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November 19, 2020

Governing Board Cedar Unified School District P.O. Box 367 Keams Canyon, AZ 86034

Dear Members of the Board:

We have reviewed the District's audit reports and *Uniform System of Financial Records for Arizona School Districts* (USFR) Compliance Questionnaire for the year ended June 30, 2019, prepared by CWDL Certified Public Accountants, to determine whether the District substantially complied with the USFR.

As a result of our review, we have determined that the District has not complied with the USFR. Our determination is based on the most significant deficiencies cited in the District's audit reports and USFR Compliance Questionnaire. These deficiencies are included in the corrective action plan template we provided separately to you and District management. Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes §15-271, District management should implement corrective actions within 90 days after the date of this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Megan Smith, Accountability Services Division Manager, or me at asd@azauditor.gov or (602) 977-2796.

Sincerely, Melanie M. Chesney Deputy Auditor General and Accountability Services Division Director

cc: Ms. Corrina Begay, Interim Superintendent

Ms. Judy James, Business Manager Cedar Unified School District

Mr. Keith Kenny, Director Simon Consulting, LLC

The Honorable Jalyn Gerlich, Navajo County School Superintendent

Ms. Kate Wright, Chief of Staff

Ms. Sarah Hendrix, Deputy Associate Superintendent, Grants Management Arizona Department of Education