

**The Town of Glenville Local Development
Corporation, Schenectady County,
New York**

**Auditor Communications
December 31, 2015**



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March 29, 2016

To the Board of Directors of
The Town of Glenville Local Development
Corporation, Schenectady County, New York
c/o Town of Glenville
18 Glenridge Road
Glenville, New York 12302

We have audited the financial statements of The Town of Glenville Local Development Corporation, Schenectady County, New York (the Organization) for the year ended December 31, 2015, and have issued our report thereon dated March 29, 2016. Professional standards require that we provide you with information about our responsibilities under generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, as well as certain information related to the planned scope and timing of our audit. We have communicated such information in our letter to you dated January 5, 2016. Professional standards also require that we communicate to you the following information related to our audit.

Significant Audit Findings

Qualitative Aspects of Accounting Practices

Management is responsible for the selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. The significant accounting policies used by the Organization are described in Note 2 to the financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during 2015. We noted no transactions entered into by the Organization during the year for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus. All significant transactions have been recognized in the financial statements in the proper period.

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected. The most sensitive accounting estimate affecting the financial statements was management's estimate of the allowance for uncollectible loans receivable.

Management's estimate of the allowance for uncollectible loans receivable is based on management's evaluation of the collectability of the loan portfolio, including the nature of the portfolio, credit concentrations, trends in historical loss experience, specific impaired loans and economic conditions. We evaluated the key factors and assumptions used to develop this estimate and determined that it is reasonable in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

The financial statement disclosures are neutral, consistent, and clear.

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Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing and completing our audit.

Corrected and Uncorrected Misstatements

Professional standards require us to accumulate all misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are clearly trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. Management has corrected all such misstatements.

There were misstatements that, in our judgment, were material, either individually or in the aggregate, to the financial statements taken as a whole. The net effect of the nine journal entries that were made after the commencement of our audit procedures increased the change in net assets by approximately \$19,000. Management has accepted and taken responsibility for all adjustments recorded and a listing of these adjustments will be provided to any board member upon request.

Disagreements with Management

For purposes of this letter, a disagreement with management is a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditors' report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during the course of our audit.

Management Representations

We have requested certain representations from management that are included in the management representation letter dated March 29, 2016.

Management Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the Organization's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditors' opinion that may be expressed on those statements, our professional standards require the consulting accountant to check with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

Other Audit Findings or Issues

We generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, with management each year prior to retention as the Organization's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

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This information is intended solely for the use of the Board of Directors and management of The Town of Glenville Local Development Corporation, Schenectady County, New York and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties.

If any board member has questions related to the conduct of our audit or the results thereof, please do not hesitate to call us directly.

Very truly yours,

Bryans & Gramuglia CPAs, LLC

Albany, New York

