Fund Accounting & Long Term Planning

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Budget Preparation Timeline

January - March

- First Quarter Review
- Annual Financial Audit
- ☑ Presentation of Annual Progress Report
- Survey Results to City Council
- ☑Annual Update of the Strategic Action Plan

April - May

- Review 10 Year Infrastructure Plan
- Departments Begin FY 2019 Budget Preparation
- Second Quarter Review
- Year to Date Budget Results Presentation



Budget Preparation Timeline

May – June

- ☐ Fund Accounting & Long Term Planning Presentation
- ☐ Property Tax & Other Revenues Presentation

July - August

- ☐General Fund Budget Workshop
- □ Adopt Maximum Millage Rate (August 4th deadline)
- ☐ Third Quarter Review
- ☐ Capital Funds Budget Workshop
- ☐ Proprietary & Special Revenue Budget Workshop
- ☐ Final Proposed Budget Presentation



Budget Preparation Timeline

September

- ☐ Public Hearing to Tentatively Adopt Millage Rate & Budget
- ☐ Public Hearing to Adopt Final Millage Rate & Budget

October – December

- ☐ FY 2018 Year End Close-out
- ☐ End of Year Review with Departments



Fund Accounting



Fund Accounting

- A fund is a <u>segregated accounting entity (checkbook)</u>
 - Tracks activities according to regulations, restrictions, or limitations.

- Revenue, restricted for a specific purpose, cannot be used for general operations
 - Funds are divided into various types according to legal restrictions or their uses.



Regulatory Authorities

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB)

Exposure Drafts

Statements

Technical Bulletins

Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance

Federal Government

(IRS, SEC, GAO)

Payroll taxes

Debt issuance

Grant compliance

1099 reporting

Yellow Book

State Government

(Statutes, Department of Revenue, Rules of the Auditor General)

Truth in Millage (TRIM)

Grant compliance

Annual reporting requirements



Revenue Restrictions

- Must comply with legal and external requirements.
 - Small County Surtax
 Capital projects
 - Utility Revenues
 Operation and expansion of utility system
 - Impact Fees
 Infrastructure capacity improvements related to growth
 - GrantsSpecific programs/projects





Fund Types

Governmental

General fund

Special revenue funds

Capital projects funds

Debt service funds

Permanent funds

Proprietary

Enterprise funds

Internal services funds

Fiduciary

Trust funds

Agency funds



Fund Classifications

Governmental Funds

Primarily supported by taxes

Proprietary Funds

Primarily supported by user fees

Fiduciary Funds

Not the City's money



Fund Classifications

Governmental Funds

General Fund

Capital Projects Fund

Special Revenue Funds

Proprietary Funds

Utility Fund

Stormwater Fund

Building Fund

Fiduciary Funds

VFF Pension Fund



Fund Classifications

Governmental Funds

Administration & Finance

Public Safety (Fire & Police)

Community Development (excluding Building)

Streets & Parks Maintenance

Parks & Recreation

Proprietary Funds

Utility

Stormwater

Building

Information Technology

Solid Waste

Fleet

Facilities



Fund Balance

Definition

Accumulated revenues over expenditures

Use

For emergencies or one time expenditures (capital project)

Not meant to fund continuing operations

Policy

General Fund

Utility Fund

Stormwater Fund

Solid Waste Fund

Disaster Reserve

Self Insured Fund

Fleet Fund



Long Term Financial Planning



Objectives

Aligns financial capacity with long-term objectives Insight into the future financial capacity of our organization

Establishes
the
foundation
for strategies
to be
developed

Helps achieve longterm sustainability Integral part of Strategic Planning Process

Shows financial accountability



Objectives

Lookout at least 5 years

Consider all appropriated funds

Provide direction to the budget process

Include:

- Analysis of financial environment
- Revenue & expenditure forecasts
- Consideration of our current debt position



Objectives

Continue to improve the City's financial position

Maintain or improve service level standards

Achieve full cost recovery, when possible, for the provision of services

Enhance the long term financial sustainability of the City

Help achieve the objectives documented in the SAP



Assumptions & Consideration

Revenue & expenditure projections

Available revenue sources not currently being utilized

Anticipated deficits or surpluses

Condition of reserves/fund balance

Economic growth

Historical trends

Future rate increases



Assumptions & Consideration

Anticipated operational changes

Upcoming legislative action

Current state of the disaster reserves

Sustainability of current expenditure baseline

Long term impact of current decisions being made

Bond ratings



Deliverables

Annual
Budget
Document &
Budget at a
Glance

Measuring Results Document Annual & Quarterly Progress Report

Annual Financial Report (CAFR)

10 Year Capital Funding Plan

5 Year Capital Improvement Plan



General Fund Forecast

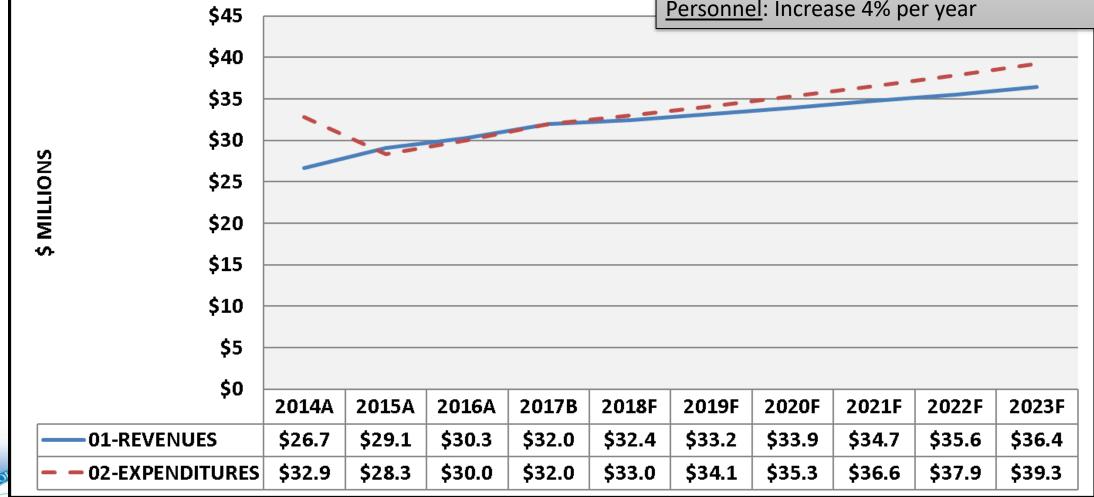
Assumptions:

CPI: 2% increase per year

Assessed Value: 2.3% increase per year

<u>Communications Services Tax</u>: Increase by CPI

Personnel: Increase 4% per year



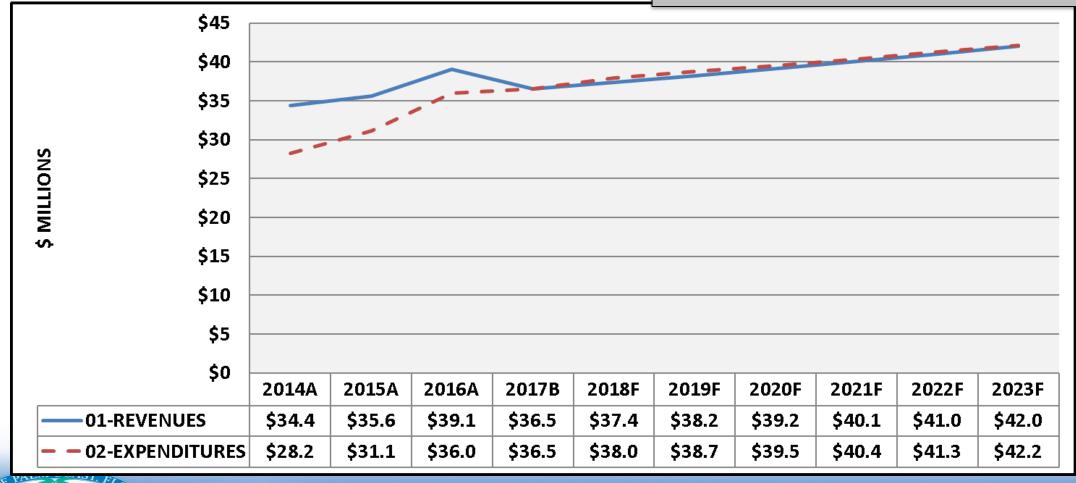
Utility Fund Forecast

Assumptions:

<u>CPI</u>: 2% increase per year

Personnel: Increase 4% per year

Water & WW Sales: Per Capital Finance Plan



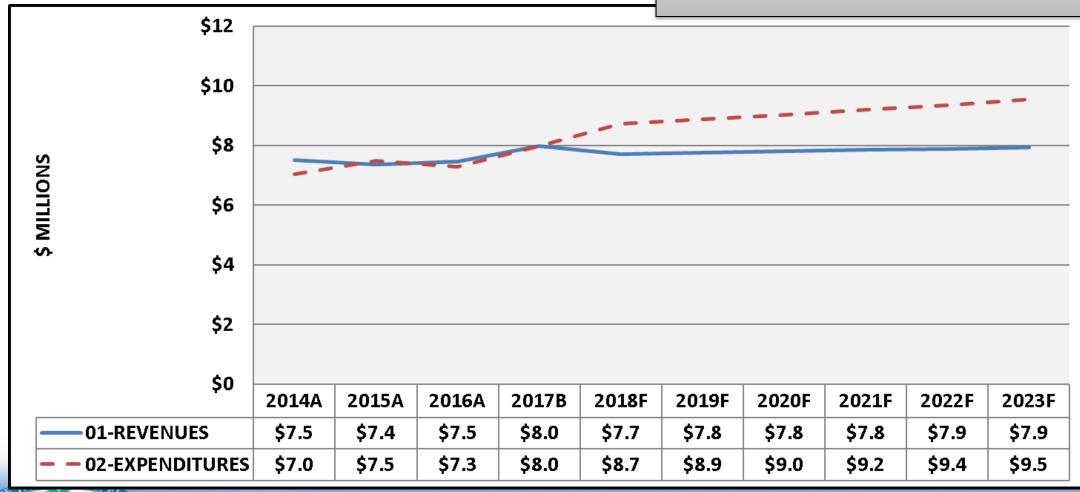


Stormwater Fund Forecast

Assumptions:

Personnel: Increase 4% per year

Stormwater Fees: Increase 0.5% per year





Looking Ahead

June 12th Property Tax & Revenues Presentation

July 10th Budget Workshop - General Fund

July 17th Adopt Maximum Millage Rate (August 4th deadline)

July 31st Budget Workshop – Capital Funds

Aug 14th Budget Workshop - Proprietary & Special Revenue Funds

August 28th Final Proposed Budget Presentation

September: Public Hearing to adopt tentative millage rate and Budget &

Final Public Hearing to adopt final millage and budget

