# **HOUSTON FIRST CORPORATION**

Financial Management and Accountability Report

Report 11-2019 - For the Period Ending November 30, 2019 (92% of 2019)

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## **HOTEL STATISTICS (Year to Date)**

	Prior year		Curre	nt Yea	r	Over(Under)
		Actual	Budget		Actual	Budget/Prior Year
Regional per Smith Travel Research (thru. Nov.)						
Occupancy		64.70%			63.90%	-1.2%
Average Daily Rate	\$	106.59		\$	102.83	-3.5%
RevPAR	\$	66.36		\$	65.74	-0.9%

#### **MAJOR REVENUES (Year to Date)**

						Over(Under)	
	2	018 Actual	2	019 Budget	2019 Actual	Budget	
GRB Facility Rental	\$	5,565,358	\$	4,555,883	\$ 5,238,657	15.0%	2
GRB Food and Beverage Revenue	\$	14,683,506	\$	16,009,840	\$ 20,935,718	30.8%	3
Parking Revenue-Avenida	\$	9,257,567	\$	8,846,288	\$ 8,591,149	-2.9%	
Parking Revenue-Theater District	\$	7,066,893	\$	9,646,598	\$ 9,076,742	-5.9%	

## **MAJOR EXPENDITURES (Year to Date)**

					Over(Under)	
	2018 Actual	2	2019 Budget	2019 Actual	Budget	
Personnel Cost *	\$ 24,488,068	\$	25,132,607	\$ 23,110,862	-8.0%	5
Security Contract Payments	\$ 3,785,926	\$	4,398,982	\$ 3,768,164	-14.3%	4
Bldg Maintenance Contract(TDI) Payments	\$ 4,890,051	\$	5,205,046	\$ 4,594,814	-11.7%	4
Parking Contract Payments	\$ 3,017,980	\$	3,285,594	\$ 3,031,725	-7.7%	4
Janitorial Contract Payments	\$ 5,459,168	\$	6,102,209	\$ 5,811,604	-4.8%	4
GRB Food and Beverage Expense	\$ 10,172,985	\$	10,828,868	\$ 14,000,506	29.3%	3

## **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT SPENDING (Year to Date)**

2019 Annual 2019 YTD Actual % Spent Budget 18.7% Convention District Venues \$ 7,100,867 \$ 1,327,182 **Theater District Venues** \$ 1,845,500 \$ 372,463 20.2% Hilton Americas-Houston (thru. Sept.) \$ 46,435,550 \$ 22,685,766 48.9% Harvey \$ 38,274,278 20,312,451 53.1%

## **NOTES**

- 1 HOT collections less than expected; 2019 full year forecast at \$86,624 K, only one month of HOT collections for 4th Qtr.
- 2 39 new bookings in the year for the year including Islamic Society of North America and Sleep Show.
- 3 Higher than expected attendance at ABB, TCT & Whataburger events drove higher F&B revenue and expenses
- 4 Tightening of controls by Operations, resulted in savings year to date.
- 5 Personnel is favorable due to budgeted vacant positions.
- \* Excludes CEFD retiree health insurance expense.

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Positive Variance
Negative Variance Less Than 10%
Negative Variance 10% or Greater
Inconclusive or Unavailable Data