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months of the fiscal year of \$649.9 million (4.0%).

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• GRF tax revenues were over estimate in January by \$139.6 million (5.4%), resulting in a year-to-date (YTD) positive variance for the first seven

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- Of the three major GRF taxes, the personal income tax had a positive January variance of \$95.5 million (8.5%), the commercial activity tax had a positive January variance of \$24.5 million (26.6%), and the sales and use tax had a positive January variance of \$23.3 million (1.9%).
- These three taxes were all over estimate for the YTD by \$397.2 million (6.5%), \$74.9 million (6.9%), and \$145.5 million (1.9%), respectively.
- GRF Medicaid expenditures had a negative variance in January of \$266.8 million (13.0%), resulting in a negative YTD variance of \$209.6 million (1.7%). Non-GRF Medicaid spending on the other hand, was above estimate for the month lowering its negative YTD variance, so that all funds Medicaid expenditures were above estimate by \$640.6 million (18.7%) for the month and below estimate by \$346.2 million (1.6%) for the YTD.
- Most other GRF program categories were also under estimate for the YTD, so that program expenditures were below the YTD estimate by \$567.0 million (2.3%) at the end of January.
- Transfers out were over estimate in January by \$738.0 million mainly due to a transfer of \$727.0 million into the Budget Stabilization Fund authorized in H.B. 45 of the 134th General Assembly. Adding January's variance to large timing-related positive variances in transfers out in previous months resulted in positive YTD variances in transfers out and total GRF uses of \$1,290.8 million (188.5%) and \$723.7 million (2.8%), respectively.

GRF & Medicaid Variances – Actual vs. Estimate

