## OIL AND GAS TAX REVENUES MONTHLY UPDATE

This memorandum provides an update on oil production and prices, oil and gas tax revenue collections, and oil and gas tax revenue allocations for May 2019 and for the biennium to date. The forecasted amounts reflect the **2017 legislative revenue forecast**, prepared at the close of the 2017 legislative session.

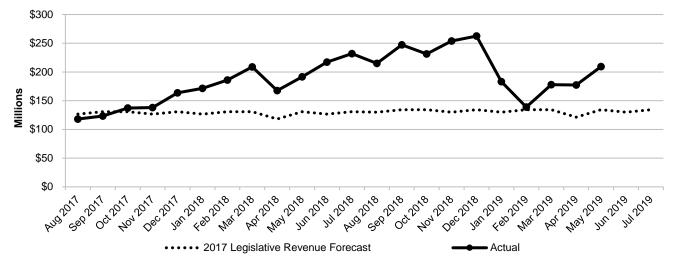
## **OIL PRODUCTION AND PRICES**

The schedule below provides information on oil production and prices for March 2019 and for the biennium to date. Oil and gas tax revenue allocations reflect production and price from 2 months prior. The actual oil prices reflect the average of Flint Hills Resources posted prices and West Texas Intermediate posted prices.

	March 2019				Biennium to Date				
			Varia	ance			Variance		
	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent	
Average daily oil production	1,390,138	950,000	440,138	46%	1,239,994	936,364	303,630	32%	
Average oil price per barrel	\$52.86	\$47.00	\$5.86	12%	\$53.25	\$47.00	\$6.25	13%	

## **OIL AND GAS TAX REVENUE COLLECTIONS**

The chart below provides information on total oil and gas tax revenue collections based on the 2017 legislative forecast and actual allocations through May 2019.



## **OIL AND GAS TAX REVENUE ALLOCATIONS**

The schedule below provides information on oil and gas tax revenue allocations to the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, state funds, and political subdivisions for May 2019 and for the biennium to date.

Amounts Shown in Millions												
	May 2019				Biennium to Date							
	Variance			Variano		ance						
	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent	Actual	Forecast	Amount	Percent				
Three Affiliated Tribes	\$22.20	\$9.61	\$12.59	131%	\$406.59	\$204.31	\$202.28	99%				
Legacy fund	56.10	37.40	18.70	50%	1,123.16	795.47	327.69	41%				
North Dakota outdoor heritage fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	10.80	10.87	(0.07)	(1%)				
Abandoned well reclamation fund	0.00	0.39	(0.39)	(100%)	8.40	8.43	(0.03)	0%				
Oil and gas impact grant fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	28.35	29.11	(0.76)	(3%)				
Political subdivisions	27.50	19.37	8.13	42%	617.95	459.31	158.64	35%				
Energy impact fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	4.00	4.00	0.00	0%				
Common schools trust fund	8.90	5.75	3.15	55%	158.99	122.24	36.75	30%				
Foundation aid stabilization fund	8.90	5.75	3.15	55%	158.99	122.24	36.75	30%				
Resources trust fund	17.81	11.49	6.32	55%	317.98	244.49	73.49	30%				
Oil and gas research fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	10.00	10.00	0.00	0%				
General fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	400.00	400.00	0.00	0%				
Tax relief fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	200.00	200.00	0.00	0%				
Budget stabilization fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	75.00	75.00	0.00	0%				
Lignite research fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	3.00	3.00	0.00	0%				
Strategic investment and improvements fund	67.79	44.51	23.28	52%	627.25	167.39	459.86	275%				
State disaster relief fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A				
Total oil and gas tax revenue allocations	\$209.20	\$134.27	\$74.93	56%	\$4,150.46	\$2,855.86	\$1,294.60	45%				