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# STATE OF FLORIDA <br> DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE REVENUE COLLECTION REPORT 

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the Legislative Office of Economic and Demographic Research website at http://www.edr.state.fl.us/content/revenues/index.cfm

## SALES AND USE TAX

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Sales and Use Tax collections were above the estimate in March 2018 by $\$ 12.1 \mathrm{~m}$ ( $0.5 \%$ ) and over the March 2017 collections by $\$ 158.8 \mathrm{~m}$ (6.9\%). The estimates are based on the February 9, 2018 General Revenue Estimating Conference (GR) (page 3).

## CORPORATE INCOME TAX

CIT collections of $\$ 123.9 \mathrm{~m}$ in March 2018 were below the estimates by $\$ 69.7 \mathrm{~m}(36 \%)$ and below the March 2017 collections by $\$ 73.8 \mathrm{~m}$ (37.3\%). The estimates are based on the February 9, 2018 GR conference (page 4).

DOCUMENTARY STAMP TAX
Documentary Stamp Tax collections of $\$ 205.6 \mathrm{~m}$ were above the estimate in March 2018 by $\$ 10.6 \mathrm{~m}$ ( $5.4 \%$ ) and above the March 2017 collections by $\$ 12.4 \mathrm{~m}$ (6.4\%). The estimates are based on the February 9, 2018 GR conference (page 5).

March Tax Collections - Summary Data


## Department of Revenue Total DOR Revenue Collections March-18

| (\$m) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| General Revenue Sources (*) | Actual Deposits | Estimated Deposits | Amount over/(under) Estimate (1) | Percent over/(under) Estimate | Year-to-Date over/(under) Estimate |
| 1. Sales and Use Tax | 2,466.37 | 2,454.27 | 12.10 | 0.49\% | 22.33 |
| 2. Communications Services Tax | 139.18 | 137.30 | 1.88 | 1.37\% | -24.79 |
| 3. Corp Income and Excise Tax | 123.93 | 193.60 | -69.67 | -35.99\% | -49.18 |
| 4. Documentary Stamp | 205.64 | 195.05 | 10.60 | 5.43\% | 27.62 |
| 5. Insurance Premium | 68.82 | 68.10 | 0.72 | 1.06\% | 26.55 |
| 6. Non-Recurring Intangible | 28.50 | 29.80 | -1.30 | -4.36\% | -4.49 |
| 7. Severance-Oil \& Gas | 0.21 | 0.10 | 0.11 | 112.02\% | 0.28 |
| 8. Severance-Solid Mineral | 4.65 | 3.40 | 1.25 | 36.83\% | 1.25 |
| 9. Audit Clearing Account | 6.92 | 7.30 | -0.38 | -5.15\% | 22.31 |
| 10. Warrant Clearing Account | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | -- | 0.00 |
| 11. GR Sources - Refunds | -15.41 | -25.30 | 9.89 | 39.09\% | 1.83 |
| Subtotal: General Revenue Sources (*) | 3,028.83 | 3,063.62 | -34.79 | -1.14\% | 23.72 |
| This report does not include GR sources collected by other state agencies. Those data can be obtained from the Legislative Office of Economic and Demographic Research website at |  |  |  |  |  |
| http://edr.state.fl.us/content/revenues/index.cfm |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other Tax Sources |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12. Governmental Leasehold | 0.11 | 0.00 | 0.11 | -- | -0.18 |
| 13. Tax on Fuel | 308.84 | 310.31 | -1.47 | -0.47\% | -38.43 |
| 14. Pollutant Tax | 23.83 | 21.47 | 2.35 | 10.97\% | 8.46 |
| 15. 2.5\% Gross Receipt Utility | 48.53 | 48.77 | -0.24 | -0.50\% | 2.52 |
| 16. Solid Waste Return Taxes | 20.67 | 19.95 | 0.72 | 3.59\% | 2.98 |
| 17. Warranty Fee (Lemon Law) | 0.19 | 0.20 | -0.01 | -7.04\% | -0.08 |
| 18. Prepaid Wireless E-911 | 1.97 | -- | 1.97 | -- | 0.00 |
| 21. Miscellaneous | 1.00 | 1.86 | -0.86 | -46.16\% | -4.19 |
| 22. Other Sources - Refunds | -0.95 | -2.00 | 1.05 | 52.26\% | 2.76 |
| Subtotal: Other Tax Sources | 404.18 | 400.57 | 3.60 | 0.90\% | -26.18 |


| Additional Deposits |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| 23. Clerk of Court - DOR Trust Fund | 35.04 |
| 24. Unemployment Compensation | 4.49 |
| 25. DOR Deposits for Other Agencies | 433.41 |
| 26. DOR Child Support Payment Deposits | 1.44 |
| Subtotal: Additional Deposits | 474.37 |


| GRAND TOTAL - ALL DOR DEPOSITS |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| NET DEPOSITS | $3,907.37$ |
| Refunds included in above | 16.36 |
| GROSS DEPOSITS | $3,923.74$ |

Notes:
(*) Represents all DOR administered taxes that are wholly or partially earmarked for the General Revenue fund excluding service charges.
(1) Estimates are February 2018 REC figures adjusted to exclude net receipts from prior period tax.
(2) All lines include applicable local option taxes administered by DOR.
(3) This data represents bank deposits by DOR for the month indicated. Deposit totals do not necessarily match totals in the Comptroller's official accounting records due to lags and adjustments in the accounting process.

## SALES TAX ...

.. COLLECTIONS IN March 2018 of $\$ 2,466.37 \mathrm{~m}$ were $\$ 12.1 \mathrm{~m}$ ( $0.5 \%$ ) above the estimate. The March 2018 Sales and Use Tax collections were $\$ 158.8 \mathrm{~m}$ ( $6.9 \%$ ) above the March 2017 Sales and Use Tax collections (see Graph on page 1). The estimates are based on the February 9, 2018 GR conference.

## Analysis of February collections by category...

Three categories were above the estimates in February 2018, with Consumer Non-durables 2.5\% above, Tourism \& Rec. 0.9\% above and Business Investment 7.0\% above. The remaining categories of sales tax were below the estimate. Auto-related was $1.8 \%$ below, Other Consumer Durables 1.0\% below and Construction $15.7 \%$ below the estimate. Compared to February 2017, all categories were above the same month collections last year. The estimates are based on the February 9, 2018 GR conference.

Note: February 2018 sales tax collections by categories reflect January 2018 activity


Note: Because sales tax by category is not immediately available this chart applies to the previous month's collections.

| Feb-18 | Actual (\$m) | Estimate (\$m) | Diff | \% Diff | Diff vs prior <br> Year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Consumer Non-Durables | 609.2 | 594.2 | 15.0 | 2.5 | 7.1 |
| Tourism \& Recreation | 493.1 | 488.8 | 4.3 | 0.9 | 6.8 |
| Auto-Related | 368.5 | 375.4 | $(6.9)$ | $(1.8)$ | 3.0 |
| Other Consumer Durables | 143.2 | 144.7 | $(1.5)$ | $(1.0)$ | 9.2 |
| Construction | 132.9 | 157.6 | $(24.7)$ | $(15.7)$ | 5.1 |
| Business Investment | 434.5 | 406.0 | 28.5 | 7.0 | 11.4 |
| Total Final Liability | $2,181.4$ | $2,166.7$ | 14.7 | 0.7 | 7.1 |
| Net Estimated Payments | 5.0 | $(1.0)$ | 6.0 | $(600.8)$ |  |
| STATE SALES TAX | $\mathbf{2 , 1 8 6 . 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 1 6 5 . 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 . 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 . 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 . 6}$ |
| Local Option Taxes | 239.3 | 240.4 | $(1.1)$ | $(0.5)$ | 9.2 |
| 2.6\% Gross Receipt Utility Tax | 11.7 | 11.7 | 0.0 |  | 0.1 |

## CORPORATE INCOME TAX....

.... Collections of $\$ 123.9 \mathrm{~m}$ in March 2018 were $\$ 69.7 \mathrm{~m}$ (36.0\%) below the March estimates. The March 2018 CIT collections were $\$ 73.4 \mathrm{~m}$ ( $37.3 \%$ ) below the March 2017 CIT collections. The estimates are based on the February 9, 2018 GR conference.



## OTHER DOR TAXES...

...excluding Sales Tax and Corporate Income Tax, other taxes contributed $\$ 852.1 \mathrm{~m}$ to DOR tax collections in March 2018, which were $\$ 15.8 \mathrm{~m}(1.9 \%)$ above the estimate. The March 2018 collections were $\$ 36.4 \mathrm{~m}(4.5 \%)$ above the same month previous year's collections. The Doc Stamp Collections in March 2018 were $\$ 10.6 \mathrm{~m}$ ( $5.4 \%$ ) above the estimate. Compared to March 2017 collections on Doc Stamp Taxes, the March 2018 collections were $\$ 12.4 \mathrm{~m}$ (6.4\%) above.

The collections of the Communications Services Tax in March were above the estimate by $\$ 1.9 \mathrm{~m}$ (1.4\%). Compared to March 2017 collections on Communication Services Tax, the March 2018 collections were $\$ 4.4 \mathrm{~m}$ (3.2\%) above. The collections of Insurance Premium Tax in March were above the estimate by $\$ 0.7 \mathrm{~m}$ (1.1\%). Compared to March 2017 collections on Insurance Premium Taxes, the March 2018 collections were $\$ 41.6 \mathrm{~m}(39.9 \%)$ above. The collections of Fuel-related Taxes \& Fees in March were above the estimate by $\$ 0.9 \mathrm{~m}(0.3 \%)$. The non-recurring Intangible Tax collections were $\$ 1.3 \mathrm{~m}$ (4.4\%) below.


## Other DOR Taxes

 March 2018-Actual ■Estimate aPrior Year


## HISTORICAL COMPARISON GRAPHS

Pages 7-16 contain graphs for individual tax sources comparing the current fiscal year's actual and projected collections and collections for the three most recent fiscal years. The upper panel on each page presents monthly collections. The lower panel compares actual and expected collections on a fiscal year basis. In the lower panel, the bars prefaced by 'ACT' depict actual collections through the current month of each respective year. The bar prefaced by 'EST' shows that cumulation of the current year's DOR estimate through the current month. DOR's estimates are derived from estimates produced by the REC in February 2018. These estimates are adjusted to make them compatible with DOR's cash collection figures.


Corporate Tax Collections
Monthly Receipts


Corporate Income Tax Receipts
Fiscal Years through March





Insurance Premium Tax Collections Monthly Receipts




2.5\% Gross Receipts Tax Receipts

Fiscal Years through March


Fuel Tax Collections
Monthly Receipts


Fuel Tax Receipts
Fiscal Years through March




