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Jim Cooper, Director Salt Lake County Library Services 8030 South 1825 West West Jordan, UT 84088

Re: Follow-up Audit: An Audit of Key Controls at the Calvin S. Smith Library, Report Number 2018-MLR18

Dear Jim,

We have completed follow-up work on the audit recommendations contained in Report Number 2018-MLR18, *An Audit of Key Controls at the Calvin S. Smith Library,* issued April 2018.

Our follow-up audit work found that the Calvin S. Smith Library has successfully implemented the recommendation issued in the original audit report.

We truly appreciate the time and efforts of the employees of the Calvin S. Smith Library throughout the follow-up audit. Our work was made possible by their cooperation and prompt attention given to our requests. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Shawna Ahlborn, Audit Services Division Administrator, at (385) 468-7179 or Colleen Hilton, Audit Manager, at (385) 468-7231.

Sincerely,

Scott Tingley, CIA, CGAP

Salt Lake County Auditor

Cc: Leslie Webster, Associate Director of Finance and Operations, Salt Lake County Library Services

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Follow-up Audit Results

Finding 1.1 – Change funds in computer printer and copier stations were short of their authorized amounts

	Recommendation	Action Taken	Status
1.1	We recommend that Calvin S. Smith employees follow the correct procedures outlined in Countywide Policy 1062, when they are balancing cash collections from the copier and computer printer stations. Any deposit shortages or overages should be recorded in accordance with county policy.	The daily over/short log is filled out when the daily deposit is prepared. Additionally, at the end of each month this log is reviewed and signed by the Library Manager.	Implemented

Appendix A: Additional Information					
Scope & Objectives	Generally accepted <i>Government Auditing Standards (GAO-18-568G)</i> , require that auditors perform follow-up audit work to determine if appropriate corrective action				
	has been taken to address issues, findings, and deficiencies identified in prior audit engagements. The primary objective of this follow-up audit was to determine the status of management actions to address the finding reported in Report Number 2018-MLR18, <i>An Audit of Key Controls at the Calvin S. Smith Library</i> , issued April 2018.				
Background	The original audit evaluated the effectiveness of Calvin S. Smith Library's key controls. We examined assets, records, and transactions in the areas of change funds, cash handling and daily deposits, capital and controlled assets, and purchasing card use. The original audit identified one finding related to the audit objectives.				

Appendix B: Follow-up Audit Implementation Status						
Implemented	In Process	Not Implemented	Closed			
The agency has implemented our recommendation or has adequately addressed the original issue or finding in all respects as verified by the follow-up audit. No further follow-up is required.	The agency is in the process of implementing our recommendation. Additional follow-up may be required.	The agency has taken no action to implement our recommendation. Additional follow-up may be required.	Circumstances have changed surrounding our original finding or recommendation that make it no longer applicable, or the agency will only implement a portion of our recommendation as verified by the follow-up audit. No further follow-up is			
			required.			