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September 15, 2009

To the Users of This Report:

Re: General Fund Monthly Financial Information-July 2009

Please find attached the Report of Monthly General Fund Financial Information for the period ending July 31, 2009. All footnotes and additional information for the tables appear on the last two pages as endnotes to this report. This cover letter provides comment on the attached tables of General Fund financial information.

- <u>Preliminary FY09 Tax Collections.</u> On September 1, 2009, the Department of Revenue (DOR) released preliminary general purpose revenue (GPR) tax collections for FY09. These preliminary collections for FY09 are \$927 million below the collections for FY08 (or down 7.1%), but only \$2 million below the projected tax revenue estimates released by the Legislative Fiscal Bureau (LFB) on May 11, 2009. The preliminary GPR tax collection amounts for FY09 are subject to final review prior to publication of the Annual Fiscal Report and do not offer any guidance on the ending General Fund balance (budgetary-basis) for FY09.
- <u>Projected FY09 Ending Balance.</u> The State will issue by October 15, 2009 its Annual Fiscal Report that will include the ending general fund balance (budgetary-basis) for FY09. Based on the General Fund tax revenue estimates in the May 11, 2009 Legislative Fiscal Bureau (LFB) memorandum and provisions of 2009 Wisconsin Acts 11 and 23 and 2009-11 biennial budget (2009 Wisconsin Act 28), an ending General Fund balance (budgetary-basis) of \$70 million is projected for FY09.
- **<u>FY10 General Fund Cash Flow Projections.</u>** The tables in the attached report that include FY10 projections (cash basis) reflect:
 - 2009 Wisconsin Act 2 and the 2009-11 biennial budget (2009 Wisconsin Act 28)
 - \$1.002 billion of certain federal economic stimulus money the State is expected to receive, which includes \$606 million for medical assistance programs, \$237 million for education aids, \$76 million for shared revenues, and \$83 million for other various purposes.

This is only a portion of the federal economic stimulus money the State has received or expects to receive.

- Revised General Fund tax revenue estimates released by LFB on May 11, 2009, as modified on May 14, 2009.
- \$800 million of operating note proceeds and the resulting impoundment payments.

Please contact this office with any questions or to request a copy of any item referenced above or in the attached report.

Sincerely rank R. Hoadley

Capital Finance Director

Monthly General Fund Financial Information State of Wisconsin

For the Period Ending July 31, 2009

Prepared by the Wisconsin Department of Administration

Prepared on September 15, 2009

The following tables of General Fund financial information are provided with respect to securities issued by the State of Wisconsin. The information may be material to an investment decision in the securities, although the presence of information here does not imply the State of Wisconsin has made a determination of its materiality.

PROJECTED GENERAL FUND CASH FLOW FOR FY10 REFLECTS REVISED GENERAL FUND TAX REVENUE ESTIMATES RELEASED BY THE LEGISLATIVE FISCAL BUREAU (LFB) ON MAY 11, 2009 (AS MODIFIED ON MAY 14, 2009), 2009-11 BIENNIAL BUDGET (2009 WISCONSIN ACT 28), \$1.002 BILLION OF CERTAIN FEDERAL ECONOMIC STIMULUS MONEY THE STATE HAS RECEIVED OR EXPECTS TO RECEIVE, AND \$800 MILLION OF OPERATING NOTE PROCEEDS AND THE RESULTING IMPOUNDMENT PAYMENTS.

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Cautionary Information!

Users of this information should be cautioned about several points:

The General Fund financial information in this document has been prepared using what is believed to be the best available data for these purposes. The tables in this document have been prepared using the same procedures used to prepare similar information for the State of Wisconsin Continuing Disclosure Annual Report, Official Statements prepared for specific securities, or reports filed in conjunction with various securities. This information is, however, preliminary in nature and subject to change.

- This information is unaudited and is not a "financial statement." None of the data presented here has been subjected to customary fiscal period closing procedures or the procedures used in the preparation of a financial statement, including verification, reconciliation, and identified adjustments.
- This information only speaks as of the date on which it was prepared.
- Statements of information for dates before the date this information is prepared will most likely be restated or revised. Information classified as "actual", and any difference from any prior estimate, does not signify a change to official estimates. Any official revenue or expenditure re-estimates that do occur will be separately identified, and if material, appropriately noted.
- The information does not intend to reflect the State's projected budgetary balance for FY09 or FY10. The State is required to issue its Annual Fiscal Report (budgetary basis) for FY09 by October 15, 2009.
- Projections of results for dates after the date this information is prepared are forward looking. Actual results will almost certainly differ.
 - It is important to note that cash flow projections are expressed on a *cash basis* while the revenue estimates released by DOR are expressed on a *budgetary basis* and net of any refunds.
 - Projections are not adjusted to reflect actual revenues and expenditures and routine variability in the timing of receipts and disbursements, but may be adjusted to reflect unique events.
 - Projections of remaining fiscal year cash flow may be adjusted when necessary to reflect unforeseen events or additional revised forecasts of the General Fund condition statement.
- Data in the tables of financial information are subject to revision and reclassification for prior periods. This is particularly true for revenue data, where proper classification depends on tax returns which are received and processed significantly after the tax payments are received through electronic transfers.
- Some information is presented on a cash basis of accounting while other data is presented on a budgetary or agency recorded basis. Users should not compare information that is presented on one basis of accounting with information that is presented on a different basis of accounting.
- Comparison of monthly General Fund financial information has many inherent problems. Unforeseen events (including even a change in weather conditions) or variations from underlying assumptions may cause a decrease in receipts or an increase in disbursements from those projected for a given month.
- The State of Wisconsin is not obligated to provide this information or make it available on its website.
- None of the information in these tables of financial information is required by the State of Wisconsin's continuing disclosure undertakings pursuant to SEC Rule 15c2-12.
 - This information is not, and does not replace, a notice of a material event required by SEC Rule 15c2-12.
 - This information is not, and does not replace, the annual financial information required by SEC Rule 15c2-12.

ACTUAL GENERAL FUND CASH FLOW; JULY 1, 2008 TO JUNE 30, 2009^(a)

						(In	Thousands of	Dol	llars)									
		uly 008	August 2008	ptember 2008	October 2008	N	November 2008	D	December 2008]	January 2009	F	ebruary 2009		irch 109	April 2009	May 2009	June 2009
BALANCES ^(c)																		
Beginning Balance	\$	24,835	\$ 172,120	\$ 464,375	\$ 895,808	\$	1,403,014	\$	1,127,538	5	410,515	\$	1,092,877 \$:	806,618	\$ (495,304)	\$ 25,401	\$ 46,102
Ending Balance ^(d)		172,120	464,375	895,808	1,403,014		1,127,538		410,515		1,092,877		806,618	(4	495,304)	25,401	46,102	(147,352)
Lowest Daily Balance (d)		17,165	(74,304)	125,448	395,498		868,079		(238,871)		410,515		779,066	(4	495,304)	(624,085)	(272,003)	(1,018,864)
RECEIPTS																		
TAX RECEIPTS																		
Individual Income	\$	599,419	\$ 416,459	\$ 852,654	\$ 635,921	\$	448,743	\$	530,156	5	1,006,460	\$	545,149 \$		570,829	\$ 998,549	\$ 401,364	\$ 742,893
Sales & Use		424,497	414,465	400,891	405,299		372,531		327,928		401,249		317,588		294,522	331,356	329,407	366,707
Corporate Income		29,250	34,416	144,769	36,415		25,102		137,104		22,307		23,474		136,888	48,873	23,157	181,269
Public Utility		61	150	1,178	4,977		166,701		115		128		191		4	1,474	160,996	195
Excise		68,383	58,369	61,880	62,978		52,292		50,023		54,133		49,301		49,764	48,873	50,277	55,632
Insurance		712	1,106	37,504	440		1,372		36,557		3,671		18,941		17,457	26,148	643	31,179
Inheritance		12,093	10,971	7,118	3,216		458		453		754		580		650	143	169	464
Subtotal Tax Receipts	\$ 1,	134,415	\$ 935,936	\$ 1,505,994	\$ 1,149,246	\$	1,067,199	\$	1,082,336	5	1,488,702	\$	955,224 \$	1,	170,114	\$ 1,455,416	\$ 966,013	\$ 1,378,339
NON-TAX RECEIPTS																		
Federal ^(b)		563,248	566,365	480,475	697,621		505,320		695,264		617,061		736,395		526,896	978,945	752,133	1,199,101
Other & Transfers		514,783	206,097	514,202	574,653		260,962		248,921		417,508		497,953		431,782	817,033	290,015	610,664
Note Proceeds ^(e)		801,840	-	-	-		-		-		-		-		-	-	-	-
Subtotal Non-Tax Receipts	\$1,	879,871	\$ 772,462	\$ 994,677	\$ 1,272,274	\$	766,282	\$	944,185 \$	5	1,034,569	\$	1,234,348 \$	1,)58,678	\$ 1,795,978	\$ 1,042,148	\$ 1,809,765
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$3,	014,286	\$ 1,708,398	\$ 2,500,671	\$ 2,421,520	\$	1,833,481	\$	2,026,521	5	2,523,271	\$	2,189,572 \$	2,	228,792	\$ 3,251,394	\$ 2,008,161	\$ 3,188,104
DISBURSEMENTS																		
Local Aids	1,	172,822	130,313	881,727	181,686		1,026,759		1,344,140		232,877		276,002	1,	395,788	144,399	237,762	2,092,430
Income Maintenance		636,352	425,402	352,616	720,279		433,319		506,686		437,842		455,947		446,256	1,166,590	635,765	374,712
Payroll and Related		474,451	427,624	275,539	508,109		287,731		447,779		537,623		394,529		280,478	414,839	383,485	401,305
Tax Refunds		76,352	67,223	47,309	69,728		92,804		127,611		176,175		615,597		496,215	485,844	182,151	82,951
Debt Service		104,317	-	158,589	-		-		-		-		-		358,264	-	12,047	-
Miscellaneous		392,867	365,581	353,458	434,512		268,344		317,328		456,392		538,342		348,045	313,316	330,530	430,160
Note Repayment ^(e)		9,840	-	-	-		-		-		-		195,414		205,668	205,701	205,720	-
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$2,	867,001	\$ 1,416,143	\$ 2,069,238	\$ 1,914,314	\$	2,108,957	\$	2,743,544	5	1,840,909	\$	2,475,831 \$	3,	530,714	\$ 2,730,689	\$ 1,987,460	\$ 3,381,558

Note: All footnotes to this table appear at the end of this report in the section entitled "Endnotes and Additional Information".

ACTUAL GENERAL FUND CASH FLOW; JULY 1, 2009 TO JULY 31, 2009^(a) PROJECTED GENERAL FUND CASH FLOW; AUGUST 1, 2009 TO JUNE 30, 2010^(b)

(In Thousands of Dollars)																								
		July 2009		August 2009	Se	eptember 2009		October 2009	I	November 2009	D	December 2009	J	January 2010		ebruary 2010		rch)10		April 2010		May 2010		June 2010
<u>BALANCES</u> ^(c) Beginning Balance	\$	(147,352)	¢	(209,782)	¢	270,325	¢	731,126	¢	1,432,138 \$		1,281,803 \$	•	576,665 \$		1,471,378 \$	1	233,998	¢	(129,733)	¢	659,941	¢	967,302
Ending Balance ^(d)	ф	(147,332) (209,782)		(209,782) 270,325	ф	731,126	φ	1,432,138	ф	1,432,138 4)	576,665	р	1,471,378		1,233,998		235,998 129,733)		(129,733) 659,941	ф	967,302	ф	907,302 253,151
Lowest Daily Balance ^(d)		(360,039)		(295,174)		300,621		609,859		933,720		(147,534)		562,466		1,171,256		129,733)		(280,684)		498,486		(185,322)
Lowest Daily Datance		(300,037)		(2)3,174)		500,021		007,857		<i>J</i> 33,720		(147,554)		502,400		1,171,230	([2],155)		(200,004)		470,400		(105,522)
RECEIPTS																								
<u>TAX RECEIPTS</u> Individual Income	\$	594 221	¢	504,900	¢	714,800	¢	640,600	¢	488,800 \$		501,400 \$	r	1,058,500 \$		517,700 \$		507,600	¢	1 122 200	¢	102 000	¢	688,400
Sales & Use	φ	584,331 384,080	ф	406,000	ф	392,700	φ	397,000	ф	488,800 ¢ 364,900)	321,200	р	397,100	•	311,100 \$		288,500	φ	1,133,200 305,600	ф	482,800 309,600	ф	088,400 334,600
Corporate Income		33,814		400,000 36,500		153,500		397,000		26,600		145,400		23,700		24,900		145,100		26,500		17,200		147,100
Public Utility		18		-		300		3,500		156,300		500		700		-		200		20,300		165,900		500
Excise		62,971		65,600		65,700		91,600		65,100		66,000		73,700		59,800		61,900		72,900		67,700		66,800
Insurance		150		1,500		29,400		700		1,300		37,400		2,700		20,300		25,000		29,400		1,400		32,000
Inheritance		236		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Subtotal Tax Receipts	\$	1,065,600	\$	1,014,500	\$	1,356,400	\$	1,172,000	\$	1,103,000 \$	5	1,071,900 \$	5	1,556,400 \$	5	933,800 \$	1,	028,300	\$	1,570,300	\$	1,044,600	\$	1,269,400
NON-TAX RECEIPTS							-										,	,						
Federal ^(b)		808,446		630,632		554,795		777,082		639,914		774,467		688,594		820,105		598,645		900,503		839,623		632,855
Other & Transfers		586,306		234,500		778,800		532,400		281,700		249,100		469,100		538,900		355,100		488,100		280,200		644,277
Note Proceeds ^(e)		807,585		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Subtotal Non-Tax Receipts	\$	2,202,337	\$	865,132	\$	1,333,595	\$	1,309,482	\$	921,614 \$	5	1,023,567 \$	5	1,157,694 \$	5	1,359,005 \$	1,	053,745	\$	1,388,603	\$	1,119,823	\$	1,277,132
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$	3,267,937	\$	1,879,632	\$	2,689,995	\$	2,481,482	\$	2,024,614 \$	6	2,095,467 \$	5	2,714,094 \$	5	2,292,805 \$	2,	082,045	\$	2,958,903	\$	2,164,423	\$	2,546,532
DISBURSEMENTS																								
Local Aids	\$	1,231,927	\$	155,570	\$	846,648	\$	208,970	\$	1,008,270 \$	5	1,342,870 \$	5	259,721 \$	5	304,721 \$		378,521	\$	148,621	\$	184,021	\$	1,995,121
Income Maintenance		877,082		517,104		547,848		555,981		525,432		562,673		496,075		479,994		515,893		517,294		431,714		270,237
Payroll and Related		536,684		293,926		350,062		542,147		313,277		439,015		465,977		411,060		404,954		537,172		314,658		377,719
Tax Refunds		62,484		76,100		47,100		57,000		63,200		151,400		160,200		623,200		503,600		439,400		174,600		181,300
Debt Service		212,413		7,172		98,618		-		7,172		258		-		7,172		104,977		-		92,260		258
Miscellaneous		394,192		349,653		338,918		416,372		257,598		304,389		437,408		514,845		333,053		321,964		455,032		436,048
Note Repayment ^(e)	<i>.</i>	15,585	¢	-	<i>ф</i>	-	<i>ф</i>	-	<i>ф</i>	-		-		-		189,193		204,778	<i>ф</i>	204,778	<i>ф</i>	204,777	¢	-
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$	3,330,367	\$	1,399,525	\$	2,229,194	\$	1,780,470	\$	2,174,949 \$	5	2,800,605 \$	5	1,819,381 \$	5	2,530,185 \$	3,	145,776	\$	2,169,229	\$	1,857,062	\$	3,260,683
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Note: All footnotes to this table appear at the end of this report in the section entitled "Endnotes and Additional Information".

GENERAL FUND CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS YEAR-TO-DATE COMPARED TO ESTIMATES AND PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR^(a) (Cash Basis) As of July 31, 2009

(Amounts in Thousands)

	FY09 through July 2008							
RECEIPTS		Actual	_	<u>Actual</u>	Estimate ^(b)	Variance	Adjusted Variance ^(f)	ference FY09 etual to FY10 Actual
Tax Receipts Individual Income Sales Corporate Income Public Utility Excise Insurance	\$	599,419 424,497 29,250 61 68,383 712	\$	584,331 384,080 33,814 18 62,971 150	\$ 557,100 423,000 31,000 100 63,100 600	\$ 27,231 (38,920) 2,814 (82) (129) (450)	27,231 (38,920) 2,814 (82) (129) (450)	\$ (15,088) (40,417) 4,564 (43) (5,412) (562)
Inheritance		12,093		236	-	236	236	 (11,857)
Total Tax Receipts	\$	1,134,415	\$	1,065,600	\$ 1,074,900	\$ (9,300)	\$ (9,300)	\$ (68,815)
Non-Tax Receipts								
Federal ^(b) Other and Transfers	\$	563,248 514,783	\$	808,446 586,306	\$ 624,771 488,900	\$ 183,675 97,406	\$ 183,675 97,406	\$ 245,198 71,523
Note Proceeds (e)		801,840		807,585	807,585	-	-	 5,745
Total Non-Tax Receipts	\$	1,879,871	\$	2,202,337	\$ 1,921,256	\$ 281,081	\$ 281,081	\$ 322,466
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$	3,014,286	\$	3,267,937	\$ 2,996,156	\$ 271,781	\$ 271,781	\$ 253,651
DISBURSEMENTS								
Local Aids	\$	1,172,822	\$	1,231,927	\$ 1,331,800	\$ 99,873	\$ 99,873	\$ 59,105
Income Maintenance		636,352		879,415	801,732	(77,683)	(77,683)	243,063
Payroll & Related Tax Refunds		474,451 76,352		536,684 62,484	513,376 46,700	(23,308) (15,784)	(23,308) (15,784)	62,233 (13,868)
Debt Service		104,317		212,413	212,413	(13,784)	(13,784)	(15,808) 108,096
Miscellaneous		392,867		391,859	375,263	(16,596)	(16,596)	(1,008)
Note Repayment ^(e)		9,840		15,585	15,585	(10,590)	(10,570)	5,745
TOTAL DISBURSEMENT	S \$	2,867,001	\$	3,330,367	\$ 3,296,869	\$ (33,498)	\$ (33,498)	\$ 463,366
FY10 VARIANCE YEA	AR-TO-	DATE				\$ 238,283	\$ 238,283	

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GENERAL FUND MONTHLY CASH POSITION^{(a) (c)} July 1, 2007 through July 31, 2009 — Actual August 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010 — Estimated^(b) (Amounts in Thousands)

	Starting Date	Starting Balance		Receipts ^(e)	Disbursements ^(e)
2007	July	\$ 49,149		\$ 2,746,602	\$ 2,446,001
	August	349,750	(d)	1,772,536	1,483,505
	September	638,781		2,185,645	2,100,805
	October	723,621		2,124,755	1,430,699
	November	1,417,677		1,962,257	2,248,605
	December	1,131,329	(d)	1,769,558	2,454,032
2008	January	446,855		2,699,255	1,782,044
	February	1,364,066		2,155,175	2,401,752
	March	1,117,489	(d)	1,953,094	3,283,120
	April	(212,537)	(d)	2,462,984	1,837,549
	May	412,898		1,987,901	1,816,466
	June	584,333	(d)	2,614,345	3,173,842
	July	24,836		3,014,286	2,867,001
	August	172,121	(d)	1,708,398	1,416,143
	September	464,376		2,500,671	2,069,238
	October	895,809		2,421,520	1,914,314
	November	1,403,015		1,833,481	2,108,957
	December	1,127,539	(d)	2,026,521	2,743,544
2009	January	410,516		2,523,271	1,840,909
	February	1,092,878		2,189,572	2,475,831
	March	806,619	(d)	2,228,792	3,530,714
	April	(495,303)	(d)	3,251,394	2,730,689
	May	25,402	(d)	2,008,161	1,987,460
	June	46,103	(d)	3,188,104	3,381,558
	July	(147,351)	(d)	3,267,937	3,330,367
	August	(209,781)	(d)	1,879,632	1,399,525
	September	270,326		2,689,995	2,229,194
	October	,		2,481,482	1,780,470
	November	1,432,139		2,024,614	2,174,949
	December	1,281,804	(d)	2,095,467	2,800,605
2010	January	576,666		2,714,094	1,819,381
	February	1,471,379		2,292,805	2,530,185
	March	1,233,999	(d)	2,082,045	3,445,776
	April	(129,732)	(d)	2,958,903	2,169,229
	May	659,942		2,164,423	1,857,062
	June	967,303	(d)	2,546,532	3,260,683

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CASH BALANCES IN FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR TEMPORARY REALLOCATION^{(a) (g)} July 31, 2007 to July 31, 2009 — Actual August 31, 2009 to June 30, 2010 — Projected^(b) (Amounts in Millions)

The following two tables show, on a monthly basis, the cash balances available for temporary reallocation. The first table does not include balances in the Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP) and the second table does include such balances. Though the LGIP is available for temporary reallocations, funds in the LGIP are deposited and withdrawn by local units of government, and thus are outside the control of the State. The monthly average daily balances in the LGIP for the past five years have ranged from a low of \$2.211 billion during November 2005 to a high of \$4.347 billion during August 2008. The Secretary of Administration may not exercise the authority to use temporary reallocation if doing so would jeopardize the cash flow of any fund or account from which a temporary reallocation would be made.

Available Balances; Does Not Include Balances in the LGIP												
Month (Last Day)		<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>							
January			\$ 1,203	\$ 1,045	\$ 1,045							
February			1,265	1,180	1,180							
March			1,298	1,124	1,298							
April			1,210	1,020	1,211							
May			1,166	1,191	1,191							
June			1,079	1,167	1,167							
July	\$	1,141	910	981								
August		1,204	944	944								
September		1,204	1,081	1,081								
October		1,110	906	906								
November		1,229	1,011	1,011								
December		1,244	1,072	1,072								

Available Balances; Includes Balances in the LGIP											
<u>Month (Last Day)</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>							
January		\$ 4,943	\$ 5,372	\$ 5,372							
February		5,255	5,543	5,543							
March		5,453	5,440	5,453							
April		5,273	4,852	5,273							
May		5,010	4,632	4,632							
June		4,813	4,474	4,474							
July	\$ 4,862	5,422	5,102								
August	4,383	4,589	4,589								
September	4,264	4,479	4,479								
October	3,900	3,900	3,900								
November	4,017	3,936	3,936								
December	4,141	4,461	4,461								

Note: All footnotes to this table appear at the end of this report in the section entitled "Endnotes and Additional Information".

GENERAL FUND RECORDED REVENUES GENERAL FUND RECORDED EXPENDITURES BY FUNCTION (Agency Recorded Basis) July 1, 2009 to July 31, 2009 compared with previous year

The typical Report of Monthly General Fund Financial Information includes two tables that address General Fund Recorded Revenues and Expenditures by Function (agency recorded basis). During the months of July-September, State agencies process entries to accrue revenues and expenditures to the previous fiscal year. Since the timing of these entries varies from year-to-year, *the recorded revenues and expenditures as of July 31st and August 31st vary greatly between fiscal years and are not suitable for comparison.* For this reason, these two tables are not included in this report and will not be included in next month's report for the period ending August 30, 2009.

ENDNOTES AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- (a) Please refer to the cautionary statements at the beginning of this document. The cautionary statements are an integral part of this table. None of the data presented here has been subjected to customary fiscal period closing procedures or other procedures used in the preparation of a financial statement, including verification, reconciliation, and identified adjustments. In addition, comparison of monthly General Fund financial information has many inherent problems. Unforeseen events (including even a change in weather conditions) or variations from underlying assumptions may cause a decrease in receipts or an increase in disbursements from those projected for a given month.
- (b) The projections or estimates for FY10 reflect the 2009-11 biennial budget (2009 Wisconsin Act 28), signed into law by Governor Doyle on June 29, 2009, \$1.002 million of certain federal economic stimulus money the State is expected to receive for its medical assistance program, education, shared revenue, and various other programs, revised General Fund tax revenue estimates released by LFB on May 11, 2009 (as modified on May 14, 2009), \$800 million of operating note proceeds and the resulting impoundment payments.

Information for FY09 reflect the receipt of \$553 million in federal economic stimulus money the State received from the U.S. Department of Education and \$281 million in federal economic stimulus money the State received for its medical assistance program. The federal economic stimulus money referenced above is only a portion of such money the State has received or expects to receive.

- (c) The General Fund cash balances presented are not based on Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP). The General Fund includes funds designated for operations and capital purposes of certain proprietary programs of the State's universities. Receipts and disbursements of such funds for the designated programs and the disbursement of such funds for other purposes are reflected in the cash flow. A use of the designated funds for purposes other than the proprietary programs is, in effect, a borrowing of such funds. Therefore, at any time that the balance in the General Fund is less than the balance of such designated funds, the State is obligated to replenish the designated funds to the extent of the shortfall. The designated funds were expected to range from \$206 to \$350 million during FY09 and are expected to range from \$220 to \$400 million during FY10. In addition, the General Fund holds deposits for several escrow accounts pursuant to court orders or federal rulings. These funds were expected to average \$10 million during FY09 and are expected to average \$5 million during FY10.
- (d) The Statutes provide certain administrative remedies to deal with periods when the General Fund is in a negative cash position. The Secretary of Administration may temporarily reallocate cash in other funds to the General Fund; for FY10 this amount may be up to 7% of the general-purpose revenue appropriations then in effect, or approximately \$940 million. In addition, the Secretary of Administration may also temporarily reallocate for a period of up to 30 days an additional amount up to 3% of the general-purpose revenue appropriations then in effect, or approximately \$403 million for FY10.

If the amount of temporary reallocation available to the General Fund is not sufficient, the Secretary of Administration is authorized to set priorities for payments from the General Fund and to prorate and defer certain payments.

- (e) \$600 million of operating notes issued on July 2, 2007 for FY08, \$800 million of operating notes issued on July 1, 2008 for FY09, and \$800 million of operating notes issued on July 1, 2009 for FY10. The February, 2010 impoundment payment reflects the amount of premium received on July 1, 2009 and deposited into the Operating Note Redemption Fund.
- (f) Changes are sometimes made after the beginning of the fiscal year to the projected revenues and disbursements. Depending on when these changes occur, there are situations in which prior estimates can not be changed and the result is a large variance. This column may include adjustments to the variances to more accurately reflect the variance between the estimated and actual amounts.
- (g) The amounts shown reflect a reduction in the aggregate cash balances available to the extent any fund had a negative balance and temporary reallocation was used for such fund.

Additional information regarding the tables on the previous pages:

<u>Tribal Government Payments.</u> In May 2004, the Wisconsin Supreme Court ruled that certain amendments to the gaming compacts with tribal governments were unconstitutional. Although this decision concerned only an amendment to a gaming compact with one tribal government, the reasoning of the opinion applied to similar amendments to other gaming compacts that were executed on or after January 1, 2003. On July 14, 2006, the Wisconsin Supreme Court held that a 1993 amendment to the gambling provision of the Wisconsin Constitution did not invalidate or affect the extension, renewal, or amendment of State-tribal compacts originally executed in 1991 and 1992. In addition, the Wisconsin Supreme Court overruled a portion of its earlier decision from 2004 that had invalidated compact amendments from 2003 that allowed tribes to offer additional games beyond those agreed to in the original tribal compacts.

In FY08, budget and General Fund cash receipts assumed that the State would receive approximately \$124 million pursuant to the amended gaming compacts with tribal governments. This amount reflected (i) \$72 million, which is the estimate of all payments due in FY08, and (ii) \$52 million, which is an estimate of payments due in previous years from a tribal government that were expected to be made in FY08. With respect to the estimated \$72 million of payments due in FY08, the State received payments totaling \$44 million from all but one tribal government. With respect to the estimated \$52 million of payments due in previous years, the State did not receive such payments.

In FY09, budget and General Fund cash receipts assumed that the State would receive approximately \$75 million pursuant to the amended gaming compacts with tribal governments. The FY09 budget and General Fund Cash receipts further reflect receipt of an additional \$60 million payment made by a tribal government on December 15, 208 pursuant to settlement of a new gaming compact amendment. This payment (and the settlement of the new gaming compact amendment) was from the same tribal government that did not make its scheduled payment in FY08 and payments due in previous years. With the new gaming compact amendment, the State and this tribal governments agree on the methodology for payments due from the tribal government for each fiscal year, beginning with FY09.

The FY10 budget and projected General Fund cash flows assume that the State will receive approximately \$47 million pursuant to the amended gaming compacts with tribal governments.