

SOUTH CAROLINA STATEWIDE 5% ADMISSIONS TAX COLLECTIONS

MARCH BUSINESS / APRIL TAX RETURNS**

Important Note: Monthly totals may be influenced by factors that are not related to business conditions during that month, making comparisons with the same month in previous years problematic. These factors include delinquent filers, processing time at Department of Revenue, and changes in months associated with holidays or large events (e.g. Labor Day Weekend in August or September). Year over year comparisons of year-to-date totals are less susceptible to these factors and are preferable to monthly comparisons.

	Businesses ¹		Month			YTD Returns		Fiscal Year-To-Date		
	'15	'14	2015	2014	% Chg	'15	'14	FY2014-15	FY2013-14	% Chg
ABBEVILLE	1	0	*	*	*	11	7	*	*	*
AIKEN	21	23	\$57,494.78	\$53,301.31	7.9%	205	176	\$602,811.76	\$573,004.94	5.2%
ALLENDALE	0	1	*	*	*	9	6	*	*	*
ANDERSON	24	26	\$15,382.68	\$46,208.85	-66.7%	237	224	\$365,160.47	\$366,206.48	-0.3%
BAMBERG	2	1	*	*	*	20	11	*	*	*
BARNWELL	3	3	*	*	*	18	20	*	*	*
BEAUFORT	65	85	\$313,348.64	\$360,098.07	-13.0%	721	732	\$2,996,939.29	\$2,862,481.76	4.7%
BERKELEY	10	12	\$54,221.99	\$52,996.84	2.3%	134	126	\$443,117.32	\$482,030.31	-8.1%
CALHOUN	2	2	*	*	*	12	11	*	*	*
CHARLESTON	79	93	\$480,015.65	\$468,950.38	2.4%	943	918	\$4,824,753.81	\$4,549,720.87	6.0%
CHEROKEE	7	7	\$8,835.58	\$7,482.66	18.1%	68	72	\$84,463.64	\$64,871.21	30.2%
CHESTER	4	3	*	*	*	38	39	*	*	*
CHESTERFIELD	4	4	*	*	*	45	47	*	*	*
CLARENDON	4	5	*	\$8,867.19	*	40	43	*	*	*
COLLETON	3	8	*	\$3,794.54	*	43	62	*	\$45,059.84	*
DARLINGTON ³	10	12	\$2,878.00	\$4,963.83	-42.0%	113	122	\$38,555.59	-\$44,704.78	*
DILLON	3	3	*	*	*	40	38	*	*	*
DORCHESTER	5	11	\$6,406.31	\$27,964.58	-77.1%	84	90	*	\$245,876.32	*
EDGEFIELD	1	2	*	*	*	16	31	*	*	*
FAIRFIELD	2	2	*	*	*	20	20	*	*	*
FLORENCE	12	18	\$34,619.05	\$42,968.48	-19.4%	172	172	\$382,665.37	\$453,019.23	-15.5%
GEORGETOWN	14	17	\$70,560.14	\$81,835.74	-13.8%	147	158	\$512,953.52	\$546,615.22	-6.2%
GREENVILLE	57	75	\$239,392.41	\$248,527.87	-3.7%	692	699	\$2,605,999.58	\$2,085,815.35	24.9%
GREENWOOD	13	14	\$16,946.85	\$25,696.64	-34.1%	154	148	\$213,282.47	\$211,351.39	0.9%
HAMPTON	1	2	*	*	*	13	13	*	*	*
HORRY	128	177	\$535,316.00	\$700,397.97	-23.6%	1633	1697	\$7,297,678.65	\$7,643,695.03	-4.5%
JASPER	4	5	*	\$5,612.62	*	57	55	*	*	*
KERSHAW	7	7	\$3,705.33	\$3,298.54	12.3%	52	60	*	*	*
LANCASTER	8	8	\$3,095.13	\$4,782.16	-35.3%	83	75	\$78,050.77	\$179,412.77	-56.5%
LAURENS	6	11	\$3,562.71	\$5,473.34	-34.9%	85	91	\$52,848.57	\$46,998.63	12.4%
LEE	1	2	*	*	*	18	22	*	*	*
LEXINGTON	34	39	\$47,340.67	\$59,532.70	-20.5%	394	391	\$545,062.34	\$535,541.24	1.8%
McCORMICK	3	5	*	\$3,568.71	*	35	41	*	*	*
MARION	3	3	*	*	*	26	33	*	*	*
MARLBORO	2	1	*	*	*	15	20	*	*	*
NEWBERRY	3	5	*	\$1,495.67	*	32	35	*	*	*
OCONEE	6	13	\$5,000.55	\$30,773.16	-83.8%	114	122	\$184,158.01	\$183,652.04	0.3%
ORANGEBURG	15	15	\$16,116.13	\$21,529.86	-25.1%	142	126	\$104,143.62	\$124,078.28	-16.1%
PICKENS	16	13	\$109,659.08	\$43,542.87	151.8%	135	146	\$1,530,925.34	\$726,111.50	110.8%
RICHLAND ²	41	61	\$254,818.32	\$285,425.11	-10.7%	516	573	\$3,199,525.97	\$3,118,072.90	2.6%
SALUDA	2	2	*	*	*	24	19	*	*	*
SPARTANBURG	33	39	\$39,972.24	\$46,408.73	-13.9%	354	363	\$510,851.43	\$491,915.51	3.8%
SUMTER	8	13	\$9,379.29	\$12,602.94	-25.6%	87	118	\$120,960.37	\$133,357.65	-9.3%
UNION	4	5	*	\$1,218.60	*	34	43	*	*	*
WILLIAMSBURG	2	1	*	*	*	22	25	*	*	*
YORK	30	28	\$151,198.86	\$103,986.57	45.4%	273	263	\$1,386,939.82	\$1,204,107.81	15.2%
OTHER	7	7	\$35,899.64	\$12,886.75	178.6%	50	56	\$328,722.46	\$322,924.52	1.8%
STATEWIDE	710	889	\$2,550,795.05	\$2,797,492.44	-8.8%	8176	8359	\$29,051,823.76	\$27,477,222.36	5.7%

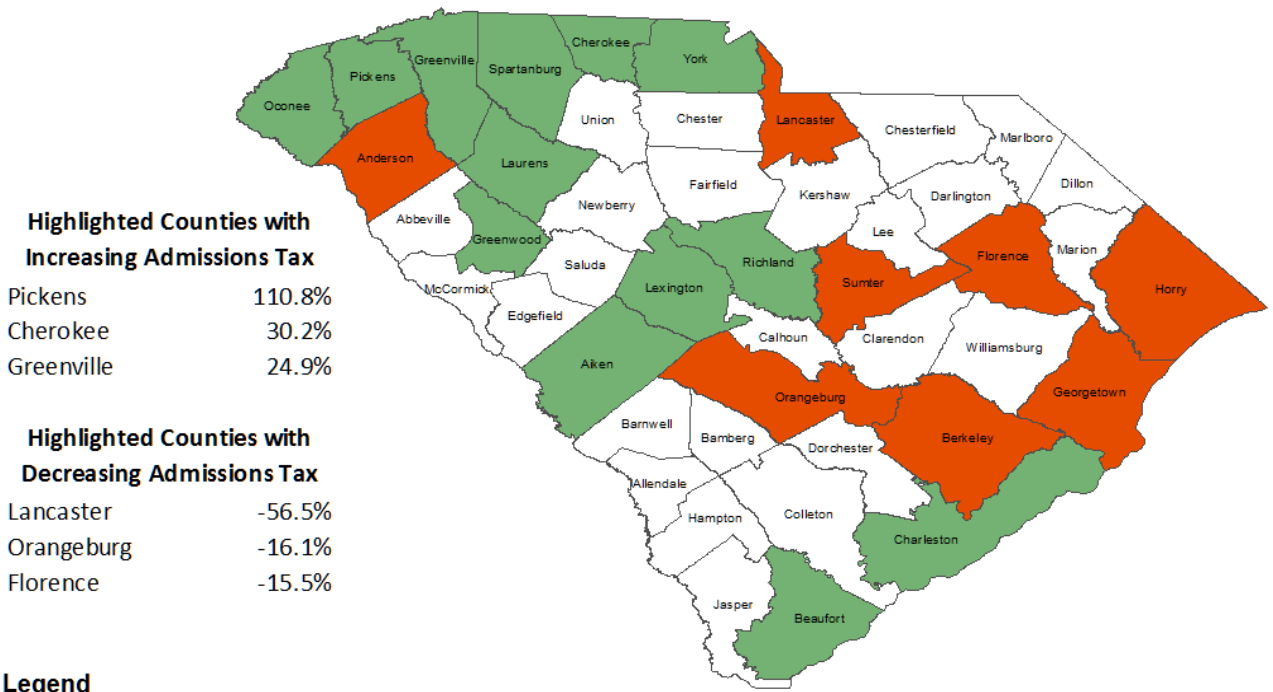
* Due to disclosure laws, county collections with less than 5 businesses reporting are not listed but are included in the statewide totals.

¹ Monthly total for **Businesses** (above) reflects the number of businesses for which DOR processed at least one return in a given month. DOR processing occasionally requires returns from one month to be processed with returns in the following month.

² All admissions taxes from SC State Parks are reported under Richland County.

³ Due to annual accounting adjustments, monthly and YTD percent changes for Darlington County may not be meaningful.

Change in Statewide 5% Admissions Tax Collections for July-April (June-March Business) FY1415 Compared to the Same Period in FY1314 by County



Highlighted Counties with Increasing Admissions Tax

Pickens	110.8%
Cherokee	30.2%
Greenville	24.9%

Highlighted Counties with Decreasing Admissions Tax

Lancaster	-56.5%
Orangeburg	-16.1%
Florence	-15.5%

Legend

Change in Statewide 5% Admissions Tax

- Decreased collections from same period in previous year
- Increased collections from same period in previous year
- Counties excluded due to accounting issues or where less than five businesses are reporting

Source: South Carolina Department of Revenue