## DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTOR GENERAL Okaloosa County, Florida



JD PEACOCK II, CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT AND COMPTROLLER

Date: April 22, 2021

To: John Hofstad, County Administrator

From: Brad E. Embry, Inspector General

Subject: Board Change Fund Surprise Cash Counts

We conducted surprise cash counts of petty cash and change funds for all BOCC locations on April 8<sup>th</sup> and 15th. The purpose of these counts is to periodically verify the existence and amounts of the funds. In addition, we observe the cash collection procedures in place and to review the physical safeguards for protecting funds at these locations. Given the nature of this work, the counts are conducted at random times without notice. This review does not constitute a full review of all cash collection procedures or physical safeguards of cash. Such would be the subject of a separate engagement.

We also compare the amounts recorded in the General Ledger as change and petty cash funds to the amounts held at the various collection points. The results, outlined below, were excellent with no material discrepancies.

We would like commend staff and management at the various collection locations for their dedication and assistance. If you have any questions or wish to discuss this further, please contact our office.

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cc: Honorable J.D. Peacock II, Clerk of Courts Ron Adamov, Chief Financial Officer Jordan Steffens, Finance Director Eric Esmond, Chief Correctional Officer Jeff Littrell, Director Water & Sewer Elliot Kampert, Director Growth Management Jason Autry, Director Public Works Tyrone Parker, Transit Director Mark Wise, Utilities Deputy Director (OCWS) Kathy Fix, Utilities Administrative Manager (OCWS) Nicole Nabors, Finance Manager (OCWS)

## Attachment

## Okaloosa County Clerk of Courts Department of Inspector General Results of Surprise Cash Counts Board Locations April 22, 2021

## Cash Count Over/(Short) Results By Division

	CURRENT	PRIOR COUNT RESULTS	PRIOR COUNT RESULTS	PRIOR COUNT RESULTS
Division	April 2021	Oct / Nov 2020	March 2020	May 2019
Water & Sewer	0	0	\$0.01	0
Growth Mgt./Insp. North	0	0	0	\$0.01
Growth Mgt./Insp. South	0	0	0	0
Solid Waste	(\$0.10)	\$0.01	N/A	(\$1.85)
Department of Corrections	\$1.00	0	0	\$0.01
Transit	0	N/A	N/A	N/A