October 13, 2020

Board of Trustees
Limestone Township Fire Protection District
4948 West Route 17
Kankakee, Illinois 60901
We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Limestone Township Fire Protection District for the year ended May 31, 2020. Professional standards require that we provide you with information about our responsibilities under generally accepted 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 June 25, 2020. 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 Limestone Township Fire Protection District are described in Note 1 to the financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during fiscal year 2020. We noted no transactions entered into by the District 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 estimate affecting the governmental activities financial statements was:

Management's estimate of the depreciation expense is based on the estimated useful lives of the assets. We evaluated the key factors and assumptions used to develop the estimate of depreciation expense in determining that it is reasonable in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

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

## 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 known and likely misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are clearly trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. The attached schedule lists all audit adjustments, which have been posted by management. The following adjustment was material: $\$ 18,933$ of insurance and retirement payments were reclassified to the appropriate financial statement line.

## 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 auditor's 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 October 13, 2020.

## 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 Limestone Township Fire Protection District's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditor's 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 prior to retention as Limestone Township Fire Protection District's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

We communicated a significant deficiency in internal controls in a separate letter.

## Restriction on Use

This information is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees and management of Limestone Township Fire Protection District and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

## SKDO, P.C.


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## Date: 6/1/2019 To 5/31/2020

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|  |  |  |  |  | 9,515.00 | 9,515.00 | 0.00 |
| 20.01 CH | 5/31/2020 | POC Salaries | 20-6950 20 | 26-02 |  | 10,238.00 |  |
| 20.01 CH | 5/31/2020 | Retirement Plan | 20-6915.3 20 | 26-02 | 5,610.00 |  |  |
| 20.01 CH | 5/31/2020 | Life Insurance Plan | 20-6915.4 20 | 26-02 | 4,628.00 |  |  |
| Reclass retirement and life insurance exp |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 10,238.00 | 10,238.00 | 0.00 |
| 20.02LH | 5/31/2020 | Cash in Checking-Ambulance | 20-1020 20 | 24-01 |  | 4,438.00 |  |
| 20.02LH | 5/31/2020 | County Tax Revenue | 20-4010 20 | 24-01 | 4,438.00 |  |  |
| Adjust property taxes to actual |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 4,438.00 | 4,438.00 | $(4,438.00)$ |
| 20.03 CH | 5/31/2020 | Loan Income | 20-4070 20 | 15-2 | 30,000.00 |  |  |
| 20.03 CH | 5/31/2020 | Operating Loan Repayment | 20-7320 20 | 15-2 |  | 30,373.00 |  |
| 20.03 CH | 5/31/2020 | Interest Pmt-Capital Loan | 20-7335 20 | 15-2 | 373.00 |  |  |
| Reclass proceeds and repayment of short-term debt |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 30,373.00 | 30,373.00 | 0.00 |
| 20.04 CH | 5/31/2020 | Ambulance Loan | 20-7310 20 | 15-2 |  | 354.00 |  |
| 20.04 CH | 5/31/2020 | Interest Pmt-Capital Loan | 20-7335 20 | 15-2 | 354.00 |  |  |


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|  | Reclassify interest payment on <br> ambulance loan |  |  |  |  |
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| 34.02CH 5/31/2020 | Gain/loss on disposal | $34-495034$ | $11-03$ | $3,869.00$ |  |
|  | Record capital asset disposals |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $124,141.00$ | $124,141.00$ |


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