CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 2023

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To CareerSource Chipola of Directors, Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola:

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities and the general fund of Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc., d/b/a CareerSource Chipola ("CareerSource Chipola") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the CareerSource Chipola's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and the major fund of CareerSource Chipola, as of June 30, 2023, and the changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* (GAS), issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of CareerSource Chipola and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about CareerSource Chipola's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audits of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and GAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing audits in accordance with GAAS and GAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audits.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audits in order to design audit
 procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an
 opinion on the effectiveness of CareerSource Chipola's internal control. Accordingly, no such
 opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about CareerSource Chipola's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audits, significant audit findings, and certain internal control–related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise CareerSource Chipola's basic financial statements. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated April 25, 2024, on our consideration of CareerSource Chipola's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering CareerSource Chipola's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

James Maore : Co., P.L.

Tallahassee, Florida April 25, 2024

Management is pleased to offer the following assessment of the operations of Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola ("CareerSource Chipola") for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Overview of Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to CareerSource Chipola's basic financial statements. CareerSource Chipola's basic financial statements comprise three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

Government-wide financial statements. The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of CareerSource Chipola's finances in a manner similar to a private sector business. The government-wide financial statements consist of the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities.

The *statement of net position* presents information on all of CareerSource Chipola's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net position. Over time increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of CareerSource Chipola is improving or deteriorating.

The *statement of activities* presents information showing how CareerSource Chipola's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, *regardless of the timing of related cash flows*. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., earned but unused vacation leave).

The location of the basic government-wide financial statements can be found in the table of contents.

Fund financial statements. A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. CareerSource Chipola uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance—related legal requirements. CareerSource Chipola maintains one governmental fund, which is the General fund.

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Governmental funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be used in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for *governmental funds* with similar information presented for *governmental activities* in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between *governmental funds* and *governmental activities*. The location of the basic governmental fund financial statements can be found in the table of contents in this report.

Notes to the financial statements. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The location of the notes to the financial statements can be found in the table of contents.

Other information. In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents a Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards. This schedule lists all Federal grants awarded to CareerSource Chipola and the related expenditures for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. The location of the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards can be found in the table of contents.

Government-wide Financial Analysis *Condensed financial information* - As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position.

	Condensed Statements of Net Position				
		2023		2022	
Current assets	\$	968,924	\$	958,064	
Capital assets, net		447,058		580,567	
Total assets		1,415,982		1,538,631	
Current liabilities		274,121		226,653	
Noncurrent liabilities		717,872		791,693	
Total liabilities		991,993		1,018,346	
Net investment in capital assets		6,321		43,951	
Unrestricted		417,668		476,334	
Net position	\$	423,989	\$	520,285	

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At the end of each fiscal year above, CareerSource Chipola is able to report a positive balance in net position.

	Condensed Statement of Activities						
	_	2023		2022			
Program revenues:							
Charges for services, operating grants and contributions	\$	2,192,155	\$	2,993,986			
General revenues:							
Other		6,722		1,577			
Total revenues		2,198,877		2,995,563			
Expenses:							
Training, retraining and readjustment		2,295,173		3,078,786			
Change in net position		(96,296)		(83,223)			
Net position, beginning of year		520,285		603,508			
Net position, end of year	\$	423,989	\$	520,585			

OVERALL FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Governmental Activities

The assets of CareerSource Chipola exceeded its liabilities at June 30, 2023 by \$423,989. Approximately 1% of this total, or \$6,321 is invested in net capital assets.

Changes in current assets and current liabilities compared to prior year are the result of the timing of grants receipts and related grant cash disbursements.

Decreases in program revenues and related program expenses are the result of decreases in grant activity related primarily to the National Emergency Grants. Expenses exceed revenues for the Organization's Opportunity Florida program, which contributed to the net loss for the year ending June 30, 2023.

THE ORGANIZATION'S INDIVIDUAL FUND

General Fund

The General Fund receives its funding under cash advance and cost reimbursement contracts. If at the end of the fiscal year, an advance is not sufficient to cover applicable expenditures, a receivable is created. If an advance is in excess of applicable expenditures, a refundable advance is reported. Consequently, revenues will generally equal expenditures with a small profit due to charges for services not funded by grants. The fund balance represents amounts received prior to the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) from performance grants and other charges for services.

The \$36,608 decrease in fund balance for Program Year 2023 was a result of expenditures exceeding revenues for the Organization's unrestricted contracts (for example, Opportunity Florida).

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Capital Assets

Excluding right-to-use assets for leases under GASB Statement No. 87, *Leases*, CareerSource Chipola experienced a decrease in capital assets. Decreases in capital assets during the year ended June 30, 2023, were related to the deprecation of capital assets in the amount of \$28,467. The Organization had right-to-use assets for leases in the amount of \$630,252 net of accumulated amortization and lease liabilities in the amount of \$210,084 as of June 30, 2023.

Budgetary Highlights

CareerSource Chipola is not legally required to adopt a budget. As such, budgetary exhibits are not presented.

Debt Administration

The Organization's long-term debt is its accrual for compensated absences and lease liability. Please refer to the notes accompanying financial statements entitled *Long Term Debt* and *Leases* for more detailed information about long-term debt activity.

Economic Factors

92% of the Organization's revenues were generated from federal grants, most of which were passed through the State of Florida's Department of Commerce. Anything that could influence federal and state appropriations of these funds will have a direct impact on the Organization.

Request for Information

This report is designed to provide a general overview of CareerSource Chipola's finances for all those with an interest in CareerSource Chipola's finances. Questions concerning any of the information in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed as follows:

Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola 4636 Highway 90 East, Suite K Marianna, Florida 32446

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2023

		vernmental Activities
<u>ASSETS</u>		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	335,973
Certificates of deposit	·	322,647
Grant, contract and other receivables		306,554
Prepaids		3,750
Total current assets		968,924
Non-current assets		
Capital assets		
Furniture and equipment		206,774
Buildings - right-to-use assets		630,252
Less: Accumulated depreciation		(179,884)
Less: Accumulated amortization		(210,084)
Total capital assets and non-current assets		447,058
Total Assets	\$	1,415,982
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	128,289
Unearned revenue		145,832
Total current liabilities		274,121
Non-current liabilities		
Due within one year:		
Compensated absences		13,980
Lease liability		101,287
Due in more than one year:		
Compensated absences		263,155
Lease liability		339,450
Total noncurrent liabilities		717,872
Total Liabilities	\$	991,993
Net Position		
Net investment in capital assets	\$	6,321
Unrestricted		417,668
Total Net Position	\$	423,989

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

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	· -	Expenses	Program Revenues Charges for Operating Grants Services and Contributions			Ch Go	et (Expense) evenue and anges in Net Position evernmental Activities
Functions and Programs Governmental activities:							
Training, retraining and readjustment	\$	2,295,173	\$ 173,064	\$	2,019,091	\$	(103,018)
Total governmental activities	\$	2,295,173	\$ 173,064	\$	2,019,091		(103,018)
					General revenues:		
				C1	Interest		6,722
				Cha	inge in net position		(96,296)
			Net	position	n, beginning of yea	r	520,285
				Net p	osition, end of yea	r \$	423,989

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUND JUNE 30, 2023

	General Fund		
Assets	¢	225 072	
Cash and cash equivalents Certificates of deposit	\$	335,973 322,647	
Grant, contract, and other receivables		306,554	
Prepaids		3,750	
Total Assets	\$	968,924	
Liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	128,289	
Unearned revenue		145,832	
Total Liabilities		274,121	
Fund Balance			
Nonspendable			
Prepaids		3,750	
Unassigned		691,053	
Total Fund Balance		694,803	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	\$	968,924	

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

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2023

Fund balances - total governmental fund	\$ 694,803
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds	
Total governmental capital assets 837,026	
Less: accumulated depreciation and amortization (389,968)	447,058
Long-term liabilities, including compensated absences and lease liabilities	
that are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not	
reported in the funds. These liabilities, deferred outflows, and other debt-related	
deferred charges consist of the following:	
Lease liabilities (440,737)	
Compensated absences (277,135)	(717,872)
Net position of governmental activities	\$ 423,989

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - GOVERNMENTAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	Ge	neral Fund
Revenues		
Grants and contracts	\$	2,019,091
Other	~	173,064
Interest		6,722
Total revenues		2,198,877
Expenditures		
Training, retraining and readjustment:		
Personnel and benefits		879,275
Professional fees		26,000
Direct program		903,186
Travel and training		34,671
Communication and utilities		103,600
Insurance		25,945
Printing and office supplies		25,556
Occupancy and short-term lease expense		25,820
Repairs and maintenance		2,818
Equipment		13,476
Licenses and software		49,079
Outreach		2,462
Dues and membership		7,284
Other		13,313
Debt service:		
Principal		95,879
Interest		27,121
Total expenditures	<u> </u>	2,235,485
Net change in fund balance		(36,608)
Fund balance, beginning of year		731,411
Fund balance, end of year	\$	694,803

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

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUND TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Net change in fund balance - total governmental fund	\$ (36,608)
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation and amortization expense.	
Amortization expense	(105,042)
Depreciation expense	(28,467)
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require	
the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not	
reported as expenditures in the governmental funds.	
Principal payments on lease liability	95,879
Change in compensated absences	(22,058)
Change in net position of governmental activities:	\$ (96,296)

(1) **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:**

The following is a summary of the more significant accounting policies of Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. (CareerSource Chipola), which affect significant elements of the financial statements:

(a) Reporting entity— CareerSource Chipola is a nonprofit corporation established to provide for enhanced coordination, cooperation, and outcomes by and between the several entities, both public and private, which are involved at the local level in providing youth and adults with opportunities to develop and continuously upgrade their knowledge and skills in order to advance economically and socially throughout their lifetime, and in providing employers with the skilled workforce necessary to be competitive in local, state, national and/or international markets. CareerSource Chipola was created to fulfill the duties and responsibilities provided for by the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) of 1998-Title 1, superseded by the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (WIOA), and the State of Florida Workforce Innovation Act of 2000 for the Region 3 Local Workforce Investment Area comprised of Calhoun, Holmes, Jackson, Liberty and Washington counties. The governing authority of CareerSource Chipola is its Board of Directors.

The accounting policies adopted by the Board of Directors conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applied to not-for-profit organizations reporting using the governmental model. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, the financial statements of the reporting entity include those of CareerSource Chipola. There were no entities that required inclusion as a component unit within CareerSource Chipola's financial statements.

(b) Government-wide and fund financial statements—The government-wide financial statements (the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of CareerSource Chipola. Governmental activities are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely on fees charged to external parties as their primary revenues. CareerSource Chipola has no business-type activities.

The Statement of Net Position reports CareerSource Chipola's financial position as of the end of the fiscal year. In this statement, CareerSource Chipola's net position are reported in two categories: investment in capital assets and unrestricted net position.

The Statement of Activities is displayed using a net-cost format and reports the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Indirect costs are included in the program expense reported for individual functions and activities. Program revenues include (1) charges for services that are directly related to a given function and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Separate financial statements are provided for the general fund, which is CareerSource Chipola's only fund.

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)

(c) **Measurement focus and basis of accounting**—The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, CareerSource Chipola considers revenues to be available if they are collected within sixty days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

CareerSource Chipola considers most revenues, such as reimbursement-based grant revenues and charges for service, to be susceptible to accrual and so they have been recognized as revenues in the current fiscal period. Other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is CareerSource Chipola's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

Major Governmental Fund—The sole governmental fund used by CareerSource Chipola is the general fund, which is used to account for all financial activity of CareerSource Chipola.

- (d) **Cash and cash equivalents**—Cash and cash equivalents of CareerSource Chipola are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.
- (e) **Grants and other receivables**—Grants and other receivables consist of amounts due from grantor agencies for reimbursement of expenditures under various programs. Management has concluded that realization of losses on balance outstanding at year-end will be immaterial.
- (f) Capital assets and depreciation—Capital assets are defined by CareerSource Chipola as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$5,000 or more and an estimated useful life of more than one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated acquisition value at the date of the donation. The Federal Government has a reversionary interest in those assets purchased with its funds which have a cost of \$5,000 or more and an estimated useful life of at least one year. Depreciation of capital assets and amortization of right-to-use assets is computed using the straight-line method over estimated useful lives as follows:

Assets	Years
Leasehold improvements	30
Equipment	5-10
Vehicles	5
Right-to-use buildings	3–6

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)

- (g) **Unearned revenues**—Unearned revenues are comprised of amounts received from grantor agencies by CareerSource Chipola prior to meeting revenue recognition criteria. In subsequent periods, when the revenue recognition criteria have been met, the liability for unearned revenues is reduced and revenue is recognized.
- (h) **Prepaids and other assets**—Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaids in both the government—wide and fund financial statements.
- (i) Indirect costs—CareerSource Chipola receives funds from several sources. Accordingly, indirect administrative and program support costs are allocated between the various programs in the following manner: Indirect administrative costs and indirect program support costs, including indirect salary costs, are charged to either an administrative or program cost pool and allocated to all programs including WTP, WIOA youth, WIOA adult, and WIOA dislocated workers contracts based on each program's direct program costs. Indirect occupancy costs are charged to a cost pool and allocated to all programs based on each program's direct program costs. Indirect occupancy costs are charged to various funding sources or indirect costs pools based on FTE's determined by bi-weekly personnel activity reports. The allocation ratios are determined based upon each program's percentage of total time charged by staff
- (j) **Budgets**—The general expenditure authority of CareerSource Chipola, as provided by Sections 445.004 and 445.007 of the Florida Statutes, does not require a legally adopted budget placed into public law. Accordingly, the budgetary comparison schedules for governmental funds have not been presented as supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.
- (k) **Income taxes**—CareerSource Chipola is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, except for taxes on unrelated business income. Since CareerSource Chipola had no taxable unrelated business income during the years ended June 30, 2022, no provision for income taxes is provided in the financial statements.

Management of CareerSource Chipola considers the likelihood of changes by taxing authorities in its filed income tax returns and recognizes a liability for or discloses potential significant changes that management believes are more likely than not to occur, including changes to CareerSource Chipola's status as a not-for-profit entity. Management believes CareerSource Chipola met the requirements to maintain its tax-exempt status and has no income subject to unrelated business income tax, therefore no provision for income taxes has been provided in these financial statements. CareerSource Chipola's income tax returns for the past three years are subject to examination by tax authorities, and may change upon examination.

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)

(l) **Fund balance**—In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which CareerSource Chipola is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent. Those classifications are as follows:

Nonspendable—Amounts that cannot be spent either because they are not in a spendable form or because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted—Amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes because of the Bylaws, state or federal laws, or externally imposed conditions by grantors or creditors.

Committed—Amounts that can be used only for specific purposes determined by a formal action by ordinance or resolution.

Assigned—Amounts that are designated by CareerSource Chipola Directors for a specific purpose but are not spendable until a budget ordinance is passed by CareerSource Chipola Directors.

Unassigned—All amounts not included in other spendable classifications.

When an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available, CareerSource Chipola considers restricted funds to have been spent first. When an expenditure is incurred for which committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available, CareerSource Chipola considers amounts to have been spent first out of committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds, as needed, unless CareerSource Chipola Directors has provided otherwise in its commitment or assignment actions.

- (m) **Net position flow assumption**—Sometimes CareerSource Chipola will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted and unrestricted resources. In order to determine amounts reported as restricted and unrestricted net position, it is CareerSource Chipola's policy to consider restricted net position to have been used before unrestricted net position is applied.
- (n) Leases—CareerSource Chipola leases building facilities and determines if an arrangement is a lease at inception. CareerSource Chipola recognizes intangible right-to-use (RTU) assets and corresponding lease liabilities for all leases that are not considered short-term. RTU assets represent CareerSource Chipola's right to use an underlying asset for the lease term and lease liabilities represent CareerSource Chipola's obligation to make lease payments arising from the lease. RTU assets and liabilities are recognized at the lease commencement date based on the present value of lease payments over the lease term.

Basis of lease classification – Leases that meet the following requirement will not be considered short term: the maximum possible lease term(s) is non-cancelable by both lessee and lessor, and is more than 12 months, and (2) the present value of lease payments for the lease is less than \$5,000.

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies: (Continued)

Discount Rate – Unless explicitly stated in the lease agreement, known by CareerSource Chipola, or CareerSource Chipola is able to determine the rate implicit within the lease, the discount rate used to calculate lease right-to-use assets and liabilities is 5.5% for applicable leases beginning July 1, 2021 and applicable lease conversions.

CareerSource Chipola's lease agreements do not contain any material residual value guarantees or material restrictive covenants.

(2) Reconciliation of Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements:

- (a) Explanation of certain differences between the governmental fund balance sheets and the government-wide statements of net position—Following the governmental fund balance sheets is a reconciliation between *fund balance total governmental funds* and *net position of governmental activities* as reported in the government-wide statements of net position. The details of these differences are explained in the above referenced financial statements.
- (b) Explanation of certain differences between the governmental fund statements of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance and the government-wide statements of activities—Following the governmental fund statements of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance, there is a reconciliation between net change in fund balance total governmental funds and change in net position of governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statements of activities. The details of these differences are explained in the above referenced financial statements.

(3) Capital Assets and Depreciation:

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2023, was as follows:

	Balance uly 1, 2022]	Increases	Dec	creases	Balance ne 30, 2023
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	\$ 206,774	\$	-	\$	_	\$ 206,774
Right-to-use buildings	630,252		-		-	630,252
Less accumulated depreciation	(151,417)		(28,467)		-	(179,884)
Less accumulated amortization	(105,042)		(210,084)		-	(210,084)
Capital assets, net	\$ 580,567	\$	(238,551)	\$	-	\$ 447,058

For the year ended June 30, 2023, depreciation expense was \$28,467 and amortization expense was \$210,084, and was charged to training program.

(4) Leases:

CareerSource Chipola as Lessee

In fiscal year 2014-2015, CareerSource Chipola entered into a lease agreement with Chipola Land & Development Company, Inc., as lessee for building facilities at 4636 Highway 90 East, Suite K, Marianna, which was last renewed in fiscal year 2020-2021 and expires June 30, 2027. A right-to-use asset was added to CareerSource Chipola's capital assets for \$630,252 which is included in the building class. The accumulated amortization as of June 30, 2023, was \$210,084. The building facility has a thirty-year estimated useful life. As of June 30, 2023, the present value of the future minimum lease payments was \$440,737. The discount rate applied to the leases is 5.5%.

Lease expense for the right-to-use assets for the years ended June 30, 2023, is as follows:

une 30, 2023
105,042
26,681
131,723

The principal and interest requirements to maturity for the lease liability as of June 30, 2023, is as follows:

Year Ending June 30,	Principal	Interest	Total Payments		
2024	\$ 101,287	\$ 21,713	\$	123,000	
2025	107,001	15,999		123,000	
2026	113,037	9,963		123,000	
2027	119,413	3,587		123,000	
Total future minimum lease payments	\$ 440,738	\$ 51,262	\$	492,000	

(5) Changes in Long-term Liabilities:

Eligible employees accrue vacation and sick leave at varying rates based upon length of employment. Annual leave is accrued as earned by employees and recorded as an expense in the period earned. Upon termination, the maximum amount of annual leave that an employee may accumulate and be paid for is 240 hours. An employee may be paid out for sick leave after five (5) years employment with CareerSource Chipola. The employee or employee's family will be paid 100% of the employee's current base salary for the first 240 hours which he or she has accrued (and previously earned) with the remaining hours being paid at 50% of the employee's current base salary, provided the employee does not leave under duress. Compensated absences payable activity and lease liability activity for the year ended June 30, 2023, is as follows:

Governmental Activities	Beginning Balance Add		ditions	ions Reductions		Ending Balance		Due Within One Year		
Compensated absences	\$	255,077	\$	47,325	\$	(25,267)	\$	277,135	\$	13,980
Lease liability		536,616		_		(95,879)		440,737		101,287
Total liabilities	\$	791,693	\$	47,325	\$	(121,146)	\$	717,872	\$	115,267

(6) Retirement Plan:

CareerSource Chipola sponsors a defined contribution retirement plan which covers substantially all employees. The plan provides for a 16% contribution of the employees' base salary beginning after the probationary employment period, provided funds are available. The amount of retirement expense for the year ended June 30, 2023, was \$85,180.

(7) Risk Management:

CareerSource Chipola is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which CareerSource Chipola carries commercial insurance. Insurance against losses is provided for the following types of risk:

- Personal Property and EDP
- Directors' and Officers' Liability
- Employment Practices Liability
- Auto

(8) Concentrations of Credit Risk and Significant Funding Source:

- (a) Cash and cash equivalents—As of June 30, 2023, CareerSource Chipola had demand deposits with one financial institution of \$382,796. CareerSource Chipola has no policy requiring collateral or other security to support its deposits, although all demand deposits with banks are federally insured up to FDIC limitations. The demand deposits with the financial institutions are insured up to \$250,000. At June 30, 2023, CareerSource Chipola had \$132,796 in deposits that exceeded FDIC coverage.
- (b) **Grants and other receivables**—CareerSource Chipola's receivables are for amounts due under contracts with the State of Florida and Federal government agencies. CareerSource Chipola has no policy requiring collateral or other security to support its receivables.
- (c) **Significant funding source**—During the years ended June 30, 2023, CareerSource Chipola received approximately 92% of its funding from the United States Department of Labor and the United States Department of Health and Human Services passed through the Florida Department of Commerce. If a significant reduction in the level of this funding were to occur, it could have an adverse effect on CareerSource Chipola's program and activities.

(9) Contingencies and Uncertainties:

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the Federal government and the State of Florida. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although CareerSource Chipola expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

(10) Related Parties:

Certain board members provide services either directly or indirectly to CareerSource Chipola. A description and the amount of the services provided is as follows:

Tuition	\$ 55,794
Dues and Subscriptions	334
Utilities	7,337
Contracts	53,156
	\$ 116,623

The amount outstanding as payable for these services as of June 30, 2023, was \$16,843.

Additionally, CareerSource Chipola entered into Florida Department of Commerce approved contracts with entities of which board members were employed.

COMPLIANCE SECTION



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

To the Board of Directors, Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to the financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc., d/b/a CareerSource Chipola (CareerSource Chipola) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise CareerSource Chipola's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered CareerSource Chipola's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of CareerSource Chipola's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of CareerSource Chipola's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether CareerSource Chipola's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

James Maore : 60., P.L.

Tallahassee, Florida April 25, 2024

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ State Grantor/Program Title	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Award Number	Expenditures	Pass-Through to Subrecipients
FEDERAL AWARDS				
U. S. Department of Health and Human Services				
Passed through State of Florida, Department of Commerce				
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	93.558 93.558	WTS22 WTS23	\$ 186,446 194,021 380,467	\$ 47,121 27,002 74,123
U. S. Department of Labor				
Passed through State of Florida, Department of Commerce				
Employment Service/Wagner – Peyser Funded Activities Employment Service/Wagner – Peyser Funded Activities	17.207 17.207	WPA23 WPB22	11,803 7,778	-
Employment Service/Wagner – Peyser Funded Activities	17.207	WPB23	23,112	-
Disable Veterans' Outreach Program (DVOP) Disable Veterans' Outreach Program (DVOP)	17.801 17.801	DLC22 DLC23	24,093 13,432	-
Disable Veteralis Outreach Hogram (DVOI)	-,	ployment Service Cluster	80,218	
Unemployment Insurance	17.225	UCR21	4,280	-
Unemployment Insurance	17.225	UCR22	678	
			4,958	

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

(Continued)

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ State Grantor/Program Title	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Award Number	Expenditures	Pass-Through to Subrecipients
FEDERAL AWARDS (Continued)				
U. S. Department of Labor (Continued)				
Passed through State of Florida, Department of Commerce (Continued)				
WIOA Adult Program	17.258	WIA22	253,450	-
WIOA Adult Program	17.258	WIA23	94,557	_
WIOA Adult Program	17.258	WIS21	87,047	1,240
WIOA Adult Program	17.258	WIS22	3,110	_
WIOA Youth Activities	17.259	WIY22	214,328	_
WIOA Youth Activities	17.259	WIY23	165,164	-
WIOA Youth Activities	17.259	WIS21	87,047	1,240
WIOA Youth Activities	17.259	WIS22	3,110	-
WIOA Dislocated Worker Formulas Grants	17.278	WID22	64,647	-
WIOA Dislocated Worker Formulas Grants	17.278	WIS21	106,703	1,520
WIOA Dislocated Worker Formulas Grants	17.278	WIS22	3,499	-
WIOA Dislocated Worker Formulas Grants	17.278	WIR22	46,588	-
Total Workforce	Innovation and O	pportunity Act Cluster	1,129,250	4,000
WIOA National Dislocated Worker Grants / WIA National Emergency Grants	17.277	WNC20	260,464	-
COVID19 WIOA National Dislocated Worker Grants / WIA National Emergency Grants	17.277	WNH19	100,378	_
WIOA National Dislocated Worker Grants / WIA National Emergency Grants	17.277	WNS20	5	-
			360,847	
U. S. Department of Agriculture				
Passed through State of Florida, Department of Commerce				
State Administrative Matching Grants for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	10.561	FSH22	7,459	-
State Administrative Matching Grants for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	10.561	FSH23	55,892	=
Total Supplement	al Nutrition Assis	tance Program Cluster	63,351	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			\$ 2,019,091	\$ 78,123
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CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

(1) **Basis of Presentation:**

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the Federal award activity of Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. (CareerSource Chipola) and is presented on the accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the financial statements.

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:

Expenditures reported on the schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowed or are limited as to reimbursement.

(3) De Minimis Indirect Cost Rate Election:

CareerSource Chipola has elected not to use the 10 percent de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under Uniform Guidance.

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

I. Summary of Auditors' Results:

Financial Statements:	
Type of audit report issued on the financial statements:	Unmodified
Internal control over financial reporting:	
Material weakness(es) identified?	yes <u>X</u> no
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	yes <u>X</u> none reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	yes <u>X</u> no
Federal Awards:	
Internal control over major Federal programs:	
Material weakness(es) identified?	yes <u>X</u> no
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	yes X_ none reported
Type of auditors' report issued on compliance for major Federal programs:	Unmodified
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be report in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?	ted yes no
Identification of major Federal programs:	
ALN Number(s)	Program Name
17.258, 17.259, 17.278	WIOA Cluster
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B Federal programs:	\$750,000
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	ves X no

CHIPOLA REGIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD, INC. D/B/A CAREERSOURCE CHIPOLA SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

(Continued)

- II. Financial Statement Findings: None.
- **III. Federal Awards Findings and Questioned Costs:**

Finding 2023-001: Administrative Expense 10% Earmarking Requirements

Affected Program: Assistance Listing #17.258, 17.259, 17.278 WIOA Cluster. *Award Numbers*: WIA22, WIA23, WIY22, WIY23, WID22. *Compliance Requirements*: Matching, Level of Effort, Earmarking.

Condition and Criteria: Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola (CareerSource Chipola) is required to meet the following earmarking requirement per Sections 128(b) (WIOA, 128 Stat. 1502) and 133(b) (WIOA, 128 Stat. 1516) for within state allocations: "A local area may expend no more than 10 percent of the Adult, Dislocated Worker, and Youth Activities funds allocated to the local area."

Cause: The amount spent for administrative costs was 10.73 percent, which is greater than the 10.00 percent allowed.

Effect: CareerSource Chipola did not meet the earmarking requirements under this provision.

Recommendation: We recommend that CareerSource Chipola maintain administrative costs in accordance with these statutes.

IV. State of Florida, Department of Commerce Reporting Requirements: The Organization performed timely reconciliations between the general ledger accounting system and the Subrecipient Enterprise Resource Application maintained by Florida Department of Commerce. Based on the Florida Department of Commerce reporting requirements, there were no additional findings to be reported in FY2023.



SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS

2022-001: Youth Work Experience Earmarking Requirements – Corrective action taken. Resolved in FY2023.



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

To the Board of Directors, Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola:

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola ("the Organization")'s compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Organization's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023. The Organization's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the Organization complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); the special audit guidance provided by the State of Florida Florida Department of Commerce and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Organization and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Organization's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the Organization's federal programs.

Auditors' Responsibility for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the Organization's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards* and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the Organization's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, the special audit guidance provided by the State of Florida Department of Commerce and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the Organization's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the Organization's internal control over compliance relevant to the
 audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and
 report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for
 the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control
 over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed instances of noncompliance which are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-001. Our opinion on each major federal program is not modified with respect to these matters.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the Organization's response to the noncompliance finding identified in the accompany schedule of findings and questioned cost. The Organization's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on CareerSource Chipola's response to the internal control over compliance findings identified in our audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. CareerSource Chipola's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

James Meore : Co., P.L.

Tallahassee, Florida April 25, 2024





Finding 2023-01 1: Administrative Expense 10% Earmarking Requirements

Affected Program: Assistance Listing #17.258, 17.259, 17.278 WIOA Cluster. Award Numbers: WIA22, WIA23, WIY22, WIY23, WID22. Compliance Requirements: Matching, Level of Effort, Earmarking.

Condition and Criteria: Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board, Inc. d/b/a CareerSource Chipola (CareerSource Chipola) is required to meet the following earmarking requirement per Section 128 (b), (WIOA, 128 Stat. 1502) and 133(b) (WIOA, 128 Stat. 1516) for within state allocations: "A local area may expend no more than 10 percent of the Adult, Dislocated Worker, and Youth Activities funds allocated to the local area."

Cause: The amount spent for administrative costs was 10.73 percent, which is greater than the 10.00 Percent allowed by law.

Effect: CareerSource Chipola did not meet the earmarking requirements under this provision.

Recommendation: We recommend that CareerSource Chipola maintain administrative costs in accordance with these statutes.

LWDB RESPONSE: Late program year changes to staff time allocation due to a need to increased emphasis on the youth program caused a change in overall cost allocation percentages. This change occurred too late in the year to offset and caused the issue. CSC staff will closely monitor the administrative costs as we move forward and work to prevent late program changes that shift costs.

Responsible Contact Person: Richard Williams

Responsible Contact Signature:

Date: 4-24-2024