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- GRF tax revenues of \$2.32 billion in the month of January were \$81.3 million (3.6%) above estimate, bringing the positive variance in year-to-date (YTD) GRF tax revenues to \$539.1 million (3.7%).
- ♦ The personal income tax had the largest positive variance in January, exceeding estimates by \$71.5 million (7.2%) for the month and increasing its positive YTD variance to \$146.8 million (2.5%).
- ♦ The sales and use tax, the largest GRF tax, continued to come in over estimate with a positive variance of \$41.8 million (4.1%) in January. This increased this tax's positive YTD variance to \$398.3 million (6.0%) at the end of January.
- The commercial activity tax had a negative variance in January of \$13.3 million (18.1%), increasing this tax's negative YTD variance to \$28.3 million (3.3%).
- ♦ The negative YTD variance in GRF program expenditures increased by \$508.8 million in January, increasing its negative YTD variance to \$1.21 billion (5.4%). Although expenditures for all program categories, except for Primary and Secondary Education, were under their YTD estimates at the end of January, this negative variance was dominated by a negative YTD variance in GRF Medicaid spending of \$999.0 million (8.4%). Non-GRF Medicaid spending, on the other hand, was above estimate YTD by \$10.0 million (0.1%). Medicaid spending is compared to estimates that were updated in September 2020 in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. These estimates are about \$3 billion higher for all funds than those used for H.B. 166.

## GRF & Medicaid Variances - Actual vs. Estimate

## Tax revenue **Federal grants** Total GRF sources \$81.3 million -\$21.3 million \$77.2 million 3.6% -1.9% 2.3% **Total GRF uses Program expenditures** -\$508.8 million -\$499.2 million **Month of January** -16.1% -15.8% **GRF Medicaid** Non-GRF Medicaid All funds Medicaid -\$459.8 million \$60.0 million -\$399.8 million



