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Automated Tax Payments Spike

Columbia, SC - Credit card monthly payments have increased 38.3% in Fiscal Year 2006-07 which can be attributed to the growing familiarity with Richland County's Tax Payment Options, said Treasurer David A. Adams.

In the first eight months of 2005-06 there were an average of 1,200 payments of \$526,762.54 each month. Those have jumped to 1,660 payments of \$695,710.86 in the first eight months of 2006-07.

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