

METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY
700 2nd Avenue South, STE 201
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March 10, 2016

Renee Pratt – Executive Director Metropolitan Social Services 800 2nd Avenue North Nashville, TN 37201

Dear Ms. Pratt:

The Office of Financial Accountability has completed a review of a selected number of the FY15 Budget Key Measures Results as reported to the Office of Management and Budget for the year ended June 30, 2015. The purpose of the review was to verify the accuracy of your department's reported results.

As stated in the engagement letter, we randomly selected and tested program results that constitute a minimum of 10% of the department's total reported program budgets. We have completed our review of the supporting documentation and test of the computation of the reported results of the selected FY15 key measures. The results of the testing are attached for your review.

We appreciate the assistance provided by your agency during the course of the review. If you have any questions, please call me at 615-862-6712.

Sincerely,

Kevin Brown

Kevin Brown, CMFO, CICA Finance Administrator

CC: Talia Lomax-O'dneal, Director of Finance

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ATTACHMENT I

Department: Metropolitan Social Services

Purpose: To verify the accuracy of the department's performance measures as

reported to the Office of Management and Budget.

Scope: FY 2015

Methodology: The Office of Financial Accountability randomly selected a sample that

consisted of a minimum of 10% of the department's reported budgeted

program dollars.

Total Reported

Budget:

\$8,043,900

Program: Family Support Services Program

Total Tested Budget: \$1,153,300

Percent Tested: 14%

Performance Measure: Percentage of customer goals achieved.

Reported Data: 85%

OFA Calculation: 85%

Was selected reported performance measure

verified?

Yes