WAYS COUNTY AUDITORS PROTECT OHIOANS

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[#]1 Verify all expenditures of taxpayer money

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As billpayers-in-chief, county auditors approve or reject county agencies' check requests to ensure that tax dollars are spent for proper public purposes.

#2 Ensure that property values are fair, equitable and reflect fair market value

The county auditor's office appraises land, homes and business property against an objective set of measures to ensure that residents pay fair and equitable taxes.

[#]3 Distribute taxes to provide vital public services

County auditors distribute the money received from tax levies and other sources so that schools, seniors and our children receive the services taxpayers support.

[#]4 Prepare comprehensive financial reports

County auditors prepare comprehensive financial reports to help elected officials make decisions and provide transparency to taxpayers and bond rating agencies.

$^{\#}5$ Ensure consumers get what they pay for

Products sold by weight or measurement are checked to assure that the price on the item is accurately scanned into the register, thereby protecting consumers from deceit.

Ensuring that Chief Fiscal Officers remain elected ensures that Ohioans are protected. Clearly

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