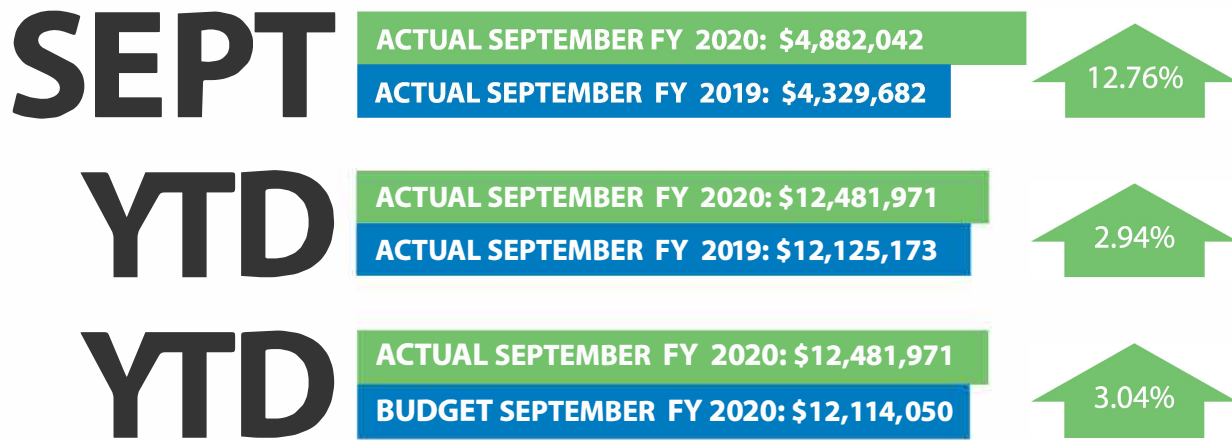


# September sales tax revenues up nearly 13% compared to last year

The City of Springfield’s September sales tax revenues from the Missouri Department of Revenue came in nearly 13% higher, or \$552,360, compared to those of September 2018. The check was \$4,882,042 compared to the September 2018 revenue check in the amount of \$4,329,682. On a fiscal year-to-date basis, revenues are up nearly 3%.

The check reflects sales processed by the state in August from transactions made primarily in July.

Compared to budget, revenues are up just over 5% on a monthly basis and just over 3% on a year-to-date basis.



The City heavily relies on sales tax revenues as its main source of revenue to fund vital services, such as police and fire operations. In Springfield, approximately 56% of revenue in the General Fund comes from sales tax and use tax.

