Tarrant County, Texas

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REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable County Judge and Commissioners Court Tarrant County, Texas

We have audited, 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*), the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Tarrant County, Texas (the County) as of and for the year ended September 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated April 23, 2024. Our report includes a reference to other auditors who audited the financial statements of Tarrant County Hospital District and My Health My Resources of Tarrant County, as described in our report on the County's financial statements. This report does not include the results of the other auditors' testing of internal control over financial reporting or compliance and other matters that are reported on separately by those auditors.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the County's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* 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 and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We identified a certain deficiency in internal control, described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs as item 2023-001 that we consider to be a material weakness.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the County's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. 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 or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

County's Response to Findings

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the County's response to the findings identified in our audit and described in the accompanying appendix. The County's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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April 23, 2024



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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM; REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE; AND REPORT ON SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable County Judge and Commissioners Court Tarrant County, Texas Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Tarrant County's (the "County") compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the County's major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2023. The County's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the County complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the County and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the County's federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the County's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the County's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we

- exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design
 and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a
 test basis, evidence regarding the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred
 to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- obtain an understanding of the County's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in
 order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report
 on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the
 purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control over
 compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed an instance of noncompliance which is required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-002. Our opinion on each major federal program is not modified with respect to this matter.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the County's response to the noncompliance finding identified in our compliance audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The County's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we did identify a certain deficiency in internal control over compliance that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider the deficiency in internal control over compliance described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-002 to be a significant deficiency.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the County's response to the internal control over compliance finding identified in our compliance audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The County's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by the Uniform Guidance

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the County as of and for the year ended September 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements. We issued our report thereon, dated April 23, 2024, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements. Our report includes reference to other auditors who audited the financial statements of the Tarrant County Hospital District and My Health My Resources of Tarrant County, which represent all of the aggregate discretely presented component units, as described in our report on the County's basic financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of

expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Uniform Guidance and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR STATE PROGRAM; REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE; AND REPORT ON SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE AWARDS REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS GRANT MANAGEMENT STANDARDS

Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable County Judge and Commissioners Court Tarrant County, Texas Report on Compliance for Each Major State Program

Opinion on Each Major State Program

We have audited Tarrant County's (the "County") compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the State of Texas Grant Management Standards (TxGMS) that could have a direct and material effect on each of County's major state programs for the year ended September 30, 2023. The County's major state programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the County complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major state programs for the year ended September 30, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major State Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and TxGMS. Our responsibilities under those standards and TxGMS are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the County and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major state program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and TxGMS, we

- exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design
 and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a
 test basis, evidence regarding the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred
 to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- obtain an understanding of the County's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in
 order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report
 on internal control over compliance in accordance with the TxGMS, but not for the purpose of
 expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the County's internal control over compliance.
 Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed an instance of noncompliance which is required to be reported in accordance with TxGMS and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-003. Our opinion on each major state program is not modified with respect to this matter.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the County's response to the noncompliance finding identified in our compliance audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The County's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the County's response to the internal control over compliance finding identified in our compliance audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The County's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of TxGMS. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Report on Schedule of Expenditures of State Awards Required by TxGMS

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the County as of and for the year ended September 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements. We issued our report thereon dated April 23, 2024, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements. Our report includes reference to other auditors who audited the financial statements of the Tarrant County Hospital District and My Health My Resources of Tarrant County, which represent all of the aggregate discretely presented component units, as described in our report on the County's basic financial statements. Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of state awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by TxGMS and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves,

and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of state awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

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June 21, 2024

Federal Grantor/	Assitanc Listing	e	Federal	Federal Amounts Passed-Through
Pass-Through Grantor Program Title	Number	Grant/Contract Number	Expenditures	to Subrecipients
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	40.555	NTAY AVOLOGE	¢ 200.077	•
National School Lunch Program Total ALN 10.555	10.555	NT4XL1YGLGC5	\$ 306,677 306,677	\$ -
Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children				
Pass-Through from Texas Health and Human Services Commission		HHS000806700001	(5,994)	
Pass-Through from Texas Health and Human Services Commission	10.557	HHS000806700001	6,813,627	
Total ALN 10.557			6,807,633	<u>-</u>
State Aministrative Matching Grants for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program				
Pass-Through from Texas Health and Human Services Commission Total ALN 10.561	10.561	HHS000806700001	3,202 3,202	
15447457			0,202	
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			7,117,512	
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT				
Community Development Block Grants/Entitlement Grants - 45thYear Community Development Block Grants/Entitlement Grants - 46thYear		B19-UC-48-0001 B20-UC-48-0001	8,110 179,699	
Community Development Block Grants/Entitlement Grants - 45thYear		B21-UC-48-0001	983,499	
Community Development Block Grants/Entitlement Grants - 48thYear	14.218	B22-UC-48-0001	1,861,299	32,026
Community Development Block Grants/Entitlement Grants - 49thYear COVID-19 - Community Development Block Grants/Entitlement Grants - 46thYear	14.218 14.218	B23-UC-48-0001 B20-UW-48-0001	27,801 2,581,622	9,725 337,750
Total ALN 14.218	14.210	D20-077-40-0001	5,642,030	379,501
Emergency Solutions Grant Program - 47th Year	14 221	E-21-UC-48-0001	29,490	1,810
Emergency Solutions Grant Program - 48th Year		E-22-UC-48-0001	234,880	145,999
Emergency Solutions Grant Program - 49th Year		E-23-UC-48-0001	17,919	1,658
COVID-19 - Emergency Solutions Grant Program - 46th Year Total ALN 14.231	14.231	E-20-UW-48-0001	958,302 1,240,591	696,576 846,043
Continuum of Care Program	14 267	TX0114L6T012114	128,284	124,173
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0114L6T012215	25,634	24,771
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0093L6T012114	211,540	203,710
Continuum of Care Program Continuum of Care Program	14.267 14.267	TX0093L6T012215 TX0115L6T012013	181,287 24,759	173,372 24,627
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0115L6T012114	93,984	90,170
Continuum of Care Program		TX0116L6T012114	176,667	169,716
Continuum of Care Program Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0116L6T012215 TX0113L6T012114	18,298 898,741	17,646 630,280
Continuum of Care Program		TX0113L6T012215	578,489	439,332
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0287L6T012009	51,124	49,936
Continuum of Care Program Continuum of Care Program	14.267 14.267	TX0287L6T012110 TX0259L6T012009	389,767 24,386	376,035 24,041
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0259L6T012110	100,799	96,650
Continuum of Care Program Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0321L6T012008 TX0321L6T012109	5,775 119,572	5,314 114,232
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0418L6T012004	96,242	93,858
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0418L6T012105	658,360	632,913
Continuum of Care Program Continuum of Care Program	14.267 14.267	TX0447L6T012004 TX0447L6T012105	63,598 612,117	61,882 592,282
Continuum of Care Program	14.267	TX0320L6T012106	51,329	, .
Continuum of Care Program Total ALN 14.267	14.267	TX0320L6T012207	17,667 4,528,419	3,944,940
				0,044,040
COVID-19 - Home Investment Partnerships Program - ARP Home Investment Partnerships Program - 28th Year		M21-DP-48-0200 M19-DC-48-0200	80,947 110,388	
Home Investment Partnerships Program - 29th Year		M20-DC-48-0200	9,723	
Home Investment Partnerships Program - 30th Year		M21-DC-48-0200	155,241	
HUD- Home Investment Partnership Act - 31st Year Total ALN 14.239	14.239	M22-DC-48-0200	104,037 460,336	
COVID-19 - Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS	14 241	TX-H20-0024-00	198,844	186,661
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS	14.241	TX-H2001W075	5,183	770
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		537-16-0511-00001-09	261,437	251,437
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 14.241	14.241	HHS001317100005	24,898 490,362	24,898 463,766
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Administrative Reserve (Post-FY2004)	14.871	TX431AFHV03	6,098	
COVID-19 - Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Emergency Housing Voucher Program	14.871	TX431EH0001	1,330,552	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Fostering Youth Independence Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Fostering Youth Independence	14.871 14.871	TX431VO0264	74,321 24,455	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Fostering Youth Independence Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Administration (CY22)	14.871		24,455 656,899	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Administration (CY21)	14.871	TX21V431000082	1,894,123	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers - Portability Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers(CY19)	14.871 14.871	TX21V431000082 TX21V431000082	860,857 (58)	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers(CY20)		TX21V431000082	(463)	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers(CY21)		TX21V431000082	55,917	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers(CY22) Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers(CY23)	14.871 14.871	TX21V431000082 TX21V431000082	9,281,984 21,337,783	
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers (VASH)(CY22)	14.871		32,652	
COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Tarrant County Homeless Coalition Total ALN 14.871	14.871	140882	51,994	
			35,607,114	
Section 8 Housing - Mainstream	14.879	TX431DV0001	411,206	

Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor Program Title	Assitance Listing Number		Federal Expenditures	Federal Amounts Passed-Through to Subrecipients
Section 8 Housing - Mainstream Total ALN 14.879	14.879	TX431DV0001	\$ 1,528,143 1,939,349	\$ -
Family Self-Sufficiency Program (CY23) Family Self-Sufficiency Program (CY22) Total ALN 14.896		FSS23TX5420 FSS22TX4441	224,553 (3,106) 221,447	
Total U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development			50,129,648	5,634,250
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR				
Historic Preservation Fund Grants-In-Aid Pass-Through from Texas Historical Commission Total ALN 15.904	15.904	TX-22-007	1,191 1,191	
Total U.S. Department of The Interior			1,191	-
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE Services for Trafficking Victims Total ALN 16.320	16.320	2020-VT-BX-K028	375,976 375,976	19,933 19,933
Missing Children's Assistance Pass-Through from City of Dallas Police Department Pass-Through from City of Dallas Police Department Total ALN 16.543		25PJDP-22-GK-04883-MECP 15PJDP-22-GK-04883-MECP	10,000 4,351 14,351	
Crime Victim Assistance Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Governor, CJD Total ALN 16.575	16.575	3344805	385,589 385,589	
Violence Against Women Formula Grants Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Governor, CJD Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Governor, CJD Total ALN 16.588		3101807 3101808	71,762 7,845 79,607	
State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (S.C.A.A.P.) State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (S.C.A.A.P.) Total CFDA 16.606	16.606 16.606	15PBJA-21-RR-05144-SCAAP 15PBJA-22-RR-05196-SCAAP	705,039 585,635 1,290,674	
Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program Pass-Through from the City of Fort Worth, Texas Pass-Through from the City of Fort Worth, Texas Total ALN 16.738	16.738 16.738	2020-DJ-BX-0259 2021-15PBJA-21GG-01878-JAGX	97,035 60,028 157,063	97,035 60,028 157,063
DNA Backlog Reduction Program DNA Backlog Reduction Program DNA Backlog Reduction Program Total ALN 16.741	16.741	2020-DN-BX-0085 15PBJA-21-GG-03189-DNAX 15PBJA-22-GG-01583-DNAX	55,634 457,079 29,174 541,887	
Paul Coverdell Forensic Sciences Improvement Grant Program Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Governor, CJD Total ALN 16.742	16.742	4527101	42,108 42,108	
Stop School Violence Total ALN 16.839	16.839	2018-YS-BX-0154	5,000 5,000	
Equitable Sharing Program (Asset Forfeiture Funds)- District Attorney Equitable Sharing Program (Asset Forfeiture Funds)- Sheriff Total ALN 16.922	16.922 16.922		8,291 8,111 16,402	
Total U.S. Department of Justice			2,908,657	176,996
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Highway Planning & Construction - Courtesy Patrol Program Pass-Through from Texas Department of Transportation Pass-Through from Texas Department of Transportation Pass-Through from Texas Department of Transportation Total ALN 20.205	20.205	02-0XXF5001 02-2XXF5001 02-2XXF5001	139,869 1,414,148 129,212 1,683,229	
Total U.S. Department of Transportation			1,683,229	
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY Equitable Sharing Program (Asset Forfeiture Funds)- Sheriff Total ALN 21.016	21.016	N/A	152,517 152,517	
COVID-19 - Emergency Rental Assistance Program Total ALN 21.023	21.023	ERA2-0362	7,001,478 7,001,478	46,964 46,964
COVID-19 - American Rescue Plan Total ALN 21.027	21.027	N/A	126,206,478 126,206,478	36,216,352 36,216,352
Total U.S. Department of The Treasury			133,360,473	36,263,316

Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor Program Title	Assitance Listing Number	Grant/Contract Number	Federal Expenditures	Federal Amounts Passed-Through to Subrecipients
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS ASSISTANCE COMMISSION 2018 HAVA Election Security Grants Total ALN 90.404	90.404	TX18101001-01-220	\$ (2,930) (2,930)	\$ <u>-</u>
Total U.S. Department of Elections U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES			(2,930)	
Medical Reserve Corps Small Grant Program Pass-Through from NACCHO	03 008	MRC-11-0155	1,745	
Pass-Through from NACCHO	93.008	MRC-14-0155C	161	
Pass-Through from NACCHO Pass-Through from NACCHO		MRC-15-0155 MRC-16-0155	1,717 12.896	
Pass-Through from NACCHO		MRC-17-0156	10,751	
Pass-Through from NACCHO		MRC-20-0155	545	
Pass-Through from NACCHO Pass-Through from NACCHO		MRC-22-0155 MRC RISE 22 UNIT 0155	1,610 9,440	
Total ALN 93.008			38,865	
Public Health Emergency Preparedness Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services	93.069	537-18-0113-00001-05	(2,149)	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services	93.069	537-18-0113-00001-06	181,234	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		537-18-0113-00001-07 537-18-0139-00001-06	49,578 849,838	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		537-18-0139-00001-07	237,179	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services	93.069	537-18-0145-00001-06	246,136	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.069	93.069	HHS001311300006	46,015 1,607,831	
Project Grants and Cooperative Agreements for Tuberculosis Control Programs				
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		HHS001096400025-01 HHS001096400025-01	(1,021) 316,238	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		HHS001096400025-02	1,280	
Total ALN 93.116			316,497	
Coordinated Services & Access to Research for Women, Infants, Children and Youth		2 H12HA24819-10-00	334,022	233,527
Coordinated Services & Access to Research for Women, Infants, Children and Youth Total ALN 93.153	93.153	5 H12HA24819-11-00	81,829 415,851	55,144 288,671
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Projects of Regional and National Significance Total ALN 93.243	93.243	5H79Tl080297-05	42,253 42,253	42,253 42,253
Immunization Cooperative Agreements	02.000	1111000040000004 00	2.407	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		HHS000108600001-02 HHS000108600001	3,467 (18)	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		HHS000108600001-04	431,280	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		HHS001331300048 HHS001019500030	76,359 3,102,616	
COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.268		HHS001019500030-3	2,794,884 6,408,588	
CSELS Partnerrship: Strenghthening Public Health Laboratories				
Pass-Through from The Association of Public Health Laboratories Total ALN 93.322	93.322	56300-250-702-2203	4,788 4,788	
Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases				
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		HHS000696200001-4	83,164	
Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services		HHS000696200001 HHS000812700030	(238) 2,050,439	
Total ALN 93.323			2,133,365	
Public Health Emergency Response COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services	93.354	HHS000765000001	(56)	
COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services	93.354	HHS000771300001-1	3,298	
COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.354	93.354	HHS001084300001	774,878 778,120	
COVID-19 - Activities to Support STLT Health Department Response to Public Health or Healthcare Crises Total ALN 93.391	93.391	1 NH75OT000054-01-00	9,961,151 9,961,151	1,320,904 1,320,904
Promoting Safe and Stable Families	00 ===	1111000004470005	22 -25	40.005
Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services	93.556 93.556	HHS000841700005 HHS000841700005	63,565 1,828	43,925
Total ALN 93.556	00.000		65,393	43,925
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	_			
Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services	93.558 93.558	HHS000791900002 HHS000791900002	868,225 84.806	
Total ALN 93.558	55.556	55557.5.1555552	953,031	
Refugee and Entrant Assistance-State Administered Programs Pass-Through from U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants	93.566	2021-TARTX-05	(132)	
Pass-Through from U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants	93.566	2021-TARTX-05 2022-TARTX-06	2,598	
Pass-Through from U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants	93.566	2023-TARTX-07	1,527,931	
Total ALN 93.566			1,530,397	
Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Grants	00.500	110000044700005	450.000	105.000
COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services	93.590 93.590	HS000841700005 HS000841700005	150,000 868	135,000
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Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor Program Title	Assitance Listing Number		Federal Expenditures	Federal Amounts Passed-Through to Subrecipients
COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services Total ALN 93.590	93.590	HS000841700005	\$ 19,324 170,192	\$ 13,353 148,353
Grants to States for Access and Visitation Programs Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Attorney General Total ALN 93.597	93.597	21-C0005	66,300 66,300	
Foster Care Title IV-E Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (CPS) Pass-Through from Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (DA) Pass-Through from Texas Juvenile Justice Division Total ALN 93.658	93.658 93.658 93.658	23941254 23941256 TJPC-E-2018-220	90,764 459,928 35,780 586,472	
Ending the HIV Epidemic: A Plan for America - Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Parts A and B Ending the HIV Epidemic: A Plan for America - Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Parts A and B Total ALN 93.686	93.686 93.686	5 UT8 5 UT8HA33961-03-00	449,430 758,131 1,207,561	78,616 296,512 375,128
Medicaid Administrative Claiming (MAC) Pass-Through from Texas Health and Human Services Commission Total ALN 93.778	93.778	HHS000537900074-01	1,025,686 1,025,686	
HIV Emergency Relief Project Grants HIV Emergency Relief Project Grants Total ALN 93.914		2-H89HA00047-27-01 5 H89HA0047-28-00	2,268,130 3,236,022 5,504,152	1,576,839 2,622,549 4,199,388
HIV Care Formula Grants (Ryan White Part B) Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.917		HHS001122200005 HHS001122200005-01	757,104 391,565 1,148,669	540,922 312,909 853,831
Grants to Provide Outpatient Early Intervention Services with Respect to HIV Disease Grants to Provide Outpatient Early Intervention Services with Respect to HIV Disease Grants to Provide Outpatient Early Intervention Services with Respect to HIV Disease Total ALN 93.918	93.918	5 H76HA00123-32-00 2 H76HA00123-31-00 1 P06HA47303-01-00	656,500 169,685 150,000 976,185	599,098 136,326 150,000 885,424
HIV Prevention Activities- Heatlh Department Based Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.940	93.940 93.940	HHS000077800038-03	40,214 3,132 508,354 62,454 525,161 (14) 204,177 1,343,478	90,531
HIV/AIDS Surveillance Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.944	93.944 93.944	HHS000284500001 HHS000284500001-03	123,319 33,993 157,312	
COVID-19 - Assistance Programs for Chronic Disease Prevention and Control Total ALN 93.945	93.945	6 NU58DP007301-01-01	62,289 62,289	
COVID-19 - Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Collaboration with Academia to Strengthen Public Health COVID-19 - Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.967		5 NE11OE000043-02-00 HHS000696200001	1,370,356 16,691 1,387,047	
Preventive Health Services - STD Control Grants Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.977	93.977 93.977	HHS000288900007-03 HHS000288900007-05 HHS001120300014 HHS001120300014	(10) 330,704 256,191 401,602 988,487	
Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.991	93.991 93.991	HHS001324900050 HHS001029400001	20,804 131,482 152,286	
Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant to the States Pass-Through from Texas Department of State Health Services Total ALN 93.994	93.994	HHS001130300008	25,000 25,000	
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services			39,057,246	8,248,408
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY/FEMA Emergency Food and Shelter National Board Program Total ALN 97.024	97.024	Phase 40	30,416 30,416	
Disaster Grants-Public Assistance (Presidentially Declared Disasters) Pass-Through from Texas Division of Emergency Management Total ALN 97.036	97.036	DR-4485-TX	64,395 64,395	

Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor Program Title	Assitanc Listing Number		ı	Federal Expenditures	Pass	Federal Amounts ed-Through ubrecipients
Hazard Mitigation Grant Pass-Through from Texas Division of Emergency Management Total ALN 97.039	97.039	DR-4466-0007	\$	95,321 95,321	\$	<u>-</u>
Homeland Security Grant Program Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Governor, HSGD Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Governor, HSGD Pass-Through from Texas Office of the Governor, HSGD Total ALN 97.067 Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security/FEMA	97.067 97.067 97.067	2984808 2984807 4126703	<u>=</u>	87,988 29,185 27,200 144,373 334,505		
TOTAL FEDERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE			\$	234,589,531	\$	50,322,970

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards For the Year Ended September 30, 2023

State Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor Program Title	Grant/Contract Number	State Expenditures	State Amounts Passed-Through to Subrecipients
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES/HHSC			
State Services State Services	537-18-0013-00001-06 HHS001317000005	\$ 406,363 32,213	\$ 369,309 24,654
HIV Care Formula Grants (Ryan White Part B) HIV Care Formula Grants (Ryan White Part B)	HHS001122200005 HHS001122200005	26,435 324,991	19,312 261,806
Infectious Disease Surveillance and Epidemiology Infectious Disease Surveillance and Epidemiology	HHS000436300024-02 HHS001315700027	184,065 17,327	
HIV Prevention STD/HIV Prevention STD/HIV Prevention STD/HIV Prevention	HHS000077800038-04 HHS000288900007-03 HHS000288900007-05 HHS00001315900008	35,000 (31) 867,473 130,304	
TB/PC-Tuberculosis Control TB/PC-Tuberculosis Control TB/PC-Tuberculosis Control TB/PC-Tuberculosis Control	HHS000483300001-02 HHS000483300001-02 HHS001182200024 HHS001182200024	196 1,065 714,269 78,947	
Immunization Division Immunization Division	HHS000108600001-04 HHS000108600001-02	674,565 5,657	
Infectious Disease Control Unit/FLU Lab Infectious Disease Control Unit/FLU Lab	HHS000442100006 HHS001323100006	4,914 1,003	
Healthy Texas Mothers and Babies Community Coalitions Healthy Texas Mothers and Babies Community Coalitions Healthy Texas Mothers and Babies Community Coalitions	HHS001130300008 537-18-0362-00001-04 HHS001130300008	5,119 (223) 41,113	
Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant	HHS001029400001 HHS001029400001	50 92,410	
Total Texas Department of State Health Services		3,643,225	675,081
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR, CRIMINAL JUSTICE DIVISION			
Veterans Court Project Veterans Court Project	2285215 2285214	15,085 107,513	
Reaching Independence through Self Empowerment (RISE) Reaching Independence through Self Empowerment (RISE)	2589512 2589511	15,650 297,757	
DIRECT Court Program DIRECT Court Program	2985209 2985208	13,897 142,873	
Mental Health Diverson Court Program Mental Health Diverson Court Program	2285215 1828917	7,429 65,542	
Family Recovery Court	4521901	45,000	
Reconnecting Youth Program	4231402	80,721	
Total Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division		791,467	-
THE STATE OF TEXAS MOTOR VEHICLE CRIME PREVENTION AUTHORITY Tarrant Regional Auto Crimes Task Force Total State of Texas Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority Prevention Authority	608-21-2200000 608-22-2200000 608-23-2200000 608-24-220000	(37,820) (29,211) 1,344,017 68,432 1,345,418	
Total Otate of Texas Motor Vehicle Chine Frevention Authority Frevention Authority		1,040,416	<u>-</u>
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION County Transportation Infrastructure Fund Grant Program Highway Planning & Construction - Courtesy Patrol Program Highway Planning & Construction - Courtesy Patrol Program Highway Planning & Construction - Courtesy Patrol Program	CITF_023_220 02-2XXF5001 02-0XXF5001 02-2XXF5001	(203,761) 636,405 34,967 32,303	
Total Department of Transportation		499,914	-

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

State Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor Program Title	Grant/Contract Number	State Expenditures	State Amounts Passed-Through to Subrecipients
TCEQ-Volkswagon Environmental Mitigation Program TCEQ-Volkswagon Environmental Mitigation Program	582-20-13776-VW 582-20-14200-VW	\$ 93,257 (1,600	
Total Texas Commission on Environmental Quality		91,657	
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL Bilingual Victims Assistance Coordinator Bilingual Victims Assistance Coordinator Texas Statewide Automated Victim Notification Service (SAVNS) Total Office of the Attorney General	C-00065 C-00930 C-00401	41,100 4,125 79,594 124,819	i
TEXAS INDIGENT DEFENSE COMMISSION Indigent Defense Formula Grant Total Texas Indigent Defense Commission	212-21-220	1,206,342 1,206,342	-
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES Promoting Safe and Stable Families - CYD Project Promoting Safe and Stable Families - CYD Project Temporary Assistance for Needy Families - NFP Project	HHS000841700005 HHS000841700005 HHS000791900002	11,698 406,660 62,772	281,013
Total Texas Department of Family and Protective Services		481,130	281,013
TEXAS VETERANS COMMISSION FUND Tarrant County Veterans Court Tarrant County Veterans Court Total Texas Veterans Commission Fund	R-2022-05771 GT-VTC22-010	39,861 179,352 219,213	<u>!</u>
TOTAL STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE		\$ 8,403,185	\$ 956,094

NOTES TO SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

 Basis of Accounting and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies —The schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the "Schedule") was prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Amounts reported as expenditures in the accompanying Schedule may not agree with the amounts reported in the related federal financial reports filed with the grantor agencies because of accruals, which would be included in the next report filed with the agency.

Federal grant funds are considered to be earned to the extent of expenditures made under the provisions of the grant, and accordingly, when such funds are received, they are recorded as unavailable revenues until earned. The accompanying Schedule is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting.

The County participates in numerous federal grant programs, which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies. Costs charged to the respective grant programs are subject to audit and adjustments by the grantor agencies; therefore, to the extent that the County has not complied with rules and regulations governing the grants, refund of any money received may be required and the collectability of any related receivable at year-end maybe impaired.

The Schedule includes certain program expenditures that relate to prior years. These expenditures have been deemed immaterial to the Schedule in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole. The program affected is as follows:

Program Name	Assistance Listing Number	Prior Year Expenditure Amount
Foster Care Title IV-E	93.658	\$ 586,473

- De Minimis Indirect Cost Rate The County has elected to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate for federal grant programs.
- 3. **Period of Availability** The period of availability for federal funds for the purpose of liquidation of outstanding obligations made on or before the ending date of the federal project period extends 30 to 90 days beyond the federal project period ending date, in accordance with provisions in the *OMB Compliance Supplement*.

NOTES TO SCHEDULES OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE AWARDS YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

 Basis of Accounting and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies—The schedule of expenditures of state awards (the "Schedule") was prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Amounts reported as expenditures in the accompanying Schedule may not agree with the amounts reported in the related state financial reports filed with the grantor agencies because of accruals, which would be included in the next report filed with the agency.

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2. **Period of Availability** - The period of availability for state grant funds for the purpose of liquidation of outstanding obligations made on or before the ending date of the state project period extends 30 to 90 days beyond the state project period ending date, in accordance with provisions in the TxGMS.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

Section I—Summary of Auditor's Results

е	ction	1 — Summary Of Auditor's Results
•	Fin	ancial Statements
	_	Type of auditor's report issued on whether financial statements were prepared in accordance with GAAP: Unmodified
	_	Internal control over financial reporting:
		Material weakness(es) identified? X Yes No
		 Significant deficiency(ies) identified? Yes X None reported
	_	Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? Yes X No
•	Fed	deral Awards
	_	Internal control over major programs:
		Material weakness(es) identified? Yes X No
		 Significant deficiency(ies) identified?X_Yes None reported
	_	Type of auditors' report issued on compliance for major programs: Unmodified
	_	Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2CFR200.516(1)? X Yes No
	-	Identification of major federal programs:
		 21.023 Emergency Rental Assistance Program 21.027 Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds 93.323 Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases 93.566 Refugee and Entrant Assistance-State Administered Programs
	_	Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: \$3,000,000
	_	Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X Yes No
•	Sta	ate Awards
	_	Internal control over major programs:
		 Material weakness(es) identified? Yes X No

	0	Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered
		to be material weakness(es)? X Yes None reported
_	Туј	pe of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: Unmodified
_		y audit findings disclosed that are required to be ported in accordance with TxGMS? X Yes No
-	Ide	entification of major programs:
	0	HHS000288900007-03/05, HHS000077800038-04, HHS00001315900008 -STD/HIV Prevention
	0	HHS000483300001-02 and HHS001182200024 - TB/PC-Tuberculosis Control
	0	2589511 and 2589512 - Reaching Independence through Self-Empowerment (RISE)
	0	608-21/22/23/24-2200000 – Tarrant Regional Auto Crimes Task Force

Section II—Financial Statements Findings

2023-001: Material Weakness in Controls over Financial Reporting—Actuarial Valuation of Total OPEB Liability

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: \$750,000

Criteria—In accordance with GASB Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions,* the total OPEB liability should be measured as the portion of the actuarial present value of projected benefit payments that is attributed to past periods of employee service and should be based on assumptions made in conformity with Actuarial Standards of Practice.

Perspective—The County offers other postemployment benefits (OPEB) to retirees. Actuarial valuations to estimate the total OPEB liability are performed biennially and rolled forward in the interim years. A new actuarial valuation was performed for the 2023 fiscal year as of September 30, 2022.

Condition and Cause—Unexpected changes in the total OPEB liability, specifically in the effect of differences between expected and actual experience, were noted in the original actuarial valuation for the 2023 fiscal year. Further questions revealed that actuarial valuations performed for fiscal years 2019 through 2022 contained errors. Specifically, incorrect post-65 per capital claims costs and retiree premiums, misapplication of a plan election assumption, errors in modeling cumulative salary scale, and an error in calculating the average expected remaining service lives of plan participants resulted in misstatements of the total OPEB liability in previous years and in the current year. The County performs detailed reviews of the annual actuarial valuations reports; however, the reviews were not precise enough to detect these errors. The County relied on the actuary to perform the calculations in accordance with Actuarial Standards of Practice and to provide a report that accurately described the assumptions and methods used.

Effect—The County's actuary revised prior actuarial valuations and the County adjusted fiscal year 2023 by reducing beginning net position as of October 1, 2022, by \$28 million, a decrease of approximately 7% from what was reported in fiscal year 2022.

Recommendation—Periodically, management should engage a separate actuarial specialist to perform an actuarial audit of the actuarial valuation.

View of Responsible Officials—

See Corrective Action Plan.

Section III—Award Findings and Questioned Costs

Finding 2023-002: Reporting – Significant Deficiency in Controls over Compliance and Noncompliance

Federal Program: Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases – ALN 93.323

Year(s): 2023

Federal Agency: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Pass-Through Entity: Texas Department of State Health Services (Award HHS000812700030)

CriteriaThe grant contract requires quarterly progress reports to be submitted to

the grantor on or before the 15th of the month following the end of the

quarter.

Condition and Perspective 4 out of 4 quarterly progress reports tested for award HHS000812700030

were submitted after the due date.

Cause Grant administration did not adequately track the due dates to ensure

timely submission of the quarterly progress reports.

Effect Failure to meet submission deadlines of reports could potentially constitute

an event of noncompliance with the award contract, which may result in the early termination of the grant award, non-reimbursement of grant funding,

or cessation of future funding.

Questioned Cost None.

Repeat Finding from Prior Year No.

Recommendations Management should ensure that they have a mechanism for tracking the

due dates so that the quarterly progress reports are submitted timely to the

grantor.

View of Responsible Officials See Corrective Action Plan.

Finding 2023-003: Reporting – Significant Deficiency in Controls over Compliance and Noncompliance

State Program: STD & HIV Prevention Program Grant

Award/Contract: HHS000288900007

Year(s): 2023

Federal/State Agency: Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS)

Criteria The grant contract requires potential cases of congenital syphilis (CS) to be

investigated and reported to the grantor within 30 days of receiving report

of birth from DSHS.

Condition and Perspective For the County's fiscal year ended September 30, 2023, DSHS sent 229

reports to the County that required investigation and reporting. Out of the 229 reports, 173 reports were submitted after the 30-day requirement and

56 reports were submitted within the deadline.

Cause Tarrant County Public Health had staff turnover and hence did not have

enough personnel to carry out the required investigations and reporting in a

timely manner.

Effect Failure to meet submission deadlines of reports could potentially constitute

an event of noncompliance with the award contract, which may result in the early termination of the grant award, non-reimbursement of grant funding,

or cessation of future funding.

Questioned Cost None.

Repeat Finding from Prior Year No.

Recommendations Management should ensure that they have adequate staffing to meet the

due dates so that the CS case investigation results are submitted timely to

the grantor.

View of Responsible Officials See Corrective Action Plan.

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CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN (AS PREPARED BY COUNTY

MANAGEMENT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

2023-001: Material Weakness in Controls over Financial Reporting—Actuarial Valuation of Total OPEB Liability

Tarrant County Auditor's Office made an immaterial correction and restated the FY2022 beginning net position for errors that have existed since FY2019 but were not identified until FY2023. The actuary used to perform the actuarial estimate for the County's OPEB liability was hired by the Public Employee Benefits Cooperative (PEBC) for all participating entities. The contract for actuarial services has expired and PEBC initiated the Request for Proposal (RFP) process with the North Central Council of Governments.

Tarrant County Auditor's Office agrees with Deloitte's recommendation. At a minimum of every five years, the County will ensure that either through PEBC or Commissioners Court an independent audit of the actuary's system and organization controls is performed to ensure system security, processing integrity, and compliance with Actuarial Standards of Practice. The Auditor's Office will continue to validate all inputs provided by the County or the PEBC for the actuary's calculation.

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CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN (AS PREPARED BY COUNTY

MANAGEMENT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

Finding 2023-002: Reporting – Significant Deficiency in Controls over Compliance and Noncompliance

Federal Program: Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases – ALN 93.323

Year: 2023

Federal Agency: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Pass-Through Entity: Texas Department of State Health Services (Award HHS000812700030)

Responsible Party – Talmage Holmes, Associate Director, Disease Control and Prevention

Corrective Action Plan – Implementing Improvement for Quarterly Reports – Epi and Lab Capacity (ELC) Contract with DSHS

- Weekly supervisor meeting for the Epidemiology Division. Data needed to complete the quarterly report is to be discussed at the end of the quarter.
- The Associate Director for Disease Control and Prevention to meet monthly with the Epidemiology Division Manager on contract deliverables.
- In addition to the activities in the Epidemiology Division, data needed from other divisions will be solicited by the Epidemiology Division manager within five days of the quarter end to include in the report. This includes employment status of employees funded by the contract via the position control report, and project activities related to the contract that should be included.
- The Epidemiology Division Manager is to present the quarterly report to the Associate Director for review and approval before the report deadline.
- The reports for the most recent 2 quarters, Sept through November 2023 and December 2023 through February 2024 were submitted by the due date.
- The last two quarterly reports in the current cycle are due June 15, 2024, and August 15, 2024 (only covers two months).

Effective Date – February 19, 2024

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CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN (AS PREPARED BY COUNTY

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Finding 2023-003: Significant Deficiency in Controls over Compliance and Noncompliance

Federal/State Program: STD & HIV Prevention Program Grant

Award/Contract: HHS000288900007

Year: 2023

Federal/State Agency: Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS)

Responsible Party – Abram Oliver, DSOP Division Manager, Disease Control & Prevention Bureau at Tarrant County Public Health & Dr. Talmage Holmes, Associate Director for Disease Control & Prevention Bureau at Tarrant County Public Health

Corrective Action Plan - TCPH DSOP Division will increase the number of *Quality Assurance and Final Case Approval Meetings* from monthly to weekly between the Tarrant County Congenital Syphilis Liaison (Epidemiology Specialist) and the Public Health Follow-Up (PHFU) Operations Manager. The increased frequency of the meetings will ensure the timely entry and supervisory/managerial approvals of congenital syphilis case reports to align with DSHS/contractual requirements.

Effective Date – Immediately

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STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS (AS PREPARED BY COUNTY MANAGEMENT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

2022-001 02-0XXF5001 – Highway Planning & Construction – Courtesy Patrol Program

Reporting: Significant Deficiency in Controls over Compliance and Noncompliance

Status – Corrected