Monthly Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance Operating Fund, Budget and Actual

DECEMBER 31, 2018

					(%)	Prior	Year
	Current	Current Month	Year to Date	Budget	Budget	Year to Date	(%)
	Budget	Actual	Actual	Remaining	Used	Actual	Change From
Revenues:							
Occupancy tax, net	\$ 17,445,461	\$ 1,638,903	\$ 9,046,846	\$ 8,398,615	51.9%	\$ 8,223,575	10.0%
Investment income	-	44,617	233,177	(233,177)	-	651	35720.5%
Other income	123,288	15,523	79,816	43,472	64.7%	67,849	17.6%
Total revenues	17,568,749	1,699,043	9,359,839	8,208,910	53.3%	8,292,076	12.9%
Expenditures:							
Salaries and Benefits	2,512,870	118,348	1,068,810	1,444,060	42.5%	2,499	42669.5%
Net Media	10,533,412	1,722,536	3,503,756	7,029,656	33.3%	3,013,334	16.3%
Research	220,950	19,650	41,150	179,800	18.6%	13,988	194.2%
Sales	890,669	13,915	346,011	544,658	38.8%	317,220	9.1%
Marketing	2,360,389	142,669	697,872	1,662,517	29.6%	641,014	8.9%
Public Affairs	62,005	1,099	9,567	52,438	15.4%	14,305	-33.1%
Other Operating Expenditures	865,166	36,680	288,145	577,021	33.3%	1,414,246	-79.6%
Events/Festivals/Sponsorships	250,000	30,000	114,000	136,000	45.6%	56,750	100.9%
Total expenditures	17,695,461	2,084,897	6,069,312	11,626,149	34.3%	5,473,355	10.9%
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(126,712)	(385,854)	3,290,527			\$ 2,818,720	16.7%
Other Financing Sources:							
Carried over earned income	126,712	-	-				
Total other financing sources	126,712						
Net change in fund balance	\$-	\$ (385,854)	3,290,527				
Fund balance, beginning of year			8,141,443				
Fund balance, end of month			\$ 11,431,971				

As directed by State statute, 75% of the occupancy tax revenue is invested in tourism promotion (reflected in the operations budget presented here) and 25% is dedicated to the Tourism Product Development Fund (TPDF) to be used for tourism-related community grants. The TPDF is budgeted by project ordinance due to the nature of the fund. Revenue dedicated to TPDF is projected at \$5,800,000 for FY19.

Monthly Revenue Summary

DECEMBER 31, 2018

	Operating Fund								Product Development Fund										
	By Month				Cumulative Year-to-Date				By N	Month		Cumulative Year-to-Date							
	Current Prior (%) Current Prior (%)		(%)		Current	Prior		(%)	Current	Prior		(%)							
Month of room sales:	Year	Year	Change	Year	Year	Change		Year		Year	Change	Year		Year	Change				
July	\$ 1,855,414	\$ 1,699,616	9%	\$ 1,855,414	\$ 1,699,616	9%	\$	618,471	\$	566,539	9%	\$ 618,471	\$	566,539	9%				
August	1,756,223	1,540,664	14%	3,611,637	3,240,280	11%		585,383		513,555	14%	1,203,854		1,080,093	11%				
September	1,734,347	1,601,411	8%	5,345,983	4,841,691	10%		578,116		533,804	8%	1,781,969		1,613,897	10%				
October	2,061,960	1,907,296	8%	7,407,943	6,748,987	10%		687,320		635,765	8%	2,469,289		2,249,662	10%				
November	1,638,903	1,474,588	11%	9,046,846	8,223,575	10%		546,301		491,529	11%	3,015,590		2,741,192	10%				
December	-	1,469,706	-	-	9,693,281	-		-		489,902	-	-		3,231,094	-				
January	-	763,649	-	-	10,456,930	-		-		254,550	-	-		3,485,643	-				
February	-	847,323	-	-	11,304,253	-		-		282,441	-	-		3,768,084	-				
March	-	1,075,580	-	-	12,379,833	-		-		358,527	-	-		4,126,611	-				
April	-	1,518,964	-	-	13,898,796	-		-		506,321	-	-		4,632,932	-				
May	-	1,570,681	-	-	15,469,477	-		-		523,560	-	-		5,156,493	-				
June	-	1,761,223	-	-	17,230,700	-		-		587,074	-	-		5,743,567	-				
Total revenues	\$ 9,046,846	\$17,230,700		\$ 9,046,846	\$17,230,700		\$	3,015,590	\$	5,743,567		\$ 3,015,590	\$	5,743,567					

Monthly Product Development Fund Summary

DECEMBER 31, 2018

	 Budget	 Actuals	Remaining Budget	(%) Budget Used
Revenues:				
Occupancy Tax	\$ 17,249,950	\$ 24,678,364	\$ (7,428,414)	143.1%
Investment Income	 -	 247,765	 (247,765)	0.0%
Total revenues	 17,249,950	 24,926,129	 (7,676,179)	144.5%
Expenditures:				
Product development fund projects:				
2007 Asheville Art Museum (Museum Expansion)	\$ 500,000	\$ -	\$ 500,000	-
2012 Montford Park Players (Welcome Facility & Amphitheatre Renovations)	125,000	-	125,000	-
2014 City of Asheville (Riverfront Destination Development 1.0)	7,100,000	650,000	6,450,000	9.2%
2015 City of Asheville (Riverfront Destination Development 2.0)	1,000,000	-	1,000,000	-
2015 Friends of the WNC Nature Center (WNC Nature Center Front Entrance)	313,000	-	313,000	-
2016 Asheville Community Theatre (Theatre Expansion & Renovation)	1,000,000	430,000	570,000	43.0%
2016 City of Asheville (U.S. Cellular Center - Theatre Creation & Meeting Room Conversion	1,500,000	-	1,500,000	-
2016 Diana Wortham Theatre (The Wortham Center)	700,000	-	700,000	-
2016 NC Dept. of Ag. & Consumer Services (WNC Farmers Market Retail Revitalization)	380,000	-	380,000	-
ABYSA - JBC Soccer Complex	1,100,000	899,522	200,478	81.8%
Asheville Art Museum	1,000,000	1,000,000	-	100.0%
Blk Mtn College Museum and Art Center	200,000	200,000	-	100.0%
Enka Center Ballfields	2,000,000	2,000,000	-	100.0%
Total product development projects	 16,918,000	 5,179,522	 11,738,478	30.6%
Product development fund administration	 331,950	 12,908	 319,042	3.9%
Total product development fund	\$ 17,249,950	\$ 5,192,430	\$ 12,057,520	30.1%

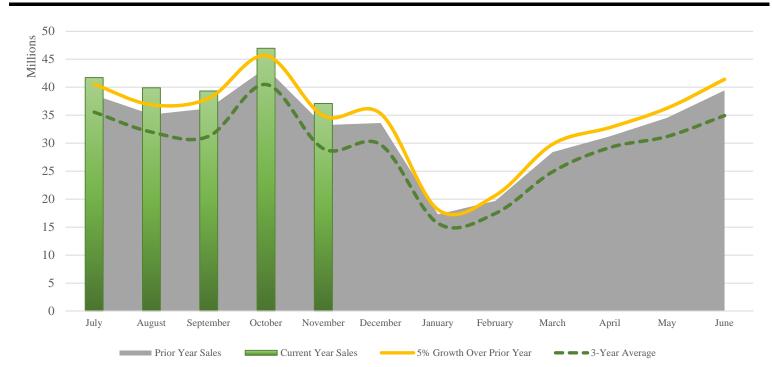
Product Development Funds Available for Future Grants	
Total Net Assets	\$ 19,733,699
Less: Liabilities/Outstanding Grants	(11,738,478)
Less: Unspent Admin Budget (Current Year)	(319,042)
Current Product Development Amount Available	\$ 7,676,179

Monthly Balance Sheet Governmental Funds DECEMBER 31, 2018

	Operating Fund		D	Product evelopment Fund	 Total
Assets:					
Current assets:					
Cash and investments	\$ 1	1,658,577	\$	19,733,699	\$ 31,392,276
Receivables		-		-	-
Total current assets	\$ 1	1,658,577	\$	19,733,699	\$ 31,392,276
Liabilities:					
Current liabilities:					
Accounts payable	\$	176,106	\$	0	\$ 176,106
Future events payable		50,500		-	50,500
Total current liabilities		226,606		0	 226,606
Fund Balances:					
Restricted for stabilization by State statute		1,395,637		-	1,395,637
Restricted for product development fund		-		19,733,699	19,733,699
Committed for event support program		156,200		-	156,200
Assigned for management contingencies		2,654,319		-	2,654,319
Unassigned		7,225,814		-	7,225,814
Total fund balances		1,431,971		19,733,699	 31,165,670
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 1	1,658,577	\$	19,733,699	\$ 31,392,276

Room Sales

Shown by Month of Sale, Year-to-Date DECEMBER 31, 2018



	Current Year	Prior Year	(%) Change	5% Over Prior Year	3-Year Average		
Month of room sales:		 	<u> </u>			<u> </u>	
July	\$ 41,730,561	\$ 38,602,612	8%	\$ 40,532,742	\$	35,552,440	
August	39,906,900	35,118,463	14%	36,874,386		31,995,978	
September	39,331,729	36,215,117	9%	38,025,873		31,246,604	
October	46,957,244	43,473,922	8%	45,647,618		40,487,684	
November	37,108,530	33,231,722	12%	34,893,308		29,024,979	
December	-	33,597,999	-	35,277,899		29,732,605	
January	-	17,279,266	-	18,143,230		15,687,134	
February	-	19,675,430	-	20,659,202		17,447,911	
March	-	28,404,553	-	29,824,780		24,905,896	
April	-	31,240,463	-	32,802,486		29,233,137	
May	-	34,540,629	-	36,267,661		31,206,095	
June	-	39,438,071	-	41,409,974		34,932,059	
Total revenues	\$ 205,034,964	\$ 390,818,248		\$ 410,359,160	\$	351,452,522	

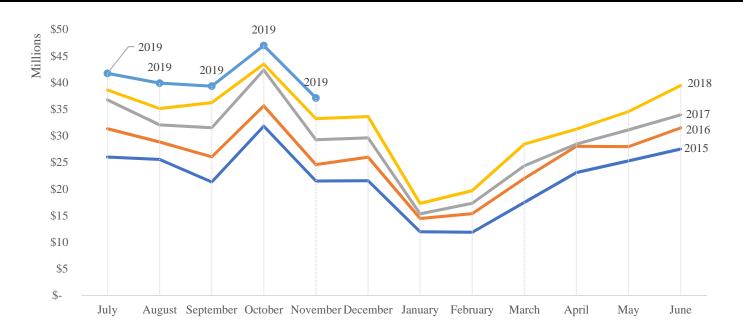
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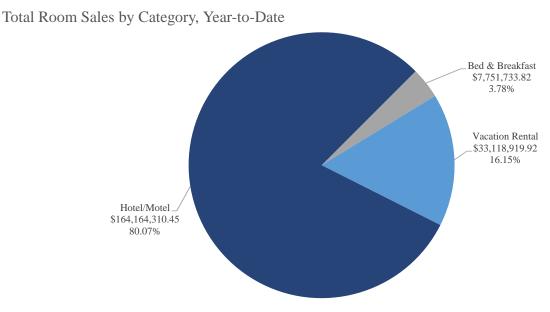
	1	Hotel/Motel		Vacation Rentals					Be	d & Breakfast		Grand Totals			
Month of room sales:	Current Year	Prior Year	% Change	Cı	urrent Year]	Prior Year	% Change	C	Current Year	Prior Year	% Change	Current Year	Prior Year	% Change
July	\$ 32,674,884	\$ 31,104,358	5.0%	\$	7,422,090	\$	5,824,936	27.4%	\$	1,633,587	\$ 1,673,317	-2.4%	\$ 41,730,561	\$ 38,602,612	8.1%
August	31,728,620	28,605,660	10.9%	Ψ	6,784,052	Ψ	5,062,650	34.0%	ψ	1,394,228	1,450,153		⁽⁴⁾ ⁽⁷⁾	^{35,118,463}	13.6%
September	32,226,571	29,581,338	8.9%		5,616,636		5,108,972	9.9%		1,488,522	1,524,807	-2.4%	39,331,729	36,215,117	8.6%
October	38,800,392	36,364,487	6.7%		6,207,976		5,100,654	21.7%		1,948,876	2,008,780	-3.0%	46,957,244	43,473,922	8.0%
November	30,640,775	27,774,546	10.3%		5,181,234		4,116,597	25.9%		1,286,521	1,340,580	-4.0%	37,108,530	33,231,722	11.7%
December	-	28,821,697	-		-		3,505,328	-		-	1,270,973	-	-	33,597,999	-
January	-	12,517,710	-		-		4,236,380	-		-	525,176	-	-	17,279,266	-
February	-	14,901,019	-		-		4,144,048	-		-	630,363	-	-	19,675,430	-
March	-	22,158,854	-		-		5,301,229	-		-	944,470	-	-	28,404,553	-
April	-	24,967,741	-		-		5,080,264	-		-	1,192,457	-	-	31,240,463	-
May	-	27,810,416	-		-		5,375,790	-		-	1,354,423	-	-	34,540,629	-
June	-	31,254,779	-		-		6,766,232	-		-	1,417,060	-	-	39,438,071	-
Total	\$ 166,071,242	\$ 315,862,606	_	\$	31,211,989	\$	59,623,082	_	\$	7,751,734	\$ 15,332,559	_	\$ 205,034,964	\$ 390,818,248	_

History of Total Sales by Month Shown by Month of Sale, Year-to-Date DECEMBER 31, 2018



	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Month of room sales:					
July	\$ 26,010,702	\$ 31,320,024	\$ 36,734,684	\$ 38,602,612	\$ 41,730,561
August	25,533,909	28,829,141	32,040,330	35,118,463	39,906,900
September	21,321,482	26,026,169	31,498,527	36,215,117	39,331,729
October	31,807,734	35,628,100	42,361,030	43,473,922	46,957,244
November	21,488,590	24,588,311	29,254,904	33,231,722	37,108,530
December	21,558,681	25,984,120	29,615,696	33,597,999	-
January	11,953,626	14,458,137	15,323,999	17,279,266	-
February	11,858,299	15,344,713	17,323,590	19,675,430	-
March	17,459,674	21,960,208	24,352,927	28,404,553	-
April	23,073,758	28,014,406	28,444,541	31,240,463	-
May	25,282,168	27,964,329	31,113,327	34,540,629	-
June	 27,506,206	31,459,341	33,898,766	39,438,071	-
Total room sales	\$ 264,854,828	\$ 311,576,998	\$ 351,962,319	\$ 390,818,248	\$ 205,034,964

Room Sales by Category Shown by Month of Sale, Year-to-Date DECEMBER 31, 2018



Year-to-Date Room Sales by Individual Category, Compared to Prior Year

