

CITY OF AURORA, ILLINOIS

**TAX INCREMENT FINANCING DISTRICT
NO. 1 (DOWNTOWN) FUND**

**REPORT ON COMPLIANCE
WITH PUBLIC ACT 85-1142**

For the Year Ended
December 31, 2014

INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT



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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor
Members of the City Council
City of Aurora, Illinois

We have examined management's assertion, included in its representation letter dated June 4, 2015 that the City of Aurora, Illinois (the City) complied with the provisions of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3 of the Illinois Tax Increment Redevelopment Allocation Act (Illinois Public Act 85-1142) during the year ended December 31, 2014. Management is responsible for the City's assertion and for compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on management's assertion about the City's compliance based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the City's compliance with statutory requirements.

In our opinion, management's assertion that the City of Aurora, Illinois complied with the aforementioned requirements for the year ended December 31, 2014 is fairly stated, in all material respects.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Mayor, the City Council, management of the City, the Illinois State Comptroller's Office and the joint review boards and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Naperville, Illinois
June 4, 2015

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
ON SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

The Honorable Mayor
Members of the City Council
City of Aurora, Illinois

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund, the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Aurora, Illinois (the City) as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the notes to financial statements, which collectively comprise the basic financial statements of the City, and have issued our report thereon dated June 4, 2015, which expressed an unmodified opinion on those statements.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information (schedule of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance and schedule of fund balance by source) for the Tax Increment Financing (TIF) District No. 1 (Downtown) Fund is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements.

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

Naperville, Illinois
June 4, 2015

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Sikich LLP'.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CITY OF AURORA, ILLINOIS

**TAX INCREMENT FINANCING DISTRICT
NO. 1 (DOWNTOWN) FUND**

**SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE**

For the Year Ended December 31, 2014

	TIF No. 1 Fund
REVENUES	
Property Taxes	\$ 1,839,400
Investment Income	3,288
Other	293,064
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Total Revenues	2,135,752
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EXPENDITURES	
Economic Development	
Redevelopment And Assistance	1,519,002
Surplus Distribution	373,254
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Total Expenditures	1,892,256
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EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	243,496
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OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	
Transfer (Out) - Tax Increment Financing District #6	(100,000)
Transfer (Out) - Special Service Area #1	(185,000)
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Total Other Sources And Uses	(285,000)
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NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(41,504)
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FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1	2,502,770
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FUND BALANCE, DECEMBER 31	\$ 2,461,266
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(See independent auditor s report on supplementary information.)

CITY OF AURORA, ILLINOIS

**TAX INCREMENT FINANCING DISTRICT
NO. 1 (DOWNTOWN) FUND**

SCHEDULE OF FUND BALANCE BY SOURCE

For the Year Ended December 31, 2014

	TIF No. 1 Fund
BEGINNING BALANCE, JANUARY 1, 2014	<u>\$ 2,502,770</u>
DEPOSITS	
Property Taxes	1,839,400
Investment Income	3,288
Other	<u>293,064</u>
Total Deposits	<u>2,135,752</u>
Balance Plus Deposits	<u>4,638,522</u>
EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS	
Economic Development	
Redevelopment And Assistance	1,519,002
Surplus Distribution	373,254
Transfers (Out) - Tax Increment Financing District #6	100,000
Transfers (Out) - Special Service Area #1	<u>185,000</u>
Total Expenditures And Transfers	<u>2,177,256</u>
ENDING BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 2014	<u><u>\$ 2,461,266</u></u>
ENDING BALANCE BY SOURCE	
Property Tax	<u>\$ 2,461,266</u>
Subtotal	2,461,266
Less Surplus Funds	<u>-</u>
ENDING BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 2014	<u><u>\$ 2,461,266</u></u>

(See independent auditor s report on supplementary information.)