

Economic Brief

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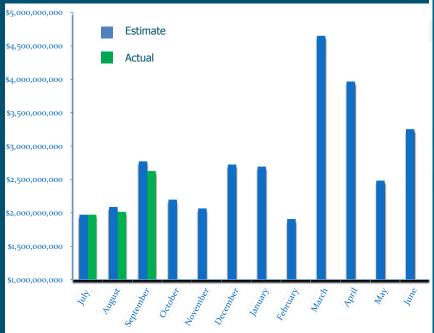
Pennsylvania Brings in \$2.63 Billion in Revenue Collections

General Fund revenue collections for the month of September were \$2.63 billion, which was \$145 million less than expected.

Collections of \$473 million for corporation taxes came in below Department of Revenue projections by \$50 million. Sales tax collections of \$812 million were lower than expected, coming in \$21 million below the official estimate. The Personal Income Taxes collected were \$1.08 billion, which was below estimate by \$37 million.

For the 2016-17 Fiscal Year, General Fund collections of \$6.6 billion are below the official estimate by \$218.5 million.

General Fund Revenue vs. Estimates



EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

Labor Force	August 2016 6.52 Million	Monthly Change -7,000
Unemployment Rate	5.7%	+0.1
Total Employment	6.15 Million	-10,000 👈

12-Month Change

Total Employment	+36,000
Unemployment Rate	+0.8%



→ PA Unemployment Rate → National Unemployment Rate

Estimate	Actual		
Total General Fund	Total General Fund	\	
\$2.77 Billion	\$2.63 Billion		
Corporation Taxes	Corporation Taxes	\	
\$523 Million	\$473 Million		
Sales Taxes	Sales Taxes	\downarrow	
\$832 Million	\$812 Million		
Personal Income Taxes	Personal Income Taxes	\	
\$1.11 Billion	\$1.08 Billion		
All Other Taxes	All Other Taxes	lacksquare	
\$298 Million	\$264 Million		
Non-Tax Revenue	Non-Tax Revenue	\P	
\$4.7 Million	\$1 Million		