

# STATE OF ILLINOIS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

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# November 2025 Report on the Fiscal Year 2026 Budget

In accordance with 20 ILCS 3005/7.4, this report contains information regarding General Funds revenues, General Funds expenditures, and appropriation line transfers in excess of 2 percent in a fiscal year.

#### General Funds Revenue Revision

While state revenues have generally met expectations, the fiscal year to date performance for corporate income taxes (CIT) deposited into the General Funds are falling behind expectations, prompting a review of the underlying economic and policy factors impacting this source. Based on Department of Revenue's review, a diminishing corporate profit forecast (the basis of CIT receipts) coupled with the negative tax collections created by H.R. 1, is likely reducing amounts from this source. For more details on the economy and the tax implications from H.R. 1, please see the <u>Fiscal Year 2026 Economic and Fiscal Policy Report</u>. GOMB released an updated fiscal year 2026 General Funds revenue forecast with the Economic and Fiscal Policy Report in October reflecting the updated outlook. The October 2025 revised revenue forecast was prior to the passage of Senate Bill 1911 that included some changes to the Illinois Income Tax Act.

### Year-to-Date General Funds Revenues

Budgeted figures below reflect the revised forecast published in the <u>Fiscal Year 2026 Economic and Fiscal Policy Report</u> in October 2025.

	G	eneral Fu	ınds M	fonthly R	eveni	ıes			
		Thro		vember 202 llions)	5				
		В	Budgeted vs Actua						
		November FY25 Actual		ual FY26 Budgeted*		November FY26 Actual		ollar riation	Percent Variation
Individual Income Tax Corporate Income Tax Sales Tax	\$ \$ \$	1,508 107 900	\$ \$ \$	1,655 184 947	\$ \$ \$	1,630 227 819	\$ \$ \$	(25) 43 (128)	(1.5%) 23.5% (13.5%)
Public Utility		46		43		43	\$	(0)	(0.7%)
Cigarette Inheritance Liquor		16 60 16		14 70 14		12 180 14	\$ \$ \$	(3) 109 0	(19.7%) 155.5% 1.1%
Insurance Corporate Franchise		1 1 10		2 10		5 11	\$ \$	3	162.9% 7.5%
Investment Income Cook County IGT Other		29 - 22		33 - 25		47 - 19	\$ \$ \$	14 - (6)	43.1% 0.0% (24.5%)
TOTAL STATE REVENUES	\$	2,715	\$	2,998	\$	3,007	\$	8	0.3%
Federal Revenues	\$	413	\$	376	\$	335	\$	(41)	(10.8%)
Transfers In Lottery Gaming Adult-Use Cannabis Sports Wagering Other	\$	146 60 17 9 19 41	\$	362 60 25 9 24 244	\$	406 53 37 8 25 283	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	44 (8) 12 (1) 1 39	12.1% (12.5%) 47.2% (6.8%) 3.9% 16.1%
TOTAL BASE REVENUES Transfer to Repay Payroll	\$	3,274	\$	3,736	\$	3,748	\$	12	0.3%
Borrowing TOTAL REVENUES	\$ <b>\$</b>	3,274	\$ <b>\$</b>	3,736	\$ <b>\$</b>	2 <b>3,750</b>	\$ <b>\$</b>	2 <b>14</b>	0.0% <b>0.4%</b>

	G	eneral Fu	nds Y	/ear-to-Da	ate Re	evenues				
		Th	rough	November 2	2025					
			(\$	millions)			1	hidaeted i	ve Astual	
	FY25 YTD			726 YTD	EX	Budgeted vs Actual Dollar Percent				
		Actual	-		Y26 YTD Actual	_	riation	Variation		
Individual Income Tax	\$	9,357	\$	9,656	\$	9,630	va \$	(25)	(0.3%)	
Corporate Income Tax	\$	1.402	\$	1.297	\$	1.340	\$	43	3.3%	
Sales Tax	\$	4,532	\$	4,631	\$	4,503	\$	(128)	(2.8%)	
Public Utility		267		259		259		0	0.1%	
Cigarette		86		77		74		(3)	(3.7%)	
Inheritance		276		329		438		109	33.2%	
Liquor Insurance		78 229		74 256		74 259		0 3	0.3% 1.3%	
Corporate Franchise		83		236 77		259 78		3 1	0.8%	
Investment Income		357		362		376		14	3.9%	
Cook County IGT		337		302		370		14	0.0%	
Other		175		155		149		(6)	(3.6%)	
TOTAL STATE REVENUES	\$	16,842	\$	17,172	\$	17,180	\$	8	0.0%	
Federal Revenues	\$	1,709	\$	1,799	\$	1,757	\$	(41)	(2.3%)	
Transfers In	\$	984	\$	1,504	\$	1,547	\$	44	2.9%	
Lottery		315		322		314		(8)	(2.3%)	
Gaming Adult-Use Cannabis		66 46		105 46		117 44		12 (2)	11.3% (4.0%)	
Sports Wagering		36		109		110		1	0.7%	
Other		521		922		962		40	4.4%	
TOTAL BASE REVENUES Transfer to Repay Payroll	\$	19,535	\$	20,473	\$	20,484	\$	12	0.1%	
Borrowing	\$	-	\$	-	\$	2	\$	2	0.0%	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$	19,535	\$	20,472	\$	20,486	\$	14	0.1%	

Source: Illinois Office of the Comptroller and Governor's Office of Management and Budget

<sup>\*</sup>Budgeted figures are based on historical averages as well as information from the Department of Revenue on estimated timing of certain tax deposit.

#### Year-to-Date General Funds Expenditures

Note: Budgeted figures below reflect the forecast for spending from General Funds appropriations for fiscal year 2026. Budgeted monthly expenditures were determined by analyzing historical data on the timing of vouchers presented. Public Act 103-0588 allows the Illinois Office of the Comptroller (IOC) to request from the State retirement systems additional pension vouchers for a given month over the required  $1/12^{th}$  of the certified pension payment amount. This pension "pre-payment" allows the retirement systems to pay annuitants directly and to keep the investment for longer, thereby potentially accruing additional investment returns. While this flexibility does allow the IOC to prepay state pension payments similar to their current ability to prepay interfund transfers to support Medicaid and Group Insurance, it does not allow them to make annual pension contributions above the certified amount for a fiscal year. Because the timing of prepayments are unknown, budgeted expenditures for the fiscal year will continue to reflect a  $1/12^{th}$  payment of the annual certified amount.

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		Through 1	Novemb	er 2025					
		(\$ 1	millions	)					
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	November FY25 Actual		November FY26 Budgeted*		November FY26 Actual		Dollar Variation		Percent Variation
Healthcare and Family Services	\$	819	\$	696	\$	628	\$	(69)	(9.9%)
State Board of Education	\$	853	\$	896	\$	933	\$	37	4.2%
Retirement Systems	\$	39	\$	878	\$	243	\$	(635)	(72.3%)
Chicago Teacher's Pension System	\$	-	\$	30	\$	-	\$	(30)	(100.0%)
Dept of Human Services	\$	518	\$	673	\$	714	\$	41	6.0%
Department on Aging	\$	92	\$	118	\$	125	\$	7	6.2%
Department of Corrections	\$	139	\$	166	\$	142	\$	(24)	(14.2%)
Group Insurance (CMS)	\$	190	\$	169	\$	200	\$	31	18.3%
Higher Education	\$	327	\$	338	\$	265	\$	(73)	(21.6%)
Other Agencies	\$	314	\$	336	\$	372	\$	36	10.7%
Total	\$	3,291	\$	4,298	\$	3,621	\$	(677)	(15.8%)

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	FY25 YTD		FY26 YTD		FY	FY26 YTD		ollar	Percent	
	Actual		Bu	Budgeted*		Actual		riation	Variation	
Healthcare and Family Services	\$	3,588	\$	3,133	\$	3,204	\$	72	2.3%	
State Board of Education	\$	3,707	\$	3,894	\$	3,857	\$	(37)	(1.0%)	
Retirement Systems	\$	4,701	\$	4,390	\$	4,954	\$	564	12.8%	
Chicago Teacher's Pension System	\$	127	\$	148	\$	161	\$	12	8.4%	
Dept of Human Services	\$	2,302	\$	2,648	\$	2,632	\$	(16)	(0.6%)	
Department on Aging	\$	470	\$	548	\$	579	\$	30	5.6%	
Department of Corrections	\$	639	\$	733	\$	619	\$	(114)	(15.5%)	
Group Insurance (CMS)	\$	1,142	\$	845	\$	1,025	\$	180	21.3%	
Higher Education	\$	1,457	\$	1,502	\$	1,195	\$	(307)	(20.4%)	
Other Agencies	\$	1,533	\$	1,757	\$	1,792	\$	35	2.0%	
Total	\$	19,667	\$	19,598	\$	20,017	\$	419	2.1%	

#### **Appropriation Line Transfers**

Each fiscal year, State agencies receive individual appropriations from specific funds for specific purposes. Examples of these would be individual appropriations for expenses such as personal services (payroll), equipment, commodities or printing. The State Finance Act (30 ILCS 105/13.2) authorizes agencies to transfer up to 2 percent of their aggregate operational and lump sum appropriation, as defined in statute, among operational line items as long as the appropriations are shifted from within the same fund. For fiscal year 2026, this limit was increased to 4 percent.

The below table discloses all fiscal year 2026 transfers between appropriation lines exceeding 2 percent.

Appropriation Line Transfers										
		Through Nove	mber 2025							
Agency	Fund	From Line	To Line	Date	Amount	Total Transferred YTD	2% Transfer Limit	4% Transfer Limit		
There are no transfer from FY26 appropriations that exceed the 2% limit.										

## **Appendix**

#### Appendix A - Reporting Requirements Related to this Report

(20 ILCS 3005/7.4)

Sec. 7.4. Monthly revenue reporting. No later than the 15<sup>th</sup> day following the end of each month, the Office shall prepare and publish a written report including, at a minimum, the following information:

- (1) year-to-date general funds revenues as compared to anticipated revenues;
- (2) year-to-date general funds expenditures as compared to the then current fiscal year budget as enacted; and
- (3) any transfer between budget lines pursuant to Section 13.2 of the State Finance Act exceeding 2%. (Source: P.A. 103-588, eff. 6-5-24.)