

August 19, 2016

Dottie Franey, Director
City of Gahanna
200 S. Hamilton Road
Gahanna, OH 43230

Dear Ms. Franey:

This letter is to notify you that Franklin County Public Health is requesting a 5% increase in your charge for public health services in 2017. This is a per capita rate of \$7.89.

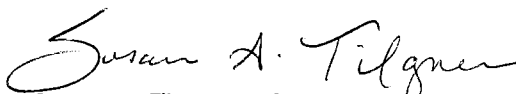
Two years ago, Franklin County Public Health notified jurisdictions about the need to raise an additional annual investment of \$957,500 to address core services and unfunded mandates. After talking individually with many of you and hearing your concerns, the Board of Health opted to phase in this increase over time. This will be the final year to phase in the additional investment funds generated by the per capita increase. The per capita rate of \$7.89 actually generates less than our original request of \$957,500. However, the funds successfully allowed us to assure core public health services and achieve public health accreditation. A full report on the use of these funds and our accomplishments will be sent to you later this Fall.

Based on the per capital rate of \$7.89 approved by the Franklin County Board of Health on August 9, 2016, the annual cost of your 2017 contract will be \$263,383.98. Your total cost is determined by multiplying your city's population figures by the per capita rate. Based on the MORPC population estimate, the population figure for your city is 33,382.

Enclosed are three original contracts for your signature. Please sign and return all three contracts to the attention of Alycia Burkitt by November 30, 2016. Once all signatures are obtained, a fully executed contract will be returned to you.

If you need further assistance, or have questions about your 2017 contract, please call me at (614) 525-4173 or our Director of Financial and Business Operations, John Wolf, at (614) 525-3938. As always, we are willing to attend any city council, committee or administration meeting to answer questions. Just let us know.

Sincerely,



Susan A. Tilgner, MS, RD, LD, RS
Health Commissioner

cc: John Wolf, Director of Finance and Business Operations
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