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February 18, 2025

### **VIA EMAIL**

Ms. Kathi Kivi District Clerk East Ramapo Central School District 105 South Madison Avenue Spring Valley, NY 10977

Re: Claims Audit Report for January 2025

Dear Ms. Kivi:

Enclosed please find a copy of our Claims Audit Report for January 2025. Please distribute a copy to the Assistant Superintendent for Business and distribute a copy to each of the Board members of the East Ramapo Central School District.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Darin V. Iacobelli

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Enclosure



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Board of Education East Ramapo Central School District 105 South Madison Avenue Spring Valley, NY 10977

Re: Claims Audit Report for the Month of

January 1, 2025 through January 31, 2025

Board of Education:

We have completed our claims auditing services to the East Ramapo Central School District covering the time period of January 1, 2025 through January 31, 2025. The services we performed, as outlined within our proposal, include reviewing all claims against the District. The purpose of this report is to update the Board of Education on work performed to date, our findings, and recommendations.

For ease of reference we have categorized the remainder of this report as follow:

### **Claims Audit Services**

### **Exhibits**

### **CLAIMS AUDIT SERVICES**

The claims audit services performed on each claim against the District consisted of:

- 1. Verification of the accuracy of invoices and claim forms.
- 2. Ensuring proper approval of all purchases; checking that purchases constitute legal expenses of the school district.
- 3. Determining that purchase orders have been issued in accordance with Board of Education policy, and applicable state law.

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- 4. Comparison of invoices or claims with previously approved contracts.
- 5. Reviewing price extensions, claiming of applicable discounts, inclusion of shipping and freight charges.
- 6. Approving all charges that are presented for payment which are supported with documentary evidence indicating compliance with all pertinent laws, policies and regulations.

Over the time period of January 1, 2025 through January 31, 2025 we have audited <u>539</u> claims against the District in the amount of <u>\$30,961,229.56</u> (See attached Exhibit I). We made inquiries and/or observations into <u>17</u> claims in the amount of <u>\$653,790.59</u>. It should be noted that currently, there are no outstanding inquiries in regard to the audit of claims made against the District for the period of July 1, 2024 through January 31, 2025. We have summarized the inquiries and/or observations as well as the resolutions within Exhibit II.

Please note that for comparative purposes, we have attached Exhibit II – "Summary of Inquiries/Resolutions" for each of the prior months, if applicable.

We trust that the foregoing comments are clear. If you have any questions or you would like to discuss this matter further, please contact me at 631-756-9500.

Very truly yours,

Nawrocki Smith LLP

# Claims Audit By Fund East Ramapo Central School District Exhibit I January 2025

Legend:	
A - General	H - Capital
C - School Lunch	CM - Scholarship
F - Special Aid	

Check Date	Audit Date	Warrant #	Fund	# of Checks	\$ Value of Checks	# of Inquiries	\$ Value of Inquiries	# of Resolved Inquiries	# of Outstanding Inquiries	Check Sequence
01/08/25	01/08/25	68	A	144	2,882,084.40	9	464,286.58	9	=	Void; 445879-446013; Voids; 9102513-9102517
01/02/25	01/08/25	69	A	3	76,779.98	-	-	-	-	445876-445878
01/08/25	01/08/25	70	A	3	969,264.97	-	-	-	-	446014-446016
01/08/25	01/08/25	71	A	1	64,195.66	-	-	-	-	40853
01/08/25	01/08/25	10	C	2	495,707.97	-	-	-	-	17115-17116
01/08/25	01/08/25	20	F	81	2,403,441.30	5	180,980.90	5	-	60762-60825; 9200252-9200268
01/08/25	01/08/25	14	Н	10	4,849,347.83	-	-	-	-	1299-1308
TOT	ΓAL			244	\$ 11,740,822.11	14	645,267.48	14		

Check Date	Audit Date	Warrant #	Fund	# of Checks	\$ Value of Checks	# of Inquiries	\$ Value of Inquiries	# of Resolved Inquiries	# of Outstanding Inquiries	Check Sequence
01/16/25	01/22/25	73	A	5	13,210.84	-	-	-	-	446017-446021
01/22/25	01/22/25	74	A	130	8,127,242.06	3	8,523.11	3	-	Voids; 446022-446141; 9102518-9102522
01/22/25	01/22/25	75	Α	46	6,621,054.41	-	-	-	-	446142-446161; 9102524-9102549
01/22/25	01/22/25	76	A	2	64,276.56	-	-	-	-	40870-40871
01/22/25	01/22/25	77	A	1	1,436.00	-	-	-	-	9102523
01/22/25	01/22/25	11	C	4	469,123.73	-	-	-	-	17117-17120
01/22/25	01/22/25	21	F	99	3,233,429.76	-	-	-	-	Void; 60826-60892; 9200269-9200299
01/22/25	01/22/25	15	H	8	690,634.49	-	-	-	-	1309-1316
TOT	ΓAL			295	\$ 19,220,407.85	3	\$ 8,523.11	3		

GRAND TOTAL	539	\$ 30,961,229.96	17 \$ 653,790.59	17	-	

\*Payroll Warrants are included for informational purposes only and have not been reviewed.

Check Date	Payroll Run Date	Warrant #	Fund	# of Checks	\$ Value of Checks	# of Inquiries	\$ Value of Inquiries	# of Resolved Inquiries	# of Outstanding Inquiries	Check Sequence
01/10/25	01/10/25	72	A	28	24,742,971.96	-			-	414-423; 40854-40869; 1102025; 1242025
ТО	TAL			28	\$ 24,742,971.96	-	\$			

## East Ramapo Central School District Claims Audit - Analysis by Number of Inquiries & Dollar Value Summary of Inquiries / Resolutions and Percentage of Total Claims & Dollar Value of Claims Exhibit II

2024 / 2025 YTD

Reason For Inquiry	Resolution	<u>Jul-24</u>		Aug-24		Sep-24		Oct-24		Nov-24		<u>Dec-24</u>	
Incorrect accounts payable amount	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	2	0.33%	6	1.05%	1	0.07%	1	0.24%	2	0.41%	2	0.14%
Paid sales tax	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Duplicate payment	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Incorrect remittance address	Address verified	5	0.82%	8	1.41%	6	0.44%	7	1.65%	2	0.41%	2	0.14%
Insufficient supporting documentation	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Invoice date precedes purchase order date	Noted by Business Office	12	1.97%	25	4.39%	25	1.82%	61	14.39%	27	5.52%	16	1.11%
Invoice over 90 days outstanding	Verified not a duplicate payment	12	1.97%	15	2.64%	10	0.73%	1	0.24%	4	0.82%	2	0.14%
Missing receiving or approval signature	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Not an original invoice or receipt	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Paid sales tax	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Receipts not itemized	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Total Number (#) of Inquiries		31	5.09%	54	9.49%	42	3.06%	70	16.51%	35	7.16%	22	1.53%
Total Claims Audited		609	100.00%	569	100.00%	1,371	100.00%	424	100.00%	489	100.00%	1,442	100.00%
Total Outstanding Inquiries		none		none		none		none		none		none	

Reason For Inquiry	Resolution	<u>Jul-24</u>		Aug-24			Sep-24		Oct-24		Nov-24		Dec-24	
Incorrect accounts payable amount*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	411,714.64	1.38%	25,979.56	0.13%		17,511.54	0.08%	1,680.94	0.01%	993.39	0.00%	2,697.24	0.01%
Paid sales tax*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	-	0.00%	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Duplicate payment	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Incorrect remittance address	Address verified	10,920.28	0.04%	222,906.05	1.08%		119,011.89	0.57%	289,282.41	1.01%	1,556.81	0.01%	2,489.20	0.01%
Insufficient supporting documentation	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Invoice date precedes purchase order date	Noted by Business Office	304,901.95	1.02%	126,445.97	0.61%		294,657.43	1.41%	6,086,893.91	21.23%	778,350.28	3.86%	2,163,962.83	7.43%
Invoice over 90 days outstanding	Verified not a duplicate payment	626,564.16	2.10%	9,766.15	0.05%		586,138.01	2.81%	872.06	0.00%	7,214.14	0.04%	28,289.05	0.10%
Missing receiving or approval signature	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Not an original invoice or receipt	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Paid sales tax	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Receipts not itemized	n/a	-	0.00%	-	0.00%		-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Total Value (\$) of Inquiries		\$ 1,354,101.03	4.55%	\$ 385,097.73	1.87%	\$	1,017,318.87	4.88%	\$ 6,378,729.32	22.25%	\$ 788,114.62	3.91%	\$ 2,197,438.32	7.55%
Total Claims Audited		\$ 29,772,175.22	100.00%	\$ 20,609,852.41	100.00%	\$ 2	20,852,330.79	100.00%	\$ 28,667,495.82	100.00%	\$ 20,150,434.59	100.00%	\$ 29,111,686.82	100.00%
Total Outstanding Inquiries		none		none			none		none		none		none	

<sup>\*</sup> Note: Inquiry Amounts for each month reflect the entire check amounts associated with each incorrect accounts payable amount duplicate payments, missing voucher packets and paid sales tax inquires.

The table below reflects each month's pending warrant amount prior to actual net adjustment for incorrect accounts payable amount, duplicate payments, missing voucher packets and paid sales tax inquiries.

Reason For Inquiry	Resolution	<u>Jul-24</u>		Aug-24		Sep-24		Oct-24		Nov-24		Dec-24	
Incorrect accounts payable amount*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	\$ (184.00)	0.00%	\$ (329.37)	0.00%	\$ (101.00)	0.00%	\$ 0.60	0.00%	\$ 259.96	0.00%	\$ 69.40	0.00%
Paid sales tax*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	\$ -	0.00%										
Total Pending Claims Audited		\$ 29,772,359.22	100.00%	\$ 20,610,181.78	100.00%	\$ 20,852,431.79	100.00%	\$ 28,667,495.22	100.00%	\$ 20,150,174.63	100.00%	\$ 29,111,617.42	100.00%

### East Ramapo Central School District

### Claims Audit - Analysis by Number of Inquiries & Dollar Value

### Summary of Inquiries / Resolutions and Percentage of Total Claims & Dollar Value of Claims

#### Exhibit II 2024 / 2025 YTD

Reason For Inquiry	Resolution	<u>Jan-25</u>		Feb-25	<u>Mar-25</u>	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25
Incorrect accounts payable amount	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	3	0.56%					
Paid sales tax	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	-	0.00%					
Duplicate payment	n/a	-	0.00%					
Incorrect remittance address	Address verified	-	0.00%					
Insufficient supporting documentation	n/a	-	0.00%					
Invoice date precedes purchase order date	Noted by Business Office	11	2.04%					
Invoice over 90 days outstanding	Verified not a duplicate payment	3	0.56%					
Missing receiving or approval signature	n/a	-	0.00%					
Not an original invoice or receipt	n/a	-	0.00%					
Paid sales tax	n/a	-	0.00%					
Receipts not itemized	n/a	-	0.00%					
Total Number (#) of Inquiries		17	3.15%					
Total Claims Audited		539	100.00%					
Total Outstanding Inquiries		none						

Reason For Inquiry	Resolution	<u>Jan-25</u>		Feb-25	<u>Mar-25</u>	Apr-25	May-25	Jun-25
Incorrect accounts payable amount*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	44,016.21	0.14%					
Paid sales tax*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	-	0.00%					
Duplicate payment	n/a	-	0.00%					
Incorrect remittance address	Address verified	-	0.00%					
Insufficient supporting documentation	n/a	-	0.00%					
Invoice date precedes purchase order date	Noted by Business Office	607,169.44	1.96%					
Invoice over 90 days outstanding	Verified not a duplicate payment	2,604.94	0.01%					
Missing receiving or approval signature	n/a	-	0.00%					
Not an original invoice or receipt	n/a	-	0.00%					
Paid sales tax	n/a	-	0.00%					
Receipts not itemized	n/a	-	0.00%					
Total Value (\$) of Inquiries		\$ 653,790.59	2.11%					
Total Claims Audited		\$ 30,961,229.56	100.00%					
Total Outstanding Inquiries		none						

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Reason For Inquiry	Resolution	<u>Jan-25</u>	
Incorrect accounts payable amount*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	\$ 33,988.91	0.11%
Paid sales tax*	Amount adjusted prior to payment*	\$ -	0.00%
Total Pending Claims Audited		\$ 30,927,240.65	100.00%