

TREASURER

FULTON COUNTY

AUDIT REPORT OF LICENSE SALES

 ${\tt HUNTING - JANUARY 1, 2004\ TO\ JUNE\ 30, 2005}$

FISHING AND DOG - JANUARY 1, 2004 TO DECEMBER 31, 2005

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Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable Monica K. Seville Treasurer Fulton County McConnellsburg, PA 17233

We have audited the accompanying statements of receipts and disbursements – cash basis of the Treasurer, Fulton County, Pennsylvania (County Officer), for the license period identified on the contents page, pursuant to the requirements of Section 401(d) of *The Fiscal Code*. These financial statements are the responsibility of the county office's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and *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 described more fully in Note 1, the accompanying financial statements were prepared using accounting practices prescribed by the licensing agencies, which practices differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effects on the financial statements of the variances between these regulatory accounting practices and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material. The financial statements present only the Commonwealth portion of cash receipts and disbursements and are not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the County Officer, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Independent Auditor's Report (Continued)

In our opinion, because of the effects of the matter discussed in the preceding paragraph, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the County Officer, as of the end of the license period identified on the contents page, the changes in its financial position, or where applicable, its cash flows for the period then ended.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the operations of the County Officer as it pertains to receipts made on behalf of the licensing agencies, for the license period identified on the contents page, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 28, 2006, on our consideration of the County Officer's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws and regulations. 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.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, and the County Officer and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

June 28, 2006

JACK WAGNER Auditor General

HUNTING LICENSE SALES

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – CASH BASIS LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2004

<u>License Type</u>	Licenses Sold	License Value	ount Due Game nmission
Resident			
Adult	2	\$ 19.00	\$ 38.00
Junior	1	5.00	5.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Nonresident			
Adult	1	100.00	100.00
Furtaker		10.00	20.00
Adult		19.00	38.00
Totals (Note 2)	/		186.00
Disbursements to Game Commission (Note 3)			(184.00)
Credits taken for licenses issued for Disabled Veterans and Senior Lifetime Hunt renewals			(2.00)
Balance due Game Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Audit adjustments			
Adjusted balance due Game Commission (County)			
for the license period January 1, 2004 to June 30, 2004			\$

HUNTING LICENSE SALES

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – CASH BASIS LICENSE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005

<u>License Type</u>	Licenses Sold	License Value		mount Due Game ommission
Resident				
Adult	439	\$ 19.00	\$	8,341.00
Junior	28	5.00		140.00
Junior combination	27	8.00		216.00
Senior	91	12.00		1,092.00
Replacements	5	5.00		25.00
Military	7	1.00		7.00
Nonresident				
Adult	34	100.00		3,400.00
Replacements	1	5.00		5.00
Archery				
Resident	99	15.00		1,485.00
Nonresident	5	25.00		125.00
Muzzleloaders				
Resident	138	10.00		1,380.00
Nonresident	5	20.00		100.00
Antlerless deer				
Resident	10,713	5.00		53,565.00
Resident landowners	14	5.00		70.00
Nonresident	429	25.00		10,725.00
Armed forces	18	5.00		90.00
Disabled veterans	7	5.00		35.00
Replacements	13	5.00		65.00
Furtaker				
Adult	16	19.00		304.00
Senior	4	12.00		48.00
Adult nonresident	1	80.00		80.00
Migratory				
Resident	28	2.00		56.00
Nonresident	1	5.00		5.00
Bear				
Resident	65	15.00		975.00
Totals (Note 2)	12,188			82,334.00
Disbursements to Game Commission (Note 3)				(82,209.00)
Credits taken for licenses issued for Disabled Veterans and				
Senior Lifetime Hunt renewals			_	(125.00)
Balance due Game Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)				-
Audit adjustments				-
Adjusted balance due Game Commission (County)				
for the license period ending June 30, 2005			\$	
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FISHING LICENSE SALES

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – CASH BASIS LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2004

License Type	Licenses Sold	cense Value	Fis	nount Due h and Boat mmission
Resident	184	\$ 16.25	\$	2,990.00
Replacements	4	4.25		17.00
Senior resident	2	3.25		6.50
Nonresident	9	34.25		308.25
Tourist Three day	9	14.25		128.25
Seven day	2	29.25		58.50
Lifetime	37	15.25		564.25
Replacements	2	4.25		8.50
Trout/Salmon Stamp	217	5.00		1,085.00
Totals (Note 2)	466			5,166.25
Disbursements to Fish and Boat Commission (Note 3)			,	(5,166.25)
Balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)				-
Audit adjustments				
Adjusted balance due Fish and Boat Commission (Coufor the license period ending December 31, 2004	inty)		\$	

FISHING LICENSE SALES

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – CASH BASIS LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2005

License Type	Licenses Sold	icense Value	Fis	nount Due h and Boat emmission
Resident	228	\$ 21.00	\$	4,788.00
Replacements	3	4.25		12.75
Senior resident	6	10.00		60.00
Nonresident	10	51.00		510.00
Tourist Three day Seven day	2	25.00 33.00		50.00 33.00
Lifetime	21	50.00		1,050.00
Replacements	2	4.25		8.50
Lake erie stamp	1	8.00		8.00
Lake Erie and Trout/Salmon Stamp	9	14.00		126.00
Trout/Salmon Stamp	218	8.00		1,744.00
Totals (Note 2)	501			8,390.25
Disbursements to Fish and Boat Commission (Note 3)				(8,390.25)
Balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)				-
Audit adjustments				
Adjusted balance due Fish and Boat Commission (Coun license period ending December 31, 2005	ity)		\$	

DOG LICENSE SALES

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – CASH BASIS LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2005

<u>License Type</u>	Licenses Sold	Amount Due Department of Agriculture
Individual	2,052	\$ 12,398.00
Senior citizen	632	2,530.00
Lifetime	30	960.00
Totals (Note 2)	2,714	15,888.00
Disbursements to Department of Agriculture (Note 3)		(15,888.00)
Balance due Department of Agriculture (County) per settled reports (Note 4)		-
Audit adjustments		
Adjusted balance due Department of Agriculture (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2004		\$ -

DOG LICENSE SALES

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – CASH BASIS LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2005

<u>License Type</u>	Licenses Sold	Amount Due Department of Agriculture
Individual	2,161	\$ 13,035.00
Senior citizen	675	2,719.00
Lifetime	40	1,440.00
Totals (Note 2)	2,876	17,194.00
Disbursements to Department of Agriculture (Note 3)		(17,194.00)
Balance due Department of Agriculture (County) per settled reports (Note 4)		-
Audit adjustments		
Adjusted balance due Department of Agriculture (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2005		\$ -

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE HUNTING LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2005 AND FOR THE FISHING AND DOG LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2004 TO DECEMBER 31, 2005

1. Summary Of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis Of Presentation

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with the requirements of the licensing agencies. These financial statements are not intended to present either financial results of operations or financial position in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

The following schedule identifies the licensing agencies and the respective reporting period:

<u>License Type</u>	Licensing Agency	License Period
Hunting	Game Commission	July 1 to June 30
Fishing	Fish and Boat Commission	January 1 to December 31
Dog	Department of Agriculture	January 1 to December 31

With all of the license types listed above, there are licenses that are sold the month prior to the official license period beginning date. For our reporting purposes, these sales are included in the official first month of the license period.

Basis Of Accounting

The financial statements were prepared on the cash basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues were recognized when received and expenditures were recognized when paid.

Audit Requirement

The financial presentation has been prepared in accordance with Title 72 P.S. Section 401 (d) of *The Fiscal Code*, which requires the Department of the Auditor General to audit the accounts of all agents charged with assessing, appraising, or collecting license fees and to determine whether all monies collected have been remitted to the licensing agencies. A statement of assets and liabilities was not a required part of the financial presentation because of the limited reporting scope by the Treasurer. Therefore, a statement of assets and liabilities was not audited and is not a part of this report.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE HUNTING LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2005 AND FOR THE FISHING AND DOG LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2004 TO DECEMBER 31, 2005

2. Receipts

Receipts consist of monies collected on behalf of the licensing agency.

3. Disbursements

License proceeds are remitted to the various licensing agencies with monthly reports of sales.

4. <u>Balance Due Licensing Agency (County) Per Settled Reports</u>

This balance reflects the summary of monthly sales reports as settled by the appropriate licensing agency.

5. County Officer Serving During Audit Period

Monica K. Seville served as Treasurer during the hunting license period January 1, 2004 to June 30, 2005 and during the fishing and dog license period January 1, 2004 to December 31, 2005.

Report On Compliance And On Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

The Honorable Monica K. Seville Treasurer Fulton County McConnellsburg, PA 17233

We have audited the statements of receipts and disbursements – cash basis of the Treasurer, Fulton County, Pennsylvania (County Officer), for the license period identified in the contents page, and have issued our report thereon dated June 28, 2006. 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 County Officer's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws and regulations, 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*.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the County Officer'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

Report On Compliance And On Internal Control Over Financial Reporting (Continued)

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.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Pennsylvania Game Commission, Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, and the County Officer and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

June 28, 2006

JACK WAGNER Auditor General

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