# MAJOR GENERAL FUND TAX REVENUES COMPARISON OF ACTUALS AND IHS MARKIT ESTIMATES

This memorandum provides information on actual tax collections and the March 2019 baseline estimates prepared by IHS Markit. During the 2017-18 interim, the Legislative Management contracted with IHS Markit to receive economic forecasting data related to the 2017-19 and 2019-21 bienniums. The amounts shown in the schedules below reflect a comparison of the last 2 quarters of the 2017-19 biennium. The March 2019 baseline estimates prepared by IHS Markit were based on actual tax collections through January 2019 and estimates for the remainder of the 2017-19 biennium.

# SALES AND USE TAX COLLECTIONS

The schedule below compares the actual sales and use tax collections to the March 2019 baseline estimates prepared by IHS Markit.

|                       | Actual        | IHS               | Variance     |         |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------|---------|
|                       | Collections   | Baseline Estimate | Amount       | Percent |
| January to March 2019 | \$217,580,624 | \$216,296,700     | \$1,283,924  | 0.6%    |
| April to June 2019    | 225,072,964   | 210,175,700       | 14,897,264   | 7.1%    |
| 6-month total         | \$442,653,588 | \$426,472,400     | \$16,181,188 | 3.8%    |

### MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAX COLLECTIONS

The schedule below compares the actual motor vehicle excise tax collections to the March 2019 baseline estimates prepared by IHS Markit.

|                       | Actual       | IHS               | Variance      |         |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------|---------|
|                       | Collections  | Baseline Estimate | Amount        | Percent |
| January to March 2019 | \$28,416,353 | \$31,887,720      | (\$3,471,367) | (10.9%) |
| April to June 2019    | 33,879,758   | 33,330,150        | 549,608       | 1.6%    |
| 6-month total         | \$62,296,111 | \$65,217,870      | (\$2,921,759) | (4.5%)  |

### INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX COLLECTIONS

The schedule below compares the actual individual income tax collections to the March 2019 baseline estimates prepared by IHS Markit.

|                       | Actual        | IHS               | Variance     |         |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------|---------|
|                       | Collections   | Baseline Estimate | Amount       | Percent |
| January to March 2019 | \$100,037,094 | \$86,291,340      | \$13,745,754 | 15.9%   |
| April to June 2019    | 156,062,970   | 135,840,300       | 20,222,670   | 14.9%   |
| 6-month total         | \$256,100,064 | \$222,131,640     | \$33,968,424 | 15.3%   |

# CORPORATE INCOME COLLECTIONS

The schedule below compares the actual corporate income tax collections to the March 2019 baseline estimates prepared by IHS Markit.

|                       | Actual       | IHS               | Variance      |         |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------|---------|
|                       | Collections  | Baseline Estimate | Amount        | Percent |
| January to March 2019 | \$15,005,622 | \$16,095,990      | (\$1,090,368) | (6.8%)  |
| April to June 2019    | 64,710,978   | 42,248,290        | 22,462,688    | 53.2%   |
| 6-month total         | \$79,716,600 | \$58,344,280      | \$21,372,320  | 36.6%   |