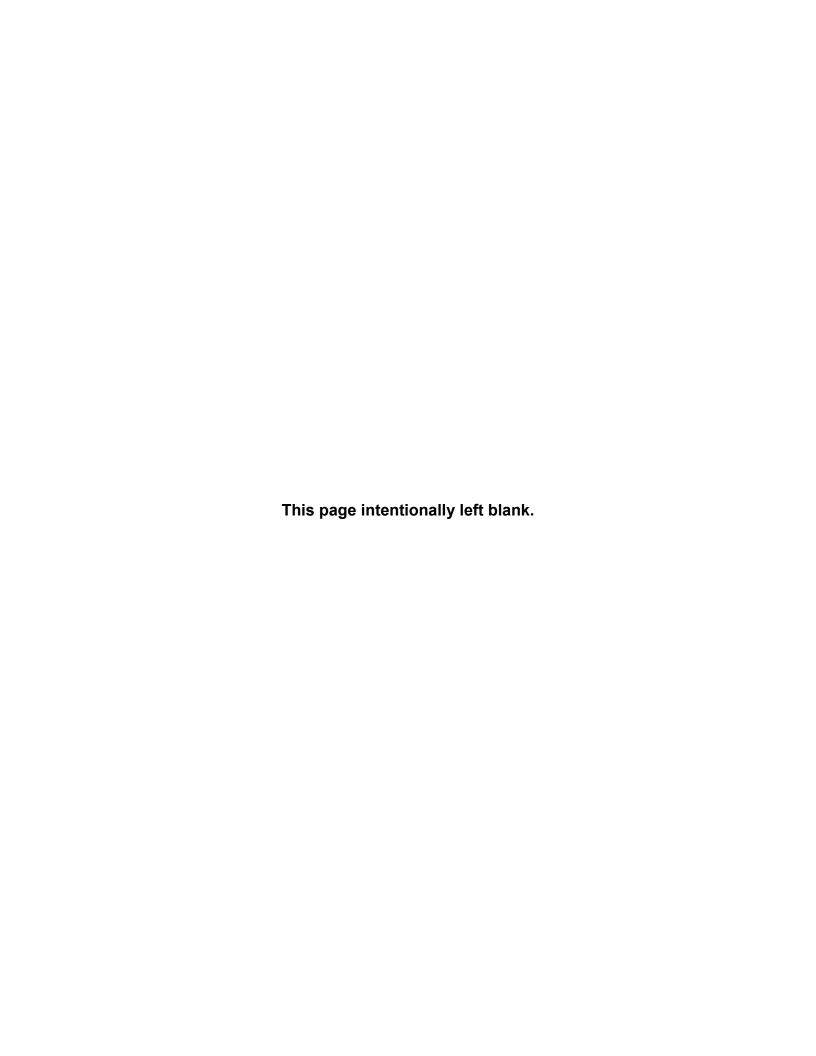




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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

Carroll District Board of Health Carroll County PO Box 98 301 Moody Avenue SW Carrollton, Ohio 44615

To the Board Members:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Carroll District Board of Health, Carroll County (the District) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2002 and 2001. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District'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 1, the District prepares its financial statements on the basis of accounting prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the combined fund cash balances and reserves for encumbrances of the District as of December 31, 2002 and 2001, and its combined cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 19, 2003 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. 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.

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Butty Montgomery

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management, the Board and other officials authorized to receive this report under \S 117.26, Ohio Revised Code, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Betty Montgomery

Auditor of State

March 19, 2003

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2002

	Governmental Fund Types		Totala	
	General	Special Revenue	Totals (Memorandum Only)	
Cash Receipts:				
Taxes	34,008	59,530	93,538	
Intergovernmental Receipts Fines, Licenses, and Permits	19,653	171,346 325,350	171,346 345.003	
Miscellaneous	9,200	9,185	18,385	
Total Cash Receipts	62,861	565,411	628,272	
Cash Disbursements:				
Current: Salaries	13,584	269,458	283,042	
Supplies	2,127	53,443	55,570	
Contract - Services	,	6,596	6,596	
Contract - Repair		25,379 2,817	25,379 2,817	
Equipment Rentals	9,737	2,617 9.633	2,617 19,370	
Fringe Benefits	4,467	93,263	97,730	
Travel/Expenses	5,173	623	5,796	
Compensation and Damages	420	000	0	
Advertising/Printing Remittance to State	139 2.063	868 10.349	1,007 12.412	
Other	4,509	51,774	56,283	
Total Cash Disbursements	41,799	524,203	566,002	
Total Receipts Over/(Under) Disbursements	21,062	41,208	62,270	
Other Financing Receipts and (Disbursements):				
Transfers-In		32,302	32,302	
Advances-In	6,234		6,234	
Transfers-Out Advances-Out	(23,843)	(8,459) (6,234)	(32,302) (6,234)	
Total Other Financing Receipts/(Disbursements)	(17,609)	17,609	0	
Excess of Cash Receipts and Other Financing				
Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements and Other Financing Disbursements	3,453	58,817	62,270	
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	16,571	100,733	117,304	
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$20.024	\$159.550	\$179.574	
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$8,100	\$90,145	\$98,245	

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2001

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Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31 \$4,499 \$28,408 \$32,907	Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$16.571	\$100.733	\$117.304
	Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$4,499	\$28,408	\$32,907

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Description of the Entity

The Carroll District Board of Health, Carroll County, (the District) is a body corporate and politic established to exercise the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of the State of Ohio. The District operates under a five member body and a Health Commissioner.

The District is responsible for environmental services related to individual water systems, food service operations, trailer parks, and recreation areas for public use and nursing services. The District also has school health programs and communicable disease control programs.

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

B. Basis of Accounting

These financial statements follow the basis of accounting prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State, which is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements basis of accounting. Receipts are recognized when received in cash rather than when earned, and disbursements are recognized when paid rather than when a liability is incurred. Budgetary presentations report budgetary expenditures when a commitment is made (i.e., when an encumbrance is approved).

These statements include adequate disclosure of material matters, as prescribed or permitted by the Auditor of State.

C. Cash

As required by Ohio Revised Code, the District's cash is held and invested by the Carroll County Treasurer, who acts as custodian for District monies. The District's assets are held in the County's cash and investment pool and are valued at the County Treasurer's reported carrying amount.

D. Fund Accounting

The District uses fund accounting to segregate cash and investments that are restricted as to use. The District classifies its funds into the following types:

1. General Fund

The General Fund is the general operating fund. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

2. Special Revenue Funds

These funds are used to account for proceeds from specific sources (other than from trusts or for capital projects) that are restricted to expenditure for specific purposes. The District had the following significant Special Revenue Funds:

Nursing Fund – This fund receives subdivision tax money and fees to operate the nursing program within Carroll County.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

Child Family Health Services Fund – This fund receives grant money and fees to operate the program within Carroll County.

E. Budgetary Process

The Ohio Revised Code requires that each fund be budgeted annually.

1. Appropriations

Budgetary expenditures (that is, disbursements and encumbrances) may not exceed appropriations at the fund level of control, and appropriations may not exceed estimated resources. The Board must annually approve appropriation measures and subsequent amendments. The County Budget Commission must also approve the annual appropriation measure. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year end.

2. Estimated Resources

Estimated resources include estimates of cash to be received (budgeted receipts) plus unencumbered cash as of January 1.

3. Encumbrances

The Ohio Revised Code requires the District to reserve (encumber) appropriations when individual commitments are made. Encumbrances outstanding at year end are carried over, and need not be reappropriated.

A summary of 2002 and 2001 budgetary activity appears in Note 2.

F. Property, Plant and Equipment

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

G. Accumulated Leave

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

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

2. BUDGETARY ACTIVITY

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2002 and 2001 follows:

2002 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts

	Budgeted	Actual	_
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$69,095	\$62,861	(\$6,234)
Special Revenue	596,542	597,713	1,171
Total	\$665,637	\$660,574	(\$5,063)

2002 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	_
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$75,342	\$73,742	\$1,600
Special Revenue	635,016	622,807	12,209
Total	\$710,358	\$696,549	\$13,809

2001 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts

	Budgeted	Actual	
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$29,166	\$29,166	\$0
Special Revenue	574,059	590,395	16,336
Total	\$603,225	\$619,561	\$16,336

2001 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$45,908	\$33,738	\$12,170
Special Revenue	608,999	582,162	26,837
Total	\$654,907	\$615,900	\$39,007

3. INTERGOVERNMENTAL FUNDING

The County apportions the excess of the District's appropriations over other estimated receipts among the townships and municipalities composing the District, based on their taxable property valuations. The County withholds the apportioned excess from property tax settlements and distributes it to the District. These amounts are included in intergovernmental receipts in the financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2002 AND 2001 (Continued)

4. RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

The District's full time employees belong to the Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) of Ohio. PERS is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer plan. This plan provides retirement benefits, including postretirement healthcare, and survivor and disability benefits to participants as prescribed by the Ohio Revised Code.

Contribution rates are also prescribed by the Ohio Revised Code. For 2002 and 2001, members of PERS contributed 8.5% of their gross salaries. The District contributed an amount equal to 13.55% of participants' gross salaries for 2002 and 2001. The District has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2002.

5. RISK MANAGEMENT

The District has obtained commercial insurance for the following risks:

- Comprehensive property and general liability;
- Vehicles; and
- Errors and omissions.

The District also provides health insurance for full-time employees through a private carrier.



REPORT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Caroll District Board of Health Carroll County PO Box 98 301 Mood Avenue SW Carrollton, Ohio 44615

To the Board Members:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the District Board of Health, Carroll County (the District) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2002 and 2001, and have issued our report thereon dated March 19, 2003. 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.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, 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 no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*. However, we noted a certain immaterial instance of noncompliance that we have reported to management of the District in a separate letter dated March 19, 2003.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

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Betty Montgomery Auditor of State

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March 19, 2003

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FISCAL YEAR END

Finding Number	Finding Summary	Fully Corrected?	Not Corrected, Partially Corrected; Significantly Different Corrective Action Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; Explain:
Number	Guillillary	Corrected:	Explain.
2000-61210-001	ORC 5705.41(D),	No	Currently management letter comment
	failure to certify funds		



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CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

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

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED JULY 1, 2003