Memorandum



DATE November 9, 2018

TO Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

SUBJECT Sales Tax Receipts

The September 2018 sales tax receipts from the State Comptroller's Office are \$27,851,403 which represents a 5 percent increase in total collections compared to the same reporting period last year.

September 2018 budget \$27,408,755

September 2018 actual \$27,851,403

September 2018 receipts are the final collections for FY 2017-18. For the fiscal year, revenue is \$2 million or 0.7 percent better than the original budget. On September 12, 2018, City Council approved use of \$1.2 million of this excess revenue as part of FY 2017-18 appropriation adjustments. The additional revenue will be added to the General Fund Reserve.

M. Elizabeth Reich

Chief Financial Officer

Attachment

c: T.C. Broadnax, City Manager Christopher Caso, City Attorney (Interim) Carol A. Smith, City Auditor (Interim) Bilierae Johnson, City Secretary Preston Robinson, Administrative Judge Kimberly Bizor Tolbert, Chief of Staff to the City Manager Majed A. Al-Ghafry, Assistant City Manager Jon Fortune, Assistant City Manager Joey Zapata, Assistant City Manager Nadia Chandler Hardy, Assistant City Manager & Chief Resilience Officer Directors and Assistant Directors

SALES TAX

as of September 2018

		BUDGET	ACTUAL	YTD VARIANCE FY 17-18 ACT. VS. FY 16-17 ACT.		YTD VARIANCE FY 17-18 ACTUAL VS. BUDGET	
	ACTUAL						
	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2017-18	DOLLARS	PERCENT	DOLLARS	PERCENT
OCT	\$23,256,127	\$24,027,490	\$24,658,939	\$1,402,812	6.0%	\$631,450	2.6%
NOV	22,167,177	22,902,421	23,107,433	940,256	4.2%	205,011	0.9%
DEC	30,146,384	31,146,284	30,495,919	349,535	1.2%	(650,365)	-2.1%
JAN	21,809,865	22,533,258	22,512,572	702,707	3.2%	(20,686)	-0.1%
FEB	21,898,775	22,625,117	22,085,841	187,066	0.9%	(539,276)	-2.4%
MAR	28,359,166	29,299,787	30,639,226	2,280,060	8.0%	1,339,439	4.6%
APR	22,205,794	22,942,319	23,469,135	1,263,341	5.7%	526,815	2.3%
MAY	23,406,768	24,183,127	24,246,315	839,547	3.6%	63,187	0.3%
JUN	27,407,086	28,316,129	28,316,678	909,592	3.3%	549	0.0%
JUL	23,147,421	23,915,178	24,018,891	871,470	3.8%	103,712	0.4%
AUG	23,277,160	24,049,220	23,995,432	718,272	3.1%	(53,788)	-0.2%
SEP	26,528,842	27,408,755	27,851,403	1,322,561	5.0%	442,648	1.6%
TOTAL	\$293,610,565	\$303,349,086	\$305,397,783	\$11,787,218	4.0%	\$2,048,697	0.7%

*On September 12, 2018, the sales tax revenue budget was increased by \$1.2 million. This report reflects the original revenue budget approved in September 2017 and does not include the increase approved in September 2018.

