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OFFICE OF THE STATE CONTROLLER RELEASES SEPTEMBER FINANCIAL REPORT

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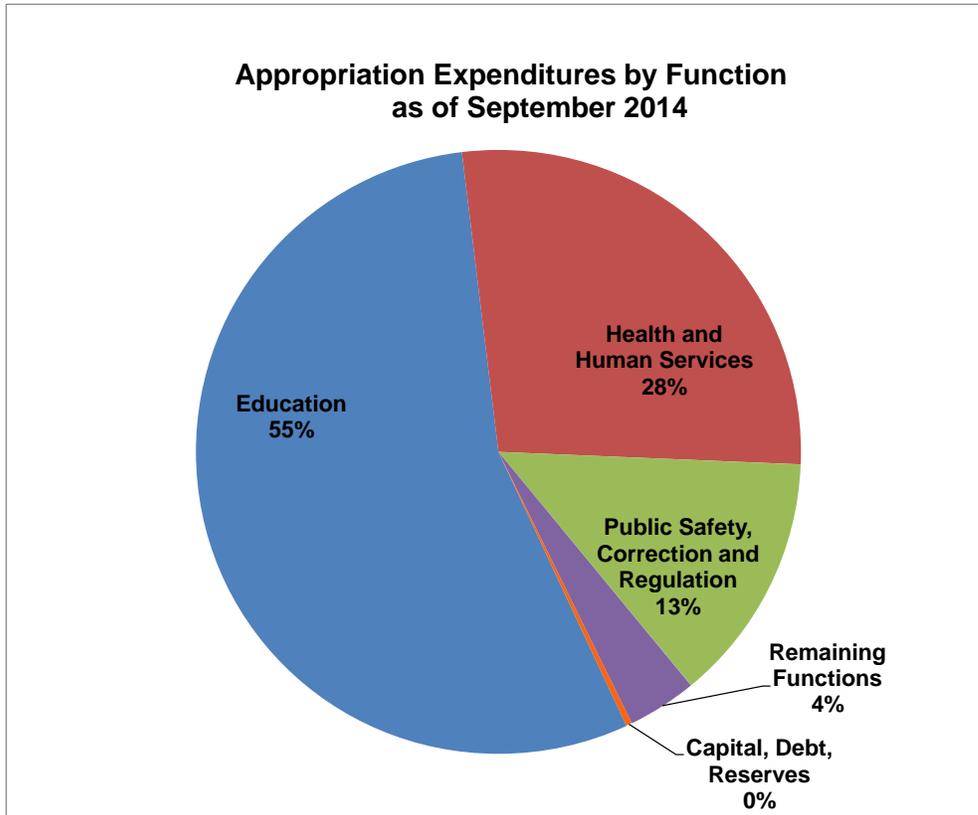
RALEIGH – For September 2014, when compared to the prior year through September 2013, North Carolina experienced a decrease in General Fund receipts which includes tax and non-tax receipts. Tax revenues decreased by \$312.8 million, or 6.5 percent, and non-tax revenues decreased by \$8.7 million, or 3.4 percent as compared to the previous year.

The General Fund’s unreserved fund balance as of September 2014 was \$363.1 million as compared to \$1.1 billion as of September 2013.

Financial summary charts are included below. More detailed information is contained in the most recent monthly report on the General Fund compiled by the Office of the State Controller. This report can be found at www.osc.nc.gov. Click on “September General Fund Monthly Report” on the left-hand side of the page just above the pie chart. The OSC website includes General Fund monthly budgetary basis financial information back through June 1998.

GENERAL FUND
APPROPRIATION EXPENDITURES, BUDGET, AND PERCENT EXPENDED
FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2014 AND FISCAL YEAR-TO-DATE
Expressed In Millions

	Appropriation Expenditures		Percent of Budget Expended	
	September FY 2015	Year-To-Date FY 2015	Budget FY 2015	Year-To-Date FY 2015
Current Operations				
General Government	\$ 29.7	\$ 85.2	\$ 392.4	21.7%
Education	1,157.8	2,463.0	11,880.2	20.7%
Health and Human Services	463.1	1,235.1	5,154.1	24.0%
Economic Development	5.2	8.2	104.0	7.9%
Environment and Natural Resources	23.4	43.4	171.2	25.4%
Public Safety, Correction, and Regulation	203.5	599.6	2,438.2	24.6%
Agriculture	12.8	28.5	117.8	24.2%
Operating Reserves/Rounding	1.4	(14.4)	89.0	(16.2%)
<i>Total Current Operations</i>	<u>\$ 1,896.9</u>	<u>\$ 4,448.6</u>	<u>\$ 20,346.9</u>	<u>21.9%</u>
Capital Improvements				
Funded by General Fund	—	—	13.6	—
Debt Service	24.9	28.7	721.6	4.0%
Total Appropriation Expenditures	<u>\$ 1,921.8</u>	<u>\$ 4,477.3</u>	<u>\$ 21,082.1</u>	<u>21.2%</u>



Remaining Functions: General Government, Environment and Natural Resources, Agriculture and Economic Development

Unaudited

The State Controller is North Carolina's chief fiscal officer. The Office of the State Controller serves as an independent resource to ensure the financial integrity of the State by providing accounting, disbursing, payroll, internal control, data management, eCommerce and financial reporting systems that serve state agencies, employees and the public and by maximizing financial return through its statewide cash management plan. The OSC issues numerous financial reports including: General Fund Monthly Financial Report, IT Expenditures Report, Statewide Accounts Receivable Report, the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) as well as the short, easy-to-read version of the CAFR known as the "popular" report.