

January 29, 2021

The Board of Trustees Daniel Morgan Technology Center Spartanburg, South Carolina

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Daniel Morgan Technology Center, South Carolina (the "Center") for the year ended June 30, 2020. Professional standards require that we provide you with information about our responsibilities under generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, as well as certain information related to the planned scope and timing of our audit. We have communicated such information in our letter to you dated June 3, 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 the Center are described in Note I to the financial statements.

No new significant accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not significantly changed during the year ended June 30, 2020. We noted no transactions entered into by the Center during the year for which there was 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 significant sensitive estimates affecting the Center's financial statements were:

Management's estimate of the useful lives of capital assets and the resulting depreciation expense is based on historical data and industry standards. Management's estimate of the amount of accrued compensated absences related to the Center's accumulated leave policies is based on historical data. Management's estimate of the property taxes receivable and allowance for uncollectible property taxes is based on information provided by the County and historical collection rates. Management's estimate of the pension liabilities, OPEB liabilities, and deferred outflows/inflows of resources is based on an actuarial valuation (the actuarial valuation assumptions are based on accounting requirements, actuarial standards, historical data, and industry trends) certified by an independent actuary. We evaluated the key factors and assumptions used to develop these estimates in determining that they are reasonable in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

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

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# Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

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

## **Corrected and Uncorrected Misstatements**

Professional standards require us to accumulate all known and likely misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are clearly trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. Management has corrected all such misstatements. For purposes of this communication, professional standards define a significant audit adjustment as a proposed correction of the financial statements that, in our judgment, may not have been detected except through our auditing procedures. An audit adjustment may or may not indicate matters that could have a significant effect on the Center's financial reporting process (that may or may not cause future financial statements to be materially misstated). Since it is inherently judgmental to determine what adjustments would or would not have been detected except through our auditing procedures, a schedule of all adjusting and reporting journal entries is attached, including those prepared by the Center as part of their closing process after we obtained the initial trial balance.

In our judgment, there were no material known unrecorded and uncorrected misstatements, either individually or in the aggregate, to each opinion unit's financial statements taken as a whole.

### **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 January 29, 2021

#### Management Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the governmental unit'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 each year prior to retention as the Center's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

### **Other Matters**

We applied certain limited procedures to the management's discussion and analysis, the budgetary comparison schedule – General Fund, the pension plan schedules, and the other postemployment benefit plan schedules which are required supplementary information ("RSI") that supplement the basic financial statements. Our procedures consisted of inquiries of management regarding 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 did not audit the RSI and do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the RSI.

We were engaged to report on the supplementary information, as listed in the table of contents, which accompanies the financial statements but is not RSI. With respect to this information, we made certain inquiries of management and evaluated the form, content, and methods of preparing the information to determine that the information complies with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the method of preparing it has not changed from the prior period, and the information is appropriate and complete in relation to our audit of the financial statements. We compared and reconciled this information to the underlying accounting records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves.

## **Restriction on Use**

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

Very truly yours,

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