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**ORANGE  
COUNTY  
FLORIDA**

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**TOURIST DEVELOPMENT TAX COLLECTIONS  
ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

ORLANDO, FLORIDA -- County Comptroller Martha Haynie announced today that tourist tax collections (resort tax) received by the County for the hotel collection month of November 2014 were \$17,415,400. Tourist taxes are charged on short-term rentals, mostly hotels and motels.

Comptroller Haynie noted that November 2014 collections were over 12% higher than November 2013. "November's collections being over 12% higher than November 2013 continues to demonstrate the strength of the hospitality industry. Great news to start the new year," stated Haynie.

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TOURIST DEVELOPMENT TAX COLLECTIONS

ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
**ALL SIX CENTS**  
 FISCAL YEAR 2015 (10/1/14-9/30/15)

**Monthly Collections**

			<u>Budget to Actual</u>	
	<u>FY 2015 Budget</u>	<u>FY 2015 Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Percentage Difference</u>
Hotel Collection Month of November 2014	\$15,327,800	\$17,415,400	\$2,087,600	13.6% up

			<u>Actual to Actual</u>	
	<u>FY 2014 Actual</u>	<u>FY 2015 Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Percentage Difference</u>
	\$15,489,600	\$17,415,400	\$1,925,800	12.4% up

**Cumulative Collections**

			<u>Budget to Actual</u>	
	<u>FY 2015 Budget</u>	<u>FY 2015 Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Percentage Difference</u>
Hotel Collection Month of November 2014	\$30,324,900	\$34,649,400	\$4,324,500	14.3% up

			<u>Actual to Actual</u>	
	<u>FY 2014 Actual</u>	<u>FY 2015 Actual</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Percentage Difference</u>
	\$30,769,100	\$34,649,400	\$3,880,300	12.6% up

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