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## FORECAST AND ACTUAL 2015-17 BIENNIUM OIL TAX REVENUE COLLECTIONS AND ALLOCATIONS

## ACTUAL COLLECTIONS AND ALLOCATIONS THROUGH DECEMBER 2015 AND FORECASTED AMOUNTS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE BIENNIUM

The schedules below provide information on the actual oil production and prices, oil tax revenue collections, and oil tax revenue allocations for August 2015 through December 2015 and forecasted amounts for the remainder of the biennium. For example, December 2015 oil tax revenue collections relate to October 2015 oil production. Actual oil prices reflect the Flint Hills Resources (FHR) posted prices.

	Actual					Forecast							
	June 2015	July 2015	August 2015	September 2015	October 2015	November 2015	December 2015	January 2016	February 2016	March 2016	April 2016	May 2016	Fiscal Year 2016 Average
Average daily oil price and oil													_
production													
Production in barrels	1,211,328	1,206,996	1,187,631	1,162,159	1,168,950	1,100,000	1,100,000	1,100,000	1,100,000	1,100,000	1,100,000	1,100,000	1,136,422
Price per barrel - FHR	\$47.73	\$39.41	\$29.52	\$31.17	\$34.37	\$46.52	\$47.08	\$47.58	\$48.02	\$48.40	\$48.77	\$49.12	\$43.14
			Actual			Forecast							
	August 2015	September 2015	October 2015	November 2015	December 2015	January 2016	February 2016	March 2016	April 2016	May 2016	June 2016	July 2016	Fiscal Year 2016 Total
Collections													
Gross production tax	\$95,364,418	\$82,342,580	\$64,881,394	\$63,796,649	\$70,276,500	\$73,687,680	\$77,060,544	\$77,878,944	\$70,992,768	\$79,221,120	\$77,251,680	\$80,399,616	\$913,153,893
Oil extraction tax	93,764,109	84,390,468	64,399,990	66,241,723	76,470,120	15,351,600	97,931,108	77,878,944	70,992,768	79,221,120	77,251,680	80,399,616	884,293,246
Total collections	\$189,128,527	\$166,733,048	\$129,281,384	\$130,038,372	\$146,746,620	\$89,039,280	\$174,991,652	\$155,757,888	\$141,985,536	\$158,442,240	\$154,503,360	\$160,799,232	\$1,797,447,139
Allocations													
Legacy fund	\$52,445,900	\$46,082,947	\$35,621,356	\$36,388,263	\$40,656,758	\$24,537,076	\$48,528,395	\$43,152,723	\$39,337,093	\$43,896,422	\$42,805,155	\$44,549,427	\$498,001,515
Three Affiliated Tribes	14,308,325	13,123,224	10,543,530	8,744,161	11,224,092	7,249,027	13,230,333	11,915,479	10,861,895	12,120,833	11,819,508	12,301,143	137,441,550
Oil and gas research fund	1,792,695	926,704	938,220	959,016	1,080,774	406,377	941,031	831,522	759,988	848,074	515,599	0	10,000,000
Oil and gas impact grant fund	0	6,047,182	3,424,407	3,519,660	4,284,045	5,900,466	6,444,226	6,576,164	5,466,003	7,133,127	7,041,140	7,571,705	63,408,125
Political subdivisions	21,176,944	43,190,388	24,196,348	23,920,876	24,597,427	24,120,658	24,276,397	23,972,650	22,282,135	24,171,717	23,719,448	24,406,343	304,031,331
Abandoned well reclamation fund	650,406	557,069	437,852	442,182	476,926	539,983	564,700	570,697	520,235	239,950	0	0	5,000,000
North Dakota outdoor heritage	650,599	1,114,138	875,704	884,363	953,853	1,079,967	1,129,399	1,141,394	1,040,470	1,161,065	1,132,201	1,178,337	12,341,490
fund													
Foundation aid stabilization fund	7,912,454	7,085,299	5,346,284	5,727,736	6,468,265	1,323,308	8,441,661	6,713,165	6,119,576	6,828,860	6,659,095	6,930,447	75,556,150
Common schools trust fund	7,912,454	7,085,299	5,346,284	5,727,736	6,468,265	1,323,308	8,441,661	6,713,165	6,119,576	6,828,860	6,659,095	6,930,447	75,556,150
Resources trust fund <sup>1</sup>	15,824,908	14,170,598	10,692,569	11,455,472	12,936,530	2,646,616	16,883,323	13,426,330	12,239,153	13,657,720	13,318,190	13,860,894	151,112,303
General fund	66,453,309	27,350,200	31,858,830	32,268,907	37,599,685	4,469,069	0	0	0	0	0	0	200,000,000
Tax relief fund	0	0	0	0	0	15,443,425	46,110,526	40,744,599	37,239,412	41,555,612	40,833,929	43,070,489	264,997,992
Strategic investment and	533	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	533
improvements fund	•					•						•	•
Political subdivision allocation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
fund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
State disaster relief fund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total oil tax allocations	\$189,128,527	\$166,733,048	\$129,281,384	\$130,038,372	\$146,746,620	\$89,039,280	\$174,991,652	\$155,757,888	\$141,985,536	\$158,442,240	\$154,503,360	\$160,799,232	\$1,797,447,139

<sup>1</sup>The amounts shown for the resources trust fund include transfers to the following:

			Actual			Forecast							
	August 2015	September 2015	October 2015	November 2015	December 2015	January 2016	February 2016	March 2016	April 2016	May 2016	June 2016	July 2016	Fiscal Year 2016 Total
Energy conservation grant fund	\$79,125	\$70,853	\$53,463	\$57,277	\$64,683	\$13,233	\$84,417	\$67,132	\$61,196	\$68,289	\$66,591	\$69,304	\$755,563
Renewable energy development fund	791,245	708,530	534,628	572,774	392,823	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,000,000
Infrastructure revolving loan fund - Water	1,582,491	1,417,060	1,069,257	1,145,547	1,293,653	264,662	1,688,332	1,342,633	1,223,915	1,365,772	1,331,819	1,386,089	15,111,230
Total transfers	\$2,452,861	\$2,196,443	\$1,657,348	\$1,775,598	\$1,751,159	\$277,895	\$1,772,749	\$1,409,765	\$1,285,111	\$1,434,061	\$1,398,410	\$1,455,393	\$18,866,793

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						Fore	cast							
	June 2016	July 2016	August 2016	September 2016	October 2016	November 2016	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017	April 2017	May 2017	Fiscal Year 2017 Average	Biennium Average
Average daily oil price and oil production														
Production in barrels Price per barrel - FHR	1,100,000 \$49.44	1,100,000 \$49.89	1,100,000 \$50.04	1,100,000 \$50.41	1,100,000 \$50.76	1,100,000 \$51.02	1,100,000 \$51.09	1,100,000 \$51.49	1,100,000 \$51.70	1,100,000 \$51.95	1,100,000 \$52.37	1,100,000 \$52.56	1,100,000 \$51.06	1,118,211 \$47.10
	Forecast													
	August 2016	September 2016	October 2016	November 2016	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017	April 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	Fiscal Year 2017 Total	Biennium Total
Collections														
Gross production tax Oil extraction tax	\$78,312,960 78,312,960	\$81,659,952 81,659,952	\$81,905,472 81,905,472	\$79,849,440 79,849,440	\$83,083,968 83,083,968	\$80,815,680 80,815,680	\$83,624,112 83,624,112	\$84,278,832 84,278,832	\$76,433,280 76,433,280	\$85,031,760 85,031,760	\$82,954,080 82,954,080	\$86,030,208 86,030,208	\$983,979,744 983,979,744	\$1,897,133,637 1,868,272,990
Total collections	\$156,625,920	\$163,319,904	\$163,810,944	\$159,698,880	\$166,167,936	\$161,631,360	\$167,248,224	\$168,557,664	\$152,866,560	\$170,063,520	\$165,908,160	\$172,060,416	\$1,967,959,488	\$3,765,406,627
Allocations Legacy fund Three Affiliated Tribes Oil and gas research fund	\$43,393,211 11,981,883	\$45,247,780 12,493,973	\$45,383,822 12,531,539	\$44,244,574 12,216,965	\$46,036,826 12,711,848	\$44,779,968 12,364,800	\$46,336,120 12,794,490	\$46,698,901 12,894,663	\$42,351,680 11,694,293	\$47,116,097 13,009,861	\$45,964,855 12,691,975	\$47,669,338 13,162,624	\$545,223,172 150,548,914	\$1,043,224,687 287,990,464 10.000.000
Oil and gas impact grant fund Political subdivisions Abandoned well reclamation fund	6,646,135 23,625,722 573,877	7,185,724 44,093,478 598,404	7,225,305 30,041,390 600,203	6,893,840 27,789,376 585,137	7,415,298 27,516,194 608,839	7,049,614 25,168,014 592,217	7,502,378 25,507,005 612,797	7,607,929 25,333,183 617,595	6,692,273 23,531,512 210,931	8,352,426 25,506,087 0	4,020,953 24,997,259 0	25,364,680 0	76,591,875 328,473,900 5,000,000	140,000,000 632,505,231 10,000,000
North Dakota outdoor heritage fund	1,147,755	1,196,808	1,200,407	1,170,273	1,217,679	1,184,435	1,225,595	1,235,191	1,120,206	1,246,225	1,215,775	1,260,859	14,421,208	26,762,698
Foundation aid stabilization fund Common schools trust fund Resources trust fund <sup>1</sup> General fund	6,750,577 6,750,577 13,501,154 7,253,021	7,039,088 7,039,088 14,078,176 24,347,385	7,060,251 7,060,251 14,120,503 38,587,273	6,883,022 6,883,022 13,766,043 29,812,321	7,161,838 7,161,838 14,323,676	6,966,311 6,966,311 13,932,623	7,208,398 7,208,398 14,416,797	7,264,835 7,264,835 14,529,670	6,588,549 6,588,549 13,177,097	7,329,738 7,329,738 14,659,475	7,150,642 7,150,642 14,301,283	7,415,804 7,415,804 14,831,608	84,819,053 84,819,053 169,638,105 100,000,000	160,375,203 160,375,203 320,750,408 300,000,000
Tax relief fund Strategic investment and improvements fund <sup>1</sup>	35,002,008 0	0 0	0	9,454,307	0 42,013,900	0 42,627,067	0 21,382,630	0 31,577,603	0 28,638,029	0 31,859,711	33,890,343	0 38,457,789	35,002,008 279,901,379	300,000,000 279,901,912
Political subdivision allocation fund	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,633,616	13,533,259	12,273,441	13,654,162	14,524,433	16,481,910	77,100,821	77,100,821
State disaster relief fund	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,420,000	0	0	0	0	0	16,420,000	16,420,000
Total oil tax allocations	\$156,625,920	, , . , . , . ,	\$163,810,944	\$159,698,880	\$166,167,936	\$161,631,360	\$167,248,224	\$168,557,664	\$152,866,560	\$170,063,520	\$165,908,160	\$172,060,416	\$1,967,959,488	\$3,765,406,627
<sup>1</sup> The amounts shown for the reso	urces trust fund i	nclude transfers t	o the following:										T	
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	August 2016	September 2016	October 2016	November 2016	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017	April 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	Fiscal Year 2017 Total	Biennium Total
Energy conservation grant fund	\$67,506	\$70,391	\$70,603	\$68,830	\$71,618	\$69,663	\$25,826	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$444,437	\$1,200,000
Renewable energy development fund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,000,000
Infrastructure revolving loan fund - Water	1,350,115	1,407,818	1,412,050	1,376,604	1,432,368	1,393,262	1,441,680	1,452,967	1,317,710	1,465,948	1,430,128	1,483,161	16,963,811	32,075,041
Total transfers	\$1,417,621	\$1,478,209	\$1,482,653	\$1,445,434	\$1,503,986	\$1,462,925	\$1,467,506	\$1,452,967	\$1,317,710	\$1,465,948	\$1,430,128	\$1,483,161	\$17,408,248	\$36,275,041

## COMPARISON OF ACTUAL TO FORECAST 2015-17 BIENNIUM OIL TAX REVENUE COLLECTIONS AND ALLOCATIONS

The schedules below provide information on the forecasted oil production and prices, oil tax revenue collections, and oil tax revenue allocations for each month of the 2015-17 biennium. Monthly oil tax revenue collections reflect production from 2 months prior. For example, December 2015 oil tax revenue collections relate to October 2015 oil production. Actual oil prices reflect the Flint Hills Resources (FHR) posted prices.

June 2015			July 2015 August 2015			September 2015			October 2015						
	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference
Average daily oil price															
and production															
Production in barrels	1,211,328	1,100,000	111,328	1,206,996	1,100,000	106,996	1,187,631	1,100,000	87,631	1,162,159	1,100,000	62,159	1,168,950	1,100,000	68,950
Price per barrel - FHR	\$47.73	\$41.97	\$5.76		\$43.23	(\$3.82)	\$29.52	\$44.27	(\$14.75)	\$31.17	\$45.08	(\$13.91)	\$34.37	\$45.80	(\$11.43)
		August 2015			September 2015			October 2015			lovember 2015			December 2015	
	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference
Collections	407.004.440	400 400 400	***	****		<b>*** *** ***</b>	***	<b>4</b> =0 404 400	(4= === = 10)	*** -** ***	<b>4</b> -4 400 -00	(4= 040 0=4)	4=0 0=0 =00		(\$4,000,040)
Gross production tax	\$95,364,418	\$66,480,480	\$28,883,938	\$82,342,580	\$70,758,864	\$11,583,716	\$64,881,394	\$72,461,136	(\$7,579,742)	\$63,796,649	\$71,406,720	(\$7,610,071)	\$70,276,500	\$74,965,440	(\$4,688,940)
Oil extraction tax	93,764,109	13,850,100	79,914,009	84,390,468	14,741,430	69,649,038	64,399,990	15,096,070	49,303,920	66,241,723	14,876,400	51,365,323	76,470,120	15,617,800	60,852,320
Total collections	\$189,128,527	\$80,330,580	\$108,797,947	\$166,733,048	\$85,500,294	\$81,232,754	\$129,281,384	\$87,557,206	\$41,724,178	\$130,038,372	\$86,283,120	\$43,755,252	\$146,746,620	\$90,583,240	\$56,163,380
Allocations															
Legacy fund	\$52,445,900	\$22,137,169	\$30,308,731	\$46,082,947	\$23,561,817	\$22,521,130	\$35,621,356	\$24,128,652	\$11,492,704	\$36,388,263	\$23,777,545	\$12,610,718	\$40,656,758	\$24,962,554	\$15,694,204
Three Affiliated Tribes	14,308,325	6,540,018	7,768,307	13,123,224	6,960,904	6,162,320	10,543,530	7,128,366	3,415,164	8,744,161	7,024,637	1,719,524	11,224,092	7,374,726	3,849,366
Oil and gas research fund	1,792,695	600,250	1,192,445	926,704	40,730	885,974	938,220	328,446	609,774	959,016	348,789	610,227	1,080,774	380,267	700,507
Oil and gas impact grant	0	0	0	6,047,182	5,428,294	618,888	3,424,407	5,702,728	(2,278,321)	3,519,660	5,532,739	(2,013,079)	4,284,045	6,106,461	(1,822,416)
fund	04.470.044	45 400 000		40 400 000	40.074.000	0.040.000	04.400.040	0= 0== 0= 4	(0.400.700)			(4 000 700)	0.4.505.405		(4 40= 04=)
Political subdivisions	21,176,944	15,403,877	5,773,067	43,190,388	40,874,368	2,316,020	24,196,348	27,377,054	(3,180,706)	23,920,876	25,809,579	(1,888,703)	24,597,427	26,093,074	(1,495,647)
Abandoned well reclamation fund	650,406	487,169	163,237	557,069	518,521	38,548	437,852	530,995	(93,143)	442,182	523,268	(81,086)	476,926	549,347	(72,421)
North Dakota outdoor	650,599	974,338	(323,739)	1,114,138	1.037.042	77,096	875,704	1,061,990	(186,286)	884.363	1,046,537	(162,174)	953,853	1,098,694	(144,841)
heritage fund	030,399	914,330	(323,739)	1,114,130	1,037,042	11,090	075,704	1,001,990	(100,200)	004,303	1,040,557	(102,174)	955,655	1,090,094	(144,041)
Foundation aid	7,912,454	1,193,879	6,718,575	7,085,299	1,270,711	5,814,588	5,346,284	1,301,281	4,045,003	5,727,736	1,282,346	4,445,390	6,468,265	1,346,254	5,122,011
stabilization fund	7,012,101	1,100,010	0,7 10,070	1,000,200	1,270,711	0,011,000	0,010,201	1,001,201	1,010,000	0,121,100	1,202,010	1,110,000	0,100,200	1,010,201	0,122,011
Common schools trust	7,912,454	1,193,879	6,718,575	7,085,299	1,270,711	5,814,588	5,346,284	1,301,281	4,045,003	5,727,736	1,282,346	4,445,390	6,468,265	1,346,254	5,122,011
fund	, ,			, ,	, ,		, ,		, ,	, ,	, ,	, ,	, ,		, ,
Resources trust fund <sup>1</sup>	15,824,908	2,387,757	13,437,151	14,170,598	2,541,422	11,629,176	10,692,569	2,602,562	8,090,007	11,455,472	2,564,691	8,890,781	12,936,530	2,692,508	10,244,022
General fund	66,453,309	29,412,244	37,041,065	27,350,200	1,995,774	25,354,426	31,858,830	16,093,851	15,764,979	32,268,907	17,090,643	15,178,264	37,599,685	18,633,101	18,966,584
Tax relief fund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strategic investment and	533	0	533	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
improvements fund															
Political subdivision	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
allocation fund		_	_	_				_	_				_	_	_
State disaster relief fund	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total oil tax allocations	\$189,128,527	\$80,330,580	\$108,797,947	\$166,733,048	\$85,500,294	\$81,232,754	\$129,281,384	\$87,557,206	\$41,724,178	\$130,038,372	\$86,283,120	\$43,755,252	\$146,746,620	\$90,583,240	\$56,163,380

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The amounts shown for the resources trust fund include transfers to the following:

	August 2015		September 2015		October 2015			November 2015			December 2015				
	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference	Actual	Forecast	Difference
Energy conservation grant fund	\$79,125	\$11,939	\$67,186	\$70,853	\$12,707	\$58,146	\$53,463	\$13,013	\$40,450	\$57,277	\$12,823	\$44,454	\$64,683	\$13,463	\$51,220
Renewable energy development fund	791,245	119,388	671,857	708,530	127,071	581,459	534,628	130,128	404,500	572,774	128,235	444,539	392,823	134,625	258,198
Infrastructure revolving loan fund - Water	1,582,491	238,776	1,343,715	1,417,060	254,142	1,162,918	1,069,257	260,256	809,001	1,145,547	256,469	889,078	1,293,653	269,251	1,024,402
Total transfers	\$2,452,861	\$370,103	\$2,082,758	\$2,196,443	\$393,920	\$1,802,523	\$1,657,348	\$403,397	\$1,253,951	\$1,775,598	\$397,527	\$1,378,071	\$1,751,159	\$417,339	\$1,333,820

	Biennium-to-Date Average									
	Actual	Forecast	Difference							
Average daily oil price										
and production										
Production in barrels	1,187,413	1,100,000	87,413							
Price per barrel - FHR	\$36.44	\$44.07	(\$7.63)							
	Bier	nium-to-Date 1	otal							
	Actual	Forecast	Difference							
Collections										
Gross production tax	\$376,661,541	\$356,072,640	\$20,588,901							
Oil extraction tax	385,266,410	74,181,800	311,084,610							
Total collections	\$761,927,951	\$430,254,440	\$331,673,511							
Allocations										
Legacy fund	\$211,195,224	\$118,567,737	\$92,627,487							
Three Affiliated Tribes	57,943,332	35,028,651	22,914,681							
Oil and gas research	5,697,409	1,698,482	3,998,927							
fund										
Oil and gas impact grant	17,275,294	22,770,222	(5,494,928)							
fund										
Political subdivisions	137,081,983	135,557,952	1,524,031							
Abandoned well	2,564,435	2,609,300	(44,865)							
reclamation fund										
North Dakota outdoor	4,478,657	5,218,601	(739,944)							
heritage fund	00 540 000	0 004 474	00 445 507							
Foundation aid	32,540,038	6,394,471	26,145,567							
stabilization fund	00 540 000	0.004.474	00 445 507							
Common schools trust	32,540,038	6,394,471	26,145,567							
fund	65,080,077	12,788,940	52,291,137							
Resources trust fund <sup>1</sup>		, ,	, ,							
General fund Tax relief fund	195,530,931	83,225,613	112,305,318							
Strategic investment and	533	0	533							
improvements fund	333	U	333							
Political subdivision	0	0	0							
allocation fund		U	U							
State disaster relief fund	0	0	0							
Total oil tax allocations		\$430,254,440	•							
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The amounts shown for the resources trust fund include transfers to the following:

	Biennium-to-Date Total										
	Actual	Forecast	Difference								
Energy conservation grant fund	\$325,401	\$63,945	\$261,456								
Renewable energy development fund	3,000,000	639,447	2,360,553								
nfrastructure revolving loan fund - Water	6,508,008	1,278,894	5,229,114								
Total transfers	\$9,833,409	\$1,982,286	\$7,851,123								