

OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR-CONTROLLER

INTERNAL AUDIT DIVISION **THE YEAR IN REVIEW** Fiscal Year 2021-22

I am pleased to present "**The Year in Review**" to highlight important accomplishments of the Internal Audit Division for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022. This report reflects information within our *Report on Prior Year Performance* provided to the Board of Supervisors on September 13, 2022.

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- Issued <u>9 audit reports</u> containing <u>39 recommendations</u> to strengthen areas including internal controls over financial projections and reporting, property development and maintenance practices, and cash handling.
- Obtained a <u>100% agreement</u> rate with departments to implement recommended corrective actions.
- Identified \$1,505 in cost savings/avoidance or revenue enhancement opportunities.
- Handled <u>96 new issues</u> identified through the Employee Fraud Hotline.
- Assisted departments with COVID-19-related tasks.
- Continued the **Control Self-Assessment Program** by providing feedback on 10 department selfassessments completed during FY 2021-22 and validating the internal controls reported by one department.
- Compiled the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards for the County's FY 2020-21 Single Audit.
- Reviewed 41 audits of Federal award subrecipients for compliance with audit reporting standards.
- Monitored the audits of 95 special districts and joint powers authorities.

For further details about these and other audit-related matters, please contact us as noted above or visit our website <u>https://www.ventura.org/auditor-controllers-office</u>.

These accomplishments were made possible
by our outstanding team of Internal Auditors,
which, as of June 30, 2022, included:Carlo AldeguerJohanna GarciaRuben AlvarezJennifer PedreiraMaria ArndtShannon Perrevclear

