



STATE OF ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE
AUDITOR GENERAL

Frank J. Mautino, Auditor General

SUMMARY REPORT DIGEST

RAILSPITTER TOBACCO SETTLEMENT AUTHORITY

Financial Audit
For the Year Ended June 30, 2025

Release Date: January 27, 2026

FINDINGS THIS AUDIT:	0
FINDINGS LAST AUDIT:	0

INTRODUCTION

This digest covers the Railsplitter Tobacco Settlement Authority's (Authority) Financial Audit as of and for the year ended June 30, 2025.

There were no findings disclosed during our audit.

AUDITOR'S OPINIONS

The auditors stated the financial statements of the Authority as of and for the year ended June 30, 2025, are fairly stated in all material respects.

This financial audit was conducted by Sikich CPA LLC.

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COURTNEY DZIERWA
Division Director

This report is transmitted in accordance with Section 3-14 of the Illinois State Auditing Act.

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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental funds	FY 2025	FY 2024
PROGRAM REVENUES		
Tobacco settlement revenues (TSRs).....	\$ 246,317,781	\$ 264,965,296
Total Program Revenues.....	<u>246,317,781</u>	<u>264,965,296</u>
EXPENDITURES		
Excess residual payments to State.....	234,494,023	331,516,128
Professional fees.....	92,058	189,504
Attorney General.....	2,500,000	2,500,000
Debt service - principal retirement.....	-	449,050,000
Debt service - interest.....	-	51,017,750
Total Expenditures.....	<u>237,086,081</u>	<u>834,273,382</u>
GENERAL REVENUES		
Investment income.....	1,438,957	3,946,976
Transfers in.....	-	344,770,995
Total general revenues.....	<u>1,438,957</u>	<u>348,717,971</u>
Changes in fund balance.....	10,670,657	(220,590,115)
Fund balance (deficit) July 1.....	<u>(131,606,666)</u>	<u>88,983,446</u>
Fund balance (deficit) June 30.....	<u>\$ (120,936,009)</u>	<u>\$ (131,606,669)</u>
BALANCE SHEET - Governmental funds	June 30, 2025	June 30, 2024
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents.....	\$ 3,472,881	\$ 4,625,982
Receivables (TSRs).....	124,408,890	133,732,648
Total Assets.....	<u>\$ 127,881,771</u>	<u>\$ 138,358,630</u>
LIABILITIES		
Due to Attorney General.....	-	2,500,000
Due to State - residual TSRs.....	124,408,890	133,732,648
Total Liabilities.....	<u>124,408,890</u>	<u>136,232,648</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES		
Deferred TSRs.....	124,408,890	133,732,648
Total Liabilities and deferred inflows of resources	<u>248,817,780</u>	<u>269,965,296</u>
FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT)		
Fund balance (deficit).....	<u>(120,936,009)</u>	<u>(131,606,666)</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balance (deficit).....	<u>\$ 127,881,771</u>	<u>\$ 138,358,630</u>
BOARD CHAIRPERSON		
During Audit Period: Alexis Sturm		
Currently: Alexis Sturm		