CITY OF ALLENTOWN

Bank Reconciliation Review For the month end date: 04/30/2025

Date of Report: November 11, 2025

OBJECTIVE

The objective of the monthly bank reconciliation review is to verify that bank transactions are complete, timely and accurately reported on the City of Allentown's accounting records for financial reporting purposes. It is also to determine whether the bank reconciliation prepared, and their corresponding schedules comply with the requirements of the policies, guidelines, and procedure outlined in the AIMs and to identify any areas for improvement.

PROCEDURES

A review of all the bank reconciliations prepared for the period tested including a review of the supporting schedules, outstanding items, and their corresponding documentation.

of City bank reconciliations prepared: 34

\$ Amount of the City bank reconciliations reviewed for the period: \$138,290,613.17

of Non-City Controlled bank reconciliations prepared: 3

\$ Amount of the Non-City Controlled bank reconciliations reviewed for the period: \$1,213,672.58.

SPECIAL NOTE

The City of Allentown converted the Tyler AP platform from EDEN to Munis in March 2025. The Outstanding checks under 3 years old in EDEN were transferred to Munis. 18 (eighteen) checks totaling \$20,566.58 were over 3 years old and although listed on the Banks's ARP, could not be systemically transferred to Munis and therefore must be manually tracked.

AGING OF OUTSTANDING ISSUES

ISSUE #	ISSUE	MONTH ISSUE FIRST APPEARED ON A BANK RECONCILIATION	MONTHS OUTSTANDING AS OPEN ISSUE ON THE BANK RECONCILIATION AUDIT REPORT	ORIGINAL AUDIT REPORT DATE
1	Inaccurate Reconciliation	04/2025	0	11/11/2025
2	Bank Reconciliations Not Completed Within Standard	03/2025	1	11/05/2025
3	Checks Not Voided on ARP	03/2025	1	11/05/2025
4	Duplicate Check Numbers Resulting in ARP Errors	03/2025	1	11/05/2025
5	Unreconciled Difference on the Bank Reconciliation	02/2025	3	04/11/2025

FINDINGS, RECOMMENDATIONS AND ADMINISTRATION'S RESPONSES

New Issue

1. Inaccurate Bank Reconciliation

The documentation used to reconcile the Police Funds bank account was the bank account activity and not the book activity. This is not a reconciliation of bank to book.

Recommendation

Bank reconciliations should be bank to book activity. The reconciliation should be revised.

Administration's Response

April's reconciliation is being revised to show book to bank activity.

Previously Reported Issues Unchanged

2. Untimely Completion of Bank Reconciliations

Effective 5/20/2020, Treasury's standard for completion of bank reconciliations is 2 months.

For the month of March 2025, the bank reconciliations were not completed until October 2025.

Recommendation

Bank reconciliations should be completed within the bank reconciliation standard of 2 months.

Administration's Response

Due to the implementation of Munis in March of 2025 as well as turnover in the Finance office, the bank reconciliation process has changed, and many kinks needed to be worked out. Once we are back up to date with 2025's reconciliations, we should be able to continue to reconcile within the 2-month window.

3. Checks Not Voided on ARP

We identified 1 (one) check totaling \$1,513.98 voided on the AP Cash Sub but not on the ARP or Munis.

Recommendation

To provide a proper bank audit trail, voids should be posted on the Bank's ARP on a timely basis.

Administration's Response

This check was voided in Eden as of 3/3/25 but was caught in an overlap in the transition to Munis. It was voided in Munis and removed from the ARP as of September.

4. <u>Duplicate Check Numbers Resulting in ARP Errors</u>

The City of Allentown converted the Tyler AP platform from EDEN to Munis in March 2025.

The new checks numbers issued in Munis included check numbers which were already listed on the Bank's ARP as outstanding checks. This resulted in duplicate check numbers on the Munis check listing. The Bank cannot support duplicate check numbers therefore only the original check number and amount appear on the ARP.

We identified 2 (two) Munis AP checks totaling \$787.73, which do not appear on the ARP check listing.

Recommendation

Administration should work with the bank to correct the deficiency.

Administration's Response

We are actively working on a solution.

Previously Reported Issues Revised (Last Report Date)

5. Unreconciled Difference on the Bank Reconciliation (04/11/2025)

The Payroll bank reconciliation has an unreconciled difference of \$0.50. It is unknown why there is a difference.

Recommendation

Administration should revisit the reconciliation, and the difference should continue to be researched and if not reconciled within a reasonable time, the difference should be adjusted on the books.

Administration's Response

This had to do with a void and special pay that we are looking to reconcile on the Feb bank rec.