

Austin sales tax collection up 6.2%

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Austin will collect \$11.2 million in sales tax revenue for November, an increase of 6.2 percent from the same time last year.

"Sales tax revenue in all major economic sectors improved over a year ago. While sales tax receipts associated with oil and natural gas production remains the strongest source of growth, there were strong increases from the consumer-driven sectors of retail trade and restaurants," said Texas Comptroller [Susan Combs](#).

Combs distributed more than \$478 million in monthly sales tax revenue to local governments throughout the state.

Round Rock will receive \$4.8 million, an increase of 7.8 percent from last year; Cedar Park will receive \$1.05 million, an increase of 4.1 percent; and San Marcos \$1.5 million, a increase of 2.1 percent.

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