## STATUTORY REPORT

# GARVIN COUNTY TREASURER

January 31, 2014





Oklahoma State Auditor & Inspector Gary A. Jones, CPA, CFE SANDY GOGGANS, COUNTY TREASURER GARVIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA TREASURER STATUTORY REPORT JANUARY 31, 2014

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Transmitted herewith is the Garvin 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

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Sandy Goggans, Garvin County Treasurer Garvin County Courthouse Pauls Valley, Oklahoma 73075

Dear Ms. Goggans:

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 Garvin 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 25, 2014

#### SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES

#### Finding 2014-1—Cash on Hand Balances

**Condition:** The County Treasurer's office had listed on the general ledger a total of \$150, which included only the cash in the office of the Treasurer. Cash counts for the offices of the Treasurer, Court Clerk, and County Clerk totaled \$350. Both the Court Clerk and the County Clerk maintain \$100.00 in their office change fund that is not reported on the Treasurer's general ledger.

Cause of Condition: The total cash on hand in each office has not been updated each year to reflect the amount actually held in each office.

**Effect of Condition:** This condition resulted in the general ledger being misstated in the amount of \$200.00.

**Recommendation:** OSAI recommends management be aware of this condition, and on a yearly basis have each office report to the Treasurer the total cash in each office. The most effective controls lie in management's overseeing of office operations and a periodic review of operations.

**Management Response:** Each office has been requested to advise the Treasurer's office of any cash fund increases and will be asked to notify the Treasurer's office of cash funds on hand at the beginning of each fiscal year and of any increases thereafter.

**Criteria:** Accountability and stewardship are overall goals of management in the accounting of funds. To ensure a proper accounting of funds, total cash held in each office should be accurately recorded on the Treasurer's general ledger.



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