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Kaubisch Memorial Public Library Seneca County 205 Perry Street Fostoria, Ohio 44830-2265

To the Board of Trustees:

As you are aware, the Auditor of State's Office (AOS) must modify the *Independent Accountants' Report* we provide on your financial statements due to a February 2, 2005, interpretation from the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA). While AOS does not legally require your government to prepare financial statements pursuant to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), the AICPA interpretation requires auditors to formally acknowledge that you did not prepare your financial statements in accordance with GAAP. Our Report includes an opinion relating to GAAP presentation and measurement requirements, but does not imply the amounts the statements present are misstated under the non-GAAP basis you follow. The AOS report also includes an opinion on the financial statements you prepared using the cash basis and financial statement format the AOS permits.

Betty Montgomery Auditor of State

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June 8, 2006

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Kaubisch Memorial Public Library Seneca County 205 Perry Street Fostoria, Ohio 44830-2265

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Kaubisch Memorial Public Library, Seneca County, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Library'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 the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure 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 our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described more fully in Note 1, the Library has prepared these financial statements using accounting practices the Auditor of State prescribes or permits. These practices differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Although we cannot reasonably determine the effects on the financial statements of the variances between these regulatory accounting practices and GAAP, we presume they are material.

Revisions to GAAP would require the Library to reformat its financial statement presentation and make other changes effective for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004. Instead of the combined funds the accompanying financial statements present for 2005 and 2004, the revisions require presenting entity wide statements and also to present its larger (i.e. major) funds separately for 2005 and 2004. While the Library does not follow GAAP, generally accepted auditing standards requires us to include the following paragraph if the statements do not substantially conform to the new GAAP presentation requirements. The Auditor of State permits, but does not require library's to reformat their statements. The Library has elected not to reformat its statements. Since this Library does not use GAAP to measure financial statement amounts, the following paragraph does not imply the amounts reported are materially misstated under the accounting basis the Auditor of State permits. Our opinion on the fair presentation of the amounts reported pursuant to its non-GAAP basis is in the second following paragraph.

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In our opinion, because of the effects of the matter discussed in the preceding two paragraphs, the financial statements referred to above for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the Library as of December 31, 2005 and 2004, or its changes in financial position for the years then ended.

Also, 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 Kaubisch Memorial Public Library, Seneca County, as of December 31, 2005 and 2004, and its combined cash receipts and disbursements for the years then ended on the accounting basis Note 1 describes.

The aforementioned revision to generally accepted accounting principles also requires the Library to include Management's Discussion and Analysis for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004. The Library has not presented Management's Discussion and Analysis, which accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the financial statements.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 8, 2006, on our consideration of the Library's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. While we did not opine on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance, that report describes the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance, and the results of that testing. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. You should read it in conjunction with this report in assessing the results of our audit.

Betty Montgomery Auditor of State

Betty Montgomeny

June 8, 2006

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL AND SIMILAR FIDUCIARY FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

<u>-</u>	Governmental	Fund Types	Fiduciary Fund Type	
<u>-</u>	General	Capital Projects	Expendable Trust	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:				
Property and Other Local Taxes	\$703,618			\$703,618
Other Government Grants-In-Aid	30,000			30,000
Patron Fines and Fees	11,228			11,228
Earnings on Investments	13,686		\$3,241	16,927
Contributions, Gifts and Donations	8,141			8,141
Miscellaneous Receipts	20,193			20,193
Total Cash Receipts	786,866		3,241	790,107
Cash Disbursements: Current:				
Salaries and Benefits	549,011			549,011
Supplies	24,067			24,067
Purchased and Contracted Services	79,138			79,138
Library Materials and Information	172,579			172,579
Other Objects	3,402			3,402
Capital Outlay	30,750			30,750
Total Cash Disbursements	858,947			858,947
Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursement	(72,081)		3,241	(68,840)
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	624,303	\$7,073	145,042	776,418
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$552,222	\$7,073	\$148,283	\$707,578
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$34,301			\$34,301

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES FIDUCIARY FUND TYPE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

	Fiduciary Fund Type
	Nonexpendable Trust
Operating Cash Receipts: Earnings on Investments	\$44,639
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	967,145
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$1,011,784

COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL AND SIMILAR FIDUCIARY FUND TYPES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

	Governmental Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Type	
-	General	Capital Projects	Expendable Trust	Totals (Memorandum Only)
Cash Receipts:				
Property and Other Local Taxes	\$699,793			\$699,793
Other Government Grants-In-Aid	30,000			30,000
Patron Fines and Fees	10,839			10,839
Earnings on Investments	9,752		\$1,005	10,757
Contributions, Gifts and Donations	8,311			8,311
Miscellaneous Receipts	21,216			21,216
Total Cash Receipts	779,911		1,005	780,916
Cash Disbursements:				
Current:	500.047			500.047
Salaries and Benefits	522,617 20,095			522,617 20,095
Supplies Purchased and Contracted Services	73,873			73,873
Library Materials and Information	184,682			184,682
Other Objects	7,430			7,430
Capital Outlay	11,950			11,950
Total Cash Disbursements	820,647			820,647
Total Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements	(40,736)		1,005	(39,731)
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	665,039	\$7,073	144,037	816,149
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$624,303	\$7,073	\$145,042	\$776,418
Reserves for Encumbrances, December 31	\$21,038			\$21,038

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN FUND CASH BALANCES FIDUCIARY FUND TYPE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2004

	Fiduciary Fund Type
	Nonexpendable Trust
Operating Cash Receipts: Earnings on Investments	\$42,513
Fund Cash Balances, January 1	924,632
Fund Cash Balances, December 31	\$967,145

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2005 AND 2004

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Description of the Entity

The constitution and laws of the State of Ohio establish the rights and privileges of the Kaubisch Memorial Public Library, Seneca County, (the Library) as a body corporate and politic. The Library is directed by a six-member Board of Trustees appointed by the City of Fostoria. The Library provides the community with various educational and literary resources.

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

B. Basis of Accounting

These financial statements follow the basis of accounting the Auditor of State prescribes or permits. This accounting basis is similar to the cash receipts and disbursements basis. The Library recognizes receipts when received in cash rather than when earned, and recognizes disbursements 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 the Auditor of State prescribes or permits.

C. Cash and Investments

The Library's accounting basis includes investments as assets. Accordingly, the Library does not record investment purchases as disbursements or investment sales as receipts. The Library records gains or losses at the time of sale as receipts or disbursements, respectively.

The Library values certificates of deposit at cost. Money market mutual funds are recorded at share values reported by the mutual fund reports.

D. Fund Accounting

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

1. General Fund

The General Fund accounts for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

2. Capital Project Fund

This fund accounts for receipts restricted to acquiring or constructing major capital projects (except those financed through enterprise or trust funds). The Library had the following significant capital project fund:

Building and Repair Fund – This fund was established to pay for repairs and maintenance to the library.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2005 AND 2004 (Continued)

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES – (Continued)

3. Fiduciary Funds (Trust Funds)

Trust funds account for resources restricted by legally binding trust agreements. If the agreement requires the Library to maintain the corpus of the trust, the Library classifies the activity as a nonexpendable trust fund. The Library classifies other trust funds as expendable. The Library classifies funds for which it acts in an agency capacity as agency funds. The Library had the following significant fiduciary funds:

Evelyn Cranch Fund – This fund is a nonexpendable trust for which the earnings are to be used for the purchase of land, buildings, furnishing, supplies and equipment.

Emily Smith Fund – This Fund is an expendable trust fund which may be used for any Library purpose.

E. Budgetary Process

The Board must annually approve appropriation measures and subsequent amendments. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at year end. Budgetary expenditures (that is, disbursements and encumbrances) may not exceed appropriations at the fund, function, and object level of control.

A summary of 2005 and 2004 budgetary activity appears in Note 3.

F. Property, Plant, and Equipment

The Library records disbursements for acquisitions of property, plant, and equipment when paid. The accompanying financial statements do not report these items as assets.

G. Accumulated Leave

In certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment, employees are entitled to cash payments for unused leave. The financial statements do not include a liability for unpaid leave.

2. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The Library maintains a cash and investments pool for all funds use. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes allowable deposits and investments. The carrying amount of cash and investments at December 31 follows:

	2005	2004
Demand deposits	\$48,185	\$76,552
Certificates of deposit	659,393	699,866
Total deposits	707,578	776,418
Money Market Mutual Funds Investment	1,011,784	967,145
Total deposits and investments	\$1,719,362	\$1,743,563

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2005 AND 2004 (Continued)

2. EQUITY IN POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS – (Continued)

Deposits: Deposits are insured by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation or collateralized by securities specifically pledged by the financial institution to the Library or collateralized by the financial institution's public entity deposit pool.

Investments: Investments in mutual funds are not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book-entry form.

3. BUDGETARY ACTIVITY

Budgetary activity for the years ending December 31, 2005 and 2004 follows:

2005 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts

	Budgeted	Actual	
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$795,913	\$786,866	(\$9,047)
Fiduciary	45,250	47,880	2,630
Total	\$841,163	\$834,746	(\$6,417)

2005 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	_
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$1,420,216	\$893,248	\$526,968
Capital Projects	7,073		7,073
Fiduciary	367,607		367,607
Total	\$1,794,896	\$893,248	\$901,648

2004 Budgeted vs. Actual Receipts

	Budgeted	Actual	
Fund Type	Receipts	Receipts	Variance
General	\$769,820	\$779,911	\$10,091
Fiduciary	43,800	43,518	(282)
Total	\$813,620	\$823,429	\$9,809

2004 Budgeted vs. Actual Budgetary Basis Expenditures

	Appropriation	Budgetary	
Fund Type	Authority	Expenditures	Variance
General	\$1,434,859	\$841,685	\$593,174
Capital Projects	7,073		7,073
Fiduciary	322,637		322,637
Total	\$1,764,569	\$841,685	\$922,884

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2005 AND 2004 (Continued)

4. GRANTS-IN-AID AND TAX RECEIPTS

The primary source of revenue for Ohio public libraries is the State Library and Local Government Support Fund (LLGSF). The State allocates LLGSF to each county based on the county's prior intangibles tax of LLGSF revenues, and its population. The County Budget Commission allocates these funds to the Library based on its needs such as for the construction of new library buildings, improvements, operation, maintenance, or other expenses. The Budget Commission cannot reduce its allocation of these funds to the Library based on any additional revenues the Library receives.

5. RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS) is a state operated, cost-sharing, multiple employer public employee retirement system. The Ohio Revised Code prescribes retirement benefits for vested employees who are eligible to retire based upon years of service. OPERS also provides survivor and disability benefits to vested employees as the Ohio Revised Code prescribes.

The Ohio Revised Code also prescribes contribution rates. The Library's OPERS members contributed 8.5 percent of their gross salaries. The Library contributed an amount equal to 13.55 percent of participants' gross salaries. The Library has paid all contributions required through December 31, 2005.

6. RISK MANAGEMENT

Commercial Insurance

The Kaubisch Memorial Public Library has obtained commercial insurance for the following risks:

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



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

Kaubisch Memorial Public Library Seneca County 205 Perry Street Fostoria, Ohio 44830-2265

To the Board of Trustees:

We have audited the financial statements of the Kaubisch Memorial Public Library, Seneca County, (the Library) as of and for the years ended December 31, 2005 and 2004, and have issued our report thereon dated June 8, 2006, wherein we noted the Library follows the accounting practices the Auditor of State prescribes rather 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 the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Library's internal control over financial reporting to determine our auditing procedures to express our opinion on the financial statements and not to opine on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a reportable 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 caused by error or fraud in amounts material to the financial statements we audited may occur and not be timely detected by employees when performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider material weaknesses. In a separate letter to the Library's management dated June 8, 2006, we reported a matter involving internal control over financial reporting we did not deem a reportable condition.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of reasonably assuring whether the Library's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect 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 an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under *Government Auditing Standards*.

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We intend this report solely for the information and use of the audit committee, management and Board of Trustees. It is not intended for anyone other than these specified parties.

Betty Montgomery Auditor of State

Butty Montgomery

June 8, 2006



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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 JUNE 27, 2006