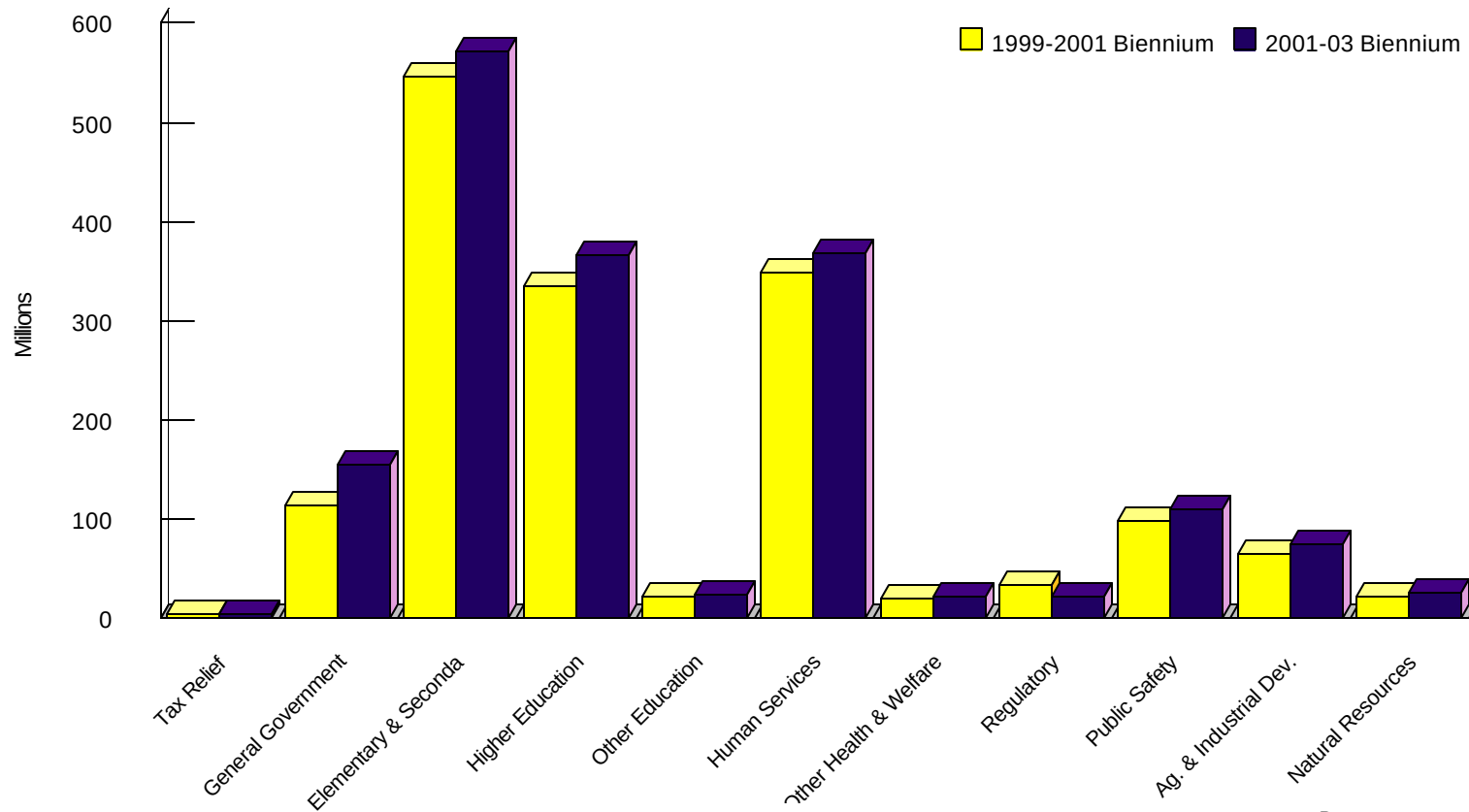


COMPARISON OF 2001-03 AND 1999-2001 GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS
Amounts shown in millions



	1999-2001 Biennium	2001-03 Biennium	Increase (Decrease)	Percentage Increase (Decrease)
Tax Relief	\$4,540,813	\$4,540,813		
General Government	114,918,898	155,284,842	\$40,365,944	35.1%
Elementary & Secondary Education	547,053,909	571,719,794	24,665,885	4.5%
Higher Education	334,449,287	366,953,836	32,504,549	9.7%
Other Education	23,048,452	24,637,903	1,589,451	6.9%
Human Services	348,505,717	368,451,360	19,945,643	5.7%
Other Health & Welfare	19,624,726	21,851,503	2,226,777	11.3%
Regulatory	35,080,742	22,240,849	(12,839,893)	(36.6%)
Public Safety	99,167,767	111,181,566	12,013,799	12.1%
Ag. & Industrial Dev.	65,145,709	74,569,578	9,423,869	14.5%
Natural Resources	23,346,190	25,551,669	2,205,479	9.4%
Grand Total	<u>\$1,614,882,210</u>	<u>\$1,746,983,713</u>	<u>\$132,101,503</u>	<u>8.2%</u>