CATOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM SPLOST PROJECT EXPENDITURES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

To the Catoosa County Board of Education Ringgold, Georgia

We have examined the Catoosa County School System's attached Schedule of SPLOST Project Expenditures and their compliance with Article VIII, Section VI, Paragraph IV of the Georgia Constitution and Official Code of Georgia (O.C.G.A.) 48-8-141 regarding expenditure of sales tax for educational purposes for the year ended June 30, 2019. Management of the Catoosa County School System (the "School System") is responsible for the School System's compliance with the specified requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the School System's compliance with the specified requirements based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the School System complied, in all material respects, with the specified requirements referenced above. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about whether the School System complied with the specified requirements. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the School System's compliance with specified requirements.

In our opinion, the Catoosa County School System complied, in all material respects, with Article VIII, Section VI, Paragraph IV of the Georgia Constitution and Official Code of Georgia (O.C.G.A.) 48-8-141 regarding expenditure of sales tax for educational purposes for the year ended June 30, 2019.

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Augusta, Georgia November 22, 2019

CATOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM SCHEDULE OF SPLOST PROJECT EXPENDITURES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

Project	SPLOST IV	SPLOST V	Total
Debt service, including			
principal and interest	\$ -	\$ 9,039,500	\$ 9,039,500
Committee projects	4,444	343,352	347,796
Safety	-	93,267	93,267
Bus purchases	-	57,870	57,870
Construction	207,839	12,280,106	12,487,945
Instructional technology		1,692,103	1,692,103
	\$ 212,283	\$23,506,198	\$ 23,718,481

NOTE: Amounts expended for these projects may include sales tax proceeds, state, local property taxes and/or other funds over the lives of the projects.