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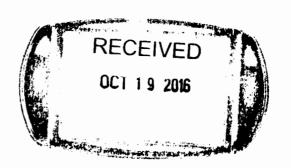
RE: Annual Municipal Reports

Accompanying this letter are <u>two copies of the Agreed Upon Procedures and Compilation Report and one of the municipal compliance questionnaire</u> for the Town of Boyle, Mississippi, for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015.

A separate management letter was not written to the Town in connection with this compilation.

Sincerely,

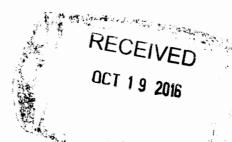
Joe B. Denson, Vice Mayor



TOWN OF BOYLE, MISSISSIPPI

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SPECIAL REPORT ON AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES FOR SMALL MUNICIPALITIES

(COMPLIANCE LETTER)

Honorable Mayor and Aldermen Town of Boyle Boyle, Mississippi 38730

We have applied certain agreed-upon procedures, as discussed below, to the accounting records of the Town of Boyle, Mississippi, as of September 30, 2015, and for the year then ended, as required by the Office of the State Auditor, under the provisions of Section 21-35-31, Miss Code Ann. (1972). It is understood the report is solely for the use of the governing body of the Town of Boyle, Mississippi, and the Office of the State Auditor and should not be used for any other purpose. Our procedures and findings are as follows.

1. We reconciled cash on deposit with the following banks to balances in the respective general ledger accounts and obtained confirmation of the related balances from the banks.

Financial Institution	Fund	lance per eral Ledger
Cleveland State Bank	General Fund	\$ 377,970
Cleveland State Bank	Proprietary Fund	314,253
То	tal	\$ 692,223

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Town of Boyle, Mississippi Special Report on Agreed-Upon Procedures for Small Municipalities (Continued) September 30, 2015

2. We physically examined securities held for investment. Securities held in trust were confirmed directly with respective trustees. All investment transactions during the year were examined for compliance with investments authorized by Section 21-33-323, Miss Code Ann. (1972).

Financial Institution	Security	Fund	Gene	eral Ledger
Cleveland State Bank	Certificate of Deposit	General	\$	29,252
State Bank & Trust Company	Certificate of Deposit	General		183,104
The Jefferson Bank	Certificate of Deposit	General		108,658
Renasant Bank	Certificate of Deposit	General		91,998
	Total		\$	413,012

- 3. We performed the following procedures with respect to taxes on real and personal property (including motor vehicles) levied during the year:
 - A. Proved the mathematical accuracy of the tax rolls and traced levies to governing body minutes;
 - B. Traced levies to governing body minutes:
 - C. Reconciled the amount of taxes levied per the tax rolls to amounts actually collected;
 - D. Examined uncollected taxes for proper handling, including tax sales;
 - E. Traced distribution of taxes collected to proper funds, and
 - F. Analyzed increase in taxes for most recent period for comparison with increase limitations of Sections 27-39-320 to 27-39-323, Miss. Code Ann. (1972).

Tax assessments were found to be mathematically correct and in agreement with collections as follows:

Tax Assessments	As	sessed Value	Tax Millage	T	ax Levy
Realty	\$	3,848,392			
Personal Property		2,136,963			
Personal - Automobile & Mobile Home		781,481			
Public Utility		163,194			
	\$	6,930,030	0.024	\$	166,321
Add: Actual Homestead Reimbursement					7,308
Prior Year's Unpaid Realty Taxes					3,184
Deduct : Homestead Credit					(7,470)
Total to be Accounted for				\$	169,343

Town of Boyle, Mississippi Special Report on Agreed-Upon Procedures for Small Municipalities (Continued) September 30, 2015

		Taxes	Но	mestead	
	Penalt	ies & Interest	Reim	bursement	 Total
Credits:					
Collections allocated to General Fund	\$	164,044	\$	7,308	\$ 171,352
Balance represented by:					
Unpaid realty taxes,					
Board Adjustments, etc.					(2,009)
Total Accounted for					\$ 169,343

The distribution of taxes to funds was found to be in accordance with prescribed tax levies, and uncollected taxes were determined to be properly handled.

Ad valorem tax collections were found to be within the limitations of Sections 27-39-320 to 27-39-323, Miss. Code Ann. (1972), As follows:

Actual Collections (Excluding debt service)		Actual Collections (Excluding debt service)	
Tax Collected 2013-2014	\$ 151,786	Tax Collected 2014-2015	\$ 164,044
10% Increase	15,179	Homestead Exemption	
Tax increase due to increase		Reimbursement	7,308
in assessed value	16,823	Under (Over) Limitation	12,436
Total	\$ 183,788	Total	\$ 183,788

4. We obtained a statement of payments made by the Department of Finance and Administration to the municipality. Payments indicated were traced to deposits in the respective bank accounts and recorded in the general ledger in the appropriate accounts.

Payment Purpose	Receiving Fund	eral Ledger Amount
Sales Tax Allocation	General	\$ 181,072
Homestead Reimbursement	General	7,308
Grand Gulf	General	4,824
Fire Safety	General	3,537
Gasoline Tax	General	1,869
Truck & Bus Tax	General	1,213
General Municipal Aid	General	324
Liquor License	General	675
	Total	\$ 200,822

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Town of Boyle, Mississippi Special Report on Agreed-Upon Procedures for Small Municipalities (Continued) September 30, 2015

5. We selected a sample of purchases made by the municipality during the fiscal year. Each sample item was evaluated for compliance with purchasing requirements set forth in Sections 31-7-1, 31-7-49 and 31-7-57 Miss. Code Ann. (1972), as applicable. We also reviewed the board minutes for approval of claims.

The sample consisted of the following:

Number of sample items:

20

Total dollar value of sample:

\$19,423

We found the municipality's purchasing procedures to be in agreement with the requirements of the above mentioned sections (except as follows).

- a. Requisitions were only of a verbal nature not written
- b. There was limited evidence of the matching of purchase orders to invoices.
- 6. We have read the Municipal Compliance Questionnaire completed by the municipality. The following responses to the questionnaire indicate noncompliance with state requirements:
 - Part II Question 11. The Town's financial records have not been maintained in accordance with the chart of accounts prescribed by the State Auditor.
 - Part II Question 17. The Town has not properly tagged and accounted for fixed assets.
 - Part V Question 15. The Town has not conducted an annual inventory of its fixed assets.

Because the above procedures do not constitute an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we do not express an opinion on any of the specific accounts or classes of transactions referred to above. In connection with the procedures referred to above, no matters came to our attention that caused us to believe the items specified in paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 should be adjusted. Had we performed additional procedures or had we conducted an audit of the financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you. This report should not be associated with the financial statements of the Town of Boyle, Mississippi, for the year ended September 30, 2015.

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Vicksburg, Mississippi

September 26, 2016

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON THE STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – GOVERNMENTAL AND BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES

Honorable Mayor and Aldermen Town of Boyle Boyle, Mississippi 38730

We have compiled the accompanying Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements - Governmental and Business-Type Activities of the Town of Boyle, Mississippi for the year ended September 30, 2015. We have not audited or reviewed the accompanying financial statement and, accordingly, do not express an opinion or provide any assurance about whether the financial statement is in accordance with the cash basis of accounting which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statement in accordance with the cash basis of accounting and for designing, implementing, and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statement.

Our responsibility is to conduct the compilation in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The objective of a compilation is to assist management in presenting financial information in the form of financial statements without undertaking to obtain or provide any assurance that there are no material modifications that should be made to the financial statement.

Management has elected to omit substantially all of the disclosures ordinarily included in the financial statements and the statement of cash flows required by generally accepted accounting principles. If the omitted disclosures and the statement of cash flows were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the Town's financial position, results of operations, and cash flows. Accordingly, these financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

The accompanying supplemental information, Schedule of Investments and the Schedule of Surety Bonds for Municipal Officials referred to in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the statement of cash receipts and disbursements. We have not audited or reviewed the accompanying supplemental information and accordingly, do not express an opinion or any other assurance on it.

We conducted a limited scope audit as of September 30, 2015, as set forth in the Mississippi Municipal Audit and Accounting Guide which pertains to small municipalities. Under the provision of this guide we performed prescribed procedures to the municipality as outlined in the guide.

These reports are intended solely for informational use of the governing body and management of the Town of Boyle, Mississippi, and filing with the Office of the State Auditor of Mississippi. This restriction is not intended to limit the distribution of this report which is a matter of public record.

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Vicksburg, Mississippi September 26, 2016

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TOWN OF BOYLE, MISSISSIPPI

Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements

Governmental and Business-type Activities

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015

		Governmental Activities		Business-7	Business-Type		Total		Total	
	Major Fund	Other	To	tal	Activities		Ali	Activities	All	Activities
	General	Governmental		Governmental		ary	Fiscal Year		Fiscal Year	
	Fund	Funds	Fur	ıds	Fund			2015		2014
Receipts:										
General Property Taxes	\$ 145,020		\$ 1	45,020			\$	145,020	\$	133,151
Personal Auto	19,024			19,024				19,024		18,635
Licenses and Permits	7,868			7,868				7,868		12,233
Road (1/2 tax)	17,959			17,959				17,959		11,163
Garbage Fees	18,710			18,710				18,710		23,749
Mosquito Control	7,212			7,212				7,212		11,341
Franchise and Utility	20,691			20,691				20,691		24,738
Court Fines	359			359				359		1,000
State Shared Revenues:										
Sales Tax	181,072		1	81,072				181,072		192,720
Homestead Reimbursement	7,308			7,308				7,308		6,567
Liquor Licenses	675			675				675		675
Gasoline Tax	1,869			1,869				1,869		1,696
Grand Gulf	4,824			4,824				4,824		4,829
Truck & Bus Tax	1,213			1,213				1,213		1,065
Municipal Aid - Other	324			324				324		893
Fire Protection	3,537			3,537				3,537		3,542
Other Receipts:										
Interest	2,206			2,206	\$	263		2,469		735
Miscellaneous	2,400			2,400				2,400		85
Charges for Services:										
Water & Sewer Fees					278	3,189		278,189		280,616
Total Receipts	442,271	-		42,271	278	3,452		720,723		729,433

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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TOWN OF BOYLE, MISSISSIPPI

Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements

Governmental and Business-type Activities

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2015

	Governmental Activi		ities	Business-Type	Total	Total
	Major Fund	Other	Total	Activities	All Activities	All Activities
	General	Governmental	Governmental	Proprietary	Fiscal Year	Fiscal Year
	Fund	<u>Funds</u>	<u>Funds</u>	Fund	2015	2014
Disbursements:						
General Government	201,447		201,447		201,447	353,512
Public Safety	41,124		41,124		41,124	37,766
Public Property	59,383		59,383		59,383	37,675
Public Streets and Structures	63,951		63,951		63,951	70,944
Health and Sanitation	35,404		35,404		35,404	38,699
Water & Sewer Utilities	,		,	206,255	206,255	255,096
Total Operating Disbursements	401,309	-	401,309	206,255	607,564	793,692
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Transfers	(5,153)		(5,153)	3,329	(1,824)	-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(5,153)	-	(5,153)	3,329	(1,824)	
Excess (Deficiency) of Receipts and other financing sources over disbursements and other						
financing uses	35,809	-	35,809	75,526	111,335	(64,259)
Cash Basis Fund Balance: 10-1-2014	342,161	<u>-</u>	342,161	238,727	580,888	645,147
Cash Basis Fund Balance: 09-30-2015	\$ 377,970	\$ -	\$ 377,970	\$ 314,253	\$ 692,223	\$ 580,888

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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TOWN OF BOYLE, MISSISSIPPI NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS September 30, 2015

NOTE (A) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Town of Boyle, Mississippi (the Town), have been prepared using the cash receipts and disbursements basis of accounting. That is, revenues are recognized when received rather than when measurable and available, and expenditures are recognized when paid rather than when the obligations are incurred. Accordingly, the statement of cash receipts and disbursements -all fund types - is not intended to present results of operations in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

General Information:

The Town operates under the Mayor and Aldermen form of government and provides services as required by law.

Reporting Entity:

The Town utilizes fund accounting, with each fund being considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues and expenditures.

The Town reports the following major Governmental Funds:

<u>General Fund</u> - This fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

Governmental Fund Types:

<u>Capital Projects Fund</u> - The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities.

Proprietary Fund Types:

<u>Enterprise Funds</u> - These funds are used to account for those operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises or where the county has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred and/or net income is necessary for management accountability.

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TOWN OF BOYLE, MISSISSIPPI NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd.) September 30, 2015

NOTE (B) Report Classifications

Receipts and disbursements were classified according to requirements for small towns in the State of Mississippi as prescribed by the Office of the State Auditor.

NOTE (C) Budget

Budgets are adopted as prescribed by the State of Mississippi. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for all funds. The Mississippi Code Ann. (1972) prescribes cash basis reporting of revenues for budgeting of expenditures to be disbursed within thirty days after year end (with exception for construction in progress).

NOTE (D) Cash and Cash Equivalents

The carrying amount of the Town's deposits with financial institutions reported in the governmental funds was \$1,105,235 which includes \$413,012 in certificate of deposits with original maturities beyond three months. The bank balance was \$1,112,947.

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits. Custodial credit risk is defined as the risk that, in the event of the failure of a financial institution, the Town will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The town does not have a formal deposit policy for custodial credit risk.

NOTE (E) Property Tax

The Board of Aldermen, each year at a meeting in September, levies property taxes for the ensuing fiscal year which begins on October 1. Real property taxes become a lien on January 1 of the current year, and personal property taxes become a lien on March 1 of the current year. Taxes on both real and personal property, however, are due on or before February 1 of the next succeeding year. Taxes on motor vehicle and mobile homes become a lien and are due in the month that coincides with the month of the original purchase. The Town entered into an agreement with the Bolivar County Tax Collector to bill and collect real and personal property taxes. Personal auto taxes and mobile home taxes continue to be collected and remitted to the Town by the county tax collector. The General Fund millage rate for the Town of Boyle was 24 mills.

The distribution of taxes to funds was in accordance with prescribed tax levies and uncollected taxes were handled properly.

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TOWN OF BOYLE Schedule of Investments September 30, 2015

Type of Investment	Certificate Number	Interest Rate	Acquired Date	Maturity Date	Financial Institution		ance as of other 30, 2015
Investment	rumber	Rate	Date		Institution	Septen	1001 30, 2013
Certificate of Deposit	54187	0.65%	2/18/99	2/18/17	Cleveland State Bank	\$	14,873
Certificate of Deposit	54886	0.45%	3/02/00	3/2/17	Cleveland State Bank		7,964
Certificate of Deposit	69494	0.45%	2/9/99	2/9/17	Cleveland State Bank		6,415
Certificate of Deposit	4553	1.00%	2/18/03	02/18/18	State Bank & Trust Co.		48,303
Certificate of Deposit	4837	1.00%	3/03/03	3/3/18	State Bank & Trust Co.		6,837
Certificate of Deposit	16206	0.60%	6/9/05	9/9/17	State Bank & Trust Co.		62,482
Certificate of Deposit	40074	0.35%	1/10/08	1/10/17	State Bank & Trust Co.		65,482
Certificate of Deposit	992636	0.15%	2/22/12	6/22/17	Renasant Bank		42,253
Certificate of Deposit	992646	0.15%	2/22/12	6/22/17	Renasant Bank		42,253
Certificate of Deposit	280069308	0.25%	3/7/13	3/7/19	Renasant Bank		7,492
Certificate of Deposit	491	0.50%	4/28/11	4/28/17	The Jefferson Bank		108,658
·					Total	\$	413,012

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TOWN OF BOYLE Schedule of Surety Bonds for Municipal Officials September 30, 2015

Name of Company	Policy Period Ending	Person Covered	Amount
Ohio Casualty	7/02/2016	Mayor	\$ 50,000
Ohio Casualty	7/02/2016	Town Clerk	\$ 50,000
Ohio Casualty	7/02/2016	Aldermen (each)	\$ 10,000
Liberty Mutual	8/24/2016	Police Chief	\$ 50,000

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH STATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS

To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen Town of Boyle, Mississippi

We have compiled the accompanying Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements - Governmental and Business-Type Activities, and Schedule of Surety Bonds for Municipal Officials for the year ended September 30, 2015, in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The financial statement has been prepared on the cash basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We have performed procedures to test compliance with certain state laws and regulations as described by the Municipal Compliance Questionnaire that is prescribed by the Office of the State Auditor of Mississippi. Our procedures were substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on the Town's compliance with these requirements. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

With respect to items tested, the results of those procedures, our compilation of the accompanying Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements - Governmental and Business-Type Activities, and Schedule of Surety Bonds for Municipal Officials, of the Town of Boyle, Mississippi, for the year ended September 30, 2015 disclosed no material instances of noncompliance with state laws and regulations.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, Town Aldermen, and the Office of the State Auditor of Mississippi and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Bridgess & Goodman, PLLC
Bridgers & Goodman, PLLC
Certified Public Accountants

Vicksburg, Mississippi September 26, 2015

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Town of Boyle, Mississippi Municipal Compliance Questionnaire For the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2015

As part of the municipality's audit, the governing authorities of the municipality must make certain assertions with regard to legal compliance. The municipal compliance questionnaire was developed for this purpose.

The following questionnaire and related certification must be completed at the end of the municipality's fiscal year and entered into the official minutes of the governing authorities at their next regular meeting.

The governing authorities should take care to answer these questions accurately. Incorrect answers could reduce the auditor's reliance on the questionnaire responses, resulting in the need to perform additional audit procedures at added cost.

Information

Note: Due to the size of some municipalities, some of the questions may not be applicable. If so, mark N/A in answer blanks. Answers to other questions may require more than "yes" or "no," and, as a result, more information on this questionnaire may be required and/or separate work papers may be needed.

Name and address of municipality:

Town of Boyle
111 T.M. Jones Highway
P.O. Box 367
Boyle, MS 38730

- 1. List the date and population of the latest official U.S. Census or most recent official census:

 2010 U.S. Census Population 650
- 2. Names, addresses and telephone numbers of officials:

MAYOR	ALDERPERSON	ALDERPERSON
James Donald Cooper	Joe Denson	Jeanette Washington
509 Rachel St.	P.O. 547	P.O. Box 56
Boyle, MS 38730	Boyle, MS 38730	Boyle, MS 38730
(662) 719-5566	(662) 843-9541	(662) 843-0195
CHIEF OF POLICE	ALDERPERSON	ALDERPERSON
Murry Roark	Stacy Hurst	Sanders Richardson
P.O. Box 144	P.O. Box 386	P.O. Box 97
Boyle, MS 38730	Boyle, MS 38730	Boyle, MS 38730
(662) 719-8890	(662) 843-5550	(662) 588-4240
CITY CLERK	ALDERPERSON	ATTORNEY
Alice Smith	George Evans III	Kirk Povall
P.O. Box 125	P.O. Box 19	P.O. Box 1199
Boyle, MS 38730	Boyle, MS 38730	Cleveland, MS 38732
(662) 719-5200	(662) 719-1844	(662) 843-9948

- 3. Period of time covered by this questionnaire: October 1, 2014 to September 30, 2015
- 4. Expiration date of current elected officials' term: June 30, 2017

Answer All Questions: Y - YES, N - NO, N/A - NOT APPLICABLE

PART I - General

- 1. Have all ordinances been entered into the ordinance book and included in the minutes? (Section 21-13-13) Yes
- 2. Do all municipal vehicles have public license plates and proper markings? (Sections 25-1-87 and 27-19-27) Yes
- 3. Are municipal records open to the public? (Section 25-61-5) Yes
- 4. Are meetings of the board open to the public? (Section 25-41-5) Yes
- 5. Are notices of special or recess meetings posted? (Section 25-41-13) Yes
- Are all required personnel covered by appropriate surety bonds?
 Board or council members (Sec. 21-17-5) Yes
 Appointed officers and those handling money, see statutes governing the form of government (i.e., Section 21-3-5 for Code Charter) Yes
 Municipal clerk (Section 21-15-38) Yes
 Deputy clerk (Section 21-15-23) N/A
 Chief of police (Section 21-21-1) Yes
 Deputy police (Section 45-5-9) (if hired under this law) N/A
- 7. Are minutes of board meetings prepared to properly reflect the actions of the board? (Sections 21-15-17 and 21-15-19) Yes
- 8. Are minutes of board meetings signed by the mayor or majority of the board within 30 days of the meeting? (Section 21-15-33) Yes
- 9. Has the municipality complied with the nepotism law in its employment practices? (Section 25-1-53) Yes
- 10. Did all officers, employees of the municipality, or their relatives avoid any personal interest in any contracts with the municipality during their term or within one year after their terms of office or employment? (Section 25-4-105) Yes
- 11. Does the municipality contract with a Certified Public Accountant or an auditor approved by the State Auditor for its annual audit within twelve months of the end of each fiscal year? (Section 21-35-31) Yes
- 12. Has the municipality published a synopsis or notice of the annual audit within 30 days of acceptance? (Section 21-35-31 or 21-17-19) Yes

PART II - Cash and Related Records

- 1. Where required, is a claims docket maintained? (Section 21-39-7) Yes
- 2. Are all claims paid in the order of their entry in the claims docket? (Section 21-39-9) Yes
- 3. Does the claims docket identify the claimant, claim number, amount and fund from which each warrant will be issued? (Section 21-39-7) Yes
- 4. Are all warrants approved by the board, signed by the mayor or majority of the board, attested to by the clerk, and bearing the municipal seal? (Section 21-39-13) Yes
- 5. Are warrants for approved claims held until sufficient cash is available in the fund from which it is drawn? (Section 21-39-13) Yes
- 6. Has the municipality adopted and entered on its minutes a budget in the format prescribed by the Office of the State Auditor? (Sections 21-35-5, 21-35-7 and 21-35-9) Yes
- 7. Does the municipality operate on a cash basis budget, except for expenditures paid within 30 days of fiscal year end or for construction in progress? (Section 21-35-23) Yes
- 8. Has the municipality held a public hearing and published its adopted budget? (Sections 21-35-5, 27-39-203, & 27-39-205) Yes
- 9. Has the municipality complied with legal publication requirements when budgetary changes of 10% or more are made to a department's budget? (Section 21-35-25) Yes
- 10. If revenues are less than estimated and a deficit is anticipated, did the board revise the budget by its regular July meeting? (Section 21-35-25) Yes
- 11. Have financial records been maintained in accordance with the chart of accounts prescribed by the State Auditor? (Section 21-35-11) Yes
- 12. Does the municipal clerk submit to the board a monthly report of expenditures against each budget item for the preceding month and fiscal year to date and the unexpended balances of each budget item? (Section 21-35-13) Yes
- 13. Does the board avoid approving claims and the city clerk not issue any warrants which would be in excess of budgeted amounts, except for court-ordered or emergency expenditures? (Section 21-35-17) Yes
- Has the municipality commissioned municipal depositories? (Sections 27-105-353 and 27-105-363) Yes
- 15. Have investments of funds been restricted to those instruments authorized by law? (Section 21-33-323) Yes
- 16. Are donations restricted to those specifically authorized by law? [Section 21-17-5 (Section 66, Miss. Constitution) -- Sections 21-19-45 through 21-19-59, etc.] Yes
- 17. Are fixed assets properly tagged and accounted for? (Section II Municipal Audit and Accounting Guide) No

- Is all travel authorized in advance and reimbursements made in accordance with Section 25-3-41? Yes
- 19. Are all travel advances made in accordance with the State Auditor's regulations? (Section 25-3-41) Yes

PART III - Purchasing and Receiving

- 1. Are bids solicited for purchases, when required by law (written bids and advertising)? [Section 31-7-13(b) and (c)] Yes
- 2. Are all lowest and best bid decisions properly documented? [Section 31-7-13(d)] Yes
- 3. Are all one-source item and emergency purchases documented on the board's minutes? [Section 31-7-13(m) and (k)] Yes
- 4. Do all officers and employees understand and refrain from accepting gifts or kickbacks from suppliers? (Section 31-7-23) Yes

PART IV - Bonds and Other Debt

- 1. Has the municipality complied with the percentage of taxable property limitation on bonds and other debt issued during the year? (Section 21-33-303) No bonds or other debt applicable for this period
- 2. Has the municipality levied and collected taxes, in a sufficient amount for the retirement of general obligation debt principal and interest? (Section 21-33-87) <u>SEE PART IV, Q 1</u>
- Have the required trust funds been established for utility revenue bonds? (Section 21-27-65) SEE PART IV, Q 1
- 4. Have expenditures of bond proceeds been strictly limited to the purposes for which the bonds were issued? (Section 21-33-317) SEE PART IV, Q 1
- 5. Has the municipality refrained from borrowing, except where it had specific authority? (Section 21-17-5) SEE PART IV, Q 1

PART V - Taxes and Other Receipts

- 1. Has the municipality adopted the county ad valorem tax rolls? (Section 27-35-167) Yes
- Are interest and penalties being collected on delinquent ad valorem taxes? (Section 21-33-53) Yes
- Has the municipality conducted an annual land sale for delinquent ad valorem taxes?
 (Section 21-33-63) Yes
- 4. Have the various ad valorem tax collections been deposited into the appropriate funds? (Separate Funds for Each Tax Levy) (Section 21-33-53) Yes

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- 5. Has the increase in ad valorem taxes, if any, been limited to amounts allowed by law? (Sections 27-39-320 and 27-39-321) Yes
- 6. Are local privilege taxes collected from all businesses located within the municipality, except those exempted? (Section 27-17-5) Yes
- 7. Are transient vendor taxes collected from all transient vendors within the municipality, except those exempted? (Section 75-85-1) Yes
- 8. Is money received from the state's "Municipal Fire Protection Fund" spent only to improve municipal fire departments? (Section 83-1-37) Yes
- 9. Has the municipality levied or appropriated not less than ¼ mill for fire protection and certified to the county it provides its own fire protection or allowed the county to levy such tax? (Sections 83-1-37 and 83-1-39) Allowed the County
- 10. Are state-imposed court assessments collected and settled monthly? (Section 99-19-73, 83-39-31, etc.) Yes
- 11. Are all fines and forfeitures collected when due and settled immediately to the municipal treasury? (Section 21-15-21) Yes
- 12. Are bids solicited by advertisement or, under special circumstances, three appraisals obtained when real property is sold? (Section 21-17-1) Yes
- 13. Has the municipality determined the full and complete cost for solid waste for the previous fiscal year? (Section 17-17-347) Yes
- 14. Has the municipality published an itemized report of all revenues, costs and expenses incurred by the municipality during the immediately preceding fiscal year in operating the garbage or rubbish collection or disposal system? (Section 17-17-348) N/A
- 15. Has the municipality conducted an annual inventory of its assets in accordance with guidelines established by the Office of the State Auditor? (MMAAG) No



Town of Boyle, Mississippi

Certification to Municipal Compliance Questionnaire

Year Ended September 30, 2015

We have reviewed all questions and responses as contained in this Municipal Compliance

Questionnaire for the Municipality of the <u>Town of Boyle</u>, and, to the best of our knowledge and belief, all responses are accurate.

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