



# OKEENE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE DISTRICT

**Statutory Report** 

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021

Cindy Byrd, CPA

State Auditor & Inspector

# OKEENE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE DISTRICT STATUTORY REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

This publication, issued by the Oklahoma State Auditor and Inspector's Office as authorized by 19 O.S. § 1706.1, has not been printed, but is available on the agency's website (<a href="www.sai.ok.gov">www.sai.ok.gov</a>) and in the Oklahoma Department of Libraries Publications Clearinghouse Digital Prairie Collection (<a href="http://digitalprairie.ok.gov/cdm/search/collection/audits/">http://digitalprairie.ok.gov/cdm/search/collection/audits/</a>) pursuant to 65 O.S. § 3-114.



#### Cindy Byrd, CPA | State Auditor & Inspector

2300 N. Lincoln Blvd., Room 123, Oklahoma City, OK 73105 | 405.521.3495 | www.sai.ok.gov

August 7, 2023

### TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE OKEENE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE DISTRICT

Transmitted herewith is the audit report of Okeene Emergency Medical Service District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021.

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,

CINDY BYRD, CPA

OKLAHOMA STATE AUDITOR & INSPECTOR

#### Presentation of Collections, Disbursements, and Cash Balances of District Funds for FY 2021

	General Fund		Sales Tax Revolving Fund	
Beginning Cash Balance, July 1	\$	143,347	\$	103,647
Collections				
Ad Valorem Tax		70,831		-
Charges for Services		99,096		-
Sales Tax Revenue		-		43,043
Miscellaneous		6,085		-
Sales Tax Reimbursement		99,859		-
Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) - CARES Act		12,950		-
Total Collections		288,821		43,043
Disbursements				
Personal Services		230,896		-
Maintenance and Operations		66,647		100,043
Capital Outlay		2,066		-
Audit Expense		4,767		-
Total Disbursements		304,376		100,043
Ending Cash Balance, June 30	\$	127,792	\$	46,647

#### OKEENE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE DISTRICT STATUTORY REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

#### Sales Tax

#### Sales Tax of July 1, 2017

On April 4, 2017, Blaine County voters approved a proposal authorizing levying a county sales tax of one-eighth percent (.125%) in addition to all other city, county, and state excise taxes presently being levied or assessed, upon the gross proceeds or gross receipts derived from all sales taxable under the Oklahoma sales tax code, to be administered by the Board of County Commissioners of Blaine County, Oklahoma, for the purpose of contracting with the 522 EMS Districts (Canton, Geary, Okeene and Watonga) for such emergency medical services as may be deemed necessary by the Board of County Commissioners; such sales tax to commence July 1, 2017, and recurring continually thereafter for such purpose.

The sales tax is budgeted within the "8503 E3/OKEENE EMS" account in 1304 EMS – 522 – ST fund. The District submits a requisition to the Blaine County Clerk. The requisition is approved for payment by the Blaine County Board of County Commissioners. The Blaine County Clerk then issues payment directly to the vendor for approved purchases.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, the Okeene Emergency Medical Service District was allocated \$43,043 in sales tax appropriations and expended \$100,043 through the Blaine County Board of County Commissioners for maintenance and operations of the District.

#### Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act

Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) – CARES Act - Money distributed to the State of Oklahoma to provide direct federal assistance to state governments, with consideration for local governments. The State of Oklahoma allocated \$5 million of CRF to the Oklahoma Ambulance Association (OKAMA) to distribute to licensed ambulance services across the state. The funds were to be used to reimburse ambulance services for unanticipated expenses in staffing, personal protective equipment (PPE), medical supplies, and lost insurance coverage due to COVID-19. The District received \$12,950 for the fiscal year.



#### Cindy Byrd, CPA | State Auditor & Inspector

2300 N. Lincoln Blvd., Room 123, Oklahoma City, OK 73105 | 405.521.3495 | www.sai.ok.gov

Okeene Emergency Medical Service District 118 W. Madison Okeene, Oklahoma 73763

## TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE OKEENE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE DISTRICT

For the purpose of complying with 19 O.S. § 1706.1, we have performed the following procedures:

- Determined charges for services were billed and collected in accordance with District Policies.
- Determined that receipts were properly deposited and accurately reported in the accounting records.
- Determined cash balances were accurately reported in the accounting records.
- Determined whether deposits and invested funds for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021 were secured by pledged collateral.
- Determined that disbursements were properly supported, were made for purposes outlined in 19 O.S. § 1710.1 and were accurately reported in the accounting records.
- Determined that payroll expenditures were accurately reported in the accounting records and supporting documentation of leave records was maintained.
- Determined that fixed assets records were properly maintained.
- Determined whether the District's collections, disbursements, and cash balances for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021 were accurately presented on the estimate of needs.

All information included in the records of the District is the representation of the Okeene Emergency Medical Service District.

Our emergency medical service district 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 the Okeene Emergency Medical Service District.

Based on our procedures performed, there were no exceptions noted.

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

CINDY BYRD, CPA

OKLAHOMA STATE AUDITOR & INSPECTOR

June 15, 2023



