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SUBJECT: FISCAL YEAR 2019-20 CASH FLOW PROJECTION

Attached is the latest cash flow projection for the General Fund and Hospital Funds. The estimated June 30, 2020 combined cash balances for the General Fund and Hospital Funds are positive \$925 million, an increase of \$364 million from our May 20, 2020 estimate of \$561 million.

This increase is primarily attributed to an improved ending cash balance of \$382 million from the previous month actuals. Our cash flows continue to reflect the increase in costs associated with COVID-19 and the potential reduction in collections from sales tax-based revenues. The projection does not include the federal or State COVID-19 funding. We will include the COVID-19 funding in our next year's cash flow as we close our books in August 2020.

Short-Term Outlook

Our previous report estimated the May 31, 2020 cash balances at positive \$1.032 billion. The actual cash balances were positive \$1.414 billion. The variance of \$382 million was primarily due to higher than anticipated sales tax collections of \$69 million, health services receipts of \$119 million, and lower vendor payments of \$174 million. We will report the County's year-end cash position in next month's report.

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If you have any questions please contact me, or your staff may call Connie Yee at (213) 974-0681.

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GENERAL FUND HOSPITAL FUNDS MONTHLY CASH FLOW PROJECTION (in thousands)																				
		ACTUAL		ACTUAL	ŀ	ACTUAL		ACTUAL		ACTUAL		ACTUAL		ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	ACTUAL		
Description		July 2019		August 2019	S	eptember 2019		October 2019	1	November 2019		December 2019		January 2020	February 2020	March 2020	April 2020	May 2020		June 2020
General Fund: Beginning Cash Receipts Disbursements	\$	1,952,501 1,864,466 (2,092,876)	\$	1,724,091 1,466,810 (1,831,719)	\$	1,359,182 1,097,298 (2,032,394)		424,086 2,070,637 (1,767,651)	\$	727,072 1,429,121 (1,745,846)	\$	410,347 3,133,250 (2,453,660)	\$	1,089,937 2,788,351 (2,283,391)	1,594,897 1,341,619 (1,984,848)	951,668 1,544,263 (2,447,314)	48,617 2,707,620 (1,860,396)	\$ 895,841 2,355,181 (1,862,434)	\$	1,388,588 2,626,409 (3,126,073)
Month End Cash Hospital Funds: Month End Cash	\$	1,724,091 56,984	\$	1,359,182	\$	424,086	\$	727,072	\$	410,347	\$	1,089,937 44,974	\$	1,594,897	\$ 951,668 14,946	\$ 48,617	\$ 895,841 38,695	\$ 1,388,588	\$	888,924 36,000
Total Month End Cash	\$		\$	1,373,982	\$	454,955	\$	909,450	\$	516,260	\$	1,134,911	\$	1,609,155	\$ 966,614	\$ 62,575	\$ 934,536	\$ 1,413,616	\$	924,924
Borrowable Resources*	\$	1,358,380	\$	1,259,937	\$	1,292,868	\$	2,115,132	\$	4,122,586	\$	7,190,852	\$	4,303,078	\$ 3,008,286	\$ 3,247,146	\$ 6,088,053	\$ 3,983,999	\$	1,474,004

*In addition to the actual cash balances, the County has access to borrowable resources which consist of undistributed property tax collections, departmental revenues, and deposits. The actual average daily balances for each month are displayed above.