### STATUTORY REPORT

# BRYAN COUNTY TREASURER

January 31, 2014





Oklahoma State Auditor & Inspector Gary A. Jones, CPA, CFE NANCY CONNER, COUNTY TREASURER BRYAN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA TREASURER STATUTORY REPORT JANUARY 31, 2014

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Transmitted herewith is the Bryan County Treasurer Statutory Report for January 31, 2014. The engagement was conducted in accordance with 74 O.S. § 212.

The goal of the State Auditor and Inspector is to promote accountability and fiscal integrity in state and local government. Maintaining our independence as we provide this service to the taxpayers of Oklahoma is of utmost importance.

We wish to take this opportunity to express our appreciation for the assistance and cooperation extended to our office during our engagement.

Sincerely,

GARY A. JONES, CPA, CFE

OKLAHOMA STATE AUDITOR & INSPECTOR

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Nancy Conner, Bryan County Treasurer Bryan County Courthouse Durant, Oklahoma 74701

Dear Ms. Conner:

For the purpose of complying with 74 O.S. § 212, we have performed the following procedures:

- Determine whether bank reconciliations are properly performed, visually verify the certificates of deposit, and confirm the investments.
- Determine whether subsidiary records are reconciled to the general ledger.
- Determine whether deposits and invested funds are secured by pledged collateral.

All information included in the bank reconciliations, the investment ledger, the subsidiary ledgers, and the general ledger is the representation of the County Treasurer.

Our county treasurer statutory engagement was limited to the procedures performed above and was less in scope than an audit performed in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on any basic financial statement of Bryan County.

Based on our procedures performed, we have presented our finding in the accompanying schedule.

This report is intended for the information and use of the management of the County. This restriction is not intended to limit the distribution of this report, which is a matter of public record.

GARY A. JONES, CPA, CFE

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February 18, 2014

#### SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES

#### Finding 2014-1—Subsidiary Ledgers Not Reconciled to the General Ledger

**Condition:** The following exception was noted.

• Reconciliation was not performed between the General Ledger and Municipal Account. An unidentified variance of \$1,966.95 was noted on January 31, 2014.

Cause of Condition: Procedures have not been designed to reconcile these ledgers monthly.

**Effect of Condition:** This condition could result in unrecorded transactions, misstated financial reports, undetected errors, or misappropriation of assets.

**Recommendation:** The Oklahoma State Auditor & Inspectors Office (OSAI) recommends that the subsidiary ledgers be maintained and reconciled to the general ledger on a monthly basis.

**Management Response:** The new accounting software program provides for subsidiary ledger capability for both schools and cities, and our switch over should be fully implemented on or before June 30, 2014. I will research the \$1,966.95 difference, and get it corrected as quickly as possible.

**Criteria:** Safeguarding controls are an aspect of internal control. Safeguarding controls relate to the prevention or timely detection of unauthorized transactions and unauthorized access to assets. Failure to perform tasks that are part of internal controls, such as maintaining subsidiary ledgers and reconciling them to the general ledger, are deficiencies in internal control.



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