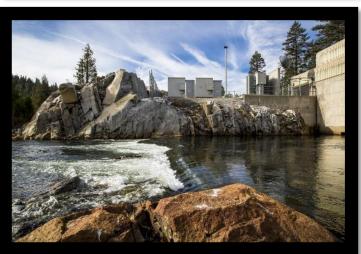
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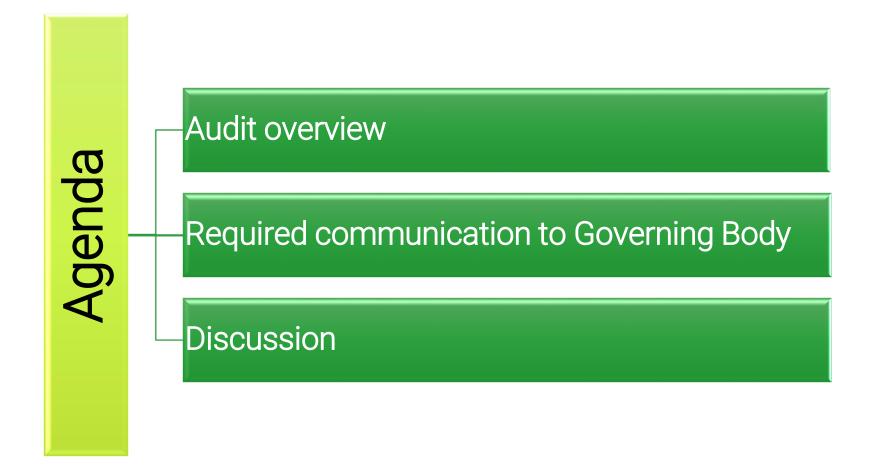




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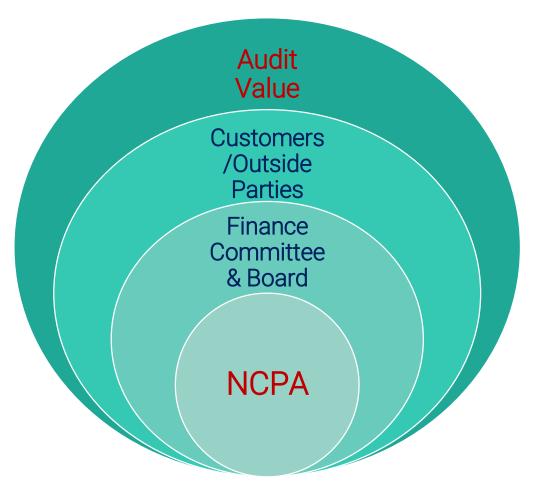
## NCPA Audit Discussion





## NCPA Deriving value from the audit

We view the audit as an opportunity to provide an opinion on the reliability of financial reporting to the Committee, Customer-Owners and Outside Parties and to provide value to NCPA





### NCPA Audit overview

#### Audit assesses internal controls

"....a means by which an organization's resources are directed, monitored, and measured. It plays an important role in preventing and detecting fraud and protecting the organization's resources"



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Controls must meet the goal and objectives of Operations, Reporting and Compliance



## NCPA What were the audit results?



Audit performed in accordance with *Generally Accepted Auditing Standards* 



Audit objective – reasonable assurance that financial statements are free from material misstatement



Financial statements of NCPA received an *Unmodified Opinion* 



There were no material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in controls



# **NCPA Testing methods** Evaluating and assessing risk Interviewing employees and documenting business processes Testing business processes for weaknesses and adherence to policies Statistical sampling Analysis



## NCPA Testing methods

#### Independent confirmations

#### Use of specialist reports

#### Tracing to source documents



## NCPA Audit overview

Controls reviewed in key transaction areas	Expenditures
	Payroll
	Billing and accounts receivable
	Cash, investments and derivatives
	Capital assets
	Information technology



## NCPA Auditor communication to those charged with governance

Auditor responsibility & independence

**Board responsibility** 

Accounting policies and estimates

Baker Tilly agrees with NCPA's accounting policies and disclosures

There were no material adjustments to the financial statements

## No other audit findings or concerns

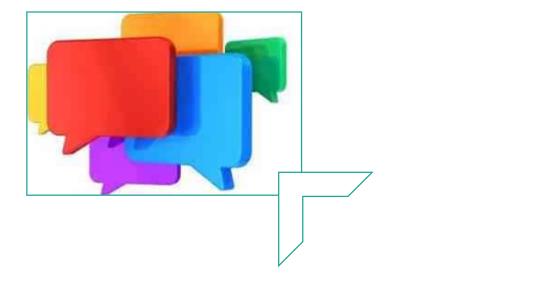




## We appreciate the help of the NCPA's Accounting and Management teams in assisting in the audit!







# Discussion



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