

Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board - Thrift Savings Fund

2022 Audit Results August 22, 2023



2022 Audit Scope

The audit was conducted in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards (GAAS)

- Presented fairly, in all material respects, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles
- Does not relieve management or the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board of their responsibilities
- The audit is designed to obtain reasonable, but not absolute, assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement
- Consideration of internal control over financial reporting, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion over internal controls
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates
 made by management
- We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.





2022 Audit Results

Independent Auditors' Report- Unmodified "clean" opinion

- Letter on internal control over financial reporting
 - No material weaknesses or significant deficiencies
 - Reported other matters

 Letter to the Board providing required communications with those charged with governance





Letter on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

- Four Other Control Related Matters
 - AFS Reporting Issues
 - Participant notifications unavailable
 - Savantage system was decommissioned and disposed of prior to the December 31, 2022 audit
 - BNY Statements not in the Plan's name





Required Communications Letter

Overall

- Purpose is to communicate audit results to governance
- There was no change in the scope of the testing.
- No changes in accounting policies
- Management did not consult with other accountants on the application of GAAP or GAAS
- No Significant disclosures

Estimates

- Valuation of investments
- Contribution receivables

Difficulties

- Significant Unusual Transactions:
- Internal recordkeeping through June 1, 2022
- June 1, 2022 outsourced recordkeeping to AFS (Transfer of Service provider)
- Custodial agreement BNY
- Open Mutual Fund Window
- No disagreements encountered

Other

- No Uncorrected and Corrected misstatements
- Financial statement disclosures are neutral, consistent, and clear.
- Management representations







June 30, 2023 Review Plan

WEALTH ADVISORY | OUTSOURCING AUDIT, TAX, AND CONSULTING

Investment advisory services are offered through CliftonLarsonAllen
Wealth Advisors.LLC. an SEC-registered investment advisor

Review Plan

- Review of the Thrift Savings Fund financial statements as of and for the six months ended June 30, 2023
- Work to be performed during September
- Reports to be issued:
 - Draft from management Beginning of October
 - Final End of October
- Presentation of the results at the November Board meeting





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