### Federal Financial Assistance Reports



Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2006

North Central Texas Council of Governments

### NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

## FEDERAL FINANCIAL AND COMPLIANCE INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2006

#### **TABLE OF CONTENTS**

	Page
Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance and Other Matters and on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting Based on an Audit of Basic Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards	1
Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable to Each Major Program, on Internal Control Over Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133, and on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards	2
Schedule of Audit Findings and Questioned Costs	4
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards	6
Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards	11



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Members of the Executive Board North Central Texas Council of Governments Arlington, Texas

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, and each major fund of North Central Texas Council of Governments as of and for the year ended September 30, 2006, which collectively comprise North Central Texas Council of Governments' basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated January 19, 2007. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Council's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

#### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Council's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the basic financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Executive Board, management, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Weaver and Siduell, L. S. P.

WEAVER AND TIDWELL, L.L.P.

Dallas, Texas January 19, 2007

Three Forest Plaza
12221 Merit Drive
Suite 1400
Dallas, Texas 75251-2280
972.490.1970
F 972.702.8321

**DALLAS** 

FORT WORTH

1600 West Seventh Street Suite 300 Fort Worth, Texas 76102-2506 817.332.7905 F 817.429.5936

WWW.WEAVERANDTIDWELL.COM

AN INDEPENDENT MEMBER OF BAKER TILLY INTERNATIONAL



CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS AND CONSULTANTS

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM, ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133, AND ON SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

Members of the Executive Board North Central Texas Council of Governments Arlington, Texas

#### Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the North Central Texas Council of Governments (the Council) with the types of compliance requirements described in the U. S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2006. The Council's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of audit findings. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the Council's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Council's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Council's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures, as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the Council's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Council complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2006.

#### **Internal Control Over Compliance**

**DALLAS** 

Three Forest Plaza
12221 Merit Drive
Suite 1400
Dallas, Texas 75251-2280
972.490.1970
F 972.702.8321

**FORT WORTH** 

1600 West Seventh Street Suite 300 Fort Worth, Texas 76102-2506 817.332.7905 F 817.429.5936 The management of the Council is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Council's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

WWW.WEAVERANDTIDWELL.COM

North Central Texas
Council of Governments
Page 2

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

#### Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

We have audited the basic financial statements of the North Central Texas Council of Governments as of and for the year ended September 30, 2006, and have issued our report thereon dated January 19, 2007. Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

This report is intended for the information and use of the Executive Board, management, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

WEAVER AND TIDWELL, L.L.P.

Weaver and Siduell L. L.P.

Dallas, Texas January 19, 2007

#### NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2006

#### Section I-Summary of Auditors' Results

#### BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:			
An unqualified opinion was issued on the financ	cial statements.		
Internal control over financial reporting:			
Material weakness(es) identified?		Yes	<b>X</b> _No
<ul> <li>Reportable condition(s) identified that is (are) not considered to be material weakness(es)?</li> </ul>		Yes	X None reported
Noncompliance which is material to the basic financial statements noted?		Yes	<b>X</b> _No
FEDERAL AWARDS:			
Internal control over major programs:			
<ul> <li>Material weakness(es) identified?</li> </ul>		Yes	<u>X</u> No
<ul> <li>Reportable condition(s) identified that is (are) not considered to be material weakness(es)?</li> </ul>		Yes	X None reported
An unqualified opinion was issued on complian	ce for major programs.		
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section 510(a) of Circular A-133?		Yes	<b>X</b> _No
Identification of major programs:			
CFDA Number(s)	Name of Fede	ral Program	s or Cluster
93.575; 93.558; 93.596	Child Care Servic	es	
20.205	Highway Planning	& Construc	tion
17.258; 17.259; 17.260	Workforce Investi	ment Act	
17.260	National Emerger	ncy Grant	
Dollar threshold used to distinguish Between type A and type B programs:			<u>\$1,774,962</u>
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?		<u>X</u> Yes	No

#### NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS SCHEDULE OF AUDIT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2006

#### **Section II-Financial Statement Findings**

This section identifies the reportable conditions, material weaknesses, and instances of noncompliance related to the basic financial statements that are required to be reported in accordance with Chapter 5.18 of *Government Auditing Standards*.

There were no findings for the year ended September 30, 2006.

#### **Section III-Federal Awards Findings and Questioned Costs**

This section identifies the reportable conditions, material weaknesses, and instances of noncompliance, including questioned costs, related to the audit of major federal programs, as required to be reported by *Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement*, section .510. Where practical, findings should be organized by federal agency or pass-through entity.

There were no findings for the year ended September 30, 2006.

Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title		NCTCOG Grant Number	Federal CFDA Number	Estimated Federal Expenditures
U.S. Department of Transportation:				
Pass-Through Texas Department of Transportation:				
Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality Program Awarenes	SS	513.01	20.205	\$ 181,167
Congestion Mitigation/Air Quality Program Awarenes		513.06	20.205	50,695
Land Use Joint Venture Program		696.02	20.205	40,911
Land Use Joint Venture Program		696.02	20.205	76,588
Land Use & outreachProgram		696.06	20.205	94,988
Highway Planning & Construction		700.06	20.205	6,831,995
Value Pricing Pilot Program		714.03	20.205	(8,490)
Bicycle Pedestrian Education Information		803.02	20.219	32,054
Clean Vehicle Tech Program		804.03	20.205	30,909
Ozone Season Fare Reduction		805.02	20.205	163,347
Employee Trip Reduction		806.02	20.205	1,428
Enhanced Employee Trip Reduc		806.05	20.205	315,288
Vanpool-DART		807.02	20.205	121,249
Regional Vanpool DART Dallas Multi-Moda I- CBD Joint Transportation Study	,	807.06	20.205	328,722
DFW Int'l Airport -ITS MAS	<i>(</i>	808.02	20.205 20.205	(18,437) 85,892
Regional ITS Communication Program		811.02 812.02	20.205	196,358
High Emitting Vehicle Trade Program		814.02	20.205	733,854
TRANSIMS Project		709.03	20.205	1,264
Feasibility Corridor Study-Freight Bottleneck		817.03	20.205	76,450
West Thoroughfare Program		820.04	20.205	244.694
West Thoroughfare Program		820.04	20.205	220,861
East Thoroughfare Program		821.04	20.205	719,708
East Thoroughfare Program		821.04	20.205	434,499
Pay As You Drive		875.05	20.205	408,101
Traffic Signal Replace		876.05	20.205	4,099
Diesel Idling Reduction		879.05	20.205	43,077
Truck Lane Study		880.05	20.205	358,846
Clean Vehicle Fleet Procure		881.05	20.205	131,768
Regional Stormwater Mgmt Program		884.06	20.205	38,243
Park Cash Out Proj		878.06	20.205	2,391
Total Texas	Department of Transportation:			11,942,519
	,			· · ·
Pass-Through Federal Transit Administration:		697.02	20.516	47 710
NE Tarrant County Job Access Reverse Commute Regional JA / RC				47,718 1,946
FTA-Grantee Administration		698.02 822.05	20.516 20.507	336,247
r ra-drantee Administration		022.00	20.507	330,247
Total	Federal Transit Administration:			385,911
Total U.S. Department of Transportation				12,328,430
U. S. Department of Labor:				
Dana Thurson Tanan Walifers Commission				
Pass-Through Texas Workforce Commission:		000.00	17.050	0.400.045
Workforce Investment Act, Youth Activities		602.06	17.259	2,409,945
Workforce Investment Act, Adult Program Workforce Investment Act, Dislocated Worker		603.06 604.06	17.258 17.260	1,846,393 4,894,745
Workforce Investment Act, Dislocated Worker Workforce Investment Act, Youth Activities		602.07	17.250	
Workforce Investment Act, Youth Activities Workforce Investment Act, Adult Program		602.07	17.259	433,524 721,729
Workforce Investment Act, Addit Program  Workforce Investment Act, Dislocated Worker		604.07	17.256	337,708
TOTALOGO IIIVESTITION ACT, DISIOCATEG TOTALE		UU7.U <i>I</i>	17.200	337,700
Wor	kforce Investment Act, subtotal			10,644,044
				(continued)

ederal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title	NCTCOG Grant Number	Federal CFDA Number	Estimated Federal Expenditures
National Emergency Grant	626.05	17.260	2,904,222
National Emergency Grant, subtota	I		2,904,222
First Generation College Student Initiative-Adult Program	635.05	17.258	68,359
First Generation College Student Initiative-Youth Program	635.05	17.259	61,950
First Generation College Student Initiative-Dislocated Worker	635.05	17.260	83,313
First Generation College Student Initiative-Adult Program	635.06	17.258	22,217
First Generation College Student Initiative-Youth Program	635.06	17.259	24,408
First Generation College Student Initiative-Dislocated Worker	635.06	17.260	28,942
First Generation College Student Initiative, subtota	I		289,189
Skills Development-Workforce Investment Act-Dislocated Worker	634.05	17.260	31,933
Skills Development-Workforce Investment Act-Adult Program	634.06	17.258	12,666
Skills Development-Workforce Investment Act-Youth Program	634.06	17.259	143,534
Skills Development-Workforce Investment Act-Dislocated Worker	634.06	17.260	679,247
Skills Development, subtota	I		867,380
Trade Adjustment Assistance	638.04	17.245	2,519
Trade Adjustment Assistance	638.05	17.245	31,594
Trade Adjustment Assistance	638.06	17.245	253,421
Trade Adjustment Assistance, subtota	I		287,534
Veterans Service - DVOP/LVER	632.06	17.801	73,488
Veterans services, subtota	I		73,488
Reintegration Counselor	639.06	17.261	192,109
H-1B Job Training	641.06	17.261	157,250
Texas Hurricane Katrina/Rita Job Training, subtotal			349,359
Reemployment Initiatives Project	630.05	17.225	69,686
Reemployment Initiatives Project	630.06	17.225	64,197
Reemployment Initiatives Project, subtota	I		133,883
Wagner Peyser Employment Services	628.05	17.207	143,693
Wagner Peyser Employment Services	628.06	17.207	417,264
Wagner Peyser Employment Services, subtota	I		560,957
Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax	631.06	17.203	280
Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax	631.06	17.207	341
Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax	631.06	17.259	360
Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax	631.06	17.258	370
Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax	631.06	17.260	370
Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax	631.06	17.225	1,313
Resource Administration Grant, subtota	I		3,034
Texas Workforce Commission, subtotal			16,113,090
otal U.S. Department of Labor			16,113,090
			(continued)

Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title		NCTCOG Grant Number	Federal CFDA Number	Estimated Federal Expenditures
U.S. Department of Agriculture:				
Food Stamp Employment & Training Food Stamp Employment & Training Food Stamp National Emergency Grant Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax TWC Transport Contract TWC Transport Contract		605.06 605.06 626.05 631.06 633.06 633.07	10.561 10.561.050 10.561 10.561 10.561 10.561	454,864 49,488 71,605 466 15,786 11,814
Texas Worki	force Commission, subtotal			604,023
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture				604,023
U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development:				
Direct Programs: Community Development Work Study Program		502.04	14.512	126,750
Community Development Work Study Program		502.06	14.512	31,981
Pass-Through Organization of Rural Community Affairs: Texas Community and Economic Development Texas Community and Economic Development Organization	on of Rural Affairs, subtotal	671.06 671.07	14.228 14.228	22,853 1,517 24,370
Total U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Developm	nent			183,101
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency:				
Direct Programs:  Muddy Creek Watershed  Dallas Emission Enforcement Program  Stream Team  Pass-Through Texas Commission on Environmental Quali Water Quality Management Planning Water Quality Management Planning Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, subtotal	ity:	669.03 874.05 668.06 670.06 670.07	66.461 66.454 66.454	3,637 13,698 37,257 54,592 61,829 3,649 65,478
Total U.S. Environmental Protection Agency				120,070
U. S. Department of Health and Human Services:				
Pass-Through Texas Department of Aging and Disability S Title VII - Prevention of Elder Abuse, Neglect & Exploitat Title VII - Long Term Care Ombudsman Services for Old	ion	562.06 563.06	93.041 93.042	19,036 62,624 81,660
Title III, Part D, Disease Prevention and Health Promotio	n Services	560.06	93.043	74,442
Title III, Part D, Medication Management	Title III. Part D. subtotal	567.06	93.043	5,492 79,934
Title III, Part B - Administration Title III, Part B - Grants for Supportive Services and Seni Title III, Part B - Grants for Supportive Services and Seni	ior Centers	505.06 531.05 531.06	93.044 93.044 93.044	39,463 54,133 1,078,018 1,171,614
				(continued)

Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title	NCTCOG Grant Number	Federal CFDA Number	Estimated Federal Expenditures
Title III, Part C-1 - Administration Title III, Part C-1 Nutrition Services Title III, Part C-2 - Administration Title III, Part C-2 Nutrition Services	505.06 537.06 505.06 559.06	93.045 93.045 93.045 93.045	116,631 319,507 62,844 1,369,913
Title III, Part C, subtotal			1,868,895
Title III, Part E - Administration Title III, Part E National Family Caregiver Support Program	505.06 561.06	93.052 93.052	50,256 470,227
Title III, Part E, subtotal			520,483
Nutrition Services Incentive Program	566.06	93.053	342,702
CMS-HCFA - Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Research CMS-HCFA - Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Research CMS-HCFA - Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, subtotal	565.06 565.07	93.779 93.779	45,017 19,821 64,838
Kidney Health Care Program (Texas SPAP)	580.06	93.786	3,657
Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services, subtotal			4,133,783
Pass-Through Texas Department of Health: Social Services Block Grant-Hurricane Katrina	865.07	93.667	11,027
Texas Department of Health, subtotal			11,027
Pass-Through Texas Workforce Commission: Temporary Asssistance for Needy Families Temporary Asssistance for Needy Families Resource Administration Grant - Grants UI/ Tax	610.05 610.06 631.06	93.558 93.558 93.558	108,157 2,327,108 703
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families, subtotal			2,435,968
Pass-Through Texas Workforce Commission: National Emergency Grant - Child Care Program	626.05	93.596	615,457
National Emergency Grant, subtotal			615,457
Child Care Services FY2005 Child Care Services FY2005 Child Care Services FY2006  Child Care Services FY2007 Child Care - Local Unit FY 2005 Child Care - Local Unit FY 2006	601.05 601.05 601.06 601.06 601.06 637.05 637.06	93.575 93.596 93.575 93.558.667 93.596 93.596 93.596	648,352 134,573 10,109,332 112,978 7,116,879 387,192 2,976,291
Child Care Services, subtotal			21,485,597
Texas Workforce Commission, subtotal			24,537,022
Total U. S. Department of Health and Human Services <u>Department of Homeland Security:</u>			28,681,832
Pass-Through Texas Department of Public Safety (GDEM): Urban Areas Security Initiative, 2004 Urban Areas Security Initiative - 2005	858.04 859.05	97.008 97.008	51,149 159,715
			(continued)

Federal Grantor / Pass-Through Grantor / Program Title	NCTCOG Grant Number	Federal CFDA Number	Estimated Federal Expenditures
Urban Areas Security Initiative - 2005 Urban Areas Security Initiative - 2005 Urban Areas Security Initiative - 2006	861.05 862.05 859.06	97.008 97.008 97.008	89,289 80,310 31
Urban Area Security Initiative, subtota	1		380,494
State Homeland Security Grant Program 2004-LETPP State Homeland Security Grant Program 2004 State Homeland Security Grant Program 2005 State Homeland Security Grant, subtotal	857.04 857.04 860.05	97.074 97.073 97.073	34,283 70,702 553,382 658,367
Texas Department of Public Safety, subtotal	1		1,038,860
Total Department of Homeland Security			1,038,860
U.S. Geological Survey	445.05	15.808	75,000
Total U.S. Department of interior			75,000
U.S. Department of Energy:			
Influence the AFV Choice	710.05	81.086	(1,343)
Total U.S. Department of Energy			(1,343)
Federal Emergency Management Agency:			
CTP Mapping Statement  Total Federal Emergency Management Agency	586.06	97.045	22,326 <b>22,326</b>
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$ 59,165,389

#### (1) General

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards presents the activity of all applicable federal awards of the North Central Texas Council of Governments (Council). The Council's reporting entity is defined in Note A to the basic financial statements. Federal awards received directly from federal agencies, as well as, federal awards passed through other government agencies are included on the schedule.

#### (2) Basis of Accounting

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented using the modified accrual basis of accounting. The modified accrual basis of accounting is described in Note A to the basic financial statements.

#### (3) Relationship to Federal Financial Reports

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedule may not agree with the amounts reported in the related federal financial reports with grantor agencies because of accruals which would be included in the next report filed with the agencies.

#### (4) Relationship to Basic Financial Statements

Federal awards revenues are reported in the Council's basic financial statements as follows:

Total revenue from federal and state administered grants	\$ 74,173,627
Less: State funded grant awards	15,008,238
Per Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards	\$ 59,165,389