

TREASURER

MONTOUR COUNTY

EXAMINATION REPORT OF LICENSE SALES

HUNTING - JULY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2006

FISHING AND DOG - JANUARY 1, 2005 TO DECEMBER 31, 2006

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Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable Betty Jane Coira Treasurer Montour County Danville, PA 17821

We have examined the accompanying statements of receipts and disbursements (Statements) of the Treasurer, Montour 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 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 the Statements or on compliance and other matters; accordingly, we express no such opinions. The results of our examination disclosed no 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.

August 31, 2007

JACK WAGNER Auditor General

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

License Type	Licenses Sold	 License Value		mount Due Game ommission
Resident				
Adult	640	\$ 19.00	\$	12,160.00
Junior	38	5.00		190.00
Junior combination	61	8.00		488.00
Senior	60	12.00		720.00
Replacements	11	5.00		55.00
Military	17	1.00		17.00
Non-resident				
Adult	17	100.00		1,700.00
Archery				
Resident	265	15.00		3,975.00
Non-resident	2	25.00		50.00
Replacements	3	5.00		15.00
Muzzleloaders				
Resident	258	10.00		2,580.00
Non-resident	2	20.00		40.00
Replacements	3	5.00		15.00
Antlerless deer				
Resident	2,627	5.00		13,135.00
Resident landowners	1	5.00		5.00
Non-resident landowners	9	25.00		225.00
Armed forces	18	5.00		90.00
Disabled veterans	4	5.00		20.00
Replacements	9	5.00		45.00
Furtaker	20	10.00		200.00
Adult resident	20	19.00		380.00
Migratory	150	2.00		216.00
Resident	158	2.00		316.00
Bear	192	15.00		2 745 00
Resident Non-resident	183 2	15.00 35.00		2,745.00 70.00
Non-resident	Z	55.00		70.00
Totals (Note 2)	4,408			39,036.00
Disbursements to Game Commission (Note 3)				(38,860.00)
Credits taken for licenses issued for Disabled Veterans and				
Senior Lifetime Hunt renewals				(176.00)
Balance due Game Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)				-
Examination adjustments				-
Adjusted balance due Game Commission (County)				
for the license period ending June 30, 2005			\$	-
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TREASURER MONTOUR COUNTY HUNTING LICENSE SALES STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS LICENSE PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2006

License Type	Licenses Sold	 License Value		mount Due Game ommission
Resident				
Adult	556	\$ 19.00	\$	10,564.00
Junior	27	5.00		135.00
Junior combination	48	8.00		384.00
Senior	50	12.00		600.00
Replacements	7	5.00		35.00
Military	17	1.00		17.00
Non-resident				
Adult	6	100.00		600.00
Seven day	2	30.00		60.00
Archery	225	15.00		0.055.00
Resident	225	15.00		3,375.00
Replacements	1	5.00		5.00
Muzzleloaders	222	10.00		2 220 00
Resident Non-resident	223 2	$10.00 \\ 20.00$		2,230.00 40.00
Antlerless deer	2	20.00		40.00
Resident	2,613	5.00		13,065.00
Resident landowners	2,015	5.00		5.00
Non-resident landowners	31	25.00		775.00
Armed forces	14	5.00		70.00
Disabled veterans	4	5.00		20.00
Replacements	4	5.00		20.00
Furtaker				
Adult resident	20	19.00		380.00
Migratory				
Resident	127	2.00		254.00
Bear				
Resident	230	15.00		3,450.00
Totals (Note 2)	4,208			36,084.00
Disbursements to Game Commission (Note 3)				(35,897.00)
Credits taken for licenses issued for Disabled Veterans and				
Senior Lifetime Hunt renewals				(187.00)
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Balance due Game Commission (County)				
per settled reports (Note 4)				-
Examination adjustments				-
Adjusted balance due Game Commission (County)				
for the license period ending June 30, 2006			\$	-
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TREASURER MONTOUR COUNTY FISHING LICENSE SALES STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS LICENSE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2005

License Type	Licenses Sold	License Value	Amount Due Fish and Boat Commission
Resident Replacements	316 1	\$ 21.00 4.25	\$ 6,636.00 4.25
Senior resident	6	10.00	60.00
Non-resident	6	51.00	306.00
Tourist Three day	5	25.00	125.00
Senior lifetime Replacements	32 5	50.00 4.25	1,600.00 21.25
Lake Erie Stamp	4	8.00	32.00
Lake Erie And Trout/Salmon Combo Stamp	15	14.00	210.00
Trout/Salmon Stamp	307	8.00	2,456.00
Totals (Note 2)	697		11,450.50
Disbursements to Fish and Boat Commission (Note 3)			(11,450.50)
Balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Examination adjustments			
Adjusted balance due Fish and Boat Commission (Cou for the license period ending December 31, 2005	nty)		\$-

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

License Type	Licenses Sold	License Value	Amount Due Fish and Boat Commission
Resident	268	\$ 21.00	\$ 5,628.00
Senior resident	4	10.00	40.00
National Guard/Armed Forces	6	1.00	6.00
Non-resident	5	51.00	255.00
Tourist			
Three day	3	25.00	75.00
Seven day	2	33.00	66.00
Senior lifetime	23	50.00	1,150.00
Replacements	3	4.25	12.75
Lake Erie Stamp	4	8.00	32.00
Lake Erie And Trout/Salmon Combo Stamp	7	14.00	98.00
Trout/Salmon Stamp	256	8.00	2,048.00
Totals (Note 2)	581		9,410.75
Disbursements to Fish and Boat Commission (Note 3)			(9,410.75)
Balance due Fish and Boat Commission (County) per settled reports (Note 4)			-
Examination adjustments			
Adjusted balance due Fish and Boat Commission (Cour for the license period ending December 31, 2006	nty)		\$ -

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

License Type	Licenses Sold	Amount Due Department of Agriculture
Individual	2,143	\$ 12,221.00
Senior citizen	589	2,049.00
Lifetime	76	2,300.00
Totals (Note 2)	2,808	16,570.00
Disbursements to Department of Agriculture (Note 3)		(16,570.00)
Balance due Department of Agriculture (County) per settled reports (Note 4)		-
Examination adjustments		
Adjusted balance due Department of Agriculture (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2005		\$ -

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

License Type	Licenses Sold	Amount Due Department of Agriculture
Individual	2,446	\$ 13,900.00
Senior citizen	636	2,254.00
Lifetime	76	2,240.00
Duplicates	2	2.00
Totals (Note 2)	3,160	18,396.00
Disbursements to Department of Agriculture (Note 3)		(18,396.00)
Balance due Department of Agriculture (County) per settled reports (Note 4)		-
Examination adjustments		
Adjusted balance due Department of Agriculture (County) for the license period ending December 31, 2006		<u>\$ -</u>

TREASURER MONTOUR COUNTY NOTES TO THE STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE HUNTING LICENSE PERIOD JULY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2006 AND FOR THE FISHING AND DOG LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2005 TO DECEMBER 31, 2006

1. <u>Criteria</u>

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:

License Type	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.

2. <u>Receipts</u>

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

3. <u>Disbursements</u>

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

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.

TREASURER MONTOUR COUNTY NOTES TO THE STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE HUNTING LICENSE PERIOD JULY 1, 2004 TO JUNE 30, 2006 AND FOR THE FISHING AND DOG LICENSE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2005 TO DECEMBER 31, 2006

5. County Officers Serving During Examination Period

Gary L. Andrews served as Treasurer during the hunting license period July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2006 and during the fishing and dog license period January 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006.

Anne Dewald served as Acting Treasurer during fishing and dog license period July 1, 2006 to November 7, 2006.

Betty Jane Coira served as Treasurer during the fishing and dog license period November 8, 2006 to December 31, 2006.

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The Honorable Betty Jane Coira

Treasurer

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