

AUDITOR'S REPORT

HARRIS COUNTY CONSTABLE PRECINCT 5

SIX MONTHS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2021



November 5, 2021

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Dear Constable Ted Heap, Harris County Constable Precinct 5

The Harris County Auditor's Office - Compliance Audit Department performed procedures relative to the Harris County Constable Precinct 5 monthly collection reports for the six months ended August 31, 2021. As required by Local Government Code §115.002 (a) and (b), the Compliance Audit Department selectively examined the financial activity relative to the monthly collection reports and related records.

The objectives of this engagement were to determine whether:

- The monthly collection reports were submitted timely and the amounts reported were properly recorded in the County's depository.
- The numerical sequencing of receipts was accounted for.
- Receipts were properly allocated in the County's Financial Records.

Results

In connection with the procedures performed, no reportable issues were noted.

Accountability

We conducted our audit in accordance with the International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing ("Standards"). The Standards require that we comply with the Code of Ethics and obtain reasonable assurance that significant risks to the activity are minimized to an acceptable level.

The engagement's scope did not include a detailed inspection of all transactions. There is a risk that fraud or errors were not detected during this engagement. Therefore, the official retains the responsibility for the accuracy and completeness of their financial records, and for ensuring sufficient controls are in place to detect and prevent fraud, errors, or omissions.

Constable Ted Heap
Harris County Constable Precinct 5

We appreciate the time and attention provided by your team. If you have any questions, please contact me or Errika Perkins, Chief Assistant County Auditor, 713-274-5673.

Sincerely,



Michael Post
County Auditor

cc: District Judges
County Judge Lina Hidalgo
Commissioners:
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