



Office of Budget and Management

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To: Elected Officials

From: Tim Keen, OBM Director **TK**

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Re: OBM Audit Oversight Program

I am writing to let you know that OBM announced today the establishment of a new audit oversight program. The primary objective of this program is to review external audit comments provided to agency management and determine if additional follow-up action is needed from OBM's perspective. This program primarily applies to executive branch agencies, boards, and commissions. Further details are contained in the attached memorandum.

As an elected official, I wanted to make you aware that OBM will review audit results related to your organization, but we do not intend to engage your agency unless the audit results suggest systemic issues that would impact state fiscal operations under the purview of OBM or another executive branch agency.

Questions regarding the audit oversight program or workgroup may be addressed to Janet Conkey, OBM Senior Deputy Director of Services and Operations (janet.conkey@obm.state.oh.us).