***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script
FY 2020 Budget**

Missouri’s new fiscal year is underway, with a total budget of $29.7 billion.

Senator Dan Hegeman of Cosby chairs the [Missouri Senate Appropriations Committee](https://www.senate.mo.gov/aprp/).

He says he believes infrastructure is what state government *should* be doing…

 **Hegeman :07 Q: broadband fiber lines.**

Senator Karla May of St. Louis stresses the primary source of revenue for our state is income taxes…

 **May :05 Q: funds in 34 percent.**

As mentioned last week, in a rare move, no line items have been vetoed in this year’s operating budget. Also, the governor has not withheld any funding for this current fiscal year.

Fiscal Year 2020 will continue through June 30 of next year.

Reporting from the State Capitol, I’m Dean Morgan.