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TO: Chief Justice
    Cabinet Members
    Agency Heads
    Chief Fiscal Officers

FROM: Michael S. Jackson, Director
      Office of Management and Budget

DATE: July 22, 2020

SUBJECT: Fiscal Year 2021 Monthly Expenditure Reports - General Fund and Appropriated Special Funds

As the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) begins to prepare the Fiscal Year 2022 Governor’s Recommended Budget, I request your assistance to ensure that the actual and projected expenditures for Fiscal Year 2021 are as complete and accurate as possible. The information received from the expenditure reports is critical to the management of state resources.

Agencies will receive a reporting template each month containing data from the DGL060 Daily Validity Report for all applicable General Fund and Appropriated Special Fund appropriations. Please provide OMB with projected expenditure surplus/deficits for each of the appropriations contained in the report.

The first expenditure report must be submitted to Cali Engelsiepen at Cali.Engelsiepen@delaware.gov, as well as the agency’s OMB Fiscal and Policy Analyst, no later than Monday, September 7, 2020. The report must be based on actual expenditures through August 31, 2020 and must include a projection for the remainder of the fiscal year. Additional resources to assist in completing the expenditure projection include: the PHRST List of Authorized Positions (LAP) Report, the PHRST DPR002 Payroll Expenditures by Account, the FSF DGL025 Appropriation Expenditures by Account Report, and the FSF DGL152 Monthly Actuals Expense Summary by CF String Report.
All agencies are expected to remain within their budget appropriations. An agency projecting a deficit in personnel costs (salaries and OECs) must continue vacancies, as necessary, to remain within the level of funding for personnel costs. OMB will notify the agency under a separate cover letter of the agency’s allocation of personnel costs within in the OMB contingency fund.

An agency projecting a deficit in an operating cost appropriation must provide additional information including the root cause, resolution, and path forward.

Expenditure reports will be due on the following dates:

- September 7, 2020
- October 7, 2020
- November 9, 2020
- December 7, 2020
- January 7, 2021
- February 5, 2021
- March 5, 2021
- April 7, 2021
- May 7, 2020
- June 7, 2020

The continued assistance of the agency staff in this effort is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Cali Engelsiepen at 672-5109 or the agency's OMB Fiscal and Policy Analyst.

cc:  Chris Hudson, Budget Director, BDP
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