

TREASURER

BUCKS COUNTY

EXAMINATION REPORT OF LICENSE SALES

HUNTING - JULY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2007

FISHING AND DOG - JANUARY 1, 2005 TO DECEMBER 31, 2007

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Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable William R. Snyder
Treasurer
Bucks County
Doylestown, PA 18901

We have examined the accompanying statements of receipts and disbursements (Statements) of the Treasurer, Bucks 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*, 72 P.S. § 401(d). These Statements are the responsibility of the county office's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these Statements based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted 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. An examination includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the Statements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

We are mandated by Section 401(d) of *The Fiscal Code* to audit the accounts of each county officer to determine whether all moneys collected on behalf of the Commonwealth have been correctly assessed, reported and promptly remitted. *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States include attestation engagements as a separate type of audit. An attestation engagement performed pursuant to *Government Auditing Standards* involves additional standards that exceed the standards provided by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Accordingly, this attestation engagement complies with both *Government Auditing Standards* and Section 401(d) of *The Fiscal Code*.

Independent Auditor's Report (Continued)

In our opinion, the Statements referred to above present, in all material respects, the operations of the County Officer as it pertains to receipts made on behalf of the of the licensing agencies, for the license period identified on the contents page, in conformity with the criteria set forth in Note 1.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we are required to report findings of significant deficiencies in internal control, violations of provisions of contracts or grant agreements, and abuse that are material to the Statements and any fraud and illegal acts that are more than inconsequential that come to our attention during our examination. We are also required to obtain the views of management on those matters. We performed our examination to express an opinion on whether the Statements are presented in accordance with the criteria described above and not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the internal control over reporting on the Statements or on compliance and other matters; accordingly, we express no such opinions.

A control deficiency 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 misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the County Officer's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report data reliably in accordance with the applicable criteria such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the County Officer's Statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the County Officer's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency or combination of significant deficiencies that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the Statements will not be prevented or detected by the County Officer's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over reporting on the Statements was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any significant deficiencies or material weaknesses, as defined above, in internal control over reporting on the Statements.

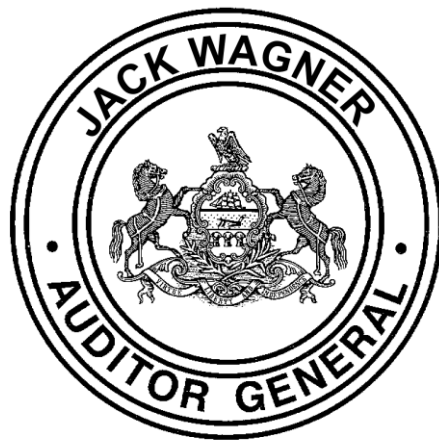
Independent Auditor's Report (Continued)

The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

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.

July 24, 2008

JACK WAGNER
Auditor General



TREASURER
BUCKS COUNTY
HUNTING LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>License Value</u>	<u>Amount Due Game Commission</u>
Resident			
Adult	245	\$ 19.00	\$ 4,655.00
Junior	18	5.00	90.00
Junior combination	6	8.00	48.00
Senior	46	12.00	552.00
Replacements	10	5.00	50.00
Military	16	1.00	16.00
Non-resident			
Adult	16	100.00	1,600.00
Junior	2	40.00	80.00
Seven day	2	30.00	60.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Archery			
Resident	135	15.00	2,025.00
Non-resident	4	25.00	100.00
Muzzleloaders			
Resident	39	10.00	390.00
Non-resident	2	20.00	40.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Antlerless deer			
Resident	17,611	5.00	88,055.00
Non-resident	216	25.00	5,400.00
Armed forces	53	5.00	265.00
Disabled veterans	13	5.00	65.00
Replacements	14	5.00	70.00
Furtaker			
Adult resident	25	19.00	475.00
Senior resident	2	12.00	24.00
Junior non-resident	1	40.00	40.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Migratory			
Resident	56	2.00	112.00
Non-resident	2	5.00	10.00
Bear			
Resident	36	15.00	540.00
Non-resident	2	35.00	70.00
Totals (Note 2)	<u>18,575</u>		104,847.00
Disbursements to Game Commission (Note 3)			(104,750.00)
Credits taken for licenses issued for Disabled Veterans and Senior Lifetime Hunt renewals			<u>(97.00)</u>
Balance due Game Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Examination adjustments			<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Game Commission (County) for the license period ending June 30, 2005			<u>\$ -</u>

Notes to the Statements of Receipts and Disbursements are an integral part of this report.

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HUNTING LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2006

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>License Value</u>	<u>Amount Due Game Commission</u>
Resident			
Adult	212	\$ 19.00	\$ 4,028.00
Junior	8	5.00	40.00
Junior combination	10	8.00	80.00
Senior	40	12.00	480.00
Replacements	10	5.00	50.00
Military	20	1.00	20.00
Non-resident			
Adult	25	100.00	2,500.00
Junior	3	40.00	120.00
Seven day	1	30.00	30.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Archery			
Resident	117	15.00	1,755.00
Non-resident	7	25.00	175.00
Replacements	3	5.00	15.00
Muzzleloaders			
Resident	48	10.00	480.00
Non-resident	2	20.00	40.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Antlerless deer			
Resident	17,295	5.00	86,475.00
Non-resident	227	25.00	5,675.00
Armed forces	47	5.00	235.00
Disabled veterans	10	5.00	50.00
Replacements	30	5.00	150.00
Furtaker			
Adult resident	14	19.00	266.00
Senior resident	2	12.00	24.00
Migratory			
Resident	52	2.00	104.00
Bear			
Resident	47	15.00	705.00
Non-resident	4	35.00	140.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Totals (Note 2)	<u>18,237</u>		<u>103,652.00</u>
Disbursements to Game Commission (Note 3)			(103,557.00)
Credits taken for licenses issued for Disabled Veterans and Senior Lifetime Hunt renewals			<u>(95.00)</u>
Balance due Game Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Examination adjustments			<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Game Commission (County) for the license period ending June 30, 2006			<u>\$ -</u>

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HUNTING LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>License Value</u>	<u>Amount Due Game Commission</u>
Resident			
Adult	180	\$ 19.00	\$ 3,420.00
Junior	5	5.00	25.00
Junior combination	3	8.00	24.00
Senior	36	12.00	432.00
Replacements	8	5.00	40.00
Military	32	1.00	32.00
Non-resident			
Adult	24	100.00	2,400.00
Junior	1	40.00	40.00
Seven day	3	30.00	90.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Archery			
Resident	107	15.00	1,605.00
Non-resident	4	25.00	100.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Muzzleloaders			
Resident	41	10.00	410.00
Non-resident	4	20.00	80.00
Antlerless deer			
Resident	19,010	5.00	95,050.00
Non-resident	170	25.00	4,250.00
Armed forces	46	5.00	230.00
Disabled veterans	16	5.00	80.00
Replacements	11	5.00	55.00
Furtaker			
Adult resident	17	19.00	323.00
Junior resident	1	5.00	5.00
Senior resident	1	12.00	12.00
Adult non-resident	1	80.00	80.00
Replacements	1	5.00	5.00
Migratory			
Resident	49	2.00	98.00
Bear			
Resident	37	15.00	555.00
Non-resident	7	35.00	245.00
Totals (Note 2)	<u>19,817</u>		<u>109,696.00</u>
Disbursements to Game Commission (Note 3)			(109,608.00)
Credits taken for licenses issued for Disabled Veterans and Senior Lifetime Hunt renewals			<u>(88.00)</u>
Balance due Game Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Examination adjustments			<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Game Commission (County) for the license period ending June 30, 2007			<u>\$ -</u>

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FISHING LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2005

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>License Value</u>	<u>Amount Due Fish and Boat Commission</u>
Resident	118	\$ 21.00	\$ 2,478.00
Senior resident	6	10.00	60.00
Non-resident	1	51.00	51.00
Tourist			
Three day	5	25.00	125.00
Senior lifetime	213	50.00	10,650.00
Replacements	34	4.25	144.50
Lake Erie And Trout/Salmon Combo Stamp	3	14.00	42.00
Trout/Salmon Stamp	<u>299</u>	8.00	<u>2,392.00</u>
Totals (Note 2)	<u><u>679</u></u>		15,942.50
Disbursements to Fish and Boat Commission (Note 3)			<u>(15,942.50)</u>
Balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Examination adjustments			<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2005			<u><u>\$ -</u></u>

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FISHING LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2006

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>License Value</u>	<u>Amount Due Fish and Boat Commission</u>
Resident	77	\$ 21.00	\$ 1,617.00
Replacements	3	4.25	12.75
Senior resident	6	10.00	60.00
National Guard/Armed Forces	6	1.00	6.00
Non-resident	2	51.00	102.00
Tourist			
One day	1	25.00	25.00
Senior lifetime	252	50.00	12,600.00
Replacements	20	4.25	85.00
Lake Erie Stamp	2	8.00	16.00
Lake Erie And Trout/Salmon Combo Stamp	10	14.00	140.00
Trout/Salmon Stamp	<u>303</u>	8.00	<u>2,424.00</u>
Totals (Note 2)	<u><u>682</u></u>		17,087.75
Disbursements to Fish and Boat Commission (Note 3)			<u>(17,087.25)</u>
Balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			0.50
Examination adjustments			<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2006			<u><u>\$ 0.50</u></u>

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FISHING LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>License Value</u>	<u>Amount Due Fish and Boat Commission</u>
Resident	98	\$ 21.00	\$ 2,058.00
Replacements	2	4.25	8.50
Senior resident	7	10.00	70.00
National Guard/Armed Forces	2	1.00	2.00
Senior lifetime	165	50.00	8,250.00
Replacements	14	4.25	59.50
Lake Erie Stamp	2	8.00	16.00
Lake Erie And Trout/Salmon Combo Stamp	9	14.00	126.00
Trout/Salmon Stamp	<u>238</u>	8.00	<u>1,904.00</u>
Totals (Note 2)	<u><u>537</u></u>		12,494.00
Disbursements to Fish and Boat Commission (Note 3)			<u>(12,494.00)</u>
Balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Examination adjustments			<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2007			<u><u>\$ -</u></u>

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DOG LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2005

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>Amount Due Department of Agriculture</u>
Individual	18,039	\$ 97,643.00
Senior citizen	3,800	12,656.00
Lifetime	647	19,460.00
Duplicates	<u>2</u>	<u>10.00</u>
Totals (Note 2)	<u>22,488</u>	129,769.00
Disbursements to Department of Agriculture (Note 3)		<u>(129,769.00)</u>
Balance due Department of Agriculture (County) per settled reports (Note 4)		-
Examination adjustments		<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Department of Agriculture (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2005		<u>\$ -</u>

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DOG LICENSE SALES
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2006

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>Amount Due Department of Agriculture</u>
Individual	16,613	\$ 89,709.00
Senior citizen	3,655	12,141.00
Lifetime	<u>937</u>	<u>28,500.00</u>
Totals (Note 2)	<u><u>21,205</u></u>	130,350.00
Disbursements to Department of Agriculture (Note 3)		<u>(130,350.00)</u>
Balance due Department of Agriculture (County) per settled reports (Note 4)		-
Examination adjustments		<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Department of Agriculture (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2006		<u><u>\$ -</u></u>

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<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licenses Sold</u>	<u>Amount Due Department of Agriculture</u>
Individual	15,784	\$ 85,170.00
Senior citizen	3,609	11,871.00
Lifetime	<u>1,170</u>	<u>35,320.00</u>
Totals (Note 2)	<u>20,563</u>	132,361.00
Disbursements to Department of Agriculture (Note 3)		<u>(132,361.00)</u>
Balance due Department of Agriculture (County) per settled reports (Note 4)		-
Examination adjustments (Note 5)		<u>-</u>
Adjusted balance due Department of Agriculture (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2007		<u>\$ -</u>

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TREASURER
BUCKS COUNTY
NOTES TO THE STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE HUNTING LICENSE PERIOD JULY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2007 AND FOR
THE FISHING AND DOG LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2005 TO DECEMBER 31, 2007

1. Criteria

The Statements of Receipts and Disbursements (Statements) have been prepared in accordance with Section 401(d) of *The Fiscal Code*, 72 P.S. § 401(d), which requires the Department of the Auditor General to determine whether all monies collected by all agents charged with assessing, appraising, or collecting license fees have been remitted properly to the licensing agencies.

The Statements were prepared in accordance with reporting requirements prescribed by the licensing agencies. Under this method, only the Commonwealth portion of cash receipts and disbursements are presented, revenues are recognized when received, and expenditures are recognized when paid.

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

<u>License Type</u>	<u>Licensing Agency</u>	<u>License Period</u>
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.

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.

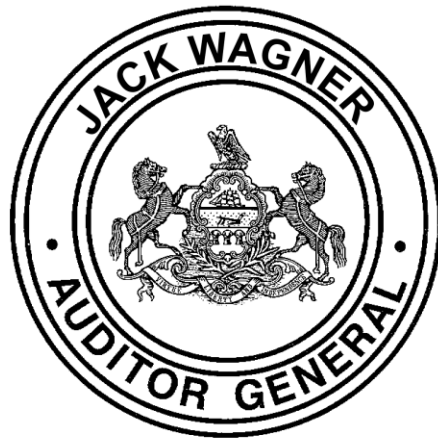
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THE FISHING AND DOG LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2005 TO DECEMBER 31, 2007

4. Balance Due Licensing Agency (County) Per Settled Reports

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

5. County Officer Serving During Examination Period

William R. Snyder served as Treasurer during the hunting license period July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2007 and during the fishing and dog license period January 1, 2005 to December 31, 2007.



TREASURER
BUCKS COUNTY
REPORT DISTRIBUTION
FOR THE HUNTING LICENSE PERIOD JULY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2007 AND FOR
THE FISHING AND DOG LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2005 TO DECEMBER 31, 2007

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