

## Sales Tax Figures

The city of Midland received a record sales tax collection in February with more than \$2.47 million. The collection eclipsed the previous high mark set in February 2007. Of the top five collections in the city's history, three came in February.

February 2008 collection: \$2,473,870  
February 2007 collection: \$2,429,077  
Percent increase: 1.84

Fiscal year-to-date total: \$9,248,966  
Percent increase from last year: 8.11  
Streak continues: This is the 53rd straight month of increased sales tax revenues.

Amount dedicated in February to pay off sports complex and fund the Mid-

land Development Corp.: \$618,467.50  
Midland's top five collections:  
February 2008: \$2,473,870  
February 2007: \$2,429,077  
May 2007: \$2,281,055  
November 2007: \$2,215,216  
February 2006: \$2,183,865

Note: Sales tax collection is generated by sales tax income from two months before.

Source: City of Midland reports