

Executive Director's Report March 22, 2023

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Administrative and Operational Issues

Hurricane Season Preparation

SRIA Hurricane Preparedness has begun. Staff has been working on the annual hurricane packet which is sent to Pensacola Beach leaseholders and includes critical information on floodplain management, information on hurricane preparedness, hurricane shelters and the very important re-entry decals. The packets will be mailed on March 27.

Economic Impact of Pensacola Beach

<u>Tourist Development Tax Collections</u> (Attachment 1 - the March 2, 2023, report as prepared by Pam Childers, Escambia County Clerk of Circuit Court and Comptroller)

The Tourist Development Tax (TDT) is a tax rate applied to transient rental transactions. In Escambia County the rate is 5% on the total payment received for the rental or lease of living quarters and accommodations (i.e. apartment, condominium, hotel/motel, mobile home or RV park, single-family home, etc.) that are rented for a period of six months or less.

The tax proceeds are statutorily limited in terms of use. In general, proceeds may be used for capital construction of tourist-related facilities, tourist promotion, and beach and shoreline maintenance; however, the authorized uses vary according to the particular levy. The Tourist Development Council (TDC) reviews proposals for the expenditure of funds to determine whether the expenditure complies with the tourist development plan of the ordinance and makes recommendations to the Board of County Commissioners for use of the funds.

Pensacola Beach Area (FY23)	Previous FY	Current FY	% change
October	717,495.54	727,080.72**	1.33%
November	616,289.75	673,535.08	9.29%
December	382,415.95	366,620.17	-4.3%
January	334,468.10	302,100.89	-11%
February	232,623.71	216,036.86	-0.7%
YTD Total	2,283,293.05	2,285,373.72	0.1%

**This figure was revised from the Clerk's previous report.

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Beach Projects Update

- <u>Little Sabine Pump</u> The re-installation of Little Sabine Pump should begin soon. The County anticipates having the timeline from the contractor next week.
- <u>Grand Marlin Trolley Stop</u> Paving of the Grand Marlin trolley stop (established in 2022) and the painting of the associated pavement and curb markings are now complete.
- **<u>Restriping of Casino Beach Parking Lot</u>** Complete.
- <u>Restriping of Stop Bars and Crosswalks along Ft. Pickens Rd.</u> This project is in progress. Crews began at the western most intersections along Ft. Pickens Rd. and are now making their way east. The project was originally anticipated to be completed by March 1, but is slightly behind schedule. County Engineering reports that it is approximately 75% complete.
- <u>Restroom Renovations</u> Restroom renovations at Park East have been complete. Renovations for Casino Beach restrooms are scheduled to be completed by March 22, and Mom's Beach restrooms are scheduled to be complete by April 1.

Upcoming Dates of Interest

Bands on the	<u> Beach 2023 – April Schedule</u>
Date:	Tuesday, April 4
Band:	Reunion Band
Time:	7:00 – 9:00 pm
Location:	Gulfside pavilion
Date: Band:	Tuesday, April 11 Disco Kiss
Date:	Tuesday, April 18
Band:	Whitesands Panhandle Band
Date: Band:	Tuesday, April 22 Bay Bridge Band



Pam Childers

Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller, Escambia County

Clerk of Courts • County Comptroller • Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners • Recorder • Auditor

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Board of County Commissioners

DATE: March 2, 2023

SUBJECT: Tourist Development Tax (TDT) Collections

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board accepts, for filing with the Board's Minutes, the Tourist Development Tax (TDT) Collections Data for the January 2023 returns received in the month of February 2023, as prepared by the Treasury Department of the Clerk and Comptroller's Office.

- Total collections received in February 2023 were \$810,990 compared to \$778,905 in February 2022. A comparison of February 2023 to February 2022 is a 4% increase.
- Year-to-date collections for FY2023 is \$5,822,597 compared to \$5,900,207 for FY2022.

	Current Year vs Prior Year														
		M	lontl	nly Compariso	on		YTD Comparison								
Cent		2023		2022	% Change	2023		2022		% Change					
1-4 Cents	\$	648,792	\$	623,124	4%	\$	4,658,077	\$	4,720,166	-1%					
5th Cent		162,198		155,781	4%		1,164,519		1,180,041	-1%					
Total	\$	810,990	\$	778,905	4%	\$	5,822,597	\$	5,900,207	-1%					
				Current `	Year vs Benchm	ark	Year								
		Ν	lontł	nly Compariso	on	YTD Comparison									
Cent	2023		2021		% Change	2023			2021	% Change					
1-4 Cents	\$	648,792	\$	515,868	26%	\$	4,658,077	\$	3,645,046	28%					
5th Cent		162,198		-	100%		1,164,519		-	100%					
Total	\$	810,990	\$	515,868	57%	\$	5,822,597	\$	3,645,046	60%					

*Note: The Tourist Development Tax rate increased from four percent (4%) to five (5%) on 04/01/2021



Five Percent Tourist Development Tax Collection Data Reported In Fiscal Year Format Escambia County, Florida As of February 28, 2023

Year-To-Date Collections **Fiscal Year Fiscal Year** 2023 2022 **Geographic Area** Difference % Change **YTD Collected YTD Collected** \$ Downtown Pensacola 456,481.94 456,097.31 \$ 384.63 0.1% \$ Southeast Pensacola (63, 909.60)-6.9% 859,873.97 923,783.57 Southcentral & Southwest Pensacola 328,175.49 358,477.97 (30,302.48) -8.5% Perdido Key Area 988,400.91 930,804.98 57,595.93 6.2% Northeast Pensacola 400,605.15 421,020.33 (20, 415.18)-4.8% North Escambia & Northwest Pensacola 503,685.58 526,729.89 (23,044.31)-4.4% Pensacola Beach Area 2,285,373.72 2,283,293.05 2,080.67 0.1% \$ Total 5,822,596.76 \$ 5,900,207.11 \$ (77,610.35) -1.3%

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**Effective August 1st, 2021, collections reflected by managed property locations

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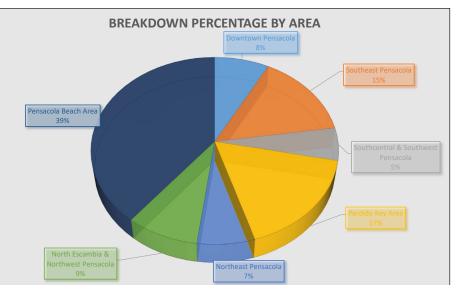
	Fiscal Year 2023															
Geographic Area	Oct-22	Nov-22	Dec-22	Jan-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Apr-23		May-23	Jun-23		Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Area Total	% of Total
Downtown Pensacola	\$ 100,466.86	\$ 97,438.16	\$ 88,506.15	\$ 80,080.77	\$ 89,990.00	\$-	\$	- \$	÷ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 456,481.94	7.8%
Southeast Pensacola	205,282.18	184,764.42	171,368.92	152,099.98	146,358.47	-		-	-	-		-	-	-	859,873.97	14.8%
Southcentral & Southwest Pensacola	73,937.98	65,166.51	59,757.11	53,734.16	75,579.73	-		-	-	-		-	-	-	328,175.49	5.6%
Perdido Key Area	323,242.23	312,731.95	133,211.78	98,697.40	120,517.55	-		-	-	-		-	-	-	988,400.91	17.0%
Northeast Pensacola	88,469.38	86,519.92	76,692.93	70,464.31	78,458.61	-		-	-	-		-	-	-	400,605.15	6.9%
North Escambia & Northwest Pensacola	120,741.00	102,991.61	92,645.86	103,258.35	84,048.76	-		-	-	-		-	-	-	503,685.58	8.7%
Pensacola Beach Area	727,080.72	673,535.08	366,620.17	302,100.89	216,036.86	-		-	-	-		-	-	-	2,285,373.72	39.3%
Total	\$ 1,639,220.35	\$ 1,523,147.65	\$ 988,802.92	\$ 860,435.86	\$ 810,989.98	\$-	\$	- \$	\$-	\$-	\$	-	\$-	\$-	\$ 5,822,596.76	100.0%

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Downtown Pensacola	\$ 109,726.38	\$ 101,832.25	\$ 88,280.14	\$ 83,723.53	\$ 72,535.02	\$ 78,540.41	\$ 147,155.32	\$ 140,730.05	\$ 125,505.74	\$ 162,383.66	\$ 186,760.12	\$ 103,861.94	\$ 1,401,034.55	6.4%	
Southeast Pensacola	235,019.97	208,932.56	171,857.12	167,391.26	140,582.66	158,928.17	263,791.64	277,707.40	277,082.89	276,318.74	360,094.48	219,122.07	2,756,828.96	12.6%	
Southcentral & Southwest Pensacola	94,572.88	72,061.82	66,683.43	60,312.09	64,847.76	62,993.77	85,770.48	113,628.59	101,820.42	119,198.87	130,950.96	81,996.59	1,054,837.65	4.8%	
Perdido Key Area	296,558.06	276,015.54	131,460.21	103,538.39	123,232.78	129,899.03	262,588.85	283,304.80	425,069.44	816,608.66	1,034,757.47	416,879.27	4,299,912.50	19.7%	
Northeast Pensacola	97,756.10	93,438.39	82,087.35	78,456.71	69,281.78	74,003.24	105,493.53	99,254.89	123,092.87	125,550.36	136,643.66	95,611.74	1,180,670.62	5.4%	
North Escambia & Northwest Pensacola	145,136.82	121,629.68	94,107.28	90,055.17	75,800.94	88,271.11	137,464.84	169,222.94	148,307.43	176,314.76	205,075.97	111,196.34	1,562,583.29	7.2%	
Pensacola Beach Area	717,495.54	616,289.75	382,415.95	334,468.10	232,623.71	351,323.03	786,459.55	803,327.56	1,185,740.98	1,439,847.09	1,812,603.23	907,473.53	9,570,068.02	43.8%	
Total	\$ 1,696,265.75	\$ 1,490,199.99	\$ 1,016,891.48	\$ 917,945.25	\$ 778,904.64	\$ 943,958.74	\$ 1,788,724.21	\$ 1,887,176.24	\$ 2,386,619.77	\$ 3,116,222.14	\$ 3,866,885.89	\$ 1,936,141.49	\$ 21,825,935.58	100.0%	

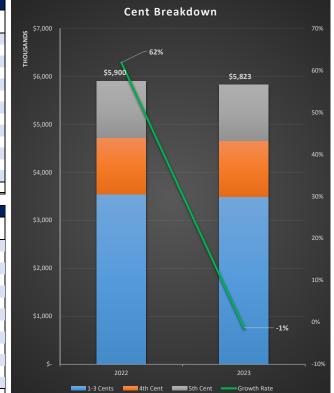
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			Tourist D	evelopment Tax (Tourist Development Tax (3%) Percent Tourist Tax Dollars - Collected 2014 - 2023														
Month of Collection	2014 2015		2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023									
OCT	\$ 385,209.35	\$ 442,267.77	\$ 539,766.08	\$ 580,905.23	\$ 638,832.32	\$ 634,965.81	\$ 675,149.82	\$ 784,866.29	\$ 1,017,759.45	\$ 983,532.21									
NOV	335,284.39	411,054.07	469,350.98	532,756.66	510,223.45	686,079.62	638,167.25	701,529.66	894,119.99	913,888.59									
DEC	236,608.16	284,252.75	305,743.25	362,364.41	382,803.40	426,808.31	396,942.52	451,000.35	610,134.89	593,281.75									
JAN	230,299.67	251,855.56	288,130.47	292,783.04	340,433.93	340,212.53	374,879.96	409,487.35	550,767.15	516,261.52									
FEB	233,878.79	247,492.44	279,147.71	298,406.00	312,793.51	349,777.77	365,446.02	386,900.81	467,342.78	486,593.99									
MAR	286,019.12	309,203.54	367,477.35	377,962.06	393,553.90	420,650.85	445,987.23	425,296.25	566,375.24	-									
APR	510,758.43	550,692.54	626,572.22	646,982.44	740,116.85	805,865.41	396,024.16	841,528.91	1,073,234.53	-									
MAY	506,593.46	557,617.44	580,106.01	698,384.24	682,509.49	768,483.99	241,476.27	956,332.84	1,132,305.74	-									
JUN	679,427.99	759,527.89	771,755.66	839,021.02	826,649.51	951,378.19	537,731.75	1,264,865.60	1,431,971.86	-									
JUL	982,132.70	1,059,210.86	1,109,041.17	1,109,688.85	1,278,311.55	1,440,622.52	1,190,777.81	1,778,429.23	1,869,733.28	-									
AUG	1,170,208.25	1,283,565.99	1,440,990.57	1,484,514.23	1,587,418.67	1,520,689.42	1,377,953.89	2,130,708.20	2,320,131.53	-									
SEP	736,892.98	716,012.48	688,096.11	725,615.95	828,137.60	906,222.70	703,791.08	1,264,568.32	1,161,684.89	-									
Total	\$ 6,293,313.27	\$ 6,872,753.32	\$ 7,466,177.56	\$ 7,949,384.12	\$ 8,521,784.17	\$ 9,251,757.10	\$ 7,344,327.75	\$ 11,395,513.79	\$ 13,095,561.35	\$ 3,493,558.06									

	Professional Sports Franchise Facility Tax (4%) Percent Tourist Tax Dollars - Collected 2014 2023													
Month of Collection	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023				
OCT	\$ 128,403.12	\$ 147,422.59	\$ 179,922.03	\$ 193,635.08	\$ 212,944.11	\$ 211,655.27	\$ 225,049.94	\$ 261,622.10	\$ 339,253.15	\$ 327,844.07				
NOV	111,761.46	137,018.02	156,450.33	177,585.55	170,074.48	228,693.21	212,722.42	233,843.22	298,040.00	304,629.53				
DEC	78,869.39	94,750.92	101,914.42	120,788.14	127,601.13	142,269.44	132,314.17	150,333.45	203,378.30	197,760.58				
JAN	76,766.56	83,951.85	96,043.49	97,594.35	113,477.98	113,404.18	124,959.99	136,495.78	183,589.05	172,087.17				
FEB	77,959.60	82,497.48	93,049.24	99,468.67	104,264.50	116,592.59	121,815.34	128,966.94	155,780.93	162,198.00				
MAR	95,339.71	103,067.85	122,492.45	125,987.35	131,184.63	140,216.95	148,662.41	141,765.42	188,791.75	-				
APR	170,252.81	183,564.18	208,857.41	215,660.81	246,705.62	268,621.80	132,008.05	280,509.64	357,744.84	-				
MAY	168,864.49	185,872.48	193,368.67	232,794.75	227,503.16	256,161.33	80,492.09	318,777.61	377,435.25	-				
JUN	226,476.00	253,175.96	257,251.89	279,673.67	275,549.84	317,126.06	179,243.92	421,621.87	477,323.95	-				
JUL	327,377.57	353,070.29	369,680.39	369,896.28	426,103.85	480,207.51	396,925.94	592,809.74	623,244.43	-				
AUG	390,069.42	427,855.33	480,330.19	494,838.08	529,139.56	506,896.47	459,317.96	710,236.07	773,377.18	-				
SEP	245,630.99	238,670.83	229,365.37	241,871.98	276,045.87	302,074.23	234,597.03	421,522.77	387,228.30	-				
Total	\$ 2,097,771.09	\$ 2,290,917.77	\$ 2,488,725.85	\$ 2,649,794.71	\$ 2,840,594.72	\$ 3,083,919.03	\$ 2,448,109.25	\$ 3,798,504.60	\$ 4,365,187.12	\$ 1,164,519.35				

		Ac	ditional Professio	nal Sports Franchis	e Facility Tax (5%)	Percent Tourist Ta	x Dollars - Collecter	i 2014 - 2023				Cu	rrent Year vs Prior	Year	
Month of Collection	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Month of Collection	2023	2022	Variance	% Change
OCT	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$ -	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$ 339,253.15	\$ 327,844.07	OCT	\$ 1,639,220.35	\$ 1,696,265.75	\$ (57,045.40)	-3.4%
NOV	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	298,040.00	304,629.53	NOV	1,523,147.65	1,490,199.99	32,947.66	2.2%
DEC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	203,378.30	197,760.58	DEC	988,802.92	1,016,891.48	(28,088.56)	-2.8%
JAN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	183,589.05	172,087.17	JAN	860,435.86	917,945.25	(57,509.39)	-6.3%
FEB	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	155,780.93	162,198.00	FEB	810,989.98	778,904.64	32,085.34	4.1%
MAR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188,791.75	-	MAR	-	943,958.74	(943,958.74)	Pending
APR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	357,744.84	-	APR	-	1,788,724.21	(1,788,724.21)	Pending
MAY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	318,777.61	377,435.25	-	MAY	-	1,887,176.24	(1,887,176.24)	Pending
JUN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	421,621.87	477,323.95	-	JUN	-	2,386,619.77	(2,386,619.77)	Pending
JUL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	592,809.74	623,244.43	-	JUL	-	3,116,222.14	(3,116,222.14)	Pending
AUG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	710,236.07	773,377.18	-	AUG	-	3,866,885.89	(3,866,885.89)	Pending
SEP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	421,522.77	387,228.30	-	SEP	-	1,936,141.49	(1,936,141.49)	Pending
Total	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$ -	\$-	\$-	\$ 2,464,968.06	\$ 4,365,187.12	\$ 1,164,519.35	Total	\$ 5,822,596.76	\$ 21,825,935.59	\$ (16,003,338.83)	-73.3%

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