

COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE
Inter-Office Communication

Date: August 25, 2017
To: Supervisor Theodore Lipscomb, Sr., Chair, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors
From: Jerome J. Heer, Director of Audits
Subject: 2016 Countywide Audit Reports

Attached are electronic files of the reports included in the 2016 Countywide audit packet. The auditors' opinions accompanying the reports were issued by Baker Tilly Virchow Krause, LLP (BT) and Coleman & Williams, LTD (CW), as indicated. Also enclosed is the Summary Observations document prepared by Baker Tilly Virchow Krause, LLP, outlining key aspects of the reports.

	<u>Report Title</u>	<u>Firm</u>	<u>Description</u>
a.)	2016 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report	BT	Compilation of annual financial statements, schedules, and supplementary information.
b.)	2016 Single Audit Report	CW	Schedules of expenditures of Federal and State awards and compliance reports.
c.)	Employees' Retirement System 2016 Annual Report of the Pension Board	BT	Annual financial statements, disclosures, and supplemental information.
d.)	General Mitchell International Airport Schedule of Passenger Facility Charges, Revenues and Expenses	CW	Schedule of PFC funds and compliance reports prepared in accordance with regulatory requirements.
e.)	Milwaukee County Paratransit and Transit System Database Reports	CW	Compliance reports and information prepared in accordance with regulatory requirements.
f.)	2016 Communications to Those Charged with Governance and Management	BT	Opportunities for strengthening internal controls and improving operating efficiency, includes recommendations and responses.
g.)	Audit Communications Letter to Board of Supervisors	BT	Matters required by professional standards to be reported to the Finance & Audit Committee by Baker Tilly Virchow Krause, LLP.

This item is informational. Please refer the report packet to the Finance and Audit Committee.



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Enclosures

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