## **MEMO**



To: Audit Committee

From: Laura Storrs, Finance Director

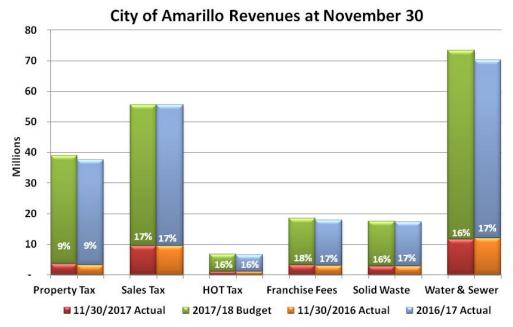
Date: January 12, 2018

Subject: Monthly Budget vs. Actual as of 11/30/17

Below is a brief summary of the budget vs. actual for the City of Amarillo as of the month ending 11/30/17.

## Outline of major revenues:

- Property taxes 9% or \$3.6 million of the 17/18 fiscal year total budget has been collected.
- Sales tax 2.20% above budget for November 2017. Total collections are \$9.5 million. Sales tax
  collections for December 2017 were 0.45% lower than the prior year keeping revenue slightly higher
  than budget for the fiscal year.
- Hotel/motel tax tracking above budget by 3% with total collections of \$1.1 million.
- Franchise fees coming in above budget by approximately 4%.
- Solid Waste collection and disposal fees right on target with budget for the fiscal year with total collections only \$37 thousand below budget.
- Water and sewer sales 6% or \$710 thousand lower than budget projections.



## Update on expenditures:

- Total General Fund expenditures right on target with budget for two months of expenditures.
- Medical claims related to the City's health plan \$3.3 million versus \$3.0 million budgeted resulting in a negative variance of 8%.

Please let me know if you have specific questions regarding this information.