

METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY
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March 23, 2012

Richard Bernhardt Metropolitan Planning Commission 800 2nd Avenue South Nashville, TN 37210

Dear Mr. Bernhardt,

The Office of Financial Accountability has completed a review of a selected number of the FY11 Budget Key Measures Results as reported to the Office of Management and Budget for the year ended June 30, 2011. 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 result of the selected FY11 key measure. The result of the testing is 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 615-880-1035

Sincerely,

Fred Adom, CPA Director

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CC: Richard M. Riebeling, Director of Finance
Talia Lomax-O'dneal, Deputy Director of Finance
Ann Hammond, Metropolitan Planning Commission
Michael Skipper, Metropolitan Planning Commission
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Brad Thompson, Office of Financial Accountability, Department of Finance
Essie Robertson, Office of Financial Accountability, Department of Finance
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ATTACHMENT I

Department: Metropolitan Planning Commission

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

measures as reported within WEBudget.

Scope: FY 2011

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:

\$6,674,700.00

Regional Transportation Planning

Line of Business: LOB

Regional Transportation Planning

Program: Program

\$4,014,800.00 Total Tested Budget:

Percent Tested: 60.15%

Performance Measure:

Change in the comprehensive mobility index. Index developed with equal input from 1. Change in VMT per person; 2. Change

in bicycle commuting or use; 3. Change in transit usage; 4.

Change in pedestrian activity. (Key)

Reported Data: 21%

OFA Calculation: 21%

Was selected reported performance measure

verified?

Yes