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Butler County Finance Authority Earns Ohio Auditor of State Award for Excellence in Financial Reporting

HAMILTON, Ohio, August 29, 2026 – The Butler County Finance Authority has received the Ohio Auditor of State Award for excellence in financial reporting for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2025.

Presented by Ohio Auditor of State Keith Faber, the award recognizes public entities that meet rigorous standards for accurate, transparent, and legally compliant financial reporting. Eligible recipients must file timely financial reports on a Generally Accepted Accounting Principles basis and receive a clean audit without findings for recovery, material citations, material weaknesses, significant deficiencies, questioned costs, or other specified concerns.

“This recognition reflects the diligence, professionalism, and commitment to transparency demonstrated by our entire team,” said Joshua A. Smith, President & CEO of the Butler County Finance Authority. “BCFA is entrusted with public resources, and we take that responsibility seriously. This award reinforces our commitment to sound stewardship, accurate reporting, and accountability as we work to create opportunity throughout Butler County.”

The Auditor of State Award reflects BCFA's commitment to maintaining strong financial practices while advancing its mission to position Butler County to accelerate investment and job creation. Through public finance, redevelopment tools, and strategic partnerships, BCFA helps move projects forward that strengthen communities across the county.

About the Butler County Finance Authority

The Butler County Finance Authority is an Ohio statutory port authority whose mission is to position Butler County to accelerate investment and job creation. BCFA advances this mission through bond financing, conduit bond issuances, redevelopment tools, Community Development Entity activities, PACE financing, and strategic public-private partnerships.

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