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TO: Monterey County Cannabis Committee

FROM: Kevin Tweedy, Accountant Auditor III

Date: December 5, 2024

RE: Update on Commercial Cannabis Tax Revenues

The purpose of this memorandum is to update the Monterey County Cannabis Committee on the amount of cannabis tax revenues collected year to date in fiscal year 2024-25.

Cannabis Tax Collections		
For Fiscal Year 2024-25		
Cannabis Tax Collections		
MONTH	AMOUNT COLLECTED	
July	449,860.04	
August	449,546.91	
September	14,070.38	
October	295,958.99	
November	458,635.28	
Total Amount Collected in FY 2024-25 (As of 11/21/2024)	\$ 1,668,071.60	

BREAKDOWN OF COLLECTIONS	COLLECTED
For Fiscal Year 2021-22 Payment Plan - Extended 3 yr.	44,687.43
For Fiscal Year 2023-2024	727,317.72
For Fiscal Year 2024-2025	896,066.45
Total by Year	\$ 1,668,071.60

BREAKDOWN BY TYPE	COLLECTED
Dispensary	294,657.95
Indoor/Mixed Light Cultivation	907,075.22
Manufacturing	120.53
Nursery	356,654.04
Outdoor Cultivation	109,563.86
Total by Type	\$ 1,668,071.60

Note 1: The ACO has implemented additional accounting elements to breakdown the collection amounts by respective fiscal years and be able to provide the Cannabis Committee and the Board of Supervisors with the information as reported in this report. The ACO does not have access to operator details and relies on the Treasurer-Tax Collector's Office to provide information on delinquent operators. As of November 21, 2024, the Treasurer-Tax Collector's Office reports a total of \$106,466 of unpaid taxes. Please note that this amount only reflects active operators, and it is only for FY 24-25.