

## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE WASHINGTON, DC 20227

March 22, 2022

Dr. Linda M. Combs State Controller State of North Carolina 3512 Bush Street Raleigh, NC 27699-1410

Dear Dr. Combs:

This letter is to advise you that the Bureau of the Fiscal Service (Fiscal Service) has reviewed your Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2021, which was provided under the provisions of the Cash Management Improvement Act (CMIA) of 1990 (P.L. 102-453).

Under 31 CFR 205.28 of the Department of the Treasury, Fiscal Service Regulations, Fiscal Service is required to determine CMIA Federal/State net interest liabilities, evaluate Interest Calculation Cost claims, and exchange net interest no later than March 31<sup>st</sup> of each year. Based on the information provided in your Annual Report, **your State has a net State interest liability of \$87,455 due to the Federal government.** Enclosed with this letter is a statement of the net interest liability calculation (see *Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Certification of Net Payment Due*) that includes the approved **\$47,832** Interest Calculation Cost amount. An attachment is included with the Certification of Net Payment Due if any Federal interest liabilities were denied or deferred.

The net State interest liability payment to the Federal government must be processed for settlement no later than March 31, 2022. The State's net interest liability should be paid using either the Automated Clearing House (ACH) Network or Fedwire (see our payment instructions provided to you in our letter dated March 4, 2022). Fiscal Service will do the accounting transactions to make net adjustments for all trust fund programs.

In the event that you disagree with our determinations, please contact us immediately so that we can address your disagreement. If this informal review is not satisfactory, you may dispute our determination under the provisions of 31 CFR 205.31. In order to support an appeal, it is essential that you provide the documentation that we requested in our letter dated November 17, 2021.

Thank you for your cooperation in this important partnership to ensure efficiency, effectiveness, and equity in the cash management of Federal grant payments. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your CMIA Coordinator at (202) 874-6976, or me at (202) 874-6751.

Sincerely,

Victor Poore Director (acting), CMIA Division Revenue Collections Management

Enclosure