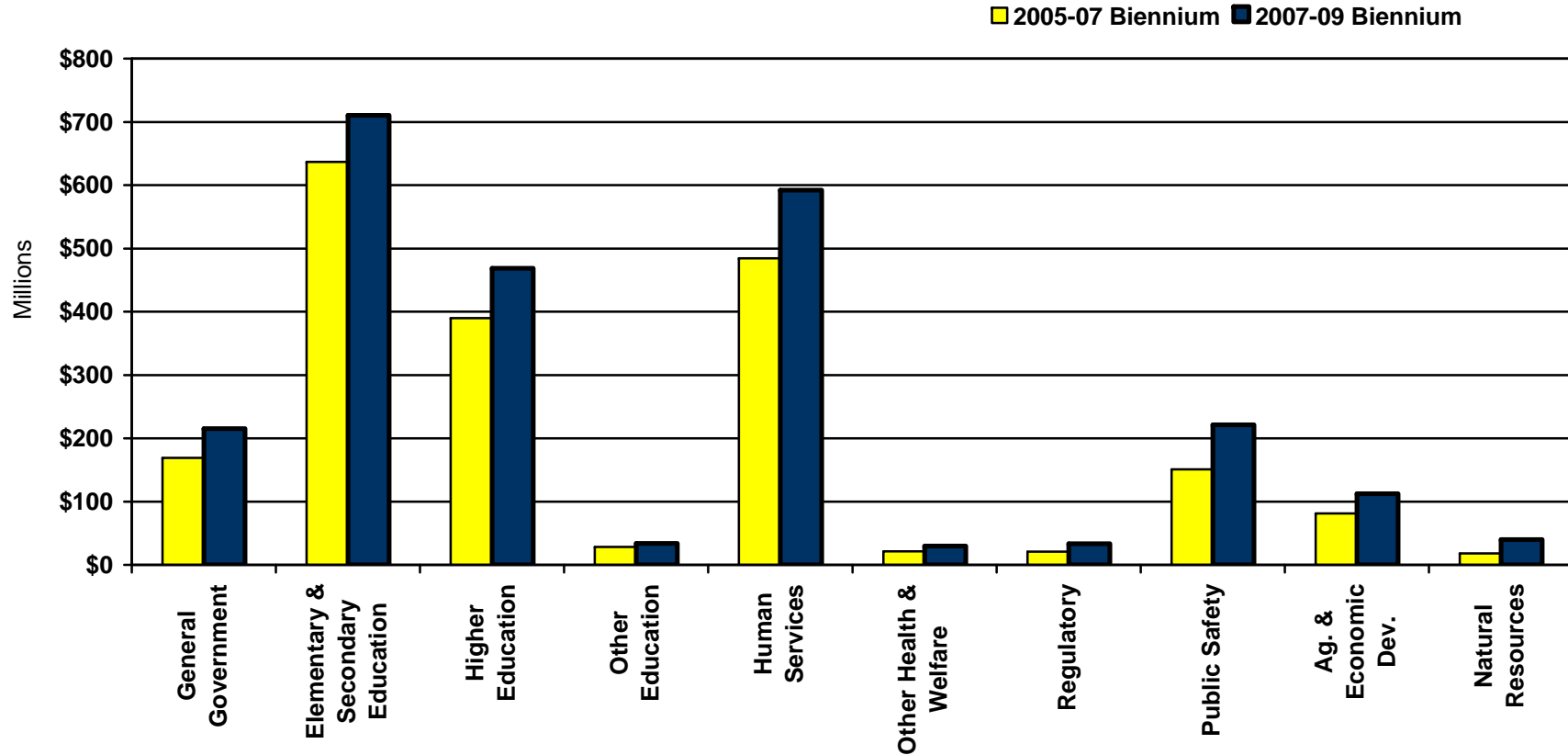


COMPARISON OF 2007-09 AND 2005-07 GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS

Amounts Shown in Millions



	2005-07 Biennium	2007-09 Biennium	Increase (Decrease)	Percentage Increase (Decrease)
General Government	\$169,019,906	\$215,417,029	\$46,397,123	27.5%
Elementary & Secondary Education	636,718,587	710,423,275	73,704,688	11.6%
Higher Education	389,572,212	468,649,624	79,077,412	20.3%
Other Education	28,237,574	34,089,923	5,852,349	20.7%
Human Services	484,421,474	591,962,788	107,541,314	22.2%
Other Health & Welfare	21,152,066	29,735,576	8,583,510	40.6%
Regulatory	21,112,165	33,552,068	12,439,903	58.9%
Public Safety	150,947,279	221,305,009	70,357,730	46.6%
Ag. & Economic Dev.	81,106,689	112,101,724	30,995,035	38.2%
Natural Resources	18,249,122	39,736,940	21,487,818	117.7%
Total	<u>\$2,000,537,074</u>	<u>\$2,456,973,956</u>	<u>\$456,436,882</u>	<u>22.8%</u>