

Council Auditor's Office

Follow-Up on Tax Collector Audit – 2019 Local Business Tax

November 15, 2023

Report #834A

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Honorable Members of the City Council City of Jacksonville

The purpose of this report is to document our follow-up review of our past report #834, Tax Collector Audit – 2019 (Local Business Tax), and to determine whether corrective action has been taken in response to our findings and recommendations. We are providing this special written report in accordance with Ordinance Code Section 102.102. This report does not represent an audit or attestation conducted pursuant to Government Auditing Standards. The initial audit report can be found on our website.

We sent a follow-up letter to the Duval County Tax Collector on August 31, 2022, inquiring as to the status of the original audit report recommendations. We reviewed the recommendations from our audit report, the auditees' responses to the recommendations, and the auditees' responses to our follow-up letter. We then performed limited testing to verify responses.

Based on the responses received and our follow-up testing, it appears that the responsible parties addressed our concerns without exception. Below is a table detailing the original number of issues noted and the number of issues resolved as of this follow-up.

Types of Issues	Original Number of Issues	Issues Cleared	Remaining Issues
Internal Control Weaknesses	0	0	0
Findings	6	6	0
Opportunities for Improvement	6	6	0
Total	12	12	0

We would like to thank the Tax Collector's Office for their cooperation in conducting this follow-up review.

Respectfully submitted,

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