of Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. and to meet my other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to my audit. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

##### ***Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Jefferson Youth Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

##### ***Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements***

My objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes my opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal

control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, I:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Jefferson Youth Foundation's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in my judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Jefferson Youth Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

I am required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that I identified during the audit.

#### ***Supplementary Information***

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying supplementary information shown on page 14 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In my opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

#### ***Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards***

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, I have also issued my report dated December 2, 2024 on my consideration of Jefferson Youth Foundation's internal control over financial reporting and on my tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely 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 effectiveness of Jefferson Youth Foundation's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Jefferson Youth Foundation's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

*Wharton CPA, LLC*

December 2, 2024  
New Orleans, LA



**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Statement of Financial Position**  
**As of June 30, 2024**

<b><u>Assets</u></b>	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 51,359
Grants receivable	211,532
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Total Assets	<u>\$ 262,891</u>
<b><u>Liabilities</u></b>	
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
Accrued Salaries and Payroll Tax Liabilities	\$ 15,566
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	107,004
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Total Current Liabilities	<u>122,570</u>
<b><u>Net Assets</u></b>	
Without Donor Restrictions:	140,321
With Donor Restrictions	-
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Total Net Assets	<u>140,321</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 262,891</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Statement of Activities**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

	<u>Without Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>With Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>Total</u>
<b>SUPPORT AND OTHER REVENUES:</b>			
Government Grants	\$ -	\$ 541,058	\$ 541,058
Contributed Support	16,876	-	16,876
In-Kind Revenue-Rent	-	31,356	31,356
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	572,414	(572,414)	-
	<u>589,290</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>589,290</u>
<b>Total support and other revenues</b>			
<b>Expenses</b>			
Program Services	572,414	-	572,414
Management and General	1,819	-	1,819
	<u>574,233</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>574,233</u>
<b>Total Expenses</b>			
<b>Change in Net Assets</b>	15,057	-	15,057
<b>Net Assets At Beginning of Year</b>	125,264	-	125,264
<b>Net Assets At End Of Year</b>	<u>\$ 140,321</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 140,321</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Statement of Functional Expenses**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

<b>Expense</b>	<b>Program Services</b>	<b>Management and General</b>	<b>Total Expenses</b>
Salaries & Wages	\$ 359,945	\$ -	\$ 359,945
Payroll Taxes	28,236	-	28,236
Employee Benefits	7,500	-	7,500
Contract Services	24,910	-	24,910
Facilities and Equipment	32,273	-	32,273
Office Expense	5,849	292	6,141
Program Supplies	30,540	-	30,540
Insurance	11,301	-	11,301
Bus Drivers	54,150	-	54,150
Field Trips	15,636	-	15,636
Software	2,074	-	2,074
Interest	-	458	458
Depreciation	-	459	459
Miscellaneous	-	610	610
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 572,414</u>	<u>\$ 1,819</u>	<u>\$ 574,233</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**Jefferson youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Statement of Cash Flows**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

**Cash Flows From Operating Activities:**

Changes in Net Assets	\$ 15,057
Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	
Depreciation Expense	459
Unrealized and realized losses on investments	-
Changes in Operating Assets and Liabilities	
Grant Receivable	(36,620)
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	(19,747)
Accrued Salaries and Payroll Tax Liabilities	<u>(1,402)</u>
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	(42,253)
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash-Beginning of year	<u>93,612</u>
Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Restricted Cash-End of year	<u><u>\$ 51,359</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.



**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

**1. Summary of Significant Accounting Principles**

**General** - Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. is a non-profit agency with a mission to provide students with educational, tutorial, cultural and health activities. The agency is committed to assisting local educational institutions in increasing overall academic performance for its program participants. The services are provided through the Advent Program, which is an after school program and summer camp.

**Basis of Accounting** – Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.’s financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting, whereby revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when incurred.

**Property and Equipment** – Improvements which significantly extend the useful life of an asset and purchases of equipment in the amount of 1,500 or more are capitalized. The straight line method of depreciation is used for the assets owned by Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. The estimated useful lives of these assets range from 3 to 40 years. Depreciation Expense for the year ended June 30, 2024 was \$459.00.

**Income Taxes** – Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. has been determined to be tax exempt under Section 501 (c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Code. Tax years 2021, 2022, and 2023 remain open for potential examination of taxing authorities. The agency’s financial exposure would exist as it relates to potential unrelated business income.

**Estimates** – Management uses estimate and assumptions in preparing financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and the reported revenues and expenses. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

**Functional Expenses** – The financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to more than one program or supporting function. These expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. These expenses were allocated based on estimates of time and effort.

**Statement of Cash Flow** – For purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash equivalents are defined as short-term, highly liquid investments that are both readily convertible to known amounts of cash and having original maturities of three months or less, and which are not held for investing purposes.

**Cash** - Cash is comprised of cash on hand and in banks.

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**Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

**Public Support and Revenue** – Contributions to the Organization are recognized when cash, securities of other assets, an unconditional promise to give, or notification of beneficial interest is received. Conditional promises to give are not recognized until the conditions on which they depend have been substantially met.

All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by donors.

For programs, consulting fees, and exchange-type grants and contracts, revenue is recognized when earned in accordance with ASC 606, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers*. Program fees and payments under exchange-type grants and contracts received in advance are deferred to the applicable period in which the related services are performed or expenditures are incurred, respectively.

**Subsequent Events** - The agency has evaluated its June 30, 2024 financial statements through the date that the financial statements were issued December 2, 2024 and determined that no events occurred that require disclosure. No subsequent events occurring after this date have been evaluated for inclusion in these financial statements.

**Advertising-** Advertising costs are expensed as incurred, however there were -0- in advertising costs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024.

**2. Net Assets**

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards Codification “ASC” 958, Not-for-Profit Entities, requires net assets and changes in net assets be reported for in two classifications. A description of the two types of Net Assets categories is described below:

Net Assets with donor imposed restrictions – Gifts of cash and other assets which have donor imposed restrictions or requirements that limit the use of the donation. A donor restriction ends when a time restriction is met or a purpose restriction is accomplished. As restrictions are met, assets are reclassified as unrestricted net assets.

Net Assets without donor imposed restrictions – Gifts of cash and other assets absent of donor imposed restrictions. As of June 30, 2024, Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. had net assets without donor imposed restrictions.

**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

**3. Grants Receivable**

As of June 30, 2024 the agency's grant receivable in the amount of \$211,532 consisted of funds owed to the agency from 21<sup>st</sup> Century for program services.

**4. Grant Revenue**

Grant revenue consists of the following for the fiscal year of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024:

21 <sup>ST</sup> Century CCLC	\$ <u>541,058</u>
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**5. In-Kind Donations**

Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. is housed at Judge Lionel R Collins Elementary School which is the property of the Jefferson Parish Public School System. The School System provides the space rent-free for the purpose of operating the program. The value of occupying this space is estimated at \$31,356.00. The In-Kind Donation is recorded as revenue and has a corresponding expense.

**6. Economic Dependency**

Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. receives the majority of its revenue from grants. The agency's ability to acquire grant funds each year significantly impacts their revenues and operations. In fiscal year ended 2024, 92% of total support was from one (1) funding source.

**7. Board of Directors' Compensation**

The Board of Directors is a voluntary board; therefore, no compensation has been paid to any member. However, board members are reimbursed for any out-of-pocket costs they might incur on behalf of the agency in accordance with its' applicable reimbursement policy.

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION



**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***

**To the Board of Directors of Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.:**

I have audited, in accordance with the 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, the financial statements of Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc., as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Jefferson Youth Foundation's basic financial statements, and have issued my report thereon dated December 2, 2024.

**Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing my audit of the financial statements, I considered Jefferson Youth Foundation's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing my opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Jefferson Youth Foundation's internal control. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Jefferson Youth Foundation's internal control.

*A deficiency in internal control* 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 and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

My consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during my audit I did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that I consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

## **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Jefferson Youth Foundation's financial statements are free from material misstatement, I 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 my audit, and accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The results of my tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

## **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of my testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

*Wharton CPA, LLC*

New Orleans, Louisiana  
December 2, 2024



**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

There are no current year findings or questioned costs.

**Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.**  
**Status of Prior Year Findings**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

There were no prior year findings and/or questioned costs.

**JEFFERSON YOUTH FOUNDATION, INC.**

Schedule of Compensation, Benefits and Other Payments to Agency Head or Chief Executive Officer

**Year Ended June 30, 2024**

**Agency Head Name:** Audrey E. Warren

<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Salary	\$79,666.60
Benefits-insurance	0.00
Benefits-retirement	\$7,500.00
Benefits-<list any other here>	0.00
Car allowance	0.00
Vehicle provided by government	0.00
Per diem	0.00
Reimbursements (Storage Fees)	\$584.00
Reimbursements (Supplies)	\$167.07
Reimbursements (Postage)	\$68.69
Travel *****Student Field Trip	0.00
Registration fees	0.00
Conference travel	\$99.65
Continuing professional education fees	0.00
Housing	0.00
Unvouchered expenses*	0.00
Special meals	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$88,086.01</b>

\*an example of an unvouchered expense would be a travel advance



JEFFERSON YOUTH FOUNDATION, INC.

Report On Statewide Agreed-Upon Procedures  
On Compliance and Control Areas  
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

Wharton CPA, LLC

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT  
ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

To the Board of Directors of Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc.:

I have performed the procedures enumerated in Schedule A on the control and compliance (C/C) areas identified in the Louisiana Legislative Auditor's (LLA's) Statewide Agreed-Upon Procedures (SAUPs) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024. Jefferson Youth Foundation's management is responsible for those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs.

Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. (JYF) has agreed to and acknowledged that the procedures performed are appropriate to meet the intended purpose of the engagement, which is to perform specified procedures on the C/C areas identified in LLA's SAUPs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024. Additionally, LLA has agreed to and acknowledged that the procedures performed are appropriate for its purposes. This report may not be suitable for any other purpose. The procedures performed may not address all the items of interest to a user of this report and may not meet the needs of all users of this report and, as such, users are responsible for determining whether the procedures performed are appropriate for their purposes.

The procedures I performed, and the associated findings are summarized in the attached Schedule A, which is an integral part of this report.

I was engaged by Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. to perform this agreed-upon procedures engagement and conducted my engagement in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the standards applicable to attestation engagements contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. I was not engaged to and did not conduct an examination or review, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion or conclusion, respectively, on those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024. Accordingly, I do not express such an opinion or conclusion. Had I performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to my attention that would have been reported to you.

I am required to be independent of Jefferson Youth Foundation, Inc. and to meet my other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements related to my agreed-upon procedures engagement.



This report is intended solely to describe the scope of testing performed on those C/C areas identified in the SAUPs, and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on control or compliance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the LLA as a public document.

*Wharton CPA, LLC*

Wharton CPA, LLC  
New Orleans, LA  
December 2, 2024

JEFFERSON YOUTH FOUNDATION, INC.  
AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES PERFORMED AND ASSOCIATED FINDINGS  
JUNE 30, 2024

Schedule A

The procedures performed and the results thereof are set forth below. The procedure is stated first, followed by the results of the procedure presented in italics. If the item being subjected to the procedures is positively identified or present, then the results will read “no exception noted” or for step 13 “I performed the procedure and discussed the results with management.” If not, then a description of the exception ensues.

**1) Written Policies and Procedures**

A. Obtain and inspect the entity’s written policies and procedures and observe whether they address each of the following categories and subcategories (if applicable to public funds and the entity’s operations):

- i. **Budgeting**, including preparing, adopting, monitoring, and amending the budget.

No exception noted.

- ii. **Purchasing**, including (1) how purchases are initiated; (2) how vendors are added to the vendor list; (3) the preparation and approval process of purchase requisitions and purchase orders; (4) controls to ensure compliance with the Public Bid Law; and (5) documentation required to be maintained for all bids and price quotes.

No exception noted.

- iii. **Disbursements**, including processing, reviewing, and approving

No exception noted.

- iv. **Receipts/Collections**, including receiving, recording, and preparing deposits. Also, policies and procedures should include management’s actions to determine the completeness of all collections for each type of revenue or agency fund additions (e.g., periodic confirmation with outside parties, reconciliation to utility billing after cutoff procedures, reconciliation of traffic ticket number sequences, agency fund forfeiture monies confirmation).

No exception noted.

- v. **Payroll/Personnel**, including (1) payroll processing, (2) reviewing and approving time and attendance records, including leave and overtime worked, and (3) approval process for employee rates of pay or approval and maintenance of pay rate schedules.

No exception noted.

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- vi. **Contracting**, including (1) types of services requiring written contracts, (2) standard terms and conditions, (3) legal review, (4) approval process, and (5) monitoring process.

No exception noted.

- vii. **Travel and Expense Reimbursement**, including (1) allowable expenses, (2) dollar thresholds by category of expense, (3) documentation requirements, and (4) required approvers.

No exception noted.

- viii. **Credit Cards (and debit cards, fuel cards, purchase cards, if applicable)**, including (1) how cards are to be controlled, (2) allowable business uses, (3) documentation requirements, (4) required approvers of statements, and (5) monitoring card usage (e.g., determining the reasonableness of fuel card purchases).

No exception noted.

- ix. **Ethics**, including (1) the prohibitions as defined in Louisiana Revised Statute (R.S.) 42:1111-1121, (2) actions to be taken if an ethics violation takes place, (3) system to monitor possible ethics violations, and (4) a requirement that documentation is maintained to demonstrate that all employees and officials were notified of any changes to the entity's ethics policy.

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

- x. **Debt Service**, including (1) debt issuance approval, (2) continuing disclosure/EMMA reporting requirements, (3) debt reserve requirements, and (4) debt service requirements.

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

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Schedule A

- xi. **Information Technology Disaster Recovery/Business Continuity**, including (1) identification of critical data and frequency of data backups, (2) storage of backups in a separate physical location isolated from the network, (3) periodic testing/verification that backups can be restored, (4) use of antivirus software on all systems, (5) timely application of all available system and software patches/updates, and (6) identification of personnel, processes, and tools needed to recover operations after a critical event.

No exceptions noted.

- xii. **Prevention of Sexual Harassment**, including R.S. 42:342-344 requirements for (1) agency responsibilities and prohibitions, (2) annual employee training, and (3) annual reporting.

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to the Entity.

**2) Board or Finance Committee**

- A. Obtain and inspect the board/finance committee minutes for the fiscal period, as well as the board's enabling Legislation, charter, bylaws, or equivalent document in effect during the fiscal period, and:

- i. Observe whether the board/finance committee met with a quorum at least monthly, or on a frequency in accordance with the board's enabling Legislation, charter, bylaws, or other equivalent document.

No exception noted.

- ii. For those entities reporting on the governmental accounting model, observe whether the minutes referenced or included monthly budget-to-actual comparisons on the general fund, quarterly budget to-actual, at a minimum, on proprietary funds, and semi-annual budget- to-actual, at a minimum, on all special revenue funds. Alternatively, for those entities reporting on the not-for-profit accounting model, observe that the minutes referenced or included financial activity relating to public funds if those public funds comprised more than 10% of the entity's collections during the fiscal period.

No exception noted.

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Schedule A

- iii. For governmental entities, obtain the prior year audit report and observe the unassigned fund balance in the general fund. If the general fund had a negative ending unassigned fund balance in the prior year audit report, observe that the minutes for at least one meeting during the fiscal period referenced or included a formal plan to eliminate the negative unassigned fund balance in the general fund.

This procedure was not performed, as the Entity is not a governmental entity.

- iv. Observe whether the board/finance committee received written updates of the progress of resolving audit finding(s), according to management's corrective action plan at each meeting until the findings are considered fully resolved.

This procedure was not performed, as the Entity has no prior audit findings to resolve.

**3) Bank Reconciliations**

- A. Obtain a listing of entity bank accounts for the fiscal period from management and management's representation that the listing is complete. Ask management to identify the entity's main operating account. Select the entity's main operating account and randomly select 4 additional accounts (or all accounts if less than 5). Randomly select one month from the fiscal period, obtain and inspect the corresponding bank statement and reconciliation for each selected account, and observe that:

Public funds were deposited into and disbursed from one bank account. No exceptions were noted as a result of performing this procedure.

I obtained the bank reconciliation for the month ended June 30, 2024, resulting in 1 bank reconciliation obtained and subjected to the below procedures.

- i. Bank reconciliations include evidence that they were prepared within 2 months of the related statement closing date (e.g., initialed and dated, electronically logged);

No exception noted.

- ii. Bank reconciliations include written evidence that a member of management or a board member who does not handle cash, post ledgers, or issue checks has reviewed each bank reconciliation (e.g., initialed and dated, electronically logged); and

No exception noted.

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- iii. Management has documentation reflecting it has researched reconciling items that have been outstanding for more than 12 months from the statement closing date, if applicable.

No exception noted.

**4) Collections (excluding electronic funds transfers)**

- A. Obtain a listing of deposit sites for the fiscal period where deposits for cash/checks/money orders (cash) are prepared and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 deposit sites (or all deposit sites if less than 5).

A listing of deposit sites was provided.

- B. For each deposit site selected, obtain a listing of collection locations and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select one collection location for each deposit site (e.g. 5 collection locations for 5 deposit sites), obtain and inspect written policies and procedures relating to employee job duties (if there are no written policies or procedures, then inquire of employees about their job duties) at each collection location, and observe that job duties are properly segregated at each collection location such that:

From each of the listings provided, we haphazardly selected one collection location for each deposit site. Review of the Entity's written policies and procedures or inquiry with employee(s) regarding job duties was performed in order to perform the procedures below.

- i. Employees responsible for cash collections do not share cash drawers/registers;

No exception noted.

- ii. Each employee responsible for collecting cash is not also responsible for preparing/making bank deposits, unless another employee/official is responsible for reconciling collection documentation (e.g. pre-numbered receipts) to the deposit;

No exception noted.

- iii. Each employee responsible for collecting cash is not also responsible for posting collection entries to the general ledger or subsidiary ledgers, unless another employee/official is responsible for reconciling ledger postings to each other and to the deposit;

No exception noted.



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- iv. The employee(s) responsible for reconciling cash collections to the general ledger and/or subsidiary ledgers, by revenue source and/or agency fund additions, is (are) not also responsible for collecting cash, unless another employee verifies the reconciliation.

No exception noted.

- C. Obtain from management a copy of the bond or insurance policy for theft covering all employees who have access to cash. Observe that the bond or insurance policy for theft was in force during the fiscal period.

No exception noted.

- D. Randomly select two deposit dates for each of the 5 bank accounts selected for Bank Reconciliations procedure #3A (select the next deposit date chronologically if no deposits were made on the dates randomly selected and randomly select a deposit if multiple deposits are made on the same day). Alternatively, the practitioner may use a source document other than bank statements when selecting the deposit dates for testing, such as a cash collection log, daily revenue report, receipt book, etc. Obtain supporting documentation for each of the 10 deposits and:

- i. Observe that receipts are sequentially pre-numbered.

No exception noted.

- ii. Trace sequentially pre-numbered receipts, system reports, and other related collection documentation to the deposit slip.

No exception noted.

- iii. Trace the deposit slip total to the actual deposit per the bank statement.

No exception noted.

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- iv. Observe that the deposit was made within one business day of receipt at the collection location (within one week if the depository is more than 10 miles from the collection location or the deposit is less than \$100 and the cash is stored securely in a locked safe or drawer).

No exception noted.

- v. Trace the actual deposit per the bank statement to the general ledger.

No exception noted.

**5) Non-payroll Disbursements (excluding card purchases, travel reimbursements, and petty cash purchases)**

- A. Obtain a listing of locations that process payments for the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 locations (or all locations if less than 5).

The listing of locations that process payments for the fiscal period was provided. From the listing provided, we selected the one location identified and performed the procedures below.

- B. For each location selected under #5A above, obtain a listing of those employees involved with non-payroll purchasing and payment functions. Obtain written policies and procedures relating to employee job duties (if the agency has no written policies and procedures, then inquire of employees about their job duties), and observe that job duties are properly segregated such that:

The listing of employees involved with non-payroll purchasing and payment functions for each payment processing location selected in procedure #5 was provided. Review of the Entity's written policies and procedures or inquiry with employee(s) regarding job duties was performed in order to perform the procedures below.

- i. At least two employees are involved in initiating a purchase request, approving a purchase, and placing an order or making the purchase;

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- ii. At least two employees are involved in processing and approving payments to vendors;

No exception noted.

- iii. The employee responsible for processing payments is prohibited from adding/modifying vendor files, unless another employee is responsible for periodically reviewing changes to vendor files;

No exception noted.

- iv. Either the employee/official responsible for signing checks mails the payment or gives the signed checks to an employee to mail who is not responsible for processing payments; and

No exception noted.

- v. Only employees/officials authorized to sign checks approve the electronic disbursement (release) of funds, whether through automated clearinghouse (ACH), electronic funds transfer (EFT), wire transfer, or some other electronic means.

No exception noted.

- C. For each location selected under #5A above, obtain the entity's non-payroll disbursement transaction population (excluding cards and travel reimbursements) and obtain management's representation that the population is complete. Randomly select 5 disbursements for each location, obtain supporting documentation for each transaction and

A listing of non-payroll disbursements for each payment processing location selected in procedure #5A was provided related to the reporting period. From each of the listings provided, I haphazardly selected five disbursements and performed the procedures below.

- i. Observe whether the disbursement, whether by paper or electronic means, matched the related original itemized invoice, and that supporting documentation indicates that deliverables included on the invoice were received by the entity, and

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- ii. Observe whether the disbursement documentation included evidence (e.g., initial/date, electronic logging) of segregation of duties tested under procedure #5B above, as applicable. No exception noted.
- D. Using the entity's main operating account and the month selected in Bank Reconciliations procedure #3A, randomly select 5 non-payroll-related electronic disbursements (or all electronic disbursements if less than 5) and observe that each electronic disbursement was (a) approved by only those persons authorized to disburse funds (e.g., sign checks) per the entity's policy, and (b) approved by the required number of authorized signers per the entity's policy. Note: If no electronic payments were made from the main operating account during the month selected the practitioner should select an alternative month and/or account for testing that does include electronic disbursements.

A listing of non-payroll electronic disbursements for the Entity's main operating account selected in procedure #3A was provided. From the listing provided, we haphazardly selected five electronic disbursements and performed the specified procedures.

No exception noted.

**6) Credit Cards/Debit Cards/Fuel Cards/Purchase Cards (Cards)**

- A. Obtain from management a listing of all active credit cards, bank debit cards, fuel cards, and purchase cards (cards) for the fiscal period, including the card numbers and the names of the persons who maintained possession of the cards. Obtain management's representation that the listing is complete.

A listing of cards was provided. There was only one.

- B. Using the listing prepared by management, randomly select 5 cards (or all cards if less than 5) that were used during the fiscal period. Randomly select one monthly statement or combined statement for each card (for a debit card, randomly select one monthly bank statement). Obtain supporting documentation, and

From the listing provided, I haphazardly selected one card used during the fiscal period. I haphazardly selected one monthly statement for the card selected and performed the procedures noted below.

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- i. Observe whether there is evidence that the monthly statement or combined statement and supporting documentation (e.g., original receipts for credit/debit card purchases, exception reports for excessive fuel card usage) were reviewed and approved, in writing (or electronically approved) by someone other than the authorized card holder (those instances requiring such approval that may constrain the legal authority of certain public officials, such as the mayor of a Lawrason Act municipality, should not be reported; and

No exception noted.

- ii. Observe that finance charges and late fees were not assessed on the selected statements.

No exception noted.

- C. Using the monthly statements or combined statements selected under procedure #6B above, excluding fuel cards, randomly select 10 transactions (or all transactions if less than 10) from each statement, and obtain supporting documentation for the transactions (e.g., each card should have 10 transactions subject to inspection). For each transaction, observe that it is supported by (1) an original itemized receipt that identifies precisely what was purchased, (2) written documentation of the business/public purpose, and (3) documentation of the individuals participating in meals (for meal charges only). For missing receipts, the practitioner should describe the nature of the transaction and observe whether management had a compensating control to address missing receipts, such as a “missing receipt statement” that is subject to increased scrutiny.

No exception noted.

**7) Travel and Travel-Related Expense Reimbursements (excluding card transactions)**

- A. Obtain from management a listing of all travel and travel-related expense reimbursements during the fiscal period and management’s representation that the listing or general ledger is complete. Randomly select 5 reimbursements, and obtain the related expense reimbursement forms/prepaid expense documentation of each selected reimbursement, as well as the supporting documentation. For each of the 5 reimbursements selected:

The listing of travel and travel-related expense reimbursements was provided for the fiscal period. Exclusively field trips.

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- i. If reimbursed using a per diem, observe that the approved reimbursement rate is no more than those rates established either by the State of Louisiana or the U.S. General Services Administration ([www.gsa.gov](http://www.gsa.gov));

No exception noted.

- ii. If reimbursed using actual costs, observe that the reimbursement is supported by an original itemized receipt that identifies precisely what was purchased;

No exception noted.

- iii. Observe that each reimbursement is supported by documentation of the business/public purpose (for meal charges, observe that the documentation includes the names of those individuals participating) and other documentation required by “Written Policies and Procedures”, procedure #1A(vii); and

No exception noted.

- iv. Observe that each reimbursement was reviewed and approved, in writing, by someone other than the person receiving reimbursement.

No exception noted.

## 8) Contracts

- A. Obtain from management a listing of all agreements/contracts for professional services, materials and supplies, leases, and construction activities that were initiated or renewed during the fiscal period. Alternatively, the practitioner may use an equivalent selection source, such as an active vendor list. Obtain management’s representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 contracts (or all contracts if less than 5) from the listing, excluding the practitioner’s contract, and

An active vendor list for the fiscal period was provided. From the listing provided, we haphazardly selected five contracts and performed the procedures below.

- i. Observe whether the contract was bid in accordance with the Louisiana Public Bid Law (e.g., solicited quotes or bids, advertised), if required by law;

No exception noted.



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- ii. Observe whether the contract was approved by the governing body/board, if required by policy or law (e.g. Lawrason Act, Home Rule Charter);

No exception noted.

- iii. If the contract was amended (e.g., change order), observe that the original contract terms provided for such an amendment and that amendments were made in compliance with the contract terms (e.g., if approval is required for any amendment, the documented approval); and

This procedure was not performed, as the selected contracts was not amended during the fiscal period.

- iv. Randomly select one payment from the fiscal period for each of the 5 contracts, obtain the supporting invoice, agree the invoice to the contract terms, and observe that the invoice and related payment agreed to the terms and conditions of the contract.

No exception noted.

**9) Payroll and Personnel**

- A. Obtain a listing of employees/elected officials employed during the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 employees/officials, obtain related paid salaries and personnel files, and agree paid salaries to authorized salaries/pay rates in the personnel files.

Obtained and selected 5 employees.

- B. Randomly select one pay period during the fiscal period. For the 5 employees/officials selected under procedure #9A above, obtain attendance records and leave documentation for the pay period, and

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- i. Observe that all selected employees/officials documented their daily attendance and leave (e.g., vacation, sick, compensatory);

No Exceptions noted.

- ii. Observe whether supervisors approved the attendance and leave of the selected employees or officials;

No Exceptions noted.

- iii. Observe that any leave accrued or taken during the pay period is reflected in the entity's cumulative leave records; and

No Exceptions noted.

- iv. Observe the rate paid to the employees or officials agrees to the authorized salary/pay rate found within the personnel file.

No Exceptions noted.

- C. Obtain a listing of those employees or officials that received termination payments during the fiscal period and management's representation that the list is complete. Randomly select two employees or officials and obtain related documentation of the hours and pay rates used in management's termination payment calculations and the entity's policy on termination payments. Agree the hours to the employee's or official's cumulative leave records, agree the pay rates to the employee's or official's authorized pay rates in the employee's or official's personnel files, and agree the termination payment to entity policy.

There were no termination payments during the fiscal period.

- D. Obtain management's representation that employer and employee portions of third-party payroll related amounts (e.g., payroll taxes, retirement contributions, health insurance premiums, garnishments, workers' compensation premiums, etc.) have been paid, and any associated forms have been filed, by required deadlines.

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**10) Ethics**

A. Using the 5 randomly selected employees/officials from procedure “Payroll and Personnel” procedure #9A, above obtain ethics documentation from management, and

- i. Observe whether the documentation demonstrates that each employee/official completed one hour of ethics training during the calendar year as required by R.S. 42:1170; and
- ii. Observe whether the entity maintains documentation which demonstrates that each employee and official were notified of any changes to the entity’s ethics policy during the fiscal period, as applicable.

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

B. Inquire and/or observe whether the agency has appointed an ethics designee as required by R.S. 42:1170. This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

**11) Debt Service**

A. Obtain a listing of bonds/notes issued during the fiscal period and management’s representation that the listing is complete. Select all bonds/notes on the listing, obtain supporting documentation, and observe that State Bond Commission approval was obtained for each bond/note issued as required by Article VII, Section 8 of the Louisiana Constitution.

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

B. Obtain a listing of bonds/notes outstanding at the end of the fiscal period and management’s representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select one bond/note, inspect debt covenants, obtain supporting documentation for the reserve balance and payments, and agree actual reserve balances and payments to those required by debt covenants (including contingency funds, short-lived asset funds, or other funds required by the debt covenants).

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

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**12) Fraud Notice**

- A. Obtain a listing of misappropriations of public funds and assets during the fiscal period and management's representation that the listing is complete. Select all misappropriations on the listing, obtain supporting documentation, and observe that the entity reported the misappropriation(s) to the Legislative auditor and the district attorney of the parish in which the entity is domiciled as required by R.S. 24:523.

Management represented that there were no misappropriations of public funds and assets during the fiscal period.

- B. Observe that the entity has posted on its premises and website, the notice required by R.S. 24:523.1 concerning the reporting of misappropriation, fraud, waste, or abuse of public funds.

No exception noted.

**13) Information Technology Disaster Recovery/Business Continuity**

- A. Perform the following procedures, verbally discuss the results with management, and report "We performed the procedure and discussed the results with management."

- i. Obtain and inspect the entity's most recent documentation that it has backed up its critical data (if there is no written documentation, then inquire of personnel responsible for backing up critical data) and observe evidence that such backup (a) occurred within the past week, (b) was not stored on the government's local server or network, and (c) was encrypted.

I performed the procedure and discussed the results with management.

- ii. Obtain and inspect the entity's most recent documentation that it has tested/verified that its backups can be restored (if there is no written documentation, then inquire of personnel responsible for testing/verifying backup restoration) and observe evidence that the test/verification was successfully performed within the past 3 months.

I performed the procedure and discussed the results with management.

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- iii. Obtain a listing of the entity's computers currently in use and their related locations, and management's representation that the listing is complete. Randomly select 5 computers and observe while management demonstrates that the selected computers have current and active antivirus software and that the operating system and accounting system software in use are currently supported by the vendor.

I performed the procedure and discussed the results with management.

- C. Randomly select 5 terminated employees (or all terminated employees if less than 5) using the list of terminated employees obtained in procedure #9C. Observe evidenced that the selected terminated employees have been removed or disabled from the network.

There were no terminated employees during the fiscal year.

**14) Prevention of Sexual Harassment**

- A. Using the 5 randomly selected employees/officials from "Payroll and Personnel" procedure #9A, obtain sexual harassment training documentation from management, and observe that the documentation demonstrates each employee/official completed at least one hour of sexual harassment training during the calendar year as required by R.S. 42:343.

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

- B. Observe that the entity has posted its sexual harassment policy and complaint procedure on its website (or in a conspicuous location on the entity's premises if the entity does not have a website).

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

- C. Obtain the entity's annual sexual harassment report for the current fiscal period, observe that the report was dated on or before February 1, and observe that the report includes the applicable requirements of R.S. 42:344:

- i. Number and percentage of public servants in the agency who have completed the training requirements;
- ii. Number of sexual harassment complaints received by the agency;

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- iii. Number of complaints which resulted in a finding that sexual harassment occurred;
- iv. Number of complaints in which the finding of sexual harassment resulted in discipline or corrective action; and
- v. Amount of time it took to resolve each complaint.

This procedure was not performed, as it is deemed not applicable to non-profit organizations.

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There were no findings related to the agreed upon procedures performed.