

LINDSEY A. PERRY AUDITOR GENERAL MELANIE M. CHESNEY

April 18, 2023

Governing Board Valley Union High School District 4088 E. Jefferson Rd. Elfrida, AZ 85610

Dear Members of the Board:

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) §15-914 and the *Uniform System of Financial Records for Arizona School Districts* (USFR), school districts must submit audited financial statements and reports, and a USFR Compliance Questionnaire (questionnaire) to our Office within 9 months of fiscal year-end. We have not received the District's reports for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2021 and 2022, and questionnaire for the year ended June 30, 2022, which were due by March 31, 2023. Therefore, the District has not complied with the USFR and applicable State and federal requirements regarding audit report submission.

If the District does not submit the reports and questionnaire within 90 days of the date of this letter, we will notify the Arizona State Board of Education of the District's noncompliance and request that appropriate action be taken as prescribed by Arizona Revised Statutes §15-272.

If you have questions about this letter or the action the District must take, please call Tijana Djordjic, Accountability Services Senior Accountant, or me at (602) 977-2796.

Sincerely,

Meghan L. Hieger, CPA

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Director, Accountability Services Division

cc: Mr. Kyle Hart, Superintendent

Ms. Heaven Terrazas, Business Manager

Valley Union High School District

The Honorable Jacqui Clay, Cochise County Schools Superintendent

Members of the State Board of Education

Arizona State Board of Education

Mr. Art Harding, Chief Operations Officer

Ms. Deirdre Mai, Deputy Associate Superintendent, Grants Management Arizona Department of Education