April 30, 2018

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council
2019 Fiscal Year Proposed Operating Budget Transmittal

Dear Mayor and Council Members:

In accordance with the City Charter, I am presenting the City of Palo Alto's Fiscal Year 2019 Proposed Budget totaling \$704.5 million. This proposed budget represents a \$32.3 million increase over FY 2018 Adopted Budget, or 4.8 percent growth. The primary driver for the increase from FY 2018 Adopted Budget levels is the Capital Improvement Fund where significant investments in the 2014 City Council approved Infrastructure Plan are programed for FY 2019. The General Fund represents \$214 million, a modest 1.7 percent increase over the prior year budget. This budget includes net reductions of 6.60 full-time positions, and when combined with the 11.00 reduction in the Fire Department already approved by the City Council, citywide staffing has decreased 17.60 positions or 1.7 percent from FY 2018 (a 3 percent reduction in General Fund staffing). Moderate utility rate adjustments of 4.7 percent are included in this budget ensuring maintenance and management of services and infrastructure to the community. Proposed rate increases under review by the Utilities Advisory Commission and Finance Committee may recommend downward adjustments of these rates in both the water and electric commodities.

This budget reflects a strong local economy that continues to provide stable revenues that support the vast array of programs and initiatives this organization provides to our citizens. This budget maintains the high quality of services and facilities that our community values, with a focus on the priorities of the City Council. As a result of our distinctive place in the global economy, we continue to experience many challenges associated with the appeal of Silicon Valley. These include increased traffic and congestion, expensive housing, more demand for services, and various views about the nature and pace of change. We are not facing these challenges alone, as cities across the region share in the impacts that have accompanied such strong economic growth over the past eight years.

Over the past few years, staff has identified anticipated gaps in available funds in the General Fund during prior year budget processes as well as upcoming projects and funding challenges that will require the City to prioritize initiatives and related resources. Recently, the City had to absorb several increased costs driven by extenuating circumstances, including the increased costs of track watch guards (\$1.7 million), transfer of the electricity costs of streetlight and traffic signals (\$2.3 million), and anticipated revenue reductions associated with Stanford negotiations over fire services (\$2.0 million). That gap was closed in part by drawing on the Budget

Stabilization Reserve (BSR) and other one-time solutions. Staff agreed with the City Council that the FY 2019 Budget would close that gap on a permanent structural basis; this budget accomplishes that.

As reported in the FY 2019-2028 Long Range Financial Forecast, the City's FY 2019 General Fund projected a gap between revenues and expenses of \$2.6 million. With this Proposed Budget, I am recommending reducing \$2.3 million in structural expenses with a minimal \$276,000 draw on the BSR to balance the FY 2019 General Fund Budget. This maintains the BSR at over 19 percent of General Fund expenditures, above the Council approved target level of 18.5 percent. The rationale for drawing on the BSR is due to the one-time expenses it is offsetting, such as the anticipated November 2018 election. When compared to the City's FY 2019-2028 LRFF report, these actions are projected to bring both FY 2019 and FY 2020 revenues and expenses into alignment.

The General Fund

In order to meet our objectives for FY 2019 and present a structurally balanced budget, it was necessary to make some reductions in staffing. As a result, there are no outright new positions that are recommended in this budget; instead, citywide this budget recommends a net reduction of 6.6 full-time positions, essentially all within the General Fund. When combined with City Council's prior approval of 11.0 position reductions in the Fire Department, as part of the effort to continue to provide for Stanford Fire Services, full-time positions in the City have declined 17.6 positions from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget to 1,041.35 in FY 2019. This represents a 1.7 percent reduction in the full-time City workforce.

No full-time staff lose their positions in this proposal. At the same time, I believe the structurally balanced FY 2019 Budget maintains existing services and responds to Council Priorities. As a comparison, the number of General Fund positions for FY 2019 is 10 percent below levels seen in FY 2008 and FY 2009.

City Council Priorities

In spite of the proposed reductions, both the proposed operating and capital budgets continue to support the ongoing priorities of the City Council approved January 2018:

- Transportation
- Housing
- Budget and Finance (focus on funding our infrastructure plan and pensions)
- Grade Separation (choose preferred alternative by end of year)

Of particular note in this Proposed Budget:

Parking & Transportation Strategy: This budget recommends incremental steps in already planned parking and transportation initiatives. As a result of vacancies in key staff positions, this budget reflects a need to scale the ecosystem of parking and transportation programs. It continues funding for the Transportation Management Association (TMA) at \$480,000 and

focuses resources on the procurement of a new comprehensive parking permit system. In the capital budget, funding for grade separation initiatives are recommended to be added as well.

Pension and Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Actions: In 2008, the City established an OPEB Trust fund for retiree healthcare obligations, which now has over \$100 million in assets. After a regular outside bi-annual review of the City's OPEB liabilities, a favorable report reduced our annual retiree medical contributions in the General Fund by \$1.3 million for FY 2019. After establishing an irrevocable IRS Section 115 Pension Trust fund in FY 2017, the City has contributed \$5.6 million in all funds (\$3.4 million General Fund). The FY 2019 Proposed Budget recommends additional contributions of \$2.0 million for a total of \$7.6 million (\$4.6 million General Fund). Additional information can be found in the Salaries and Benefits Attachment B to this letter.

While the FY 2019 Budget maintains current services and takes important steps toward ongoing fiscal stability and health, the City will face critical challenges in the near and longterm.

Near-Term Challenges

Infrastructure Funding: Based on updated estimates and the most recent decisions on the plan made by the Council, the emergent gap in necessary resources for the 2014 City Council Infrastructure Plan is currently estimated at \$76 million. Anticipated new Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT) revenue (not included within the Proposed Budget forecast yet) could close half of that funding gap. An increase in the TOT via the ballot box in 2018 could resolve the remaining gap. Other funding challenges in the near-term include our Animal Shelter, the Junior Museum and Zoo, other City facilities like the Roth Building, and future planning for parks.

Transportation: Completion of plans and funding included in the City Council Infrastructure Plan, such as our Bike and Pedestrian Plan improvements and Charleston-Arastradero Corridor are an important factor in expanding our modes of transportation. Finding a permanent funding source for our TMA is also a near term challenge. Maintaining adequate funding for our parking needs (new systems, community engagement demands) will continue to challenge the City.

Competitive Workforce - Retaining and Recruiting a Quality Staff: Road gridlock and needed transit investments, along with out-of-reach housing costs, make our ability to attract and maintain the workforce our community requires a genuine concern. Labor negotiations with five bargaining groups will unfold throughout FY 2019. Unknown costs beyond this budget remain. The quality of services provided our community is most directly the result of having an adequate and highquality workforce. This is a fact that needs to be better articulated to our community.

Pension Costs: The City already knows the expected range of increases in annual pension costs, which will put a continuing annual strain on our budgets.

Housing: Provision of adequate housing and the ability to meet our housing production goals will require action much more within the realm of policy and zoning, than in direct City funding. Some affordable housing funding is available within the City's existing programs, but it could quickly be used up within the near term. The City has larger goals and housing needs than the pool of municipal funding could meet. Creative concerted policy action by City Council will be essential.

Longer-Term Challenges

Grade Separation: Arguably the biggest infrastructure project in the City's recent history and for the next decades ahead is grade separation. Over the next ten years the City will need to plan for, find funding for, and then construct grade separation improvements along our four-mile corridor. The cost will run from the hundreds of millions of dollars into billions. How to accomplish this is the challenge of the decade ahead.

Sustainable Pensions and Health Care: The liabilities and risks to the CalPERS system are well known. Our City Council continues to be a leader in understanding the scale of the problem and in coming to grips with solutions that will be necessary. This, as we know, will continue to dominate the work of the Finance Committee and City Council in the years ahead.

Competitive and Quality Workforce: This too will continue to be the other large financial driver in the City Budgets in the years ahead. Beyond just funding, creative approaches to working environment and commutes will be needed, under conditions that are significantly affected by state regulations limiting the City's options.

There are additional funding challenges we face and these are referenced in the General Fund Summary section of this document.

Other Funds - Summary

Beyond the General Fund, the City's Enterprise and Other Funds remain healthy and continue to maintain and invest in the City's many service areas including Utilities, the Airport, and parking initiatives. As discussed above, moderate utility rate adjustments representing a 4.7 percent increase in the average residential monthly bill are assumed in this budget. The Airport Fund continues to see significant investment in capital improvements through grant funding awarded by the Federal Aviation Administration. Both a business plan assessment and facilities assessment are scheduled to be completed in FY 2019 to assist in future operating and investment decisions. As noticed previously, a focus on parking operations is anticipated in FY 2019. No significant changes in the program are recommended or proposed as the FY 2019 budget focuses on scaling the programs with much needed tools including a comprehensive permit system.

Acknowledgments

I would like to thank City Council for your leadership and our Executive Leadership Team and the entire staff for providing outstanding services to our community.

Having spent the early, formative period of my career in budget offices, I know first-hand the teamwork and professionalism it takes to develop and produce the annual budget of a municipal organization. Special thanks to Lalo Perez, our Chief Financial Officer, Kiely Nose, Budget Director, Tarun Narayan, Treasury Manager, and the dedicated Office of Management and Budget team - Paul Harper, Steve Guagliardo, Jessie Deschamps, Chris Yi, Alexandra Harris, Chaitali Paliwal, Jamie Perez, and Kayla Shapiro. The completion of this budget document could not have been accomplished without the skill, dedication and professionalism of this team. Unless one has been involved in the actual planning and preparation of the budget it is impossible to appreciate the many hours our folks have sacrificed over the last few months. My gratitude must also go to the Depart-ment Directors of our Executive Leadership Team and all of the department personnel who worked on the preparation of the material. They are too numerous to mention here but all the senior/management analysts, division managers, administrative assistants and others have earned a well-deserved thank you.

We are pleased to work with a dedicated City Council, a professional City workforce, and a highly engaged community.

Respectfully Submitted,

James Keene

City Manager

Attachment A: Fiscal Year 2019 Budget Balancing

The FY 2019 Proposed budget of \$704.5 reflects an increase of 4.8 percent from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget of \$672.3 million. The General Fund of \$214.0 million is approximately 30 percent of the City's total budget. General Fund expenses increased 1.7 percent from prior year levels of \$210.4 million - a small increase. This budget was developed with consideration of the multi-year implications of its recommendations. It strives to avoid reductions that significantly impact services and continues to invest heavily in the City's infrastructure.

General Fund

The FY 2019 Budget includes General Fund revenue estimates of \$213.7 million, a 3.2 percent increase from FY 2018 Adopted Budget levels of \$207.4 million, or a \$6.7 million increase. General Fund expenditures of \$214.0 million reflect growth of 1.7 percent from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget level of \$210.4 million, or a \$3.6 million increase.

The Budget Stabilization Reserve (BSR) is projected at FY 2019 BSR balance of \$41.0 million, or 19.2 percent of the FY 2019 Budget expenses of \$214.0 million. This is above the City Council target level of 18.5 percent or \$39.6 million.

The General Fund balancing strategy (see below) looked at a multi-year approach that anticipates FY 2020 General Fund to be in balance for FY 2020 also. This is an incremental step to position the City in advance of unknown future costs in such areas as pension and labor.

General Fund Balancing Strategy

REVENUES

Based on a continued gradual growth of the regional economy and Fiscal Year 2018 year-todate major tax revenue receipts, this budget assumes continued healthy growth in Property Tax and Transient Occupancy Tax in comparison to the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget. This Fiscal Year 2019 Budget assumes increases to major tax revenue receipts by approximately \$5.8 million, or 4.9 percent, from \$119.3 million to \$125.2 million when compared to the FY 2018 Adopted Budget. Growth in major tax revenues reflects over 85 percent of the change from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget for all General Fund revenues.

The City continues to seek new ways to generate revenues and monitors State and regional legislation for potential impacts as well. The passage of Santa Clara County Measure B will provide approximately \$38 million over the 30-year period to help address some of our transportation needs (this is separate funding from Measure B funds for grade separations). In addition, the recent passage of SB1, the Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Act, is estimated to provide an additional \$1.2 million annually. These funds have been programed as part of the FY 2019-2023 Capital Improvement Plan for high-priority projects such as grade separation. We must continue to explore new revenue opportunities related to proposed new hotels and/or car dealership opportunities.

EXPENSES

The City's General Fund expense budget of \$214.0 million reflects a 1.7 percent increase from FY 2018 Adopted Budget levels of \$210.4 million. As a service driven organization, the City's primary expense continues to be salaries and benefits, making up nearly 60 percent of the City's General Fund budget. The next largest expense category reflects transfers from the General Fund of \$30.9 million, reflecting the continued priority of investing in infrastructure of \$25.2 million annually. As discussed earlier, I stressed the need to examine the allocation and prioritization of existing resources before requesting additional funding; in no other fund was this principle more prevalent. This budget continues to work to manage escalating costs and takes a further step by reducing costs through the elimination of ongoing expenses. The total positions budgeted in the General Fund reflect a year-over-year decrease in budgeted levels of 17.89, representing the net reduction of 17.6 FTE and a funding shift of 0.29 FTE. Despite these costcontainment strategies, we have continued to invest in critical services and initiatives such as public safety, parking plans, and our employees. We will continue to assess our resources and delivery of services as discussed above to ensure the continued high level of services coupled with fiscal prudency.

All Funds

This budget not only focuses on the General Fund but also continues to ensure financial stability in all City funds. All other funds have been programed with a contribution to the irrevocable Section 115 Pension Trust for a total contribution of \$0.8 million in FY 2019, to match the funding levels provided by the General Fund for a total contribution of \$2.0 million. Major activities in non-General Funds include:

Waste Water Treatment Fund

As part of the 2019-2023 Capital Improvement Program (CIP) expenditures of \$94.9 million are programmed, with \$10.2 million allocated in Fiscal Year 2019. It is important to note that about 64% of expenditures in the Wastewater Treatment Fund are reimbursed by five contributing partner agencies outside of the City of Palo Alto, based on each agency's expected capacity share. Overall, a total of eight capital projects are programmed over the five-year CIP.

Airport Fund

The City assumed airport operations from Santa Clara County in August of 2014 for the Palo Alto airport, which ranks among the busiest general aviation airports in the country. As the City assumed operations and transitioned away from subleases to Fixed Base Operators (FBOs), rental income has increased, offset by expenses for maintenance and cleaning responsibilities that were previously performed by the FBOs. The airport has been undergoing major construction projects, leveraging grants from the Federal Aviation (FAA) which reimburse up to 90% of project costs. To ensure the stability of this fund, staff will continue researching alternative funding options to support the significant investment of grant funding from the FAA.

Various Parking Funds

Financial activities from daily parking reside primarily in three funds: University Avenue Parking District Fund, California Avenue Parking District Fund, and Residential Parking Permit Fund. Revenue in this fund is generated from parking permits and used for maintenance, repair, and beautification of parking facilities and public areas within these areas. In FY 2019, it is recom-

mended to increase current permits at the 2.6 annual escalator in order to cover rising general costs.

As directed by the City Council, staff will develop potential strategies for the organization and scaling of a comprehensive parking strategy during the next fiscal year. Staff will continue to actively work with the City Council, and engage the community to develop a comprehensive parking strategy including advancing incremental steps as they are developed.

Storm Drainage Fund

FY 2019 Storm Water Management fee is scheduled to increase by 2.9 percent based on an average increase of \$0.65 per month approved by City property owners through a ballot measure in April 2017. The Storm Water Management Fee will sunset June 1, 2032 unless extended through a subsequent ballot measure. This fee will provide for a number of projects and infrastructure components as outlined in the Storm Drain Blue Ribbon Committee's recommendations, which has identified 13 capital improvement projects for FY 2019 and beyond.

UTILITY RATE CHANGES

FY 2017 was the first year in recent years that rate increases have been necessary across the City's utilities, resulting in an 8.7 percent increase in the average residential utility bill. Electric rates had not increased since FY 2009. FY 2019 continues the rate increases forecast last year in order to ensure the City's ability to replenish lower reserves and provide sufficient funding to cover increasing expenses for commodity costs, and repair and replacement of the City's aging utility infrastructure. The median monthly residential utility bill is expected to increase by 4.7 percent, or \$13.40, from \$282.48 to \$295.88. The individual utility rate increases for FY 2019 can be found in the Enterprise Funds Summary section of this document. At the time of the printing of this report, the Finance Committee and Utility Advisory Commission are considering reductions to the proposed rate changes in both the water and electric commodities. Depending on final approved rate changes, budget assumptions may be changed as necessary to reflect these lower rate increases.

Attachment B:

Fiscal Year 2019 Salaries, Benefits and Position Details

The most significant asset the City has in serving our community is our employees. Local government services are primarily delivered by employees, whether they are police officers, utility linemen, librarians, or planners. Therefore, it should not be surprising that nearly 60 percent of the Fiscal Year 2019 General Fund Budget is attributable to salaries and benefits. The City will continue to conduct labor negotiations in FY 2019 with its various bargaining units, striving to ensure that Palo Alto remains a competitive employer in the region for top talent.

Position Changes

This budget includes the net reduction of 17.60 FTEs across all funds, representing a decrease of 1.7 percent from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget, from 1,058.95 to 1,041.35 full-time equivalent (FTE) positions. This represents the elimination of 11.0 positions in the Fire Department, reflecting changes to the fire services agreement with Stanford University, as well as other reductions, discussed in greater detail below. The table following summarizes the changes in positions from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget to the FY 2019 Proposed Budget.

Position Changes

FY 2018 Adopted to FY 2019 Proposed Budget

	General Fund	Enterprise Funds	Other Funds*	Total
Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget	602.92	357.86	98.17	1,058.95
Fiscal Year 2018 Approved Adjustments	(11.00)	-	-	(11.00)
Fiscal Year 2018 Modified Budget	591.92	357.86	98.17	1,047.95
Fiscal Year 2019 Increase	0.75	-	-	0.75
Fiscal Year 2019 Decrease	(7.35)	-	-	(7.35)
Fiscal Year 2019 Reallocation	(0.29)	-	.29	0.00
Fiscal Year 2019 Proposed Budget	585.03	357.86	98.46	1,041.35
Net Difference	(17.89)	-	0.29	(17.60)

^{*} Other Funds include Internal Service Funds, Special Revenue Funds, and the Capital Improvement

NOTE: This table does not include Hourly positions.

This budget reflects a year over year reduction of 17.60 positions, of which 11.00 positions have already been approved by the Council with the realignment of the fire service agreement with Stanford University. This budget recommends the following net position changes by funding source: a net 6.89 reduction in the General Fund, representing the elimination of 7.35 positions

partially offset by the conversion of two part-time positions into a 0.75 FTE, and a 0.29 increase in Other Funds. The 0.29 FTE increase reflects a net-zero reallocation between the General Fund and Other Funds.

The entirety of the 7.35 full-time FTEs recommended to be eliminated throughout the organization are in the General Fund. The 0.29 position reallocation reflects the realignment of certain services across the organization, while the 7.35 FTE eliminations represent efforts to reduce costs while minimizing the impacts to service delivery.

Position Changes recommended in this budget include:

- Conversion of two 0.48 (part-time) management specialists in the Office of Sustainability into a 0.75 Management Analyst to better align with desired roles and responsibilities.
- Elimination of 1.0 Coordinator Recreation Programs, associated with the aquatics program that is now managed by an outside contractor.
- Elimination of 1.0 Library Specialist associated with special programming; the Library Department does not anticipate core service reductions such as hours of operations from this elimination.
- Elimination of 1.0 Senior Legal Secretary in the Office of the City Attorney.
- Elimination of 1.0 Cement Finisher and 1.0 Equipment Operator in the Public Works Department.
- Elimination of 1.0 Building Serviceperson in the Public Works department and realign funding to work being performed by an outside contractor.
- Elimination of 0.75 Hearing Officer in the City Clerk's office to align with the work being performed by an outside contractor.
- Elimination of 0.60 Senior Management Analyst in the Office of Management and Bud-

Throughout the organization, classification changes are being recommended for existing fulltime positions in this year's budget. They include:

- Reclassification of 1.0 Information Technology Manager to 1.0 Senior Technologist in the Information Technology department, giving the department greater operational capacity.
- The addition of 1.0 Landscape Architect, offset by the elimination of 1.0 Planning Arborist, enabling the Public Works department to ensure compliance with new state regulations.
- Reclassification of a Business Analyst to a Senior Business Analyst in the Utilities department.

- Reclassification of 1.0 Program Assistant II to 1.0 Associate Planner in the Planning and Community Environment department to align with the business needs of the Parking program
- Reclassification of 1.0 Program Assistant to 1.0 Program Assistant II in the Office of Emergency Services to align with the needs of the department.

More information on each of these full-time position changes, and information on part-time position changes, can be found in the individual department and fund summaries later in this document. In total, 19.22 part-time FTE equivalents are recommended to be eliminated through this budget.

These proposed changes in positions may be subject to meet and confer, and reflect the recommended actions to the Finance Committee at this time. The Human Resources Department will evaluate all proposed actions and the implications based on the City's current memoranda of agreements with various employee units and address as appropriate.

Salary & Benefits

The City Council has implemented multiple efforts to minimize the growth of pension and other benefit expenses through labor negotiations. These are an important part of the City's overall cost-containment strategies, and past successful steps include:

- Continued employee payment of the CalPERS employee contribution for all bargaining groups.
- Employees contributing between 0.5 percent and 3.0 percent of the employer portion of CalPERS.
- · Employees sharing the cost of health plans, with almost all bargaining units receiving a flat-rate medical benefit.
- Implementing a less costly second-tier pension plan, parallel to the state's implementation of a third tier that went into effect January 1, 2013. As expected, new employees are hired into the lower tiers as existing employees retire, thereby lowering the City's overall pension liability.

PENSION

Even with these efforts, the City's pension costs continue to grow, as is the case across the state. As part of the 2016 Actuarial Report, CalPERS has continued their pension calculation methodology that calculates a payment for the Unfunded Accrued Liability (UAL) separate from the Normal Cost (NC). In December 2016, the CalPERS board voted to lower the discount rate for future years from 7.5 percent to 7.0 percent, phasing in the reduction over three years beginning in Fiscal Year 2019 with a discount rate assumption of 7.375 percent. This budget includes the most recent pension rates from these valuation reports, as of June 30, 2016. When compared to the prior fiscal year, Fiscal Year 2019 employer contribution rates, represent an average year-over-year increase of 9.9 percent.

- Miscellaneous plan rate increased 2.4 percentage points, a year-over-year 7.9 percent growth, from an employer contribution rate of 30.2 percent to 32.6 percent
- Safety plan rate increased 5.9 percentage points, a year-over-year 11.9 percent growth, from an employer contribution rate of 49.7 percent to 55.6 percent.

These increases reflect the more conservative assumption in the discount rate as well as changes to various actuarial assumptions, including the mortality tables. CalPERS projected pension rates are included in the table below.

Pension Rates By Plan (Fiscal Year) - CalPERS

FY	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Miscellaneous (%)	28.9	3.0.2	32.6	35.4	37.8	39.7	41.2	42.0	42.9	40.9	37.2	37.1
Safety (%)	45.4	49.7	55.7	60.8	65.0	68.6	71.6	73.2	74.8	76.1	76.6	76.8
Discount Rate (%)	7.5	7.5	7.375	7.25	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0

As the above chart evidences, the City's pension payment trend continues to escalate based on the CalPERs' assumptions of a 7.0 discount rate. This move represents CalPERs' effort to lower the volatility associated with pension payments. A more conservative investment strategy should enable the fund to make its investment target on a more frequent basis. As of the June 20, 2016 reports, the City's unfunded liability of \$404.7 million (\$261.7 million miscellaneous plan, \$143.0 million safety plan) reflects a funded rate of 64.2 percent and 63.6 percent for both the miscellaneous and safety benefit plans respectively.

As directed by the City Council during the FY 2018 budget adoption, staff has worked with the Finance Committee regarding pension funding options over the course of the current fiscal year. Over three dedicated agenda items have been brought forward for discussion with the Committee working towards education on the City's pension liabilities and proactive policies that will ensure the continued active management of these liabilities. Staff anticipates returning to the Finance Committee during 2018 to present potential paths forward regarding the City's pension obligations.

Alternative Pension Modeling: The tables and charts below continue the reporting and financial modeling that has been presented to the Finance Committee for alternative scenarios as compared to those reported above. Much discussion has centered on the actuarial assumptions used by CalPERs that determine the City's annual contributions. This chart shows the pension rates as a percentage of payroll, with the immediate assumption of a 6.2% discount rate, as calculated by the City's outside actuarial consultant, Bartel Associates.

Pension Rates By Plan (Fiscal Year) - 6.2% Discount Rate

FY	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
Miscellaneous (%)	42.3	43.2	44.1	44.7	44.9	44.3	44.0	41.5	37.1	36.6
Safety (%)	73.4	74.9	76.4	77.8	78.4	77.4	77.0	77.2	76.4	75.4
Discount Rate (%)	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2

As the above chart evidences, the City's pension payment escalates more aggressively should the discount rate be amended to 6.2 percent. Should the discount rate be amended to 6.2 percent, an increase in the pension contribution for the FY 2019 budget would be approximately \$12.5 million, a 31.6 percent increase over the current FY 2019 Proposed Budget pension costs of \$39.4 million. Of this increase, the General Fund contribution would increase approximately \$8.2 million. This increase in costs would require significant contemplation on the implications of achieving such a funding level. The Unfunded Liability of the City's plans would increase to \$509.8 million at this 6.2 percent discount rate (\$330.1 million miscellaneous plan, \$179.8 million safety plan).

To help proactively address the City's pension liabilities, this budget includes another \$2.0 million contribution, representing approximately 5.0 percent of the City's pension obligation for FY 2019, to the City's irrevocable Section 115 Trust Fund (PARS). This continues the City's efforts to prefund its pension obligation, and brings the total contributions to the PARS trust since its inception to approximately \$7.6 million across all funds. The General Fund represents approximately \$4.6 million of that total. A more in-depth discussion of the City's ongoing efforts with regards to pension are included in the 'Employee Information' section of this docu-

RETIREE HEALTHCARE

Consistent with past practice, this budget assumes the full payment of the Actuarial Determined Contribution (ADC) for retiree pension and healthcare costs. With the payment of the ADC, it is assumed that, all else being equal, the City will pay off its obligations and unfunded liabilities for pension and retiree healthcare costs. A separate City Manager Report more fully detailing the latest valuation report for the City's Other Post Employment Benefit (OPEB) costs will be transmitted to the Finance Committee for consideration in parallel with this budget.

Bi-annually, the City has valuation done on its retiree medical benefits by an outside consultant. The valuation was performed at the end of FY 2017 and it had a net positive outcome on the City's finances. The City's Fiscal Year 2018 ADC was \$16.94 million based on the 2015 valuation report, and presumed a 7.25 percent discount rate. Based on the 2017 valuation report, the City's Fiscal Year 2019 ADC will be lower, and was calculated to be \$16.00 million using a 6.75 percent discount rate. The primary drivers for this are premium caps, changes in mortality assumptions, and increased eligibility for Medicare premium plans, which are much lower in cost. The impact on the General Fund is even greater, representing the shifting populations among the funds in the City of Palo Alto and the retirees from each fund.

A more in-depth discussion of the City's ongoing efforts with regards to OPEB liabilities will be included in the separate City Manager Report. More information is also included in the 'Retiree Health Benefit Fund' portion of this document.

Retiree Healthcare Annual Required Contributions

(by Fiscal Year)

Fund	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
General Fund	10.9	10.3	10.2	10.5	10.8	11.2	11.5	11.9	12.2	12.6	13.0	13.4
Non-General Funds	5.2	6.7	5.8	6.0	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.7	6.9	7.2	7.4	7.6
TOTAL	16.1	16.9	16.0	16.5	17.0	17.5	18.1	18.6	19.2	19.8	20.4	21.0



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The government of the City of Palo Alto exists to promote and sustain a superior quality of life in Palo Alto. In partnership with our community, our goal is to deliver cost-effective services in a personal, responsive and innovative manner.



Quality

Superior delivery of services

Courtesy

Providing service with respect and concern

Efficiency

Productive, effective use of resources

Integrity

Straight-forward, honest and fair relations

Innovation

Excellence in creative thought and implementation





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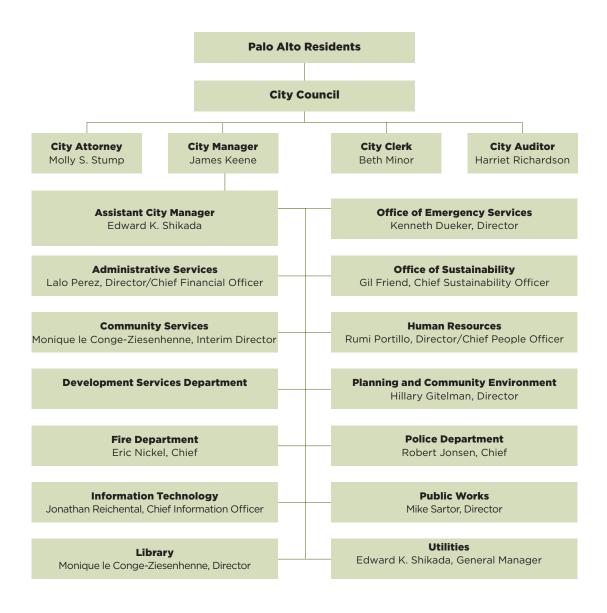
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City of Palo Alto Organizational Chart





Palo Alto at a Glance



INCORPORATION

April 23, 1894

GOVERNMENT

Palo Alto is a charter city operating under the Council-Manager form of government

COUNTY

Santa Clara County

www.sccsgov.org

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Palo Alto Unified School District

www.pausd.org

LOCATION

33 miles south of San Francisco; 17 miles north of San Jose; and 356 miles north of Los Angeles

CLIMATE

Mediterranean climate with cool, wet winters and warm, dry summers

AREA

25.85 square miles

ELEVATION

30 feet above sea level

PARKS, PRESERVES AND OPEN SPACE

4,385 acres

CREDIT RATING

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POPULATION

Palo Alto's population was 66,649 in 2017. This represents a 0.26 percent increase over the previous year and a 13.5 percent increase since 2000. Approximately 24.7 percent of the population is under the age of 18, and the median age is 41.8. Approximately 50.1 percent of the population is female, and 49.9 percent of the population is male.



EDUCATION

Palo Alto has one of the most outstanding educational systems in the nation. Palo Alto was recently named one of California's most educated cities. Over 98.3 percent of Palo Alto residents aged 25 or over have received a high school diploma. Over 81.3 percent have obtained a bachelor's degree and 53.3 per cent have earned a post-graduate or professional degree.



School enrollments in Palo Alto increased to 12,261, or 8.23 percent, between 2008 and 2017. In school-year 2015-16, Palo Alto and Gunn high schools had a combined average SAT score of 1,883. The average scores for the United, California, and Santa Clara County were 1,484, 1,476, and 1,606, respectively.

INCOME

Palo Alto's median household income on average for 2016 was \$132,673 and the per capita income in 2016 was \$83,033. As of 2016, 59.2 percent of all households in Palo Alto had an annual income of greater than \$100,000.

PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD

The average number of persons per household in Palo Alto owner-occupied and renter occupied homes was 2.36 in 2016, compared to 2.26 per household in 2000.



HOUSING UNITS

In 2016, 54.9 percent of the 29,336 housing units were owner-occupied and 45.1 percent were renter-occupied. In 2000, there were 26,048 housing units - 55.4 percent owner occupied, 41.4 percent renter-occupied, and 3.2 percent were vacant. There were 12.6 percent more total housing units from 2000 to 2016.

DEVELOPMENT

The City issued approximately 2,259 residential and 711 commercial building permits in Fiscal Year 2017. The combined valuation for all permits was \$366.8 million.

OFFICE AND INDUSTRIAL RENTAL ACTIVITY

Palo Alto's net rentable office space totaled approximately 7.45 million square feet as of the fourth quarter of 2017. The vacancy rate during this same time period was 3.9 percent compared to 10.3 percent for the Silicon Valley market. Average asking rents in Palo Alto and the Silicon Valley were, respectively, \$8.39 and \$4.79 per square foot, as of the fourth quarter of 2017.

Net rentable square footage for industrial facilities in Palo Alto was 1.6 million, with a vacancy rate of 3.5 percent and average asking rent of \$2.76 per square foot for manufacturing and \$1.91 per square foot for warehouse. The Silicon Valley market had an average vacancy rate of 2.2 percent and asking rent averaged \$1.19 per square foot for manufacturing and \$0.93 for warehouse.

Net rentable space for Research and Development (R&D) facilities in Palo Alto totaled 10.1 million square feet with a vacancy factor of 1.7 percent and average asking rent of \$5.51 per square foot. The vacancy rate for the Silicon Valley market was 8.2 percent with an aver-



Top 25 Major Sales/Use Tax Contributors, FY 2017

Anderson Honda	Lucile Packard Children's Hospital	Tesla Motors
Apple Stores	Macy's Department Store	The Pace Gallery
Audi Palo Alto	Magnussen's Toyota	Tiffany & Company
Bloomingdales	Neiman Marcus Department Store	Urban Outfitters
Bon Appetit Management Co.	Nordstrom Department Stores	USB Leasing
Fry's Electronics	Shell Service Stations	Varian Medical Systems
Hewlett-Packard	Space Systems Loral	Volvo Cars Palo Alto
Houzz Shop	Stanford University Hospital	
Integrated Archive Systems	Tesla Lease Trust	

RETAIL SALES AND SALES TAX REVENUE

Sales and use tax totaled \$29.9 million in FY 2017, a decrease of \$0.1 million or 0.3 percent. On a year over year basis (FY 2017 versus FY 2016), the economic segments showing particular strength within the City were auto leasing and sales, drug stores, recreation products, furniture/appliance, office equip-

ment, and health services. Those showing decreases were department stores and construction.

Retail sales, which represent 29.7 percent of sales tax receipts have been steadily eroding due to online sales. Restaurants and food

products sales totaled \$4.7 million, a decrease of 1 percent over FY 2016; in the prior six years this economic segment averaged 8.5 percent growth.

Principal Property Taxpayers, FY 2017

Rank	Taxpayer	Taxable Assessed Value
1	Leland Stanford Jr. University	\$4,517,330
2	Loral Space and Communications	\$254,505
3	Google Inc.	\$191,425
4	EOSII Palo Alto Technology Center LLC	\$123,548
5	Whisman Ventures, LLC	\$113,709
6	Hudson Embarcadero Place LLC	\$110,126
7	Hobach Realty Co. LP	\$76,703
8	SI 43 LLC	\$72,300
9	BVK Hamilton Ave LLC	\$70,347
10	Ronald & Ann Williams Charitable Foundation	\$63,641
	Total	\$5,593,634

PALO ALTO BUSINESSES

As the birthplace of the Silicon Valley, Palo Alto is the home to Stanford University and thousands of innovative companies including Hewlett-Packard, IDEO, Tesla, Flipboard, Palantir Technologies, Xerox Palo Alto Research Center, Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, Manatt Phelps Phillips, Accel Ventures, Survey Monkey, Genencor, Tencent America, Skype, Nest, the Institute for the Future and many other leading technology and business services firms.

Palo Alto was named the 2017 most livable U.S. city and again named among the top 7th most livable U.S. cities in 2017 due to its economy, climate and natural beauty, parks and recreational activities, excellent public school system, university presence, proximity to three major airports (Oakland, San Jose and San Francisco) and rail service, world-class medical facilities, excellent retail centers and

restaurants and its highly acclaimed city services.

Businesses are drawn to Palo Alto not only because of its great location, workforce, and entrepreneurial culture, but also because of incentives including: great local utilities (including dark fiber), no payroll tax and no business license tax. Also, the City's Development Center is a "one-stop" service center staffed by the Planning, Building, Public Works, Utilities and Fire departments.

EMPLOYMENT

The City had 32,008 employed residents in 2018. Due to its location on the Peninsula and the presence of Stanford University, the City is a job importer versus exporter, and the number of jobs in the City is 95,882. Palo Alto's unemployment rate was 2.8 percent in 2017, which was considerably lower than the nation (4.1 percent), state (5.7 percent), and county (4.0 percent), during the same period.

LARGEST EMPLOYERS

Palo Alto's top ten employers reflect jobs ranging from education and healthcare to technology and schools, as of June 30, 2017.



Principal Employers, FY 2017

Rank	Employer	Number of Employees
1	Stanford Healthcare	5,500
2	Lucille Packard Children's Hospital	4,850
3	Stanford University	4,300
4	Veteran's Affairs Palo Alto Healthcare System	3,900
5	VMware, Inc	3,500
6	SAP	3,500
7	Space Systems/Loral	2,800
8	Hewlett-Packard Company	2,500
9	Palo Alto Medical Foundation	2,200
10	Varian Medical Systems	1,400
	Total	34,450

Parks, Recreation & Public Safety Community Centers

Item (FY 2017)	Number
Parks	36
Parks Acreage	162 acres
Playgrounds	29
Community Centers	4
Zoo	1
Golf Courses	1
Gymnasiums/Fitness Rooms	6
Youth Centers	1
Walking/Biking Trails	41.19 miles



Libraries

Item (FY 2017)	Number
Library Branches	5
Items Checked Out (Circulation)	1,524,614
Books (Inventory)	249,735
eBooks & eMusic (Inventory)	92,117
Audio/Visual - DVD/CDs (Inventory)	49,350
Reference Questions	34,294

Item (FY 2017)	Number
Police	
Police Stations	1
Sworn Police Personnel (FY 2015)	92
Police Vehicles	25
Motorcycles	4
Canine Units	1
Number of Calls for Service	53,901
Item (FY 2017)	Number
Item (FY 2017) Fire	Number
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Fire	
Fire Stations	7
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Infrastructure, Maintenance & Development Activity

Item (FY 2016)	Number
Street Miles	471 miles
Lane Miles Resurfaced Annually	39 miles
Building Permits Issued Annually	2,970 permits
Number of Fire Inspections	6,228
Active Capital Improvement Projects	240 projects
Capital Improvement Projects Exp.	\$73.92 million
Miles of Water Municipal Mains	236 miles
Gallons of Water Delivered (Daily)	9.6 million
Miles of Municipal Wastewater Mains	217 miles
Gallons of Wastewater Treated	2.8 billion
Miles of Gas Mains	209 miles
Overhead Electrical Line Miles	117 miles
Underground Electrical Line Miles	187 miles
Fiber Optic Backbone Miles	42 miles



Sustainability

Item (FY 2017)	Number
Total Tons of Material Recycled or Composted	60,582 tons

- * Calendar year 2017. "Eligible Renewable Sources" are wind, solar, small hydroelectric, and biogas generators whose output is directly purchased by the City under a power purchase agreement.
- * Calendar year 2017. "Carbon Neutral Sources" include eligible renewable (51%) and large hydroelectric power (73%). Due to the bountiful hydro conditions in 2017, the City was able to sell surplus carbon neutral electricity supplies to other utilities.



Sustainability

Item (FY 2017)	Number
Total Megawatt-hours Purchased from Eligible Renewable Sources*	481,974 hours
Percent of Electric Portfolio Purchased from Eligible Renewable Sources	51%
Percent of Electric Portfolio Purchased from Carbon Neutral Sources**	100%

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INCOME:

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DEVELOPMENT:

City of Palo Alto Planning and Development Depart-

OFFICE AND INDUSTRIAL RENTAL ACTIVITY:

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RETAIL SALES AND SALES TAX REVENUE:

City of Palo Alto Sales Tax Digest Summary 2016 (Office of the City Auditor)

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LARGEST EMPLOYERS:

City of Palo Alto 2015-2016 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR)

The Budget Process and Document

Basis for Budget Development

The budget is the City's financial plan for delivering effective services and efficiently managing the revenues which support those services. The City's charter and municipal code provide broad governance for preparation of the operating and capital budgets. The budget is also developed based on the following:

- The City Council's top priorities and other City Council directives
- Budget development status and guidelines
- Service level prioritization as identified by the City Manager
- Availability and sustainability of revenues
- Legal mandates
- Prioritization criteria outlined in the capital budget
- The City's policies regarding land use and community design, transportation, housing, natural environment, business and economics as outlined in the Comprehensive Plan

The review of the operating and capital budgets is structured around public hearings conducted by the Finance Committee and prior to City Council adoption of the budget in order to incorporate community input into the decision making process.

City Council Top Priorities

On an ongoing basis, the City is committed to providing high quality, cost effective services that reflect the City's core values and strategic goals. In addition, each year the City Council establishes top priorities, which are topics or service areas that will receive particular, unusual, and significant attention during the year. The top priorities guide both budget development and department priority-setting. The following are the City Council's top priorities for 2018:

- Transportation
- Housing
- Finance
- **Grade Separation**

Operating and Capital Budgets - Calendar of Activities

September - November: Operating budget preparation begins with determination of the base budget for the upcoming year. The base budget establishes the current year adopted budget service levels with updated costs, removes one-time revenue and expenses, and adds ongoing expenditures as approved by the City Council. The capital budget preparation process begins with department staff and appointed committees meeting to review and discuss potential modifications to the five-year capital plan.

November - December: Budget guidelines and timeframes are developed and distributed for the operating and capital budgets as well as the annual municipal fee schedule.

January: Departments submit requests to reallocate staffing and non-salary resources for the upcoming year to meet changing operational needs. The reallocation process results in no net change to the level of resources allocated to the department overall. The General Fund CIP Committee, consisting of senior managers in the Public Works, Community Services, Administrative Services, and Planning and Community Environment Departments, reviews requests for General Fund capital projects.

February: Departmental requests for changes and/or augmentations to the base budget are submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for analysis. Departments provide targeted outcomes and performance measures associated with requests for resource or service level augmentations. Departments also submit updates to the budget document regarding goals and objectives, significant accomplishments, and key performance and workload measures. OMB staff reviews operating and capital budget requests.

March: Internal budget hearings are held with the City Manager to discuss department budget requests and OMB's budget recommendations.

April: OMB staff complete preparation of the proposed operating and capital budget documents based on the City Manager's direction.

May: The City Manager releases and presents the proposed operating and capital budgets to the City Council and posts the budget document on the City's Open Budget website. The Finance Committee conducts a series of public hearings and recommends the budget with or without amendments to the City Council.

June: Final adoption by the City Council occurs after a public hearing in June. All changes made during the public process are incorporated into the adopted budget documents which are distributed to City libraries as well as posted on the City's website and Open Budget website by early August.

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BUDGET HEARINGS With City Council and Finance Committee FY 2019 Proposed Budget (Tentative)

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Date	Description	Time/Location	Departments Attending
Monday, April 30	City Council	6:00 PM Council Chambers	City Manager Comments reviewing the proposed capital and operating budgets and notice the start of Finance Committee for discussions in May
Tuesday, May 15	Finance Committee Special Meeting	9:00 AM Community Meeting Room	Budget Kickoff; Departments/Funds: - Non-Departmental - Council Appointed Officials & Council; Office of Sustainability - Retiree Health Benefit Fund - Human Resources (including Employee Benefits Funds, Worker's Compensation Fund, and General Liabilities) - Administrative Services, Print & Mail Funds - Information Technology (Capital & Operating) - Development Services - Community Services
Wednesday, May 16	Finance Committee Special Meeting	9:00 AM Community Meeting Room	Budget Continuation; Departments/Funds: - Municipal Fee Schedule - Fire - Police - Office of Emergency Services - Planning & Community Environment - Special Revenue Funds (including Parking District & Stanford Development Agreement Fund) - Library - General Fund Capital - Public Works: General Fund, Refuse, Storm Drain, Wastewater Treatment, Airport, Vehicle Replacement, related Capital
Wednesday, May 23	Finance Committee Special Meeting	9:00 AM Community Meeting Room	- Wrap-up with Finance Committee
Monday, June 18	City Council	6:00 PM Council Chambers	Public Hearing - Budget Approval & Adoption

Understanding the Budget Document

The operating budget document includes citywide information as well as information specific to each fund and each department. The City receives revenue from numerous different sources, many of which have restrictions on how funds can be used. Separate funds are established to account for the different types of revenues and allowable uses of those revenues. The annual budget information is available after the publication of the annual Adopted Budget, which occurs in August.

General Fund: This is the primary fund used to account for all general revenues of the City (e.g. property, sales, transient occupancy, and utility user taxes). In general, these funds are allocated at the discretion of the City Council. This revenue is used to support citywide services such as public safety, community services, planning and community environment, and administrative support services.

Enterprise Funds: These funds are established to function as self-supporting operations wherein expenditures are entirely offset by fees or charges for services. For example, the City of Palo Alto provides a variety of utility services (electric, gas, water, etc.) for the community. Revenues from fees or charges are accounted for in separate enterprise funds and can only be used to pay for expenses related to those services.

Internal Service Funds: These funds are established to account for a variety of business services provided by one City department (or division) to other City departments. Information technology, fleet maintenance, printing and mailing, general employee benefits, general liability, and workers' compensation services are provided to all City departments through internal service funds. Departments are charged for these services based on their respective utilization.

Capital Fund: Revenues and expenses for capital projects are also accounted for in a separate fund. Capital projects are those that have a minimum cost of \$50,000 for each standalone or combined project. Additionally, the project must have a useful life of at least five to seven years and/or extend the life of an existing asset or provide a new use for an existing asset for at least five years. The City produces a standalone budget document for capital projects with detailed information about each project.

Special Revenue Funds: These funds are used to account for the proceeds of revenues that are designated for specific or restricted uses. These funds include gas tax funds from the state, inlieu housing fees assessed for the City's Below Market Rate housing projects, and transportation mitigation fees paid by developers. Other special revenue funds include assessments for parking lot bond payments, parking permit revenues, Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) funds from the federal government, and development impact fees related to libraries, parks, and community centers.

Debt Service Fund: Debt financing is occasionally undertaken for the purchase, replacement, or rehabilitation of capital assets. A separate fund is established to account for these non-operating expenses.

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Open Budget

In order to facilitate understanding and transparency of the budget document, the City provides budget information through OpenGov, an online tool that provides users with different views of the City's budget data by fund, department, revenues, and expenditures. The tool can be accessed by visiting www.paloalto.opengov.com. The City invites you to use the online tool to:

- Search budget and financial data
- View trends in revenues and expenditures over time
- Drill down into expenses by department or account type
- Display the data as graphs or charts
- Download into Excel
- Share with friends using email or social media
- Send comments directly to the City online

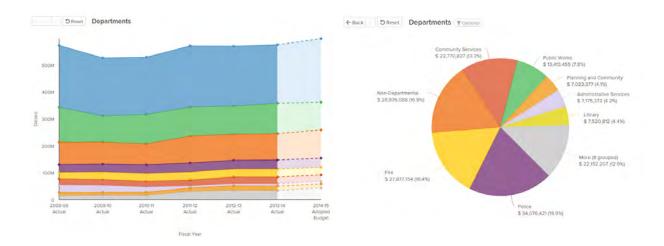
HOW DOES IT WORK?

Governmental budgets are composed of funds, departments, and accounts. Using a pull-down filter you can choose the combination you want to explore.

By clicking on one these icons, you can choose whether you want to display graphs showing changes over the years, a pie chart for a single year, or download portions into Excel.



You can also cut and paste any illustration into another document, send it to friends using email or Twitter, or post it on Facebook.



Department and Enterprise Fund Information

The budget document includes the following information for each department and enterprise fund:

Mission Statement, Purpose, and Description: introduces the department.

Organizational Chart: depicts full-time equivalent (FTE) positions, which report to a department director. The total FTE count in the organizational chart may not match the total FTE count in a department section if positions are budgeted in a fund not included in the particular department section. For example, the Administrative Services Assistant Director oversees the SAP functional team so it is included on the organizational chart, but the positions are budgeted in the Technology Fund so they do not appear in the ASD departmental budget summary.

Accomplishments: identifies the department's noteworthy accomplishments over the past fiscal year.

Initiatives: highlights the major work plan items for the department for the upcoming fiscal year.

Goals and Objectives: identifies major goals as well as activities that support achievement of those goals.

Key Performance Measures: lists key department performance measures related to some goals and objectives. Performance Measures are grouped by intended outcome such as Quality, Cost, Cycle Time, Customer Satisfaction, and Sustainability identified with icons as follows:



Quality



Cost



Cycle Time



Customer Satisfaction



Sustainability

Workload Measures: identifies key quantifiable department outputs.

Budget Summary: summarizes key expenditure, revenue, and position data for the department and/or fund for several fiscal years (FY 2016 Actuals, FY 2017 Actuals, FY 2018 Adopted and FY 2019 Proposed Budget). Revenues are shown as either internal or external depending on their source. External revenues include grant funds as well as fees collected when providing certain services such as inspections, plan checks, and recreational programs. Internal revenues are

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those that are received from another City department. For example, the Utilities Department reimburses the Attorney's Office for legal services.

Staffing: lists all full-time equivalent (FTE) positions and their respective salary in a department based on their actual level of compensation.

Budget Reconciliation: outlines the major base budget and adopted budget expenditure and revenue changes from the previously adopted budget to the newly presented proposed or adopted budget. Base budget reconciliation changes include updated salary and benefits cost in accordance with the salary and benefits structure approved by the City Council, deletion of one-time expenditures, and/or the addition of ongoing expenditures as approved by the City Council. The budget change table itemizes expenditure and revenue recommendations and the net impact on the fund.

Budget Changes: describes service level changes compared to the prior fiscal year as well as the anticipated performance impact as it relates to Quality, Cost, Cycle Time, Customer Satisfaction, and Sustainability.

BUDGETARY BASIS

The budget is prepared in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles. The budget for governmental funds has been prepared on a modified accrual basis. The modified accrual basis recognizes expenditures when the related fund liability is incurred. Revenues are recognized when they become both measurable and available, "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period.

FUND STRUCTURE AND ACCOUNTING BASIS

The accounts of the City are made up of funds that help organize and account for restricted resources. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts (comprised of assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures), which are segregated for the purpose of carrying out specific activities or attaining certain objectives in accordance with regulatory requirements. The City has the following fund type categories:

Governmental Fund Types

The Governmental funds include the General, Special Revenue, Debt Service, and Capital Project Funds. Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting.

Proprietary Fund Types

The Proprietary funds, which include the Enterprise and Internal Service Funds, are used to account for the City's business-type activities. Proprietary funds are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned, and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of when the related cash flows take place.

Fiduciary Fund Types

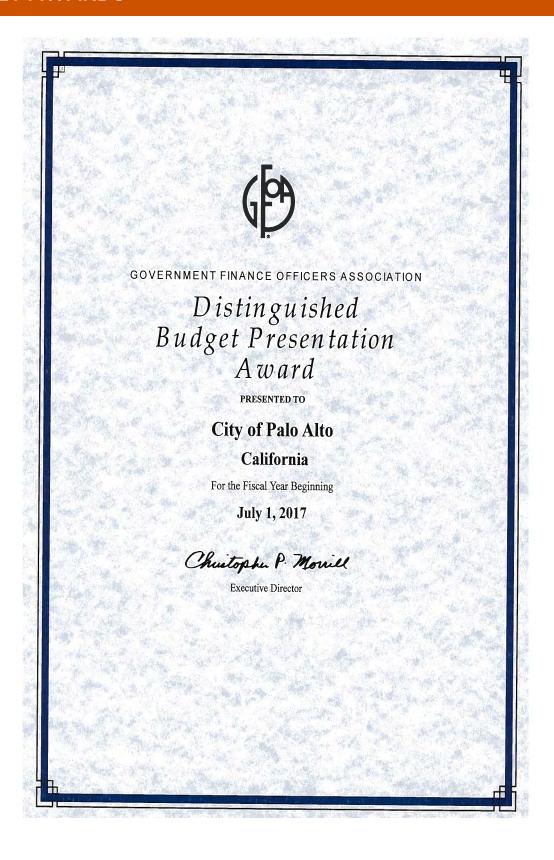
The Fiduciary funds track assets held by the City in trust or as an agent for various assessment and community facilities districts. These funds are not included in the budget process.

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Agency Fund Types

The Agency funds are custodial in nature and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The City maintains three agency funds, which are not included in the budget process.







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Office of Management & Budget City of Palo Alto, California

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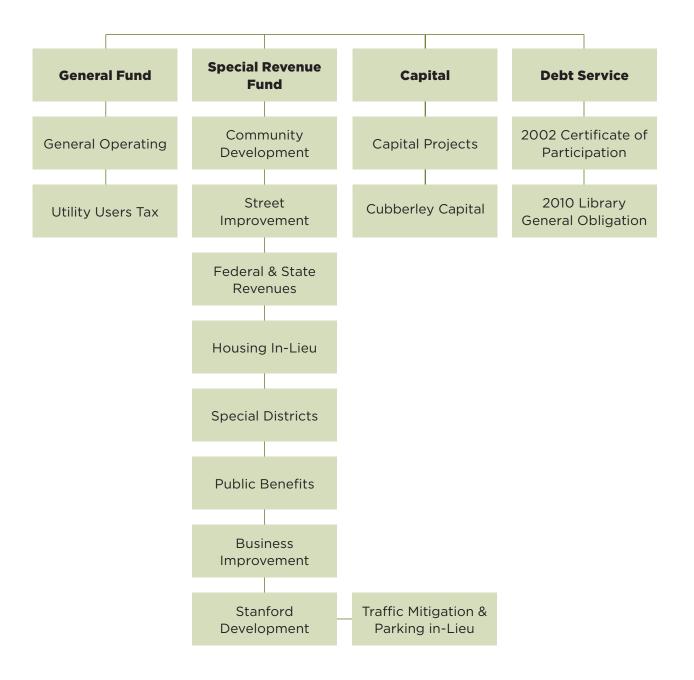
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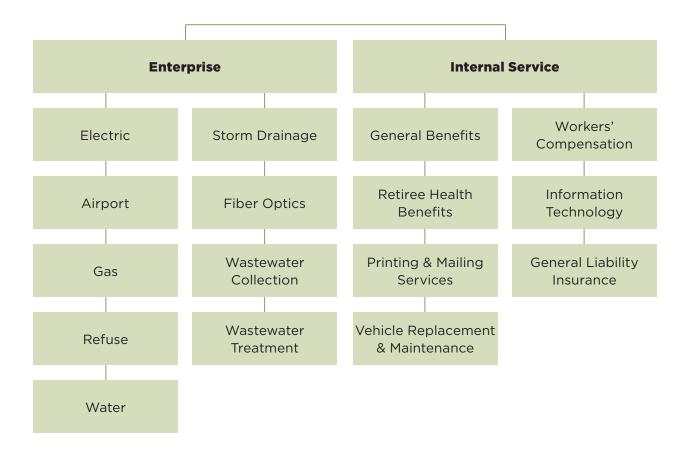




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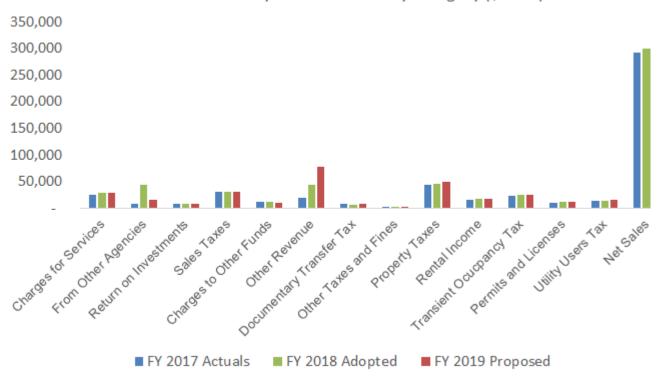


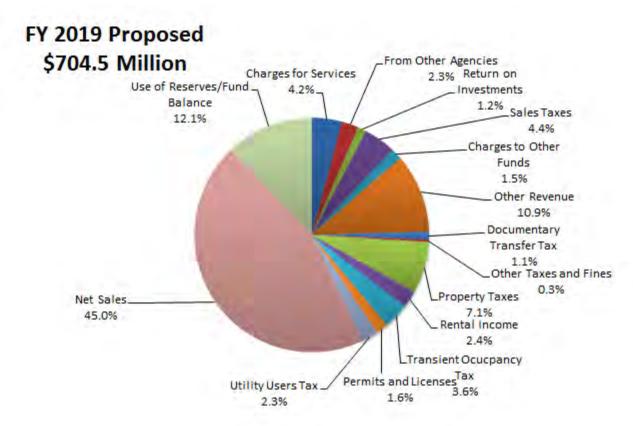
Total Citywide Revenue by Category

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Charges for Services	25,990	24,210	28,985	29,421	436	1.50%
Charges to Other Funds	12,851	11,414	11,857	10,863	(994)	(8.38%)
Documentary Transfer Tax	6,266	7,491	6,930	7,434	504	7.27%
From Other Agencies	3,621	7,373	43,228	16,314	(26,914)	(62.56%)
Net Sales	257,786	291,672	300,463	317,349	16,886	5.62%
Other Revenue	26,020	19,580	42,916	76,979	34,063	79.37%
Other Taxes and Fines	2,785	2,360	2,247	2,372	125	5.56%
Permits and Licenses	9,859	9,322	11,314	11,423	109	0.96%
Property Taxes	41,290	44,051	46,500	49,899	3,399	7.31%
Rental Income	16,323	16,466	17,264	16,571	(693)	(4.01%)
Return on Investments	12,102	8,458	8,064	8,303	239	2.96%
Sales Taxes	30,018	29,923	31,458	31,246	(212)	(0.67%)
Transient Occupancy Tax	22,366	23,477	25,143	25,049	(94)	(0.37%)
Utility Users Tax	12,469	14,240	13,867	16,092	2,225	5.62%
Total	479,746	510,037	590,236	619,315	29,079	4.93%

CITYWIDE FUNDS OVERVIEW

Citywide Revenue by Category 3 Year Trend - Citywide Revenues By Category (\$000s)



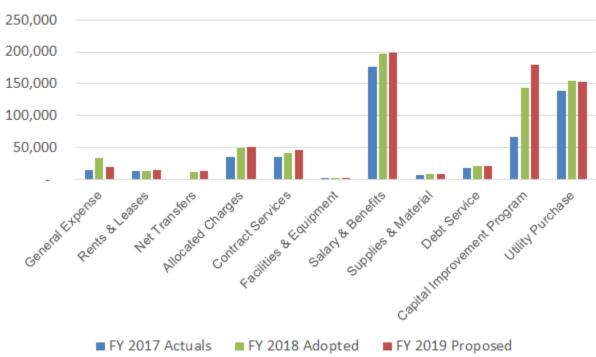


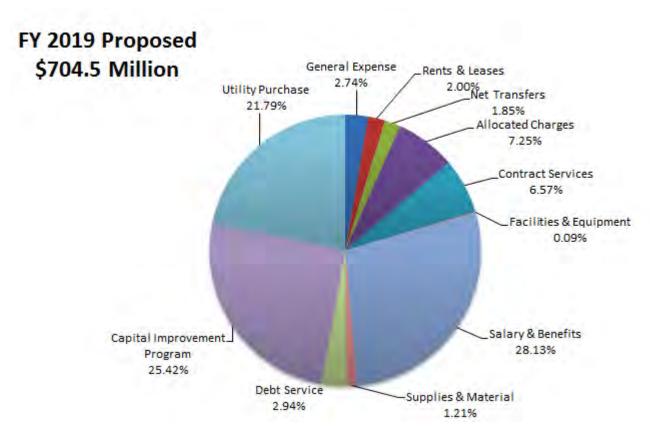
Total Citywide Expense by Category

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Allocated Charges	36,946	35,729	49,025	51,072	2,047	4.2%
Contract Services	33,911	35,541	41,546	46,281	4,735	11.4%
Debt Service	23,980	17,383	20,609	20,692	83	0.4%
Facilities & Equipment	554	769	604	655	51	8.4%
General Expense	16,912	14,822	33,335	19,290	(14,045)	(42.1%)
Rents & Leases	12,285	12,402	13,669	14,118	449	3.3%
Salary & Benefits	164,162	176,389	196,933	198,145	1,212	0.6%
Supplies & Material	8,041	7,260	8,372	8,521	149	1.8%
Utility Purchase	124,214	138,003	154,550	153,533	(1,017)	(0.7%)
Capital Improvement Program	51,849	66,760	142,895	179,109	36,214	25.3%
Net Transfers	(3,754)	(5,272)	10,743	13,051	2,308	21.5%
Total	469,100	499,786	672,281	704,467	32,186	4.8%

Citywide Expense by Category







Citywide Projected Operating Fund Balance

	ENDING FUND BALANCE 6/30/18	ESTIMATED REVENUES	NET FUND TRANSFERS	ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	ENDING FUND BALANCE 6/30/19
GENERAL FUND					
General Fund	\$41,287	\$ 213,688	\$ (11,126)	\$ 213,996	\$41,010
Total General Fund	\$41,287	\$ 213,688	\$ (11,126)	\$ 213,996	\$41,010
CAPITAL FUNDS					
Capital Improvement Fund	\$ 22,629	\$ 54,409	\$ 51559	\$ 125,684	\$ 2,913
Cubberley Property Infrastructure Fund	\$ 4,196	\$ 0	\$ 1864	\$ 2,364	\$ 3,696
Total Capital Funds	\$ 26,825	\$ 54,409	\$ 53423	\$ 128,048	\$ 6,609
DEBT SERVICE FUNDS					
Parking 2002 COPS (Taxable) Debt	\$ 251	\$0	\$ 162	\$ 162	\$ 251
Library Bonds	\$ 6,640	\$ 4,427	\$0	\$ 4,427	6,640
Total Debt Service Funds	\$ 6,891	\$ 4,427	\$ 162	\$ 4,589	\$ 6,891
ENTERPRISE FUNDS					
Electric Fund	\$ 60,659	\$ 156,847	\$ (8,935)	\$ 158,640	\$ 49,931
Fiber Optics Fund	\$ 25,885	\$ 5,556	\$ (115)	\$ 4,065	\$ 27,261
Gas Fund	\$ 12,153	\$ 37,798	\$ (7,130)	\$ 36,290	\$ 6,531
Wastewater Collection Fund	\$ 3,585	\$ 21,183	\$ (283)	\$ 23,622	\$ 863
Water Fund	\$ 14,660	\$ 45,030	\$ 122	\$ 57,656	\$ 2,156
Refuse Fund	\$ 8,308	\$ 32,869	\$ 106	\$ 29,702	\$ 11,581
Storm Drain Fund	\$ (1,402)	\$ 7,379	\$ (53)	\$ 9,339	\$ (3,415)
Wastewater Treatment Fund	\$ 17,072	\$ 34,412	\$ (332)	\$ 35,763	\$ 15,389
Airport Fund	\$ 2,096	\$ 11,879	\$ (15)	\$ 12,373	\$ 1,587
Total Enterprise Funds	\$ 143,016	\$ 352,953	\$ (16,635)	\$ 367,450	\$ 111,884
INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS					
General Benefits Fund	\$ 1,596	\$ 16	\$ 61,173	\$ 61,905	\$ 880
Retiree Health Benefit Fund	\$ 3,262	\$ 59	\$ 15,997	\$ 16,059	\$ 3,259
Workers' Compensation Fund	\$ 2,815	\$ 16	\$ 3,764	\$ 6,102	\$ 493
Liability Insurance Fund	\$ 1,400	\$ 64	\$ 1,982	\$ 2,985	\$ 461
Printing and Mailing Fund	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,558	\$ 1,480	\$ 78
Technology Fund	\$ 18,343	\$ 473	\$ 16,792	\$ 21,032	\$ 14,576

Citywide Projected Operating Fund Balance

	ENDING FUND BALANCE 6/30/18	ESTIMATED REVENUES	NET FUND TRANSFERS	ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	ENDING FUND BALANCE 6/30/19
Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund	\$ 6,441	\$ 333	\$ 8,273	\$ 13,974	\$ 1,073
Total Internal Service Funds	\$ 33,857	\$ 961	\$ 109,539	\$ 123,537	\$ 20,820
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS					
Community Development Fund	\$ 150,29	\$ 892	\$ (3,891)	\$0	\$ 12,030
Street Improvement Fund	\$ 604	\$ 2,904	\$ (2,904)	\$ 0	\$ 604
Federal and State Revenue Funds	\$ 5,371	\$ 530	\$0	\$ 578	\$ 5,323
Housing In-Lieu and BMR Fund	\$ 44,738	\$ 2,782	\$ (1)	\$ 375	\$ 47,143
Special Districts Fund	\$ 4,609	\$ 4,755	\$ (2,508)	\$ 4,660	\$ 2,196
Traffic Mitigation & Parking In-Lieu Fund	\$ 10,714	\$ 474	\$ (6,947)	\$ 2,200	\$ 2,041
Downtown Business Improvement District	\$ 32	\$ 142	\$0	\$ 148	\$ 26
Stanford Development Agreement (SUMC)	\$ 19,712	\$ 296	\$ (10,283)	\$0	\$ 9,725
Public Art Funds	\$ 285	\$ 37	\$ 168	\$ 188	\$ 302
Total Special Revenue Funds	\$ 101,094	\$ 12,812	\$ (26,366)	\$ 8,150	\$ 79,390
TOTAL OPERATING FUND BALANCE	\$352,970	\$ 639,250	\$ 108,997	\$ 845,770	\$266,604

Citywide Average Salary

Category	Mgmt/ Prof	Utilities Mgmt/ Prof	Fire Chief Asscn.	Fire Fighters	Police Mgmt Asscn.	PAPOA	SEIU	Weighted Average
Full-Time Equivalent (FTE)	229.75	49.00	4.00	88.00	7.00	83.00	580.6	1,041.35
% of City	22.1%	4.7%	0.4%	8.5%	0.7%	8.0%	55.8%	100.0%
Salary (1)	142,409	156,503	182,387	130,809	205,579	136,894	89,645	112,926
In-Lieu Holiday	N/A	N/A	N/A	5,574	N/A	4,022	283	1,1315
Incentive Pay (2)	N/A	N/A	N/A	896	N/A	1,184	356	511
Overtime (Average)	N/A	N/A	N/A	21,725	N/A	15,411	4,587	7,788
Management Leave (80 Hours)	5,477	6,019	7,015	N/A	7,907	N/A	N/A	5,649
Pension Employer Portion Misc 32.56%;Safety 56.63% (3)	46,368	50,957	101,462	72,769	114,364	76,154	29,188	42,279
Medicare	2,065	2,269	2,645	1,897	2,981	1,909	1,314	1,637
Medical	18,044	19,382	25,557	20,802	23,312	20,919	18,265	1,916
Dental/Vision	1,950	1,827	2,507	2,195	2,281	2,135	1,828	1,916
Retiree Medical (4)	6,842	6,939	11,750	9,307	12,714	11,193	5,654	6,800
Workers' Comp	4,470	1,424	N/A	8,564	N/A	7,293	4,831	5,052
LIFE/LTD/SUI	658	658	658	658	658	658	658	658
Non-salary Benefits (5)	3,132	3,111	2,673	173	3,173	173	173	994
Average Salary & Benefits	231,415	249,089	336,654	275,369	372,969	277,945	156,783	205,787
Isolate Holiday Pay from Salary Category								
Salary, includes holidays	142,409	156,503	182,387	130,809	205,579	136,894	89,645	112,926
Holidays (assumes 11, 9 hour days)	6,778	7,449	8,681	6,226	9,785	6,516	4,267	5,375
Salary, excludes holidays	135,631	149,054	173,706	124,583	195,794	130,378	85,378	107,551

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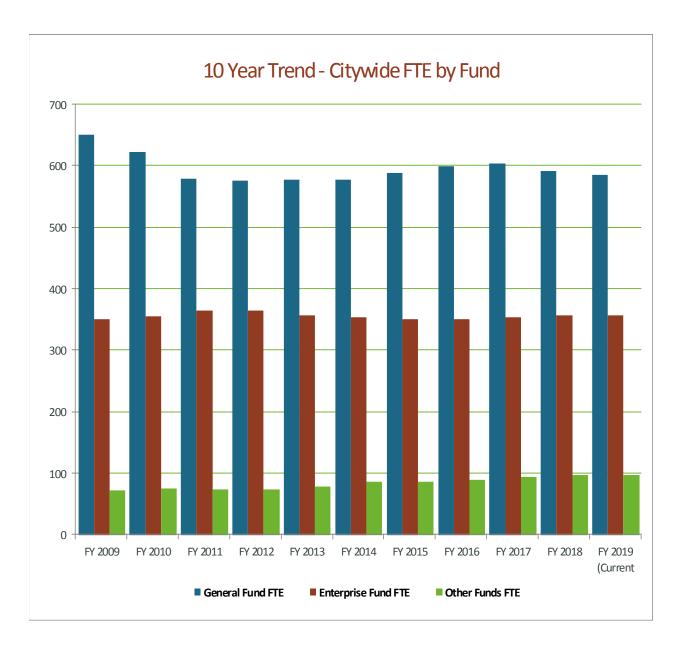
⁽¹⁾ Salary is calculated at actual pay rate (base pay and special pays, as applicable) as of February 2016 adjusted for step increases in accordance with applicable Memoranda of Understandings with the City's bargaining groups or pay for performance increases for Management and Professional employees.

⁽²⁾ Incentive pay includes: Fair Labor and Standards Act Charges and Night Shift Differential pay.

⁽³⁾ Safety employees will pick-up up to 3.0% of the employer share of 55.63%, while SEIU employees will pick-up 1.0% and MGMT employees will pick up 0.5%, transitioning to 1.0%.

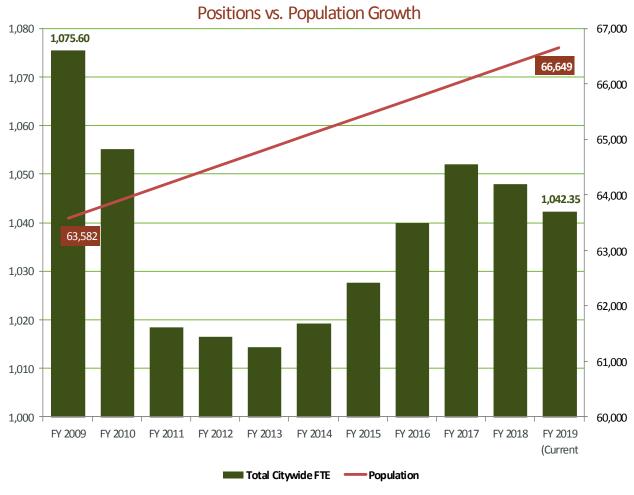
⁽⁴⁾ Annual amount incurred for active employees (normal cost only).

10 Year Trend - Citywide FTE by Fund



10 Year Trend - Citywide FTE vs Population

10 Year Trend - Total Citywide FTE









Overview

FISCAL YEAR 2019 GENERAL FUND LONG TERM FINANCIAL FORECAST

As part of the annual budget process, a ten year long range financial forecast is produced by staff looking at current City's financials in the General Fund in both the near and long term horizon. The Long Range Financial Forecast (LRFF) marks the beginning of the FY 2019 annual budget process and discusses projected General Fund financials over the next ten years based on current City Council approved service levels as well as alternative financial models.

At the December Finance Committee meeting and subsequently accepted by the City Council in January 2018, the Base Case financial forecast at the time reflected a gap in the General Fund of \$2.6 million in FY 2019 and a range between annual gaps of up to \$2.4 million and surpluses of \$8.8 million in the out years. The Base Case provided a forecast that can provide comparison in evaluating the effects of major policy revisions against a "status quo" version of the future. It assumes that the world continues to change and unfold in line with current expectations.

	Adopted										
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
otal Revenue	\$207,042	\$213,229	\$221,638	\$229,695	\$237,623	\$245,792	\$253,881	\$262,065	\$269,898	\$277,349	\$285,6
		3.0%	3.9%	3.6%	3.5%	3.4%	3.3%	3.2%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0
otal Expenditures	\$210,426	\$215,780	\$223,855	\$232,045	\$239,609	\$246,919	\$253,672	\$260,223	\$266,387	\$270,488	\$276,84
		2.5%	3.7%	3.7%	3.3%	3.1%	2.7%	2.6%	2.4%	1.5%	2.3
let One-Time Surplus/(Gap)	(\$3,384)	(\$2,551)	(\$2,217)	(\$2,350)	(\$1,986)	(\$1,127)	\$209	\$1,842	\$3,511	\$6,861	\$8,81
Lumulative Net Operating Mar	gin (One-Tir	ne)									\$11,0
let Operating Margin		(\$2,551)	\$334	(\$133)	\$363	\$859	\$1,336	\$1,634	\$1,668	\$3,350	\$1,94
umulative Net Operating Mar	gin										\$8,81

Assumes that the annual shortfalls are solved with ongoing solutions and annual surpluses are spent for ongoing expenditures.

Staff expects tax revenues to grow into FY 2019 and for the economy to remain strong and assumes gross domestic product (GDP) between mid-2 percent to low 3 percent; unemployment remaining around 4 percent which is currently at the lowest level in a decade at 4.1 percent; and the CPI (consumer price index; aka inflation) is expected to be in the low 2 percent though wage growth is tepid. Tax revenues continue to parallel the local economy and included in this LRFF, staff projected a \$4.5 million or 3.7 percent increase in tax revenues in FY 2019 over those projected for FY 2018 approximately six months through the year.

Based on this Forecast, guidance to prioritize spending is critical to ensure financial stability. The City is facing a number of future pressures such as the 2014 Council Infrastructure Plan which currently is projected to have an approximately \$75 million gap in funding; the growing costs of pension benefits; and the upcoming labor negotiations for many of the City's largest employee units. Staff communicated that a containment strategy is necessary to maintain a manageable financial

position and to address known and unknown financial challenges, program needs, or an economic downturn. It is this review and planning that will be critical since the City is facing many requests and has identified several key community supported programs that would need funding.

This fiscal outlook still does not include a number of both known and unknown impacts with both short and long term implications. Below is a list of a few of the known/unknowns that are not included in the LRFF:

- New staffing and program requests;
- Labor negotiations;
- Cost implications that may arise such as support for the Parks Master Plan, Cubberley Master Plan, and loans to the Palo Alto airport;
- Escalating costs to complete the Capital Infrastructure Plan after full design; prevailing wage requirements; construction costs; and operating budget impacts from new facilities;
- Parks Master Plan expenditures including Foothills Park 7.7 acres;
- Operating and capital costs related to a new Junior Museum and Zoo facility;
- Capital costs related to City assets managed by non-profits such as Avenidas Senior Center, the Palo Alto History Museum, and the Ventura Child Care Center; Cubberley master plan; and
- Funding long-term pension and retiree healthcare liabilities

FISCAL YEAR 2019 GENERAL FUND BUDGET

Subsequent to the release of the Long Range Financial Forecast, staff has reviewed all expenses and revenue estimates in the General Fund resulting in a final FY 2019 Base Budget gap of \$1.3 million as well as in FY 2020 with revenues of \$2.14 million estimated and \$215.4 million in expenses forecasted. This budget addresses this gap on an ongoing basis and proactively positions the General Fund in FY 2020 with a further gap forecasted in the years beginning in FY 2021. Significant changes from the December preliminary financial discussion include:

- Increases in General Fund tax revenue estimates to reflect both current year tracking as well as the most up to date estimates for growth in FY 2019 (additional revenues of \$1.1 million):
- Increases in charges for services and licenses and permits primarily due to the opening of the golf course and the new Council approved managed services contract terms (additional revenues of \$1.0 million);
- Reduction in cost allocation receipts reflecting a refinement of the General Fund cost allocation plan (reduction in revenues of \$1.3 million);
- Reduction in Salaries & Benefits of \$2.1 million primarily due to revised retiree medical actuarial valuations (\$1.3 million) and reflect the current employee population as of February 2018 (reduced expenses of \$773,000);
- Increases in Allocated Charges of \$1.3 million to reflect more refined expense estimates as well as address inadvertent omissions in the LRFF.

This FY 2019 Proposed Budget includes General Fund revenues estimates of \$213.7 million, a 3.2 percent increase from FY 2018 Adopted Budget levels of \$207.1 million, or an \$6.7 million

increase. General Fund expenditures of \$214.0 million reflect growth of 1.7 percent from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget level of \$210.4 million, or a \$3.6 million increase when all recommended budget actions are considered.

At this time, staff projects the FY 2018 Budget Stabilization Reserve (BSR) to end the year at approximately \$41.3 million, or 19.0 percent of the FY 2018 Modified Budget expenditure levels. This does not include any excess revenues or expense savings when compared to budgeted levels in FY 2018 based on current tracking. It is anticipated that the General Fund will end FY 2018 with some additional balance primarily attributed to major tax revenues and departmental vacancy savings. This budget recommends a one-time draw on the General Fund Budget Stabilization reserve of \$276,000 resulting in a projected balance of \$41.0 million, or 19.2 percent of the FY 2019 Proposed Budget expenses of \$214.0 million. This is above the City Council target level of 18.5%. The draw will produced a balance Budget for FY 2019.

REVENUES

Based on a continued, gradual growth of the regional economy and Fiscal Year 2018 year-todate major tax revenue receipts, this budget assumes continued healthy growth in Sales Tax, Property Tax, and Transient Occupancy Tax in comparison to the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget. The Fiscal Year 2019 Budget assumes increases to major tax revenue receipts by approximately \$5.8 million, or 4.9 percent, from \$119.3 million to \$125.2 million when compared to the FY 2018 Adopted Budget. Growth in major tax revenues reflects over 85 percent of the change from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget for all General Fund revenues.

The following sections discuss the City's major revenue sources and their projected levels as well as major expenditure categories for Fiscal Year 2018 and 2019.

SALES TAX

Sales taxes continue to rise reasonably well from the Great Recession. Sales taxes are projected to rise to \$31.2 million in FY 2019, a 3.3% growth rate from the current FY 2018 estimates. The growth rate is consistent with the compound annual growth rate of 3.1% over the past ten years. Sectors showing growth that is expected to continue into FY 2019 are auto leasing and sales, drug stores, recreation products, furniture/appliance, office equipment, and health services. Areas experiencing weak sales include department stores and construction.

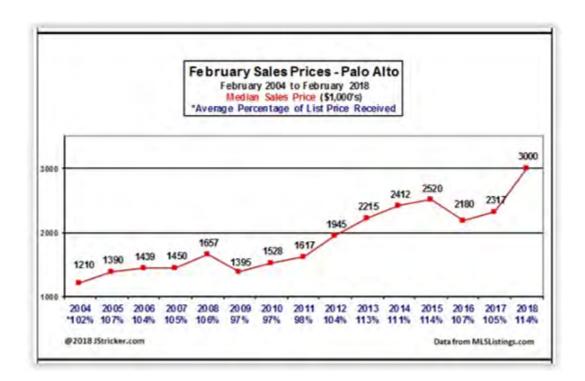
There are continued concerns over future growth in this revenue category. Internet retail sales are steadily eroding brick and mortar receipts at a steady pace. Each critical fourth quarter that includes the all-important holiday season brings negative news that additional business have moved on-line, however, increased receipts from county pools continue to offset this loss. Sales tax that occur in Santa Clara County but cannot be identified to a specific jurisdiction within the county are allocated to the county (sales tax) pool then distributed to the local jurisdictions based on their local tax percentage. For example, sales tax on county-wide Amazon sales goes to county pools; Palo Alto's average receipt of pool sales tax has been 6.9 percent. The City's sales tax consultant believes that on-line sales may reduce future retail sales growth by 1 percent annually. These trends will be monitored carefully since sales tax represents 15 percent of General Fund revenue. Other sales tax concerns being monitored are on-line retailers expansion to brick and mortar platforms which will allow them a platform to test products and pricing such as Amazon's purchase of Whole Foods, potential state legislation to change the county pools allocation methodology based on population which will adversely impact the City, and

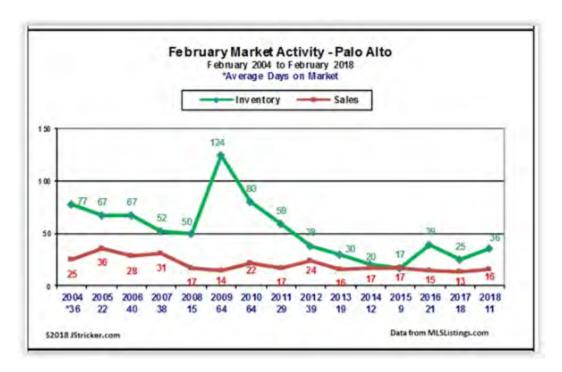
the amount of Stanford Hospital construction use tax dissipating as the expansion projects wind down.

PROPERTY TAX

Property tax from residential and commercial parcels continues to steadily grow, albeit, at a slower pace. After steadily growing since FY 2012, the growth rate of 11.5 percent peaked in FY 2015 followed by a 7.3 percent and 7.6 percent increase in FY 2016 and FY 2017. In dollar terms it has risen from \$34.1 million in FY 2015 to \$36.6 million in FY 2016, to \$39.4 million in FY 2017 and projected to grow to \$42.4 million in FY 2018 and to \$45.3 million in FY 2019. The increase from FY 2018 to 2019 equals 7 percent or \$3 million which is higher than the 10 year compound annual growth rate of 6.3 percent. Staff estimates for FY 2019 include excess Education Revenue Augmentation Fund (ERAF) funds at a similar level than the past several years.

The following charts are taken from a realtor (JeffandSteve.com) web site. It shows the ascent in median prices (first chart) and inventory and sales volume (second chart), especially since the 2009 recession year. With property sales prices rising to record levels, the City's property tax revenues are expected to do well, however, the continued limited inventory supply is expected to moderate the number of sales and property tax growth.





City property tax estimates are based on information received from quarterly meetings with the Santa Clara County Assessor's Office. The estimate includes appeals on record with the Assessor's Office, additions to the roll, tax exempt properties and movements in assessed values. This FY 2018 forecast uses historical growth rates and information on any extraordinary transactions available to staff.

TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX (TOT)

TOT receipts are brisk, especially with the advent of several new hotels in the past few years (two Hilton hotels, Epiphany, the Clement on El Camino Real, and the upgrade of the Quality Inn into the Nest).

Occupancy and room rate data indicate that at the end of February 2018 around 77.5 percent of the rooms available will have been occupied and that the average daily room rate will hover around \$265 compared to 77.2 percent and \$257 per day in the same prior year period. The addition of rooms due to the new hotels has somewhat constrained occupancy levels hitting the 80 to 85 percent rates representing full occupancy, but room rates have risen and exceed those in prior years. The addition of higher end hotels has enhanced this revenue source both for the General Fund and for the Infrastructure Management Plan project funding.

Revenues moved upward from \$16.7 million in FY 2015 to \$22.4 million in FY 2016 to \$23.5 million in FY 2017. TOT for Fiscal Year 2018 is expected to reach \$24.4 million. Projections for FY 2019 stand at \$25.1 million, 2.6 percent or \$0.6 million above the projection for FY 2018.

The sharp increase in TOT from FY 2015 to projected FY 2019 is also attributable to the voter approved TOT increase from 12 to 14 percent starting January 2015. The revenue from a voter approved 2 percent Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT) increase plus revenue from four new hotels has been earmarked for transfer to the General Capital Improvement Fund (\$8.4 million), specifically for the City Council Infrastructure Plan.

UTILITY USERS TAX

The Utility Users Tax revenue budget for FY 2019 fully includes the two changes approved by voters in November 2014: the telephone UUT rate reduction from 5.0 percent to 4.75 percent and the elimination of the large utility user discount. Originally, staff expected that telephone revenues would slightly decline. Instead, revenues from this source in the first 7 months of FY 2018 have significantly exceeded those in FY 2017 for the same period while the annual receipts for FY 2017 significantly exceeded the FY 2016 receipts. Unfortunately, the City does not receive detailed information from service providers that would help explain trends in this revenue source. The City receives a "lump-sum" check from telephone companies on a monthly basis. Revenues in FY 2019 are budgeted at \$6.2 million.

Utility receipts from the UUT are based on the Utilities Department's five-year revenue projections. Proposed rate increases for FY 2019 are 8 percent for electric and 4 percent each for water and gas. The electric rate increase is related to several factors: increasing transmission costs and the cost of renewable projects coming online, substantial additional capital investment in the electric distribution system is planned through FY 2023, and operations cost increases. The water rate increase is primarily due to increasing water supply and capital projects. The gas rate increase is attributable to operations costs increase related to the cross-bore inspection program, increase in capital improvement program costs as a result of higher bids on capital projects and modest increase in commodity costs around 1 percent to 2 percent. In addition, sales volumes for water and gas have been trending downward over the last several years. A combination of water (drought) conservation and, for gas, most likely due to relatively warm winter heating seasons, as well as lower hot water usage during the drought, but a cooler winter and the end of drought restrictions has brought increased usage. Gas usage has generally recovered to pre-drought levels, but as with water, it is difficult to determine whether long run usage will resume the declining trend seen over the last few decades. Although increasing rates should result in higher UUT revenues, potential customers reduction in usage, both for electric and water; the latter as a response of past drought conditions, could moderate the UUT increase. Also, warm weather conditions can result in less gas usage and UUT revenue as well. For FY 2019 the General Fund is expected to realize \$9.9 million from utility sales.

Combined, telephone and utility UUT revenues for the FY 2019 budget are estimated at \$15.9 million, representing growth of 3.7 percent over the revised FY 2018 year-end estimate of \$15.3 million.

DOCUMENTARY TRANSFER TAX (DTT)

After an exceptional year in FY 2015 with receipts reaching \$10.1 million attributable to several major commercial transactions, the DTT has returned to more "normal" levels. FY2016 receipts were \$6.3 million, FY 2017 receipts were \$7.5 million, and FY 2018 expected to be \$7.4 million. Adjusted Budget of \$7.4 million reflects an increase of \$467,400 or 6.7 percent over Adopted Budget. Through mid-March, revenues are running 14.2 percent above the same prior year period. At this time, it is anticipated that the City will realize \$7.4 million in FY 2019.

As stated in prior analyses, this revenue source can be unpredictable given that the volume and mix of commercial and residential transactions can vary significantly from year to year.

OTHER TAXES AND FINES

Staff anticipates a marginal decrease in this category from FY 2018 levels of \$2.1 million to \$2.0 million, a 1.3 percent decrease. The largest source of revenue in this category is derived from parking violations revenue which are not projected to change from FY 2018 to FY 2019. The anticipated decrease is primarily attributed to a lower revenue estimate for Library fines to align with current performance.

CHARGES FOR SERVICES

This revenue category consists of charges to Stanford for fire services, paramedic services, golfrelated fees, arts and science classes, and plan check fees. In comparison to the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget revenue estimate of \$26.5 million, the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget estimate increases \$1.5 million, or 5.7 percent. A number of revenue adjustments have been made in the category from the FY 2018 Adopted level. Key changes from the FY 2018 Adopted Budget are listed below by department:

- Community Services Department: \$1.1 million increase, primarily driven by Golf Course **Estimates**
- Fire Department: \$0.2 million increase, primarily due to anticipated adjustments to the Stanford Fire Agreement
- Planning and Community Environment: \$0.1 million increase, primarily due to municipal fee changes

The City continues to negotiate with Stanford to settle on a service level and cost. This budget assumes a Stanford reimbursement at current levels however, the actual contract value is subject to continued conversations with Stanford and a revised contract for fire services. Additional reimbursements from Stanford for Public Safety Dispatch Services are also budgeted resulting in a net reimbursement of \$7.3 million. Depending on the outcome of mediation significant adjustments to the assumed reimbursement level of fire services in the General Fund may be necessary.

PERMITS AND LICENSES

Permits and Licenses consist of payments to the City for issuance of Building Permits, Fire Permits, and miscellaneous health and safety-related licenses. In comparison to the Fiscal Year 2018 Budget revenue estimate of \$8.8 million, the FY 2019 Budget revenue estimate represents an increase of \$112,000, or 1.3 percent, primarily due to an increase in Planning and Community Environment Fees (\$62,000) and Police Fees anticipated from false alarms (\$35,000).

RETURN ON INVESTMENT

In the coming year, the expectation is the Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) will slowly raise the interest rates. As interest rates rise, so will the yield on the City's investment portfolio. The FY 2018 forecast is \$1.1 million, and the forecast for FY 2019 is \$1.2 million. At its peak, in FY 2002, the General Fund earned \$4.4 million in interest income; back then both the City's investment portfolio yield and the General Fund cash balances were substantially higher.

RENTAL INCOME

The largest source of rental income comes from the City's Enterprise Funds and the Cubberley Community Center. The FY 2019 budget of \$15.8 million reflects a \$231,000 increase from the

FY 2018 Adopted Budget, or 1.5 percent increase. Slight annual rental increases for enterprise funded departments at General Fund properties are based on an assessment of these properties that was conducted in Fiscal Year 2015 adjusted annually for cost of living increases. It is anticipated that another assessment will be conducted during FY 2019 and that the results will be incorporated into the development of the FY 2020 Operating Budget.

CHARGES TO OTHER FUNDS

This revenue category is the reimbursement received by the General Fund for the provision of administrative and other services to Enterprise and Internal Service Funds. The General Fund charges these funds for legal, human resources, finance, and general administration services based on cost allocations from the last completed fiscal year. Total administrative cost plan charges decreased by 8.9%, from \$11.1 million in FY 2018 to \$10.1 million in FY 2019. This decrease is attributable mainly to refining the methodology used for the cost allocation plan.

OTHER REVENUES

This revenue category is mainly comprised of Animal Services revenue from neighboring cities; the Palo Alto Unified School District's (PAUSD) share of maintenance for athletic fields; and other one-time revenue sources such as grants. Compared to the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget of \$1.2 million, other revenues are \$1.2 million higher, due to a change in how Public, Education, and Government (PEG) revenues from Cable Franchise Fees are treated. They have been designated as 'other revenues' to more appropriately align with the type of revenue.

OPERATING TRANSFERS-IN

In comparison to the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget transfer-in amount of \$20.8 million, the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget amount of \$19.8 million represents a decrease of \$1.02 million primarily due to a change in how PEG revenues are characterized. The largest component of this revenue category is the \$19.3 million equity transfer from the Enterprise Funds, a slight decrease from the FY 2018 level of \$19.5 million. The equity transfer represents the return on the initial investment the City made when the Utility Department was created more than 100 years ago. In accordance with a methodology approved by Council in June 2009, the equity transfer is calculated by applying a rate of return to the capital asset base of the Electric and Gas Funds. The rate of return is based on PG&E's rate of return on equity as approved by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC).

EXPENSES

Proposed Fiscal Year 2019 Budget Expenditures total \$214.0 million in the general fund, representing a 1.7% increase year-over-year from the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget of \$210.4 million. Details of major expenditure categories are discussed below. This modest grow reflects the significant effort to structurally balance this FY 2019 budget on an ongoing basis, as discussed with the Finance Committee.

SALARY AND BENEFITS

Salary and benefit costs in the General Fund for Fiscal Year 2019 total \$125.5 million, representing a minor decrease of 0.1% from the Fiscal Year 2018 total of \$125.6 million. The primary reason for the decrease in salary and benefit costs are the net reduction of 35.1 FTE (17.6 FTE from fulltime position reductions and 17.5 FTE from part-time position reductions) in the General Fund, a favorable update to the City's Retiree Healthcare Actuarial Valuation, and the use of one-time

fund balance in the Workers' Compensation Fund to subsidize annual contributions from all funds for Workers' Compensation.

The FY 2019 Budget maintains the historical methodology for calculating salaries and benefits; this methodology represents the agreed upon labor terms outlined in memorandums of agreement and the respective costs of those terms are budgeted directly in department sections. Additionally, it is presumed that departments will realize a certain level of vacancies throughout the year. As part of budget development, a vacancy rate is used to adjust the budget for Salary and Benefits for each department based on historical experience. In the 'Budget Reconciliation' section of each department a variance between the FY 2017 Actuals and the FY 2018 Adopted Budget columns is expected. This variance reflects the difference between estimated vacancies and staff costs actually incurred.

Salaries: Salaries of \$74.7 million in FY 19 are 0.7% higher than the \$74.2 million budgeted in the FY 2018 Adopted Budget. This reflects the general year-over-year increase in salaries, partially offset by savings associated with the 24.1 FTE eliminations beyond the 4.0 Apparatus Operators and 7.0 Firefighters that were presumed in the FY 2018 Adopted Operating Budget. This modest growth in salaries is not expected to continue in the near future, since it is tempered primarily by those staffing reductions.

Pension Costs: Pension costs are increasing 5.3% in the General Fund in Fiscal Year 2019, from \$23.3 million in Fiscal Year 2018 to \$24.6 million. This increase represents the first year of the CALPERS' phase-in of a 7.0% discount rate. The discount rate used for the determination of the Fiscal Year 2019 contributions was 7.375%, down from 7.5% in Fiscal Year 2018. In Fiscal Year 2019, there will be a 7.9% increase in the Miscellaneous pension rate (from 30.2 percent of salary to 32.6 percent) and an 11.9% increase in the Safety pension rate (from 49.7 percent of salary to 55.6 percent of salary). These increases reflect the more conservative assumptions in the discount rate as well as changes to various actuarial assumptions, including the mortality tables.

The City has anticipated these increasing pension costs and actively developed strategies to proactively address this growing liability. The FY 2019 Proposed Budget assumes that employees will continue to pick up a portion of the employer share of pension contributions, as agreed to in the most recent round of labor negotiations. In addition, this budget includes a recommendation for additional funding of approximately \$1.2 million from the General Fund for an additional contribution to the City's irrevocable Section 115 Trust Fund (PARS) to prefund future pension obligations. Additional details of the City's pension work to date can be found in the 'Employee Information' section of this document.

Retiree Health: The City's Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) costs, primarily Retiree Healthcare, are decreasing 10.4% in the General Fund, from \$9.8 million in FY 2018 to \$8.8 million in FY 2019. This represents the latest figure from the City's outside actuarial consultant, Bartel Associates. The favorable adjustment is primarily driven by premium caps, changes in mortality assumptions, and increased eligibility for Medicare premium plans, which are much lower in cost. A separate report discussing the City's OPEB liabilities will be transmitted in May, 2018 more fully detailing the changes to the City's liability.

Healthcare: Healthcare costs are increasing only marginally, driven primarily by significant savings in dental premiums as a result of lower than anticipated utilization in the prior year. These savings are not expected to continue in future years.

Other Benefits: Other Benefits Costs, including special pays, long-term disability, medicare, and management excess benefit funding, are increasing 3.8%, from \$2.2 million in FY 2018 to \$2.3 million in FY 2019. This increase primarily represents increased eligibility for special pays, including retention pay for Police Officers.

Workers' Compensation costs are down 28.1 percent in the General Fund from FY 2018 to FY 2019, from \$3.6 million to \$2.6 million. This represents a one-time reduction in payments to the Workers' Compensation Fund. The Workers' Compensation fund is an Internal Service Fund; costs are recovered through allocated charges to departments. In FY 2019, the fund has sufficient accumulated fund balance to offset some of the expenditures. The one-time reduction in payments into the Workers' Compensation Fund across all funds will partially draw down that accumulated fund balance in FY 2019.

NON-DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSES

Non-departmental appropriations include expenses that are not directly related to the operation of a particular department, such as payments to the Palo Alto Unified School District (PAUSD) as part of the Cubberley Community Center lease, or debt service.

Other non-departmental expenses include one-time funding of \$100,000 for the Fall 2018 City Council election, as well as funding for costs associated with Property Tax collection which is administered by the County of Santa Clara.

CONTINGENCY ACCOUNTS

Contingency accounts are budgeted appropriations that are used at the discretion of the City Council, City Manager, City Attorney, or Human Resources Director to fund unanticipated expenses. As part of the FY 2018 Budget, the City Council contingency was reduced from \$250,000 to \$225,000 to help close the budgetary gap. This level is maintained in FY 2019. The City Council approves any use of the City Council Contingency, while the City Manager has to approve the use of any other contingency. The Fiscal Year 2019 Budget includes \$725,000 in these accounts.

OPERATING TRANSFERS-OUT

Funds are transferred to the Capital Infrastructure Fund, Cubberley Infrastructure Fund, Debt Service Fund, and Technology Fund on an annual basis. In Fiscal Year 2019, \$26.5 million is programmed to be transferred to these funds, a level consistent with Fiscal Year 2018 transfers. In addition, in the FY 2019 Proposed Operating Budget \$170,000 is transferred to the Public Art Fund, \$283,000 is transferred to the University Avenue Parking District Fund (for City employee permits in the downtown garages), and \$2.7 million is transferred to the Electric Fund. The transfer to the Electric Fund is to reimburse the Electric Fund for electricity costs associated with City streetlight and traffic signal costs to align with the most recent Electric Fund Cost of Services Analysis (COSA).

RESERVES

The City's general reserve is referred to as the Budget Stabilization Reserve (BSR). By policy, the City maintains a reserve level of 15-20 percent of the General Fund operating budget, with a targeted goal of 18.5 percent. City Council approval is required prior to setting reserves lower than 15 percent. The City Manager is authorized, at their discretion, to transfer any amount in excess of 18.5 percent to the Capital Projects Infrastructure Reserve. The Fiscal Year 2019 Bud-

get is projected to have a \$41.0 million BSR balance, or 19.2 percent of the General Fund expenditure budget. Only \$276,000 is recommended to be used of the BSR to offset one-time costs such as the November 2018 election.

General Fund Reserves

	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Changes	FY 2018 Net Adjustments	Projected FY 2018 Year-End	Projected FY 2019 Adopted Budget	Projected FY 2019 Year-End
Budget Stabilization Reserve (BSR) Activity:						
BSR	48,118	(3,385)	(3,446)	41,287	(276)	41,011
Other Reserve Activity:						
Human Services Resource Allocation Process (HSRAP) Reserve	-	-	-	50	-	50
Encumbrance & Reappropriation	7,280	-	-	7,280	-	7,280
Inventory of Materials & Supplies	4,298	-	-	4,298	-	4,298
Notes Receivable, Prepaid Items, Interfund Advances, & Unrealized Gains and Losses	3,411	-	-	3,411	-	3,411
Total Reserves	63,107	(3,385)	(3,446)	56,326	(276)	56,050

- 1. The BSR is projected to be 19.2 percent of the FY 2019 Expense Budget at the end of FY 2019.
- 2. City reserve policy indicates a 15-20 percent range, with an 18.5 percent target.
- 3. Minimum FY 2019 BSR \$32.1 million (15 percent); Maximum FY 2019 BSR \$42.8 million (20 percent).
- 4. Target FY 2019 BSR \$39.6 million (18.5 percent).
- 5. Projected FY 2018 BAOs assumes City Council approved budget adjustments through February 2018.
- 6. This assumes the Human Services Resource Allocation Process Reserve will not be spent in FY 2018 and is recommended to be carried forward to FY 2019.

General Fund Revenue Descriptions

PROPERTY TAX

Under current law, all taxable real and personal property is subject to a basic tax rate of one percent of assessed value collected by local jurisdictions and school districts for general service purposes. There are other taxes and levies on a typical property tax bill such as parcel, General Obligation bond, and special assessments.

On June 6, 1978, California voters approved Proposition 13, a seminal change in property tax levies. The proposition, which added Article XIII A to the state constitution, placed limits on increases in the valuation of real property. The major change was that the assessed value of real property could only be adjusted upward annually by the change in the California Consumer Price Index (CCPI) up to a maximum of two percent per year. One exception to this rule, however, is that when property changes ownership and/or is substantially altered or newly-constructed, it would be reassessed at full market value in the first year and then subject to the CCPI or two percent cap thereafter.

Another important exception to the formula for increasing assessed valuations and taxes is that during periods of declining property values (e.g., recessions), the County Assessor has the flexibility to decrease assessments whether through appeal by property owners or through the Assessor's analysis of value declines. In effect, this reduces the property valuation and tax. As market conditions improve, however, and values return or increase, the Assessor can then increase assessed values and taxes.

In following years, another amendment to the constitution was passed that allows local governments and school districts to raise property taxes above one percent to finance general obligation (GO) bond sales. This change has to be approved by two-thirds of those voting in a local GO bond election. For school districts, however, the voting threshold for approving GO bonds was subsequently lowered to fifty-five percent.

Dating back to the early 1990s, the state has made numerous and complex adjustments to local jurisdiction property tax revenues to solve its budget shortfalls. In one such action in 1992, which is known as the "Educational Revenue Augmentation Funds (ERAF), the state shifted millions of dollars in local government funds to school districts. As a consequence of this action the City of Palo Alto has foregone a cumulative \$119 million through Fiscal Year 2018 limiting its ability to meet its infrastructure needs.

The County of Santa Clara administers and collects property taxes and remits the appropriate amounts (based on law and a complex formula) to local jurisdictions. Contrary to commonly held views, the City receives a relatively small portion of the basic one percent property tax. In fact, the City receives around 9.4 percent or 9.4 cents for every property tax dollar a property owner pays to the county. The majority of the tax dollar paid or 56.6 percent goes to the school district, community college and county school service, 15.9 percent goes to the county, and the remaining goes to special districts and to the State.

SALES AND USE TAX

The Sales Tax is a tax imposed on retailers for the privilege of selling tangible personal property such as clothing, automobiles, and computers. Currently, and according to State law, sales tax is not applied to personal services such as legal, dental, or consultant services. The Use Tax is a form of sales tax and is applied, for example, on the sale of tangible goods from an out-of-state vendor.

The City receives a specific portion or percentage of the sales tax paid by a consumer. Of the current 9 percent tax rate paid for goods sold within Palo Alto, the City receives 1.0 percent point of the purchase price or 11.1 percent for each tax dollar paid. The remaining sales tax dollars are distributed as follows: State of California (5.75 percentage points), Santa Clara County (0.125 percentage point), Santa Clara Valley Transportation Districts (1.625 percentage point), and the Public Safety Fund (0.5 percentage point).

Sales tax rates may differ across jurisdictions since local jurisdictions have some flexibility on a countywide level (e.g. county or city) to increase the local portion of the sales tax with voter approval. The local Sales and Use Tax is collected and administered by the State Board of Equalization.

TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX

The Transient Occupancy Tax rate in Palo Alto is 14 percent and is applied to the daily rate charged by a hotel, motel, and lodging establishment. The rate only applies to stays of 30 days

or less. In November 2014, Palo Alto voters approved increasing the tax rate from 12 percent to 14 percent. The rate increase was effective as of January 1, 2015.

DOCUMENTARY TRANSFER TAX

This tax is applied to the sale of real property within Palo Alto at the time property ownership is transferred. The current rate is \$3.30 per thousand dollars of sale value. A house that sells for \$1.5 million, for example, would result in the City collecting \$4,950. This tax is collected by Santa Clara County and then remitted to the City. The county also levies a transfer tax of \$1.10 per thousand dollars of sales value that is in addition to Palo Alto's tax.

UTILITY USERS TAX

The Utility Users Tax is charged to all users of electricity, gas, water, and telephone services. The current tax rate is for electricity, gas, and water is 5 percent and for telephone is 4.75 percent. In November 2014, Palo Alto voters approved decreasing the telephone utility user tax rate from 5 percent to 4.75 percent. This tax decrease became effective on April 1, 2015 due to Public Utility Commission advance noticing requirements.

OTHER TAXES AND FINES

The largest source of revenue in this category is derived from parking violations revenue. Other revenue items in this category include traffic violations, administrative citations, and library fines and fees.

CHARGES FOR SERVICES

Departmental charges are comprised of fees charged for services which are primarily provided by the following departments: Community Services, Development Services, Planning and Community Environment, Police, and Public Works. Charges for Services from departments are approved annually by the City Council through the adoption of the Municipal Fee Schedule.

The City has two separate agreements with Stanford University to provide Fire Response services and Dispatch services. As part of these agreements to reimburse the City for Stanford's proportional share of these services, Stanford is charged 16 percent of the Police Department's Communication and Dispatch Division. The Stanford contract for Fire Services is currently under negotiation.

PERMITS AND LICENSES

The City requires payment for the issuance of Building Permits, Fire Permits, and miscellaneous health and safety-related licenses and permits as approved annually by the City Council through the adoption of the Municipal Fee Schedule.

RETURN ON INVESTMENT

The City invests idle funds in order to earn interest. The total income varies with the market rates of interest and the funds available to invest. The basic principles underlying Palo Alto's investment philosophy is to ensure the safety of public funds; provide that sufficient money is always available to meet current expenditures; and achieve a reasonable rate of return on its investments.

RENTAL INCOME

The General Fund charges rent to internal and external entities. The majority of rental income is derived from the Enterprise Funds and the Cubberley Community Center.

REVENUE FROM OTHER AGENCIES

This revenue category includes revenue received from a variety of other local government agencies, the state, and the federal government usually due to grants or contracts for services.

CHARGES TO OTHER FUNDS

The General Fund recuperates the cost for services provided by internal services departments such as Administrative Services, Council Appointees, and People Strategy and Operations to Enterprise, Internal, and Special Revenue funds through allocated charges.

OTHER REVENUE

Major revenue sources in this category are Animal Services charges to Los Altos and Los Altos Hills, reimbursements from PAUSD for its share of Cubberley and athletic field maintenance, donations from non-profits for City libraries, and miscellaneous revenues.

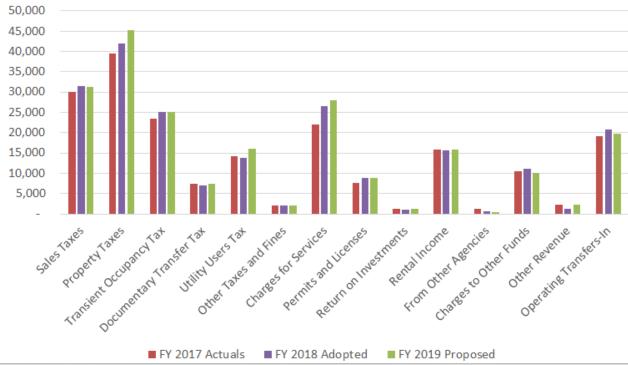
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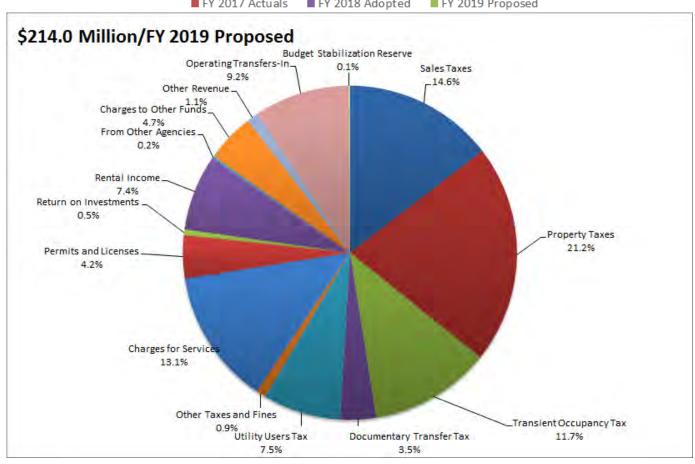
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General Fund Revenue by Category

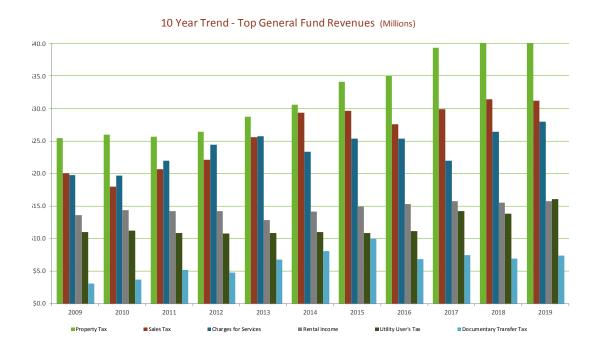
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Sales Taxes	30,018	29,923	31,458	31,246	(212)	(0.7%)
Property Taxes	36,607	39,381	41,927	45,332	3,405	8.1%
Transient Occupancy Tax	22,366	23,477	25,143	25,049	(94)	(0.4%)
Documentary Transfer Tax	6,266	7,491	6,930	7,434	504	7.3%
Utility Users Tax	12,469	14,240	13,867	16,092	2,225	16.0%
Other Taxes and Fines	2,238	2,167	2,060	2,032	(28)	(1.4%)
Charges for Services	23,562	21,989	26,497	28,015	1,518	5.7%
Permits and Licenses	8,263	7,714	8,837	8,949	112	1.3%
Return on Investments	1,037	1,209	1,024	1,166	142	13.9%
Rental Income	15,842	15,767	15,575	15,806	231	1.5%
From Other Agencies	719	1,156	688	370	(318)	(46.2%)
Charges to Other Funds	11,576	10,439	11,076	10,093	(983)	(8.9%)
Other Revenue	4,899	2,300	1,169	2,361	1,192	102.0%
Subtotal	175,862	177,253	186,251	193,945	7,694	4.1%
Operating Transfers-In	18,317	19,222	20,791	19,772	(1,019)	(4.9%)
Total	194,179	196,475	207,042	213,717	6,675	3.2%

General Fund Revenue by Category 3 Year Trend - General Fund Revenues By Category (\$000s)





General Fund Revenue by Category



General Fund Expenditures by Department

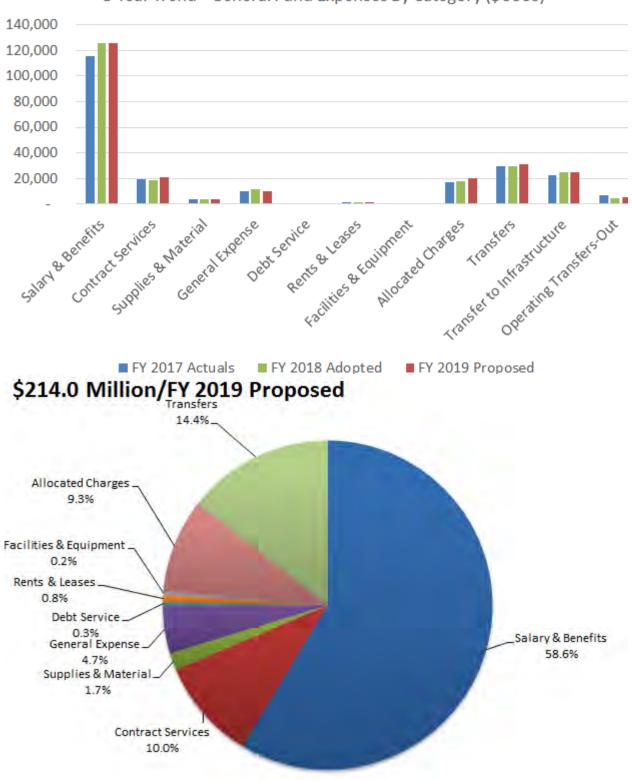
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Administrative Services	7,497	7,379	7,983	7,963	(20)	(0.3%)
City Attorney	2,796	3,158	3,356	3,263	(93)	(2.8%)
City Auditor	1,112	1,208	1,301	1,258	(43)	(3.3%)
City Clerk	1,001	1,049	1,374	1,282	(92)	(6.7%)
City Council	430	452	500	488	(12)	(2.4%)
City Manager	3,097	2,412	3,158	3,259	101	3.2%
City Manager's Office of Sustainability	495	478	524	417	(107)	(20.4%)
Community Services	24,272	25,200	27,560	28,915	1,355	4.9%
Development Services	10,665	11,014	12,540	12,561	21	0.2%
Fire	27,553	31,530	31,774	31,826	52	0.2%
Human Resources	3,559	3,314	3,757	3,634	(123)	(3.3%)
Library	7,960	8,953	9,447	9,664	217	2.3%
Non-Departmental	6,235	6,400	8,435	7,825	(610)	(7.2%)
Office of Emergency Services	1,044	983	1,039	1,509	470	45.2%
Planning and Community Environment	8,880	8,654	8,452	8,791	339	4.0%
Police	35,666	39,206	42,333	41,951	(382)	(0.9%)
Public Works	14,326	16,655	17,005	18,492	1,487	8.7%
Subtotal	156,588	168,045	180,538	183,098	2,560	1.4%
Transfer to Infrastructure	29,366	22,859	24,981	25,173	192	0.8%
Operating Transfers-Out	5,095	6,572	4,908	5,725	817	16.6%
Total	191,049	197,476	210,427	213,996	3,569	1.7%

General Fund Expenditures by Category

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Salary & Benefits	106,185	115,608	125,623	125,452	(171)	(0.1%)
Contract Services	17,803	19,436	18,984	21,334	2,350	12.4%
Supplies & Material	3,771	3,723	3,544	3,563	19	0.5%
General Expense	9,568	9,971	11,933	10,074	(1,859)	(15.6%)
Debt Service	431	432	432	613	181	41.9%
Rents & Leases	1,537	1,345	1,567	1,690	123	7.8%
Facilities & Equipment	537	685	517	522	5	1.0%
Allocated Charges	16,756	16,845	17,937	19,850	1,913	10.7%
Subtotal	156,588	168,045	180,537	183,098	2,561	1.4%
Transfer to Infrastructure	29,366	22,859	24,981	25,173	192	0.8%
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General Fund Expenditures by Category

3 Year Trend - General Fund Expenses By Category (\$000s)









Overview

The City of Palo Alto's utility and public works operations are comprised of the Airport, Electric, Fiber Optics, Gas, Refuse, Storm Drainage, Wastewater Collection, Wastewater Treatment, and Water Funds. A financial summary of the funds follows this overview along with discussion and pertinent information in each fund section.

REVENUES

The total budgeted revenue of the Enterprise Funds for Fiscal Year 2019 is \$357.9 million, which is \$9.6 million, or 2.6 percent, lower than Fiscal Year 2018. This overall decrease is largely due to a \$34.1 million reduction in revenue in the Wastewater Treatment Fund from other agencies, partially offset by both higher estimated net sales revenue and operating transfers in revenues for capital projects. Utility services with rate increases for FY 2019 include Electric, Fiber Optics, Gas, Storm Drainage, Wastewater Collection, and Water, with a varying degree of increases, details on these changes are discussed below. Wastewater Collection rates are scheduled to increase the most at 11.0 percent. This increase in wastewater collection rates is largely due to costs associated with a major capital improvement project to upgrade the Wastewater Treatment Plant and is anticipated to result in approximately \$1.7 million in additional revenue. Refuse rates will remain the same for FY 2019.

EXPENDITURES

The total budgeted expenditure of the Enterprise Funds for Fiscal Year 2019 is \$389.1 million, which is \$9.1 million, or 2.3 percent, lower than the prior year. Lower Capital Improvement Program (CIP) costs of approximately \$10.0 million when compared to FY 2018 are the primary driver for this year over year reduction. This decrease is partially offset by increases in other expenses including: approximately \$2.0 million in contract services associated with the cross-bore inspection program and electric overhead maintenance, \$0.3 million in rents and leases, and \$0.1 million in salaries and benefits.

UTILITY RATE CHANGES

FY 2019 Budget includes utility rate adjustments for Electric, Fiber Optics, Gas, Storm Drainage, and Water charges. The median monthly residential utility bill is expected to increase by 4.7 percent or \$13.40 from \$282.48 to \$295.88. At the time of the printing of this document, rate increases were under review by the Finance Committee, this document does not reflect or assume any changes as a result of that process. Once finalized adjustments will be made as necessary.

In general, the size and timing of rate adjustments takes into account current and future revenue requirements and reserve levels. They may also smooth the impacts on customer bills by spreading rate adjustments during consecutive or alternate years.

- Electric Fund Proposed rate increase is up to 8.0 percent overall to fund rising transmission costs, new renewable projects coming online, and substantial capital investment and replacement in the electric distribution system.
- Gas Fund Proposed rate increase is 4.0 percent due to increasing construction costs for gas main replacements.
- Water Fund Scheduled rate increase is up to 4.0 percent due to rising capital costs for water main replacements and seismic improvements for reservoirs.
- Wastewater Collection Fund Proposed rate increase is 11.0 percent percent due to significant increase in wastewater collection system capital project costs to improve the overall distribution systems, as well as increase in operating and treatment costs.
- Fiber Optics Fund Proposed rate increase is 2.9 percent, based on Consumer Price Index (CPI) for All Urban Consumers in the San Francisco Bay Area, for customers on the EDF-1 rate.
- Storm Drainage Fund Proposed rate increase of 2.9 percent, or \$0.40 per Equivalent Residential Unit (ERU) per month based on CPI for All Urban Consumers in the San Francisco Bay Area.
- Refuse Fund No rate adjustment is scheduled for FY 2019.

RENT

Enterprise Funds pay market-based rental fees for the sites needed to conduct their business operations. The rent paid for City-owned sites was adjusted due to an independent appraisal of all sites, and an annual CPI increase of 3.2 percent was applied. As a result, the rent for FY 2019 will increase by approximately \$0.3 million compared to FY 2018.

EQUITY TRANSFERS

In FY 2009, the Council adopted a change to the methodology, beginning in FY 2010, used to calculate the equity transfer from Utilities Funds to General Fund. Under this methodology, the equity transfers are based on the asset base in the Electric and Gas Funds, along with the rate of return for each utility, which is based on Pacific Gas and Electric's (PG&E) rate of return on equity as approved by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC). For FY 2019, the equity transfers from the Electric and Gas Funds are projected to decrease by approximately \$0.2 million from \$19.5 million to \$19.3 million in FY 2019.

RESERVES

The financial revenue and expense forecasts are estimates at a single point in time. Some Utilities Reserves serve as 'balancing accounts' which mitigate the risk of commodity price swings and insure against default by the City's wholesale suppliers. Other Reserves are used to provide cash for replacement parts during an emergency infrastructure failure or serve as temporary 'parking' for planned expenditures. Reserve levels that are above guidelines are returned to

customers in the form of lower future rates or used to pay for expenses, which also result in lower future rates.

Based on a new practice established in FY 2016, the reappropriation of Capital budgets for continuing projects previously approved and appropriated by the City Council in prior fiscal years is shown as expenditures in the operating budget for each Enterprise fund. The inclusion of these costs impacts the fund balance of the respective Enterprise Funds. To highlight this difference between the use of operating reserves and capital reappropriations, the capital reappropriations and their impact on fund reserves are reflected in the Capital Improvement Program Reserve line of the Enterprise Funds Reserve table.

Based on the actions included in this budget, the total Enterprise Fund Reserve Balances are estimated to decrease by \$14.4 million from FY 2018 to FY 2019.

UTILITIES ENTERPRISE FUNDS

The City of Palo Alto Utilities (CPAU) had to rely on its reserves more heavily over the past few years to offset rate increases. In order for CPAU to cover its operating costs while maintaining and continuing to provide safe and reliable utility services to customers, rate increases are projected beyond FY 2019. Rate increases will ensure CPAU the ability to replenish depleted reserves and provide funding sufficient to provide for continued increasing expenses for commodity costs and repair and replacement of the City's aging utility infrastructure through various capital projects.

Electric

FY 2019 electric rates are scheduled to increase by 8.0 percent overall to recover costs for increasing transmission costs, new renewable projects coming online, and substantial additional capital investment in the electric distribution system. Electricity purchase costs have increased substantially since FY 2013 as new renewable projects have come online to fulfill the City's environmental goals, and as transmission costs have increased due to improvements being made to the California grid. Projected capital expenses for FY 2018 through FY 2023 are higher in FY 2018 through FY 2021 due to relocation of overhead lines for Caltrain, completion of 4kV to 12kV conversion projects, as well as anticipated Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI) and smart grid implementation. Once these larger, one-time project cost increases are completed, annual Capital Improvement Program (CIP) projects are anticipated to decline back to levels seen in recent years. The forecast also assumes that smart grid costs are funded from the Electric Special Projects Reserves.

Gas

FY 2019 gas rates are scheduled to increase by 4.0 percent in FY 2019 due to increasing capital and operations costs. In the short term, some of the increase in operations costs are related to the crossbore inspection program, but capital improvement program costs have increased substantially as the economy has improved. Future CIP project costs have been revised upwards from prior forecasts to reflect higher bids on gas CIP projects. Commodity costs are the most volatile component of the Gas Utility's expenses, but market prices have been steady and current forecasts project increases of around 1 to 2 percent annually. Gas Utility expenses in general are forecast to increase by roughly 3 to 4 percent annually from FY 2019 to FY 2028. While gas distribution rates were last increased in July 2016, they were not increased to fully

match cost. Instead, reserve funds have been used to phase in rate increases over time. Increases of 7 to 8 percent are projected over the next three years (FY 2020 - FY 2022) to bring revenues in line with projected distribution spending.

Water

FY 2019 water utility rates are scheduled to increase by 4.0 percent due to rising water supply costs and increasing capitals costs. The main driver for the increase over the next several years is the escalating cost of wholesale water and rising construction costs for water main replacements, as well as large one-time capital costs in FY 2019, FY 2020, and FY 2021 related to reservoir rehabilitation and additional costs required to switch water meters to be read automatically with Advanced Metering Infrastructure.

Wastewater Collection

FY 2019 wastewater collection rates are scheduled to increase by 11.0 percent. Capital and operating costs are anticipated to increase for the wastewater collection system. In addition, CPAU anticipates treatment costs to rise over the forecast period due to increasing operating costs and capital replacement needs at the Regional Water Quality Control Plant. As a result, projected rate increases range from 9.0 to 11.0 percent annually through FY 2022 and 3.0 to 4.0 percent annually for FY 2023 and beyond.

Fiber Optics

Fiber optics rates are scheduled to increase by 2.9 percent for customers on the EDF-1 rate schedule in FY 2019. CPAU provides commercial dark fiber optic services within the boundaries of the City. In September 2006, Council approved the Dark Fiber Licensing Agreement allowing the commercial fiber optic fees charged under the EDF-1 and EDF-2 rate schedules to be adjusted annually in accordance with CPI. EDF-1 was a promotional rate and was closed to new Dark Fiber licenses in 2006. Customer expenses for engineering, construction and connection to the fiber optic backbone are charged under the EDF-2 rates. New fiber customers are enrolled under the Dark Fiber Licensing Services Rate Schedule EDF-3. As CPI increases are implemented for the EDF-I rate, some customers may voluntarily choose to move from the EDF-I rate to the EDF-3 rate for cost saving purposes.

PUBLIC WORKS ENTERPRISE FUNDS

Refuse

FY 2019 refuse rates remain unchanged. FY 2020 and 2021 rates are projected to increase at a rate based on consumer price index, which is the end date for all three Refuse Fund related agreements for waste collection, processing and disposal (over \$20 million in annual agreements). In addition, a new Zero Waste Plan Update will be finalized and include initiatives that will help the City continue making progress on its Zero Waste goals to divert 90 percent or more waste from landfills by 2021 and 95 percent by 2030.

Storm Drain

FY 2019 Storm Water Management fee is scheduled to increase by 2.9 percent. The Storm Water Management fee was approved by property owners through a ballot measure in April 2017. The projects and infrastructure component of this fee has a sunset date of June 1, 2032

unless extended through a subsequent ballot measure. The Storm Drainage fund maintains activities that ensure adequate local drainage of the City's storm drainage system. This fund also provides litter reduction, urban pollution prevention programs and flooding emergency response services with the goals of reducing storm water runoff and maintaining storm water quality protection for discharge to creeks and the San Francisco Bay.

Wastewater Treatment

The City's Regional Water Quality Control Plant serves six communities including Palo Alto, East Palo Alto, Mountain View, Stanford, Los Altos and Los Altos Hills. The Wastewater Treatment fund works with the City and Partner Cities' regional service area to protect the environment and the public's health while ensuring compliance with regulations protecting the San Francisco Bay and the environment. FY 2019 revenues in the Wastewater Treatment Fund are expected to increase by \$190,000 or 2.1 percent compared to FY 2018. The majority of the increase resulted from funding sources programmed for FY 2019 - FY 2023 capital improvement expenditures and partner revenue increases outlined in the Wastewater Treatment Fund section of the Public Works Department. The Dewatering and Loadout Facility is on track for completion Winter 2019 and will result in the retirement of the incinerator around the same time, which will change operating expenses for utilities and contract services. Utilities usage for Gas and Electric will decrease and contract expenses to haul and treat sludge will increase.

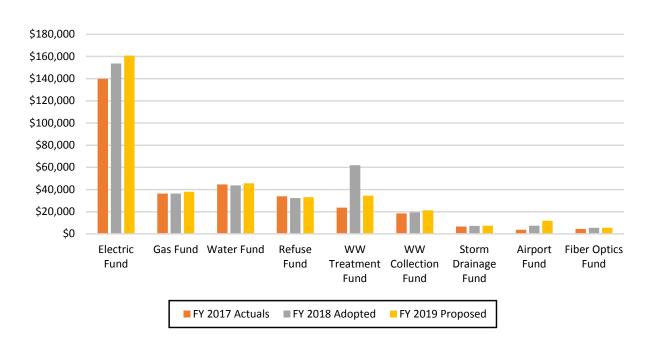
Airport

The City assumed airport operations from Santa Clara County in August of 2014 for the Palo Alto airport, which ranks among the busiest general aviation airports in the country. Under previous terms, the County exercised the right to sublease to Fixed Base Operators (FBOs) with agreements that expired in April 2017 and the City worked on signing new lease agreements. As a result of new lease agreements signed, Airport fund revenues from rentals are projected to increase approximately \$38,000 in FY 2019. The airport's Schedule of Fees and Charges are scheduled to increase by 2.9 percent. Expenses are also projected to increase due to major construction projects that incur costs which are 90 percent offset by Federal Aviation Grants. To ensure sufficient funding for operating costs and continued services with minimal service delivery impact, the Airport fund has received loans from the General Fund, totaling\$3.1 million as of FY 2019 since the City took over operations.

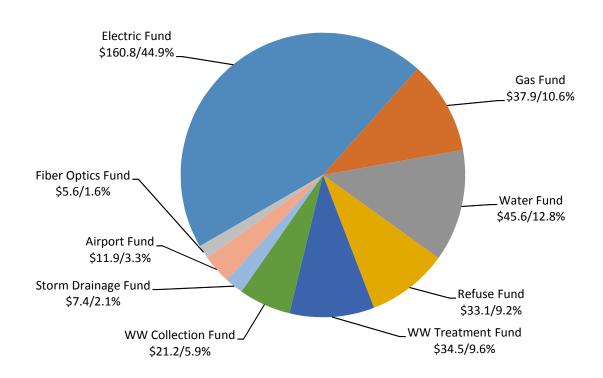
Enterprise Funds Summary

Fund Summary	Electric	Gas	Water	Refuse	Waste- water Treatment	Waste- water Collection	Storm Drainage	Airport	Fiber Optics	
(\$000)	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Total
Revenues										
Charges for Services	230	20	10	34	_	10	118	_	_	422
Charges to Other Funds	294	98	81	213	53	31	_	_	_	770
From Other Agencies	-	-	577	_	_	_	_	9,500	-	10,076
Net Sales	145,449	36,161	42,737	30,110	28,370	19,836	7,128	648	4,990	315,428
Operating Transfers-In	3,664	_	539	_	_	_	_	_	_	4,203
Other Revenue	8,660	1,092	931	2,546	5,838	1,070	_	975	200	21,312
Other Taxes and Fines	_	_	_	_	4	-	3	_	_	7
Rental Income	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	755	-	755
Return on Investments	2,508	526	775	179	199	267	130	2	366	4,952
Total	160,805	37,897	45,651	33,081	34,464	21,213	7,379	11,879	5,556	357,925
Expenses										
Allocated Charges	9,029	4,441	4,614	1,841	6,122	2,601	1,173	526	591	30,938
Contract Services	7,744	2,463	819	6,206	3,008	249	908	259	455	22,110
Debt Service	8,722	803	3,223	196	1,469	129	949	_	-	15,491
Equity Transfer	12,709	6,563	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	19,272
Facilities & Equipment	64	19	17	3	8	13	8	_	2	133
General Expense	3,457	769	667	112	451	125	146	40	14	5,782
Operating Transfers-Out	128	641	486	106	382	294	49	13	114	2,213
Rents & Leases	5,893	760	3,003	2,213	_	420	49	12	79	12,428
Salary & Benefits	15,253	6,482	7,022	2,709	12,430	2,817	1,959	712	1,267	50,650
Supplies & Material	924	489	611	143	2,091	381	95	56	9	4,798
Transfer to Infrastructure	_	-	-	27	_	_	_	_	-	27
Utility Purchase	89,712	14,672	22,620	16,253	_	10,276	_	_	-	153,533
Capital Improvement Program	17,898	5,417	15,073	-	10,187	6,631	4,056	10,768	1,650	71,681
Total	171,533	43,519	58,155	29,808	36,147	23,936	9,392	12,388	4,180	389,057

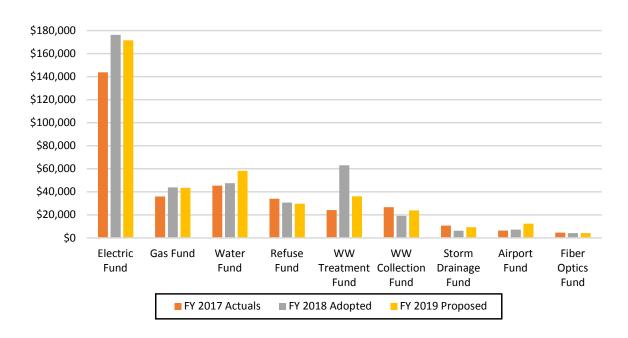
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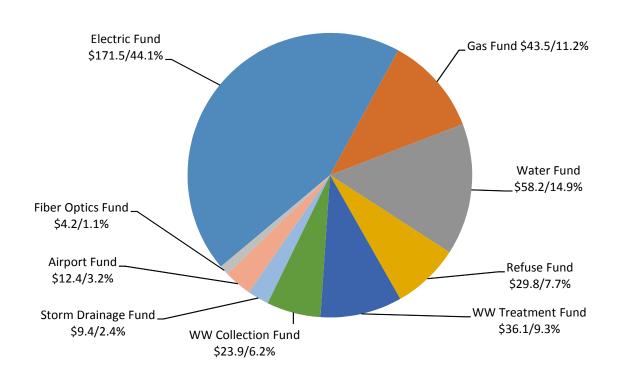


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3 YEAR TREND - ENTERPRISE FUNDS EXPENSES BY FUND (\$THOUSANDS)





ENTERPRISE FUNDS RESERVES

Reserves (\$000)	FY 2018 Projected Ending Balance	FY 2019 Changes	FY 2019 Projected Ending Balance	FY 2019 Reserve Guideline Range
Electric Fund				
Supply Rate Stabilization	0	0	0	
Operations	32,254	696	32,950	28,197 - 56,394
Hydro Stabilization	0	0	0	
Electric Special Projects	41,526	0	41,526	
Public Benefit	739	0	739	
Underground Loan	729	0	729	
Capital Improvement Projects	13,070	(11,424)	1,646	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(27,659)	0	(27,659)	
Subtotal	60,659	(10,728)	49,931	
Gas Fund				
Rate Stabilization	4,810	0	4,810	
Operations	15,463	(3,093)	12,370	7,154 - 14,308
Capital Improvement Projects	4,385	(2,529)	1,856	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(12,505)	0	(12,505)	
Subtotal	12,153	(5,622)	6,531	
Wastewater Collection Fund				
Rate Stabilization	342	0	342	
Operations	6,842	1,630	8,472	5,942 - 14,855
Capital Improvement Projects	3,420	(4,352)	(932)	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(7,019)	0	(7,019)	
Subtotal	3,585	(2,722)	863	

ENTERPRISE FUNDS RESERVES

Reserves (\$000)	FY 2018 Projected Ending Balance	FY 2019 Changes	FY 2019 Projected Ending Balance	FY 2019 Reserve Guideline Range
Water Fund				
Rate Stabilization	0	0	0	
Operations	19,753	953	20,706	6,787-13573
Capital Improvement Projects	6,643	(13,457)	(6,814)	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(11,736)	0	(11,736)	
Subtotal	14,660	(12,504)	2,156	
Refuse Fund				
Rate Stabilization	12,485	3,273	15,758	4,900 - 9,800
Landfill Corrective Action Reserve	728	0	728	
Capital Improvement Projects	0	0	0	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(4,905)	0	(4,905)	
Subtotal	8,308	3,273	11,581	
Storm Drainage Fund				
Rate Stabilization	1,159	1,599	2,758	
Capital Improvement Projects	394	(3,612)	(3,218)	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(2,955)	0	(2,955)	
Subtotal	(1,402)	(2,013)	(3,415)	
Wastewater Treatment Fund				
Emergency Plant Replacement	1,980	0	1,980	1,936 (max.)
Rate Stabilization	14,266	2,586	16,852	3,945 - 7,869
Capital Improvement Projects	18,209	(4,269)	13,940	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(17,383)	0	(17,383)	
Subtotal	17,072	(1,683)	15,389	

ENTERPRISE FUNDS RESERVES

	FY 2018		FY 2019	
Reserves (\$000)	Projected Ending Balance	FY 2019 Changes	Projected Ending Balance	FY 2019 Reserve Guideline Range
Fiber Optics Fund				
Emergency Plant Replacement	1,000	0	1,000	1,000 (min.)
Rate Stabilization	25,676	2,853	28,529	687 - 1,374
Capital Improvement Projects	910	(1,477)	(567)	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(1,701)	0	(1,701)	
Subtotal	25,885	1,376	27,261	
Airport Fund				
Fund Reserves	(2,015)	546	(1,469)	
Capital Improvement Projects	4,505	(1,055)	3,450	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(394)	0	(394)	
Subtotal	2,096	(509)	1,587	
TOTAL RESERVES	143,016	(31,132)	111,884	
Summary of Reserves				
Emergency Plant Replacement	2,980	0	2,980	
Rate Stabilization	58,738	10,311	69,049	
Operations	74,312	186	74,498	
Capital	51,536	(42,175)	9,361	
Electric Special Projects	41,526	0	41,526	
Public Benefit	739	0	739	
Underground Loan	729	0	729	
Landfill Corrective Action Reserve	728	0	728	
Fund Reserves	(2,015)	546	(1,469)	
GASB 68 Pension Reserve	(86,257)	0	(86,257)	
TOTAL RESERVES	143,016	(31,132)	111,884	
Landfill Closure and Postclosure Care Liability	10,997	0	10,997	
TOTAL RESERVES AND FULLY- FUNDED LIABILITY	154,013	(31,132)	122,881	

RESIDENTIAL MONTHLY UTILITY COST INFORMATION

Utility	Adjusted FY2018 Bill	Proposed FY2019 Bill	\$ Difference	% Difference
Electric	51.81	56.07	4.26	8.2%
Water	84.27	87.11	2.84	3.4%
Gas	39.09	40.72	1.63	4.2%
Wastewater	34.83	38.66	3.83	11.0%
Refuse	50.07	50.07	0.00	0.0%
Storm Drain	13.65	14.05	0.40	2.9%
User Tax	8.76	9.20	0.44	5.0%
Total Monthly Bill	282.48	295.88	13.40	4.7%





INTERNAL SERVICE FUNDS OVERVIEW

Internal Service Funds Overview

Internal Service Funds provide services to City departments and recover their costs through user charges. Charges for employee benefits (health, pension, life insurance, etc.) and workers' compensation are reflected in the departments' salary and benefit accounts. The remaining user charges are included in the 'allocated charges' expenditure category within each department or fund.

As a one-time strategy in Fiscal Year 2019 the allocated charges to other City departments and funds were reduced for both Workers' Compensation and General Liability. Over the past few years, fund balance has accumulated in each of these funds. Since the revenue source for these funds is other funds and departments, the charges were able to be reduced. This one-time draw on accumulated fund balance is not sustainable, and is only recommended on a one-time basis. These reductions are reflected in each of the department sections in the 'Budget Summary' and the 'Budget Reconciliation', most notably in the 'Dollars by Category' section.

GENERAL BENEFITS FUND

This fund reflects costs for a variety of employee benefits including pension, health, dental, vision, and life insurance. Funds are also included for payments made to employees who elect to waive healthcare coverage under a City plan because they have other coverage. As discussed in the overview of this fund that appears in the 'Employee Information' section, costs for employee health benefits as well as pension benefits are projected to increase in Fiscal Year 2019 and will be allocated out to departments and funds in proportion to their share. In addition, the FY 2019 Proposed Budget continues past practice of contributing to the City's irrevocable IRS Section 115 Pension Trust Fund. The General Benefits Fund displays the transfers in from various funds as well as the total Section 115 Pension Trust Fund contribution.

GENERAL LIABILITIES INSURANCE PROGRAM FUND

This fund reflects costs for the City's General Liability Insurance Program. In Fiscal Year 2019, costs are projected to increase compared to the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget based on an actuarial analysis of the City's liability costs over the past few years and in order to provide an 85% confidence level in the funding levels of the fund. This will ensure that the General Liabilities Insurance Program fund has the necessary resources to deal with unforeseen claims. The allocation of these charges is reevaluated annually as part of the budget process to ensure that sufficient resources are available and that the fund balance is maintained at an appropriate level.

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PRINTING AND MAILING SERVICES FUND

This fund reflects costs for central copying, printing, and mailing services provided to City departments. An overview of the Fund is included in the 'Administrative Services Department' section of this document.

RETIREE HEALTH BENEFITS FUND

This fund reflects costs for medical insurance provided to retired City employees. In addition, this fund includes payments for the unfunded liability for future medical benefits that will be provided to current and future retirees. An overview of the Fund is included in the 'Employee Information' section of this document, and a City Manager Report discussing the June 30, 2017 valuation prepared by the outside actuarial consultant will be transmitted separately for discussion.

TECHNOLOGY FUND

This fund reflects costs associated with citywide Information Technology (IT) activities. IT staff maintain critical desktop, software, and infrastructure replacements and maintenance activities for all City departments, including the Utilities Department. The overview for the Information Technology Department contains information about projects and activities for Fiscal Year 2019.

VEHICLE REPLACEMENT AND MAINTENANCE FUND

This fund reflects costs for providing maintenance and replacement of vehicles and equipment used by City departments. In Fiscal Year 2019, \$8.3 million is allocated for vehicles and equipment that are due for replacement. Of the \$8.3 million, \$4.4 million is for the continuation of projects approved by City Council in prior fiscal years. The 2019-2023 Capital Improvement Program (CIP) reflects funding totaling \$23.4 million over the next five years for vehicle replacements. The current reserve balance in the Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund reflects funding allocated from City departments and committed to this five year plan.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION FUND

This fund reflects costs for the City's Workers' Compensation program. In Fiscal Year 2019, costs are projected to increase slightly compared to the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget based on an actuarial analysis of the City's workers' compensation costs over the past few years and in order to provide an 85% confidence level in the funding levels of the fund. This will ensure that the Workers' Compensation Fund has the necessary resources to deal with unforeseen claims. The allocation of these charges is reevaluated annually as part of the budget process to ensure that sufficient resources are available and that the fund balance is maintained at an appropriate level.

Internal Service Funds Summary

Fund Summary (\$000)	Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund	Technology Fund	Printing and Mailing Services	General Benefits Fund	Workers' Compensation Program Fund	General Liabilities Insurance Program Fund	Retiree Health Benefit Fund	Total
Revenues								
Charges to Other Funds	9,014	14,571	1,566	_	_	1,977	_	27,128
Operating Transfers-In	_	2,321	-	1,992	_	5	2,197	6,515
Other Revenue	155	33	-	61,362	3,764	41	13,800	79,154
Return on Investments	178	441	-	16	16	23	59	734
Total	9,347	17,366	1,567	63,369	3,780	2,046	16,056	113,531
Expenses								
Allocated Charges	1,353	1,440	277	_	_	_	_	3,070
Contract Services	507	5,647	115	221	7	72	_	6,568
Facilities & Equipment	_	870	-	_	_	_	_	870
General Expense	71	500	287	_	650	2,913	_	4,421
Operating Transfers- Out	198	100	8	2,197	2	_	_	2,505
Rents & Leases	195	374	508	_	_	_	_	1,077
Salary & Benefits	2,246	7,907	214	61,684	5,444	_	16,059	93,554
Supplies & Material	1,339	85	80	_	_	_	_	1,504
Transfer to Infrastructure	540	_	_	_	_	_	_	540
Capital Improvement Program	8,267	4,208	-	-	_	_	_	12,474
Total	14,715	21,132	1,488	64,102	6,103	2,985	16,059	126,583







Overview

Special Revenue Funds have revenues with either restrictions on their use or special reporting requirements, such as development impact fees for community centers, libraries, parks, public facilities, and transportation; gas tax revenues from the state; housing mitigation fees assessed on commercial and industrial projects; in-lieu fees for the City's Below Market Rate (BMR) housing program; transportation mitigation fees paid by developers; parking in-lieu fees from commercial projects in the downtown area; parking permit revenues; and Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) from the federal government.

PUBLIC ART FUND

Administered by the Community Services Department, the Public Art Fund was created in Fiscal Year 2014 to support the City's Public Art Program. The program seeks to increase the public's daily exposure to art through the commissioning and acquisition of a diverse range of artworks integrated into the City's urban environment. The Public Art Program strives to build the City's reputation as a dynamic public art locale with works of diverse styles, disciplines, and the highest aesthetic standards. Funding for the Public Art Program is determined by the Municipal Code's direction of 1 percent for Art in Private Development. Construction projects in excess of 10,000 square feet that require Architectural Review and have an estimated construction value of more than \$200,000 have the option of commissioning artwork on the development site equal to the cost of 1 percent of the estimated construction valuation or paying the 1 percent to the Public Art Fund. In Fiscal Year 2019, the projected revenue for the Public Art Fund is \$0.2 million and includes a transfer of \$170,000 from the General Fund to ensure the fund remains financially stable. Additionally, although not accounted for in this fund, the City requires that for certain City-funded projects a 1 percent public art expense is set aside (please refer to the Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan for further detail).

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUNDS

Revenue in this category comes from Development Impact Fees for community centers, libraries, parks, public facilities, and transportation. The Development Impact fees collected from new developments provide funding for the City's infrastructure related to community centers, libraries, parks, public safety facility, general government facilities, and the Charleston-Arastradero Corridor. The projected revenue within the Development Impact Fee Funds is \$0.9 million for Fiscal Year 2019, primarily reflecting anticipated receipts in the Park Impact and Parkland Dedication Funds. The Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan includes a transfer of \$2.4 million in Fiscal Year 2019 from Park Impact Fees for the remaining improvements to Byxbee Park and a \$450,000 transfer from Park Dedication Impact fees for park restroom installations (\$350,000) and the Baylands Athletic Center 10.5 acre expansion plan (\$100,000). Additionally, the Capital Improvement Plan includes a transfer of \$1.0 million in Fiscal Year 2019 from Community Center Impact Fees for renovations to the Junior Museum and Zoo (JMZ) and a \$507,000 transfer from Transportation Impact Fees for upgrades to traffic signal and intelligent transportation systems. These funds have been reserved for this activity.

Annually, the Administrative Services Department issues a report of the activities in these funds including the remaining balances within them. The FY 2017 annual report ending June 30, 2017,

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is included in City Council Staff Report #8753 found here: https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/62814.

STREET IMPROVEMENT FUNDS (SIF)

Revenue in this category comes from the state gas tax including estimated receipts from the recently approved S.B.1 transportation funds and from federal and state grants earmarked for street improvements. These funds are used for transportation and traffic-related capital projects. Based on preliminary estimates from the State Department of Finance, the projected revenues are estimated to be \$2.9 million for Fiscal Year 2019. This level of receipts is \$1.5 million higher than the Fiscal Year 2018 level of \$1.4 million as result of adjustments to Highway Users Tax Account (HUTA) allocations and the new S.B. 1 transportation funding bill, effective July, 1, 2017. The first full year of S.B.1 funding will occur in Fiscal Year 2019 and is anticipated to allocate a total of \$1.1 million in revenue from the Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA) and \$80,000 from State General Fund loan repayments.

In Fiscal Year 2019, \$2.5 million is programmed to be transferred to the Capital Improvement Fund for various citywide transportation projects that include various projects for street maintenance and safe routes to school. This level is maintained through the Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan in order to achieve the City's goal of reaching a citywide average Pavement Condition Index (PCI) score of 85 by 2019. In addition, the total receipt of \$1.1 million in S.B. 1 funding is programmed to be transferred to the Capital Improvement Fund to the Charleston/Astradero project to reconfigure the corridor to enhance pedestrian and bicycle safety and reduce motor vehicle congestion. In April 2018, the City Council approved this use of the Fiscal Year 2019 S.B. 1 funds.

FEDERAL AND STATE REVENUE FUNDS

The Federal and State Revenue Funds consist primarily of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. CDBG funds are grants from the U.S. Housing and Urban Development Department (HUD). They are used for a wide variety of community projects such as affordable housing, public services, and project expenditures. CDBG project expenditures draw upon program income and prior year allocations that have been unspent. The Fiscal Year 2019 draft action plan includes agency requests totaling \$680,000 and a total budget of \$578,000 as presented and approved by the Finance Committee on April 3, 2018. Staff intends to bring the Fiscal Year 2019 Action Plan for Council approval in May 2018, in order to finalize and submit the final application to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) by the May 15, 2019 deadline.

The Fiscal Year 2019 draft action plan is included in Council Staff Report #9027 and can be found here: https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/64248.

HOUSING IN-LIEU FUNDS

In-lieu housing revenues come from fees required of commercial, industrial, and residential developers. These fees are used to provide housing for the City's Subsidized Housing Program. For Fiscal Year 2019, \$2.7 million in in-lieu fees are anticipated. These estimates remain constant from Fiscal Year 2018 and are based on historical tracking and Planning and Community Environment (PCE) staff projections.

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Annually, the Administrative Services Department issues a report of the activities in these funds including the remaining balances within them. The FY 2017 annual report ending June 30, 2017, is included in City Council Staff Report #8753 found here: https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/62814. As of June, 30, 2017, approximately \$12.5 million remained available in these funds.

SPECIAL DISTRICTS FUNDS

Special District Funds reflect the combined financial activity of the following funds: University Avenue Parking District Fund, California Avenue Parking District Fund, and Residential Parking Permit Fund. This grouping does not include any Assessment District Funds. Revenue in these funds, generated from parking permits, is used for maintenance, repair, and beautification of parking facilities and public areas within the University and California Avenue business districts and Residential Parking Permit (RPP) costs. As of Fiscal Year 2019, five neighborhoods are active in the RPP program to mitigate parking congestion in Palo Alto neighborhoods: College Terrace, Downtown, Evergreen Park/Mayfield, Crescent Park, and SouthGate.

In Fiscal Year 2019, it is anticipated that Parking Funds will be able to meet near-team cash flow needs. Therefore, increases to current permits throughout the City are recommended to increase at the 2.6% annual escalator rate for general increases in annual costs. This would increase annual permits in the Downtown core from \$730 to \$750 per year, and the California Avenue Business District from \$365 to \$375 per year. A complete list of fees and fee changes can be found in the Fiscal Year 2019 Municipal Fee Schedule.

This Fiscal Year 2019 Proposed Budget includes the following significant expense proposals. In consideration of vacancies in current key positions, the Fiscal Year 2019 budget reflects a maintenance of current efforts while the City works to evaluate resources and programs. Most critical in the upcoming year is the investment in a parking permit system to scale current programs to manageable levels.

- Reallocations to align staffing with the volume of work necessary for administering various parking programs. A net increase of 0.95 positions are recommended within these funds, reflecting a shift of staff resources from the implementation of Traffic and Transportation capital projects to the operational management of these programs (\$166,000);
- Add 0.48 part-time Administrative Specialist II to provide customer support services during the implementation and transition to the new parking management software system (6-12 months, \$19,000 one-time);
- Increase expense allocation to contract services to assist in administering parking programs despite vacancies in staffing (\$300,000);
- Maintain funding to the Transportation Management Association (TMA) to support the reduction of single occupancy vehicle rates (SOV) in Palo Alto (\$480,000);
- Revise valet parking contract services to discontinue regular services in University Avenue garages and lots and provide temporary services during the construction of new garages at University and California Avenue (net \$11,000);

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS OVERVIEW

- Increase contract service funding for janitorial services to University Avenue lots and garages in accordance with the recent agreement approved by City Council on August 14, 2018 (\$148,000);
- Increase contract services funding for the collection and synthesis of parking occupancy data (\$127,000); and
- Capital improvement investments in FY 2019 through a net transfer of \$2.7 million to the General Capital Improvement Fund. Major projects funded in FY 2019 include: Downtown Automated Parking Guidance Systems (APGS), Access Controls, and Revenue Collections Equipment (\$1.1 million); Parking Management and System Implementation (\$1.0 million); High Street Parking Garage Waterproofing Study (\$300,000), Parking Lot J Elevator Modernization (\$50,000); and Downtown Parking Wayfinding (\$280,000). Additional project details can be found in the FY 2019 - 2023 Adopted Capital Improvement Plan.

On April 11, 2017, the City Council received the City of Palo Alto Downtown Parking Management Study that examined all of the City's current, planned, and potential parking management strategies, including paid parking, within Downtown Palo Alto. As directed by the City Council, staff has worked to develop potential strategies for the organization and scaling of a comprehensive parking strategy. The anticipated reorganization and scaling of parking activities necessary to implement and maintain a comprehensive parking strategy, including a paid parking program, may require up-front financial and staff resource investments resulting in forecasts that show a net gap between anticipated revenues and expenses in future periods. However, it is important to note that these forecasts assume that paid parking fees are assessed for on-street and surface lot parking in the Downtown area.

The ability of the funds to meet future cash flow needs will be significantly impacted by existing projects in the pipeline and the design and complexity of the elements of the comprehensive parking strategy, including permit pricing. In the upcoming year staff will actively engage the City Council, Committees, and the community to develop a comprehensive parking road map. In order to strategically manage existing projects and programs in the pipeline and to enact a comprehensive parking strategy, a pause on new projects and initiatives is recommended in the upcoming fiscal year to allow staff to fill critical vacancies and assess the various programs.

Parking initiatives and investments not appropriated in this Fiscal Year 2019 Budget but anticipated on the horizon, including the projected start date and estimated costs, are detailed below:

- Parking Garage LED lighting upgrades (FY 2019 2020, \$600,000 to \$1.0 million);
- Centralize parking operations within the City of Palo Alto (ongoing, to be determined); and
- On-Street and Surface Lot Paid Parking Program (FY 2019 Downtown only, \$1.5 million to \$2.2 million);

This is not intended to be a comprehensive list, nor does it outline the ongoing costs of these investments. This analysis will continue to be refined and brought before City Council for decisions as appropriate.

TRAFFIC MITIGATION AND PARKING IN-LIEU FUNDS

Traffic mitigation fee revenue is derived from fees paid by developers of new, non-residential projects to alleviate additional traffic congestion resulting from new development. Parking inlieu fees result from commercial projects in assessment district areas, which contribute a fee for future parking spaces in lieu of providing the required spaces within the project area itself. For Fiscal Year 2019, \$0.5 million in traffic mitigation and parking in-lieu fees are anticipated. These estimates remain steady with FY 2018 revenues and are based on historical tracking and PCE staff projections. The Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan includes a transfer of \$6.9 million in Fiscal Year 2019 for the new public parking garage in the University Avenue commercial area, street maintenance (\$900,000), and traffic signals (\$500,000).

PUBLIC BENEFIT FUNDS

Revenue in these funds is a result of a senior housing project on Hamilton Avenue and contributions and mitigation fees paid for Planned Community Zone approvals. The Hamilton Avenue funds will continue to be used by Avenidas (formerly Senior Coordinating Council) to provide services to seniors.

DOWNTOWN BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT (BID)

The Downtown Business Improvement District (BID) was established by an ordinance adopted in January 2004 to promote the downtown business community through a variety of efforts including beautification, advocacy, and marketing. The BID continually surveys its member businesses to determine what its priorities should be. Priorities identified as part of the Fiscal Year 2017-2018 plan were street cleanliness and creating a safe downtown. New events have been implemented to bring business downtown and new communications tools, such as social media and downtown walking maps, are available. Other programs that help keep Downtown Palo Alto safe, spotless, and successful will advance as the Palo Alto Business and Professional Association continues to operate the Downtown Palo Alto BID for Fiscal Year 2019.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER (SUMC)

In 2011, the City of Palo Alto entered into a Development Agreement between the City of Palo Alto and the Stanford University Medical Center Parties (SUMC). Funds received in Fiscal Year 2012 as part of this agreement were used in Fiscal Years 2013, 2014, and beyond as outlined in the agreement and approved by the City Council. In Fiscal Year 2018, the City received the final payment of \$11.8 million, for a total amount of \$44.3 million over the course of the development agreement. The funds received per the development agreement are allocated for specific purposes, which include funding for the City Council approved Infrastructure Plan. As outlined in the agreement, expenses and revenues for each category must be accounted for separately.

Annually PCE issues a report of activities during the prior period for Council review to ensure compliance with the agreement. The annual report for the 2015-2016 period is included in City Council Staff Report #8249 found here: https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/60896.

Community Health and Safety: Funds are to be distributed to selected community health programs that benefit residents of the City. The projected FY 2019 beginning balance in this cate-

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gory is \$2.7 million. The Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan includes a transfer of \$11,200 in Fiscal Year 2019 to pilot traffic signal preemption for emergency vehicles.

Stanford Hospital Expansion Cost Mitigation: Funds are being held in this category for the purpose of assuring that City costs associated with the project do not exceed revenues to the City. The projected FY 2019 beginning balance for this category is \$2.8 million.

Intermodal Transit: Funds are to enhance the pedestrian and bicycle connection from the Transit Center to the El Camino/Quarry Road intersection. The projected FY 2019 beginning balance in this category is \$1.2 million. There are no planned transfers in Fiscal Year 2019 to the Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan.

Quarry Road Improvements: Funds are to improve and enhance the public right-of-way at the pedestrian and bicycle connection from El Camino to Welch Road along Quarry Road. Beginning FY 2019 there is no longer fund balance in this category. Remaining funding for Quarry Road Improvements and Transit Center Access will be expended from the Intermodal Transit Fund in future periods, consistent with the development agreement and recognizing cost increases incurred as a result of Quarry Road delays and mobilization of two separate projects rather than one combined project as originally planned.

Infrastructure, Sustainable Neighborhoods and Communities, and Affordable Housing: Funds in this category are to be used in connection with infrastructure, sustainable neighborhoods and communities, and affordable housing. The projected FY 2019 beginning balance in this category is \$10.4 million. The Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan includes a transfer of \$9.1 million for the new public parking garage in the University Avenue commercial area.

Climate Change: Funds are to be used for projects and programs for a sustainable community, including programs identified in the City's Climate Action Plan. The projected FY 2019 beginning balance for this category is \$2.7 million. The Fiscal Year 2019 - 2023 Capital Improvement Plan includes \$1.2 million in Fiscal Year 2019 for the Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan-Implementation Project.

A detailed presentation of the Stanford University Medical Center funding for Fiscal Year 2019 follows below.

Special Revenue Summary by Fund Type

Fund Summary (\$000)	Public Art Fund	Com. Dev. Funds	Bus. Improv. District	Housing In-Lieu Funds	Street Improv. Fund	Federal & State Rev. Funds	Special District Funds	Traffic Mitig. & Parking In-Lieu Funds	Stan. Univ. Medical Center Fund	Total
Revenues										
Charges for Services	35	673	_	_	_	_	_	276	_	984
From Other Agencies	_	_	_	_	2,891	393	_	_	_	3,283
Net Sales	_	_	_	_	_	_	1,921	_	_	1,921
Operating Transfers-In	170	_	_	_	_	_	354	_	_	524
Other Revenue	_	_	_	2,345	_	136	_	_	_	2,481
Other Taxes and Fines	_	_	_	_	_	_	333	_	_	333
Permits and Licenses	_	_	_	_	_	_	2,474	_	_	2,474
Property Taxes	_	_	140	_	-	_	_	_	_	140
Rental Income	_	_	_	9	_	_	_	_	_	9
Return on Investments	2	219	2	428	13	2	27	198	296	1,185
Total	207	892	142	2,782	2,904	530	5,109	474	296	13,335
Expenses										
Allocated Charges	1	_	_	_	_	1	269	_	_	272
Contract Services	_	_	_	269	_	_	2,467	_	_	2,736
General Expense	1	_	148	53	_	505	528	2,200	_	3,435
Operating Transfers-Out	2	15	_	1	364	_	132	_	_	513
Salary & Benefits	185	_	_	53	_	72	1,274	_	_	1,585
Supplies & Material	_	-	_	_	_	_	121	_	_	121
Transfer to Infrastructure	_	3,876	_	_	2,541	_	2,730	6,947	10,283	26,377
Total	189	3,891	148	376	2,904	578	7,522	9,147	10,283	35,039

Consolidated Special Revenue Funds

Fund Summary (\$000)	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
REVENUES						
Gas Tax	1,461	1,304	1,416	2,891	1,475	104.7
Federal & State Grants	126	_	-	_	_	_
Federal CDBG	240	803	379	393	14	3.69
Housing In-Lieu	4,882	2,234	2,150	2,150	_	_
Traffic Mitigation Fees	484	376	467	276	(191)	(40.90)
Developer Impact Fees	1,893	736	1,479	673	(806)	(54.50)
Parking Mitigation Fees	3,221	3,282	4,407	4,728	321	7.28
BID Assessment	100	97	140	140	_	_
SUMC	_	_	_	_	_	_
Interest Income	1,756	1,526	1,100	1,185	85	7.73
Other Revenue	583	898	460	375	(85)	(18.48)
Subtotal Revenue	14,746	11,256	11,998	12,811	813	6.78
Transfers In						
General Fund	713	443	426	453	27	6.34
Technology Fund	12	12	21	24	3	14.29
Utility Admin Fund	24	24	48	47	(1)	(2.08)
Subtotal Operating Transfers In	749	479	495	524	29	5.86
Total Source of Funds	15,495	11,735	12,493	13,335	842	6.74
EXPENDITURES						
General Expense	4,909	4,306	19,875	8,149	(11,726)	(59.00)
SUMC	1,074	33	_	_	_	_
Subtotal Expenditures	5,983	4,339	19,875	8,149	(11,726)	(59.00)
Transfers Out						
General Fund	422	461	480	500	20	4.22
Capital Project Fund	5,675	14,865	9,881	26,377	16,496	166.95
General Benefits	_	_	22	13	(9)	(41.20)
Refuse Fund	101	_	_	_	_	_
Subtotal Operating Transfers Out	6,198	15,326	10,383	26,890	16,507	158.98
Total Use of Funds	12,181	19,665	30,258	35,039	4,781	15.80
Net To (From) Reserves	3,314	(7,930)	(17,765)	(21,704)	(3,939)	22.17

Community Development Block Grant

Community Development Block Grant Fund	FY 2018 Adjusted Budget	FY 2019 Agency Requests	FY 2019 Proposed Budget
Housing & Urban Development, current year	436,309	-	392,678
Housing & Urban Development, prior years	_	-	-
Prior Year Excess/Reallocation (1)	329,057	-	49,569
Program Income			
Palo Alto Housing Corporation	136,049	-	136,049
TOTAL SOURCE OF FUNDS	901,415	_	578,296
USE OF FUNDS			
Public Service			
Palo Alto Housing Corporation - SRO Resident Support Services	23,327	49,457	24,023
Catholic Charities - Long-Term Care Ombudsman	9,327	10,000	10,000
YWCA/Support Network - Domestic Violence Services	10,000	10,000	10,000
LifeMoves (formerly InnVision) - Opportunity Service Center	37,328	50,000	38,023
Silicon Valley Independent Living - Housing and Emergency Services	5,032	5,032	5,032
Subtotal: Public Service	85,014	124,489	87,078
Planning and Administration			
Project Sentinel/Fair Housing Services	32,012	33,698	32,012
City of Palo Alto - CDBG Administration includes 0.10 FTE & 0.48 Hourly CDBG Administrative Staff	82,460	85,000	73,733
Subtotal: Planning and Administration	114,472	118,698	105,745
Housing, Economic Development, Capital Projects, & Public Facilities			
Downtown Streets Team/Workforce Development	336,400	336,400	331,002
City of Palo Alto - Minor Home Repair Program	145,529	100,000	-
Community Working Group - Opportunity Center Rehabilitation	220,000	-	54,471
Subtotal: Housing, Economic Development & Capital Projects	701,929	436,400	385,473
TOTAL USE OF FUNDS	901,415	679,587	578,296
(1) Funds received in excess of revenue estimate for local program income (prior fiscal years)			

University Avenue Parking Permit Fund

	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Adjusted	FY 2019 Proposed
Revenues			
Permit Sales	2,190,000	2,190,000	2,217,000
Day Passes	312,000	312,000	675,000
Ticket Machine	215,000	215,000	215,000
Transfer from Other Funds for City Share	340,180	340,180	354,000
Investment Income	21,800	21,800	21,800
Total Revenue	3,078,980	3,078,980	3,482,800
Expenditures			
Administration			
Positions	1.18	1.18	1 .30
Salaries & Benefits	154,227	154,227	189,541
Contract Staffing	_	_	182,248
Parking Occupancy Services	_	-	77,031
Miscellaneous Supplies	20,548	20,548	21,048
Ticket Machine (bankcard services, transmission, maintenance)	6,000	6,000	20,790
Subtotal Administration	180,775	180,775	490,658
Maintenance			
Positions	3.87	3.87	3.87
Salaries & Benefits	478,239	478,239	495,785
Supplies	60,090	60,090	60,090
Twinkle/Tree Lights	30,000	30,000	30,000
Maintenance (garage, elevator, fire sprinkler, landscaping)	88,751	88,751	88,751
Custodial (janitorial services, power washing, sweeping)	121,706	121,706	270,519
Steam Cleaning	94,660	94,660	94,660
Subtotal Maintenance	873,446	873,446	1,039,805
Police Patrol			
Positions	0.50	0.50	0.50
Salaries & Benefits	116,296	116,296	121,723
Subtotal Patrols	116,296	116,296	121,723

University Avenue Parking Permit Fund

	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Adjusted	FY 2019 Proposed
Other			
Valet Programs (Lots R, CC, CW, & S)	289,972	289,972	_
Valet Program (Downtown garage construction)	_	_	150,000
Downtown Streets Team	118,744	118,744	118,744
Transportation Management Authority (TMA)	480,000	480,000	480,000
Utilities/Indirect costs	198,560	198,560	224,716
Transfer to GF (PARS trust)	10,802	10,802	5,621
Transfer to CIP Fund	953,084	953,084	2,337,015
Subtotal Other	2,051,162	2,051,162	3,316,096
Total Operating Expenses	3,221,679	3,221,679	4,968,282
Income from Operations	(142,699)	(142,699)	(1,485,482)

California Avenue Parking Permit Fund

	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Adjusted	FY 2019 Proposed
Revenues			
Permit Sales	306,250	306,250	275,625
Day Passes	135,000	135,000	225,000
Investment Income	5,200	5,200	5,200
Total Revenue	446,450	446,450	505,825
Expenditures			
Administration			
Positions	0.62	0.62	0.80
Salaries & Benefits	85,259	85,259	119,941
Miscellaneous Supplies	8,453	8,453	35,620
Contract Staffing	_	_	41,400
Parking Occupancy Services	_	_	17,545
Valet Program	_	_	150,000
Subtotal Administration	93,712	93,712	364,506
Maintenance			
Positions	0.43	0.43	0.43
Salaries & Benefits	65,273	65,273	66,589
Supplies	7,855	7,855	7,855
Garage maintenance	5,255	5,255	5,255
Sweeping Ted Thompson and Cambridge garages	4,008	4,008	4,008
Fire sprinkler maintenance	1,453	1,453	1,453
Steam Cleaning	7,060	7,060	7,060
Landscaping	9,253	9,253	9,253
Facilities repair	637	637	637
Street Sweeping	82,101	82,101	82,101
Subtotal Maintenance	182,895	182,895	184,211
Utilities/Indirect costs	30,620	30,620	32,690
Transfer to GF (PARS trust)	2,499	2,499	1,515
Transfer to CIP Fund	150,000	150,000	138,000
Subtotal Other	183,119	183,119	172,205
Total Operating Expenses	459,726	459,726	720,922
Income from Operations	(13,276)	(13,276)	(215,097)

Stanford Development Agreement Fund

	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed	Change
SOURCE OF FUNDS			
Unrestricted- Community Health and Safety	2,652,673	2,682,708	30,034
Unrestricted- Stanford Hospital Expansion Cost Mitigation	2,735,817	2,755,161	19,343
Unrestricted- Intermodal Transit	1,693,514	1,157,572	(535,942)
Unrestricted- Quarry Road Improvements	4,966	-	(4,966)
Unrestricted- Neighborhoods and Communities and Affordable Housing	2,636,007	10,442,654	7,806,648
Unrestricted- Climate Change	3,845,757	2,673,655	(1,172,102)
Total Beginning Fund Balance	13,568,734	19,711,749	6,143,015
Revenue			
Interest - Community Health and Safety	30,034	40,241	10,206
Interest - Stanford Hospital Expansion Cost Mitigation	19,343	41,327	21,984
Interest - Intermodal Transit	9,092	17,364	8,271
Interest - Neighborhoods/Communities/ Affordable Housing and Affordable Housing	73,315	156,640	83,325
Interest - Climate Change	27,898	40,105	12,207
SUMC Agreement - Neighborhoods and Communities and Affordable Housing	7,733,333	_	(7,733,333)
SUMC Agreement - Climate Change	4,000,000	-	(4,000,000)
Total Revenue	11,893,015	295,676	(11,597,339)
TOTAL SOURCE OF FUNDS	25,461,749	20,007,425	(5,454,324)
USE OF FUNDS			
Transfers Out			
Community Health and Safety: Capital Improvement Fund	_	11,200	11,200
Intermodal Transit: Capital Improvement Fund	545,034	-	(545,034)
Quarry Road Improvements: Capital Improvement Fund	4,966	_	(4,966)
Neighborhood and Communities and Affordable Housing: Capital Improvement Fund	_	9,072,000	9,072,000
Climate Change: Capital Improvement Fund	5,200,000	1,200,000	(4,000,000)
Total Transfers	5,750,000	10,283,200	4,533,200
Total Expenditures	5,750,000	10,283,200	4,533,200

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Stanford Development Agreement Fund

	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed	Change
Ending Fund Balance			
Unrestricted- Community Health and Safety	2,682,708	2,711,748	29,041
Unrestricted- Stanford Hospital Expansion Cost Mitigation	2,755,161	2,796,488	41,327
Unrestricted- Intermodal Transit	1,157,572	1,174,935	17,364
Unrestricted- Quarry Road Improvements	_	-	-
Unrestricted- Neighborhoods and Communities and Affordable Housing	10,442,654	1,527,294	(8,915,360)
Unrestricted- Climate Change	2,673,655	1,513,759	(1,159,895)
Total Ending Fund Balance	19,711,749	9,724,255	(9,987,524)
TOTAL USE OF FUNDS	25,461,749	20,007,425	(5,454,324)





Debt Service Funds Overview

CITY OF PALO ALTO DEBT POLICY

The City of Palo Alto recognizes the need for spending a prudent amount every year for ongoing capital replacement and rehabilitation needs. An ongoing capital improvement plan is vital to ensuring the future viability of services. To achieve this priority, the City funds its regular and ongoing capital needs primarily on a "pay-as-you-go" basis. There are, however, special or extraordinary capital improvement projects, refinancing of existing debt, and purchase of major and multiple pieces of equipment in which it is appropriate to consider debt financing. The City's Debt Policy establishes the guidelines to support the decision-making process for issuing debt.

DEBT POLICY GUIDELINES

The City's Debt Policy provides guidelines for refinancing existing debt; detailing the responsibilities of City staff engaged in issuing debt; delineating the debt instruments or vehicles (e.g. General Obligation Bonds or Certificates of Participation) the City can utilize; and describing situations in which tax-exempt and taxable debt can be used. The depth and breadth of the policy serve to guide current and future staff. Below are highlights of the Debt Policy guidelines for the use of debt and other financing.

A. Debt may be judiciously used when some or all of the following conditions exist:

- Estimated future revenue is sufficient to ensure the payment of annual debt service.
- Other financing options have been explored and are not viable for the timely or economic acquisition or completion of a capital project.
- A capital project is mandated by federal or state authorities with no other viable funding option available.
- The capital project or asset lends itself to debt financing rather than pay-as-you-go funding based on the expected useful life of the project.
- Debt will not be used to fund ongoing operating expenses of the City except for situations in which cash flow problems arise and the City may need to issue short-term Tax or Revenue Anticipation Notes.
- Annual debt service shall not exceed 10 percent of annual operating expenses for the General Fund unless an exception is approved by City Council. For all other City funds annual debt service shall not exceed 15 percent of annual operating expenses unless an exception is approved by City Council.
- B. Minimize borrowing costs by:

- Maximizing the use of existing resources for capital projects and equipment needs.
- Issuing tax-exempt debt except in instances where IRS regulations require taxable bonds.
- Striving to obtain the highest credit ratings possible.
- Maintaining a competitive bid process on bond sales except for situations in which negotiated or private placement sales meet City objectives. In negotiated or private placement sales, City staff will work with its Municipal Advisor (aka Financial Advisor) to review proposed interest rates and proposed fees.
- Ensuring that the type of debt and debt structure developed ensure advantageous marketing of each issue.

C. Linking debt to appropriate revenue sources and project users:

- When possible, tie project financing directly to users of a specific facility or use. Examples include renovation of the Golf Course where user fees can offset debt service or replacing gas mains where gas rates can be increased to cover debt expense.
- Debt financing in the Enterprise Funds so as to avoid significant spikes in user rates by smoothing out costs over time.

In addition to capital projects, the City can finance essential equipment and vehicles. These assets range from public safety vehicles to utility equipment. The underlying asset must have a minimum useful life of three years. Short-term financings, including loans and capital lease purchase agreements, are executed to meet such needs. It has been the City's practice to fund these purchases with existing resources; however, debt financing flexibility for future needs remains an option.

Also, the Chief Financial Officer or Director of Administrative Services, supported by Treasury Division, will periodically evaluate its existing debt and execute refinancings when economically beneficial. A refinancing may include the issuance of bonds to refund existing bonds or the issuance of bonds in order to refund other obligations. A net present value analysis, both in dollar and percentage terms, will be conducted to determine whether a re-financing is optimal. As a "rule of thumb," a minimum 3 percent net present value savings will be used as a basis to begin re-financing efforts. As with new debt, all refinancings must be approved by City Council.

In September 2016, the state legislature adopted Senate Bill (SB) 1029 (Hertzberg), amending Government Code section 8855 to place additional reporting obligations on issuers of public debt, effective January 1, 2017. The amendments require an issuer to certify that they have adopted a debt policy concerning the use of debt and that the proposed debt issuance is consistent with that Policy. Though the City's Debt Policy prior to this legislation and practice substantially complied with the new requirements, minor updates to the Debt Policy were approved by the City Council in April 2017, to explicitly comply with SB 1029 requirements. This statue also added additional reporting requirement to the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission (CDIAC) such as the submission of annual report for any issue of debt.

LEGAL DEBT LIMIT

Based upon the assessed valuation of \$32.0 billion for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, the City is limited to general obligation indebtedness of \$1.13 billion. As of June 30, 2017, the amount of debt applicable to the debt limit is \$63.7 million, which is well below its legal debt limit. The

debt amount is related to the voter approved General Obligation Bonds to renovate and build out the City's libraries including the Mitchell Park Library and Community Center.

DEBT OBLIGATIONS

Summaries of the City of Palo Alto debt activity for Fiscal Year 2018 are provided in the following section.

DEBT OBLIGATION DESCRIPTIONS

2002B Downtown Parking Improvement Project Certificates of Participation (COPs)

On January 16, 2002, the City issued \$3.6 million of COPs to finance the construction of certain improvements to the non-parking area contained in the City's Bryant/Florence Garage complex. Due to lower construction costs, \$0.9 million in par bonds were paid off early in January 2005. Principal payments are due annually on March 1 and interest payments semi-annually on March 1 and September 1, and are payable from lease revenues received by the Corporation from the City's available funds.

As of June 30, 2018, these bonds will be refinanced with expected present value saving of \$269,500 and \$0.6 million principal and \$29,800 interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds with final payment still occurring in Fiscal Year 2022.

2010A and 2013A General Obligation (GO) Bonds:

On June 30, 2010, the City issued the first series of \$55.3 million and on June 26, 2013 the second series of \$20.6 million of GO bonds to finance costs for constructing a new Mitchell Park Library and Community Center, as well as substantial improvements to the Main Library and the Downtown Library. Principal payments are due annually on August 1 and interest payments semi-annually on February 1 and August 1 from 2 percent to 5 percent, and are payable from property tax revenues.

As of June 30, 2018, for the above 2010 and 2013 bonds, \$45.8 million and \$16.3 million principal and \$28.5 million and \$9.1 million interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2041 and Fiscal Year 2042, respectively.

2011 Golf Course Master Lease-Purchase Agreement

On August 2, 2011, the City entered into a master lease-purchase agreement with JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A. to finance redemption of the 1998 Golf Course COPs. The lease is secured by a first priority security interest in fourteen Fire Department emergency vehicles. Lease proceeds were \$3.2 million. Principal payments are due annually on September 1 and interest payments are due semi-annually on September 1 and March 1 at a rate of 2.49 percent, payable from General Fund revenues.

As of June 30, 2018, there will be \$0.4 million in principal and \$5,302 in interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2019.

1995 Utility Revenue Bonds, Series A

The City issued Utility Revenue Bonds on February 1, 1995 to finance certain extensions and improvements to the City's Storm Drainage and Surface Water systems. The bonds are special

obligations of the City payable solely from and secured by a pledge of and lien upon the revenues derived by the City from the funds, services, and facilities of all Enterprise Funds except the Refuse Fund and the Fiber Optics Fund. Principal payments are payable annually on June 1, and interest payments semi-annually on June 1 and December 1. A \$2.9 million 6.25 percent term bond is due June 1, 2020. In lieu of a reserve fund, the Bonds are secured by a Surety Bond issued by AMBAC Indemnity Corporation.

The pledge of future Net Revenues for the above funds ends upon repayment of the \$1.3 million principal and \$118,438 interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2020.

1999 Utility Revenue and Refunding Bonds, Series A

The City issued Utility Revenue Bonds on June 1, 1999 to refund the 1990 Utility Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series A and the 1992 Utility Revenue Bonds, Series A, and to finance rehabilitation of the Wastewater Treatment System's two sludge incinerators. The 1990 Utility Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series A and the 1992 Utility Revenue Bonds, Series A, were subsequently retired. The 1999 Bonds are special obligations of the City payable solely from and secured by a pledge of and lien upon certain net revenues derived by the City's Sewer System and its storm and surface water system (the "Storm Drain System"). As of June 30, 2001, the 1999 Bonds had been allocated to and were repayable from net revenues of the following enterprise funds: Wastewater Collection (10.2 percent), Wastewater Treatment (64.6 percent) and Storm Drain (25.2 percent). Principal payments are payable annually on June 1, and interest payments semiannually on June 1 and December 1. In lieu of a reserve fund, the bonds are secured by a Surety Bond issued by AMBAC Indemnity Corporation.

The pledge of future Net Revenues for the above funds ends upon repayment of the \$8.3 million principal and \$1.7 million interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds as of June 30, 2018, with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2024.

2007 Electric System Clean Renewable Energy Tax Credit Bonds:

On November 1, 2007 the City issued \$1.5 million of Electric Utility Clean Renewable Energy Tax Credit Bonds (CREBS), 2007 Series A, to finance the City's photovoltaic solar panel project. The bonds do not bear interest. In lieu of receiving periodic interest payments, bondholders are allowed federal income tax credit in an amount equal to a credit rate for such CREBS multiplied by the outstanding principal amount of the CREBS owned by the bondholders. The bonds are payable solely from and secured solely by a pledge of the Net Revenues of the Electric system and other funds pledged therefore under the Indenture.

The pledge of future Electric Fund Net Revenues ends upon repayment of the \$0.4 million as the remaining debt service on the bonds as of June 30, 2018 with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2022.

2009 Water Revenue Bonds, Series A

On October 6, 2009, the City issued Water Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$35.5 million to finance certain improvements to the City's water utility system. Principal payments are due annually on June 1, and interest payments are due semi-annually on June 1 and December 1, from 1.80 percent to 5.95 percent. The final debt service payment will be made in 2035. When

these bonds were issued they were designated as 'Direct Payment Build America Bonds' under the provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 ('Build America Bonds'). The City expected to receive a cash subsidy payment from the United States Treasury equal to 35 percent of the interest payable on the 2009 bonds, however, due to the United States federal government budget (sequestration) cuts in calendar year 2013, the receipts are 32 percent of interest payable. The lien on the 1995 Bonds on the Net Revenues is senior to the lien on Net Revenues securing the 2009 Bonds and the 2002 Bonds. The City received subsidy payments amounting to \$518,977, which represents 33 percent of the two interest payments due on June 1, 2016 and December 1, 2016.

The pledge of future Net Revenues of the above funds ends upon repayment of the \$27.7 million principal and \$15.9 million interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds as of June 30, 2017 with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2035.

2007 State Water Resources Loan

In October 2007, the City approved the \$9.0 million loan agreement with State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to finance the City's Mountain View/Moffett Area Reclaimed Water Pipeline Project. Under the terms of the contract, the City agreed to repay \$9.0 million to the State in exchange for receiving \$7.5 million in proceeds to be used to fund the project. The difference between the repayment obligation and proceeds amounts to \$1.5 million and represents in-substance interest on the outstanding balance. Loan proceeds are drawn down as the project progresses and debt service payments commenced on June 30, 2010. Concurrently with the loan, the City entered into various other agreements including a cost sharing arrangement with the City of Mountain View. Pursuant to that agreement, the City of Mountain View agreed to finance a portion of the project with a \$5 million loan repayable to the City. This loan has been recorded as 'Due from other government agencies' in the financial statements.

The pledge of future Net Revenues of the above funds ends upon repayment of the \$4.1 million principal and \$0.8 million in-substance interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds as of June 30, 2018 with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2029.

2009 State Water Resources Loan

In October 2009, the City approved an \$8.5 million loan agreement with the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to finance the City's Ultraviolet Disinfection Project. As of June 30, 2011, the full loan in the amount of \$8.5 million was drawn down and became outstanding. Interest in the amount of \$96,000 was accrued and added to the outstanding balance.

The pledge of future Net Revenues of the above funds ends upon repayment of the \$6.1 million principal and \$1.2 million interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds as of June 30, 2018 with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2031.

2011 Utility Revenue Bonds, Series A

On September 22, 2011 the City issued Utility Revenue Bonds to refinance the 2002 Utility revenue bonds, which were issued for certain improvements to the City's water and natural gas utility system. The refinancing resulted in net present value savings of 16.9 percent and cash savings over 15 years of \$4.0 million. Principal payments are due annually on June 1, and interest payments are due semi-annually on June 1 and December 1 from 3 percent to 4 percent. The

Revenue Bonds are secured by net revenues generated by the Water Services and Gas Services Funds.

The pledge of future Net Revenues of the above funds ends upon repayment of the \$10.2 million principal and \$1.5 million interest as the remaining debt service on the bonds as of June 30, 2018 with final payment occurring in Fiscal Year 2026.

2018 Golf Course Certificates of Participation (COPs)

On June 5, 2018, the City plans to issue \$8.2 million of COPs to reimburse the Infrastructure Reserve for the City's complete reconfiguration of the municipal golf course (aka Baylands Golf Links). The lease is planned to be secured by the City's Fire Station 1. The expected lease proceeds are \$8.4 million; the additional proceeds are to cover the cost of issuance of the bonds. Principal payments will be due on November 1 and interest payments are due semi-annually on November 1 and May 1. The rate is yet to be determined but is expected in the low 4 percent, payable from General Fund revenues.

Credit Rating Agencies

Credit rating is a critical component of strong municipal management. According to Moody's Investors Service, reserves are an important factor in the analysis of a municipality's fiscal health and, therefore, a jurisdiction's fiscal policies should include a plan for maintaining reserves. Rating agencies view sound reserves favorably, thus improving a municipality's rating and its ability to obtain low-cost financing for important projects. The City is proud to report that both Moody's and Standard and Poor's (S&P) awarded their highest credit ratings, Triple A, to the City's General Obligation Bonds for library and community center capital improvements in 2010 and it was most recently reaffirmed in 2013. These ratings demonstrate that Palo Alto's prudent financial management and fiscal strength are viewed most favorably by credit agencies. The four Utility bonds (1995, 1999, 2009, & 2011) that are rated also received S&P's highest credit rating of Triple A. Moody's has rated these Utility bonds with their second highest (Aa1) or third highest (Aa2) ratings.

Debt Service Fund

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2019 Proposed	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Revenues						
Property Tax	4,582	4,572	4,433	4,427	(6)	(O)
Return on Investments	39	33				
Subtotal Revenues	4,621	4,605	4,433	4,427	(6)	(O)
Operating Transfers In					0	
Parking 2002B COPS Taxable - General Fund	234	234	233	162	(71)	(O)
Library GO Bonds - Capital	3,018					
Subtotal General Fund Operating Transfers	3,252	234	233	162	(71)	(O)
Total Source of Funds	7,873	4,839	4,666	4,589	(77)	(0)
Expenses						
Parking 2002B COPS Taxable Principal	150	160	170	150	(20)	(0)
Parking 2002B COPS Taxable Interest	84	74	63	11	(52)	(1)
Library GO Bonds Debt Service	32	(11)				
Library GO Bonds Principal	6,585	1,500	1,570	1,640	70	0
Library GO Bonds Interest	4,146	2,932	2,863	2,788	(75)	(O)
Subtotal Expenses	10,997	4,655	4,666	4,589	(77)	(0)
Total Use of Funds	10,997	4,655	4,666	4,589	(77)	(0)
Net to (from) Reserves	(3,124)	184	0	0	0	







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Mission Statement

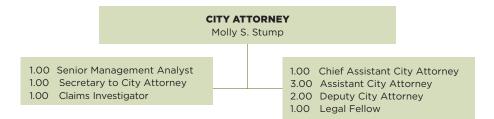




The Office of the City Attorney's mission is to serve Palo Alto and its policymakers by providing legal representation of the highest quality.

Purpose

The purpose of the Office of the City Attorney is to partner with City leaders to find creative approaches to the opportunities and challenges that face Palo Alto; draft contracts, legislation, legal opinions, and other legal documents and negotiate on behalf of the City; provide training and advice on how to manage risk and comply with the law; and enforce the municipal code and defend the City when it is sued.



FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

11.00 - Full-time

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

The Office of the City Attorney legally represents the City by: providing legal advice and/or training to the City Council, City Manager, boards, commissions, and operating departments; investigating and resolving claims against the City; defending the City in litigation and administrative actions; initiating and prosecuting litigation on behalf of the City; and drafting and approving contracts, legislation, and other legal documents.

Accomplishments

- Supported the completion of the Comprehensive Plan Update, including legal review of the Plan and Environmental Impact Report (EIR) and preparation of required resolutions for adoption.
- Prepared ordinances implementing Council's initiatives to protect and improve neighborhood quality of life, including anti-idling, cannabis regulation, and enhancements to dewatering requirements.
- Drafted loan and regulatory agreements, and resolved federal and state litigation, enabling acquisition of Buena Vista Mobile Home Park, protection of current residents, and long-term affordability of the Park.
- Supported development of utility rate changes and updates to financial management policies.
- Provided training on Public Records Act requirements to City departments.
- Drafted contracts and other transaction documents for major infrastructure projects, including new Junior Museum and Zoo and California Avenue parking garage.
- Drafted service contracts for City facilities such as the Baylands Golf Course and Palo Alto Animal Shelter.
- Updated standard contracts and competitive solicitation documents and revised the Purchasing Manual to enhance City-protective provisions and ensure compliance with current legal and regulatory requirements.
- Negotiated and drafted key inter-agency agreements, including Caltrain electrification and provision of fire services to Stanford University.

Initiatives

Support implementation of the City's housing work plan and initiatives through preparation of zoning ordinances to facilitate housing production consistent with the Comprehensive Plan Update and Council direction.

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- Prepare transaction documents for design and construction of infrastructure projects, including the City Council approved 2014 Infrastructure Plan and new public safety building.
- Support the implementation of traffic mitigation measures required under the Comprehensive Plan Update, including adoption of a traffic impact fee.
- Continue to advocate in administrative forums and state court to enforce City ordinances and requirements.
- Advise and assist completion of natural gas cost of service study and new rate design, and programs to support green gas initiatives.
- Support acquisition of human capital, finance, and customer information software systems.
- Provide legal support for key policy initiatives, including exploration of rail grade separation options and potential measures to protect and enhance City revenues.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Advance the public interest by providing high-quality legal representation to the City.

Objectives:

- Enhance relationships with clients as trusted advisors and strategic partners.
- Provide practical and effective advice that includes creative solutions to difficult problems.
- Propose alternative, legally acceptable ways to accomplish public objectives when the City encounters legal obstacles.
- Regularly brief City employees on legal developments that impact their areas of service.
- Inform the public about the City's legal program through the City Attorney's website.

GOAL 2

Evaluate all claims and litigation promptly, resolving disputes where appropriate, and vigorously defending the City's interests.

Objectives:

- Thoroughly investigate to promptly resolve claims appropriately.
- Increase transparency by reporting claim filings and resolutions to the public.
- Advocate effectively in court and before administrative agencies when legal actions are brought against the City.

GOAL 3

Identify and reduce exposure to legal risks.

Objectives:

- Identify legal risks and craft strategies to reduce the City's exposure.
- Provide relevant training to City officials and staff to reduce legal risk exposure.

Create user-friendly tools to assist new and existing employees in complying with public service requirements such as ethics, conflicts of interest, open meeting, and public records laws.

Key Performance Measures

CLAIMS RESOLUTION

Goal	Evaluate all claims and litigation promptly, resolving disputes where appropriate, and vigorously defending the City's interests.							
Objective	Thoroughly inve	Thoroughly investigate to promptly and appropriately resolve claims.						
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percent of claims resolved within 45 days of filing	93.00%	97.00%	90.00%	98.00%	98.00%			
Description	This measure tra filing.	acks the number	of claims that ar	e resolved within	45 days of			
Purpose	Thorough investigation to promptly and appropriately resolve claims is a core responsibility of the Office of the City Attorney. This measure is important because timely processing of claims demonstrates responsiveness to residents' concerns and safeguards public resources by reducing unnecessary lawsuits.							
Status		The number of claims resolved within 45 days may go up or down in part due to the complexity of a claim.						

REDUCTION OF LEGAL RISK

Goal	Identify and reduce exposure to legal risks.							
Objective	Provide relevant	Provide relevant training to City officials and staff to reduce legal risk exposure.						
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percent of surveyed who agree/ strongly agree that the training provided is useful and relevant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Description		acks the usefulne y Attorney to City		e of the training p	provided by the			
Purpose	Training assists City.	Training assists in reducing errors thereby reducing the exposure of liability to the City.						
Status	not an effective	The Office of the City Attorney recommends the elimination of this metric as it is not an effective measure of the legal risks to the City. Performance measures will be re-evaluated as part of the citywide performance measure and management						

Workload Measures

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2018	FY 2019
	Actuals	Actuals	Adopted	Estimated	Proposed
Number of claims handled	112	93	98	88	88

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration	463,073	537,560	571,995	604,877	32,882	5.7%
Consultation and Advisory	1,477,082	1,435,074	2,002,460	1,884,109	(118,351)	(5.9)%
Litigation and Dispute Resolution	771,956	1,107,646	661,247	685,143	23,896	3.6%
Official and Administration Duties	84,335	77,725	120,198	114,086	(6,112)	(5.1)%
Total	2,796,446	3,158,005	3,355,900	3,288,215	(67,685)	(2.0)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	134,723	127,806	256,190	176,846	(79,345)	(31.0)%
Other Benefits	74,900	62,267	73,020	69,176	(3,844)	(5.3)%
Pension	318,434	352,259	497,657	476,345	(21,312)	(4.3)%
Retiree Medical	132,445	144,937	152,481	115,560	(36,921)	(24.2)%
Salary	1,289,893	1,270,158	1,772,423	1,690,879	(81,544)	(4.6)%
Workers' Compensation	2,878	_	59,526	42,882	(16,645)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	1,953,272	1,957,426	2,811,297	2,571,687	(239,610)	(8.5)%
Allocated Charges	162,490	109,805	121,178	137,246	16,068	13.3%
Contract Services	626,943	1,066,351	340,301	472,301	132,000	38.8%
Facilities & Equipment	10,538	_	1,000	1,000	_	-%
General Expense	23,881	12,878	53,642	52,642	(1,000)	(1.9)%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	_	_	24,857	24,857	-%
Rents & Leases	1,295	1,907	2,050	2,050	_	-%
Supplies & Material	18,026	9,638	26,432	26,432	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	2,796,446	3,158,005	3,355,900	3,288,215	(67,685)	(2.0)%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	14,845	_	28,052	28,052	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	584,882	1,108,575	577,833	392,700	(185,134)	(32.0)%
Other Revenue	(2,191)	8,000	10,789	10,789	_	-%
Total Revenues	597,536	1,116,575	616,675	431,541	(185,134)	(30.0)%

Budget Summary

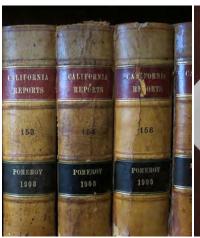
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Positions by Division						
Administration	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	_	-%
Consultation and Advisory	7.31	7.31	7.31	6.46	(0.85)	(11.63)%
Litigation and Dispute Resolution	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.71	(0.15)	(8.06)%
Official and Administration Duties	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36	_	-%
Total	11.00	11.00	11.00	10.00	(1.00)	(9.09)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Assistant City Attorney	1.00	1.00	3.00	3.00	_	499,171
Chief Assistant City Attorney	_	_	1.00	1.00	_	231,566
City Attorney	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	284,253
Claims Investigator	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	101,504
Deputy City Attorney	_	_	1.00	1.00	_	150,000
Legal Fellow	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	91,645
Principal Attorney	1.00	1.00	_	_	_	_
Secretary to City Attorney	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	79,539
Senior Assistant City Attorney	2.00	2.00	_	_	_	_
Senior Deputy City Attorney	1.00	1.00	_	_	_	_
Senior Legal Secretary	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	(1.00)	_
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	127,754
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	11.00	11.00	11.00	10.00	(1.00)	1,565,432
Total Positions	11.00	11.00	11.00	10.00	(1.00)	1,565,432

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	11.00	3,355,900	616,675	2,739,225
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings: one-time)	_	7,239	_	7,239
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	7,239	_	7,239
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	(89,055)	_	(89,055)
Contract Services Adjustments for Outside Counsel	_	32,000	_	32,000
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(5,747)	_	(5,747)
Worker's Compensation Savings (One-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(17,089)	_	(17,089)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	(185,134)	185,134
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	8,069	_	8,069
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	5,969	_	5,969
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	539	_	539
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	(65,315)	(185,134)	119,819
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	11.00	3,297,824	431,541	2,866,282
Budget Adjustments				
Reduce Office of the City Attorney Administrative Staffing	(1.00)	(134,466)	_	(134,466)
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	24,857	_	24,857
3 Outside Counsel Resources	_	100,000	_	100,000
Total Budget Adjustments	(1.00)	(9,609)	_	(9,609)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	10.00	3,288,215	431,541	2,856,674





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Reduce Office of the City Attorney Administrative Staffing	-1.00	(134,466)	0	(134,466)

This action eliminates a vacant 1.0 Senior Legal Secretary in the Office of the City Attorney. The Senior Legal Secretary position has been vacant since 2016. This action institutes this staffing model on a permanent basis and is anticipated to reduce the administrative capacity of the Office, resulting on an increased reliance of these duties on attorney staffing. (Ongoing savings: \$100,000).

Performance Results



There are no anticipated significant impact to operations.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

0.00 24,857

This action transfers \$24,857 from the Office of the City Attorney to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Office of the City Attorney's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

3 Outside Counsel Resources 0.00 100,000

This action adds \$100,000 in one-time funding for additional outside counsel resources to provide the office with additional capacity for addressing complex legal matters. (Ongoing costs: \$0).

Performance Results



Proactively setting aside resources for outside counsel will provide flexibility for the City Attorney's Office to address issues that require special attention.



CITY AUDITOR

Mission Statement



The mission of the Office of the City Auditor is to promote honest, efficient, effective, economical, and fully accountable and transparent City government.





The purpose of the Office of the City Auditor is to conduct internal audits and examinations of any City department, program, service, activity, or fiscal transaction to provide the City Council and City management with information and evaluations regarding the effectiveness and efficiency with which City resources are employed, the adequacy of the system of internal

controls, and compliance with City policies and procedures, and regulatory requirements. In addition, the City Auditor's Office ensures that City departments and officers responsible for accounting and financial management activities comply with statutory requirements and accounting standards, and provides other analyses of financial and operating data as directed by the City Council.

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Harriet Richardson

2.00 Senior Performance Auditor 2.00 Performance Auditor II 1.00 Performance Auditor I

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

6.00 - Full-time

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

The Office of the City Auditor (OCA) conducts performance audits and reviews of City departments, programs, and services. Performance audits provide the City Council, City management, and public with independent and objective information regarding the economy, efficiency, and effectiveness of City programs and activities. The OCA coordinates the annual citizen survey and issues the annual City of Palo Alto Performance Report summarizing costs, workload, and performance results for City services over the last ten years.

Each fiscal year, the OCA presents an annual audit work plan for City Council approval. The OCA will continue to report quarterly to the City Council on the status of audit projects.

The OCA contracts with an independent certified public accountant for the City's annual external financial audit. The OCA also conducts and coordinates revenue monitoring of sales and use tax.

Accomplishments

- Identified and confirmed the City's receipt of \$380,290 in sales and use tax recoveries through the end of Fiscal Year 2017 in coordination with the City's consultant.
- Published Fee Schedule Audit, which presented three recommendations related to updating the City's cost recovery policy and aligning the Community Services Department's cost recovery policy with the City's.
- Published the Cross Bore Inspection Contract Audit, which presented four recommendations to ensure that future inspections of sewer lines are completed in a more effective manner and to improve the accuracy of inspection data.
- Published the audit of Continuous Monitoring: Payments, which presented seven recommendations to improve the ability to identify duplicate payments and the accuracy of the vendor master file.
- Published the audit of Green Purchasing Practices, which presented eight recommendations to update policies to improve compliance with City requirements for green purchasing and to evaluate options for tracking and reporting green purchases.

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Compiled the results of the 2017 National Citizen SurveyTM into data visualization software that allows users to view the results of each question or multiple questions based on selected demographics or geographic areas of Palo Alto.

Initiatives

- ERP Planning: Data Integrity, Reliability, and Security: Evaluate the integrity, reliability, and security of data in the current SAP system and make recommendations to ensure that any identified deficiencies are corrected prior to transferring data to the new ERP system.
- Contract Risk and Oversight: Develop a systematic, data-driven process to identify high-risk expenditures and revenues that occur under formal contracts. Audit selected high-risk contracts to determine if the City has received the goods and/or services it paid for and/or revenues to which it is entitled, that the contracts are needed and do not result in unnecessary overlaps in services, and that potential contract extensions are appropriately disclosed in the original contract documents.
- Analysis of Agreements with Palo Alto Unified School District (PAUSD): Identify all agreements with PAUSD and the parties involved in each, and benchmark against other school districts to determine which services are generally provided by a school district or the city. Report will be an information report.
- Public Safety: Civilianization of Sworn Positions: Evaluate if the City can reduce costs by converting certain sworn public safety positions to nonsworn positions without increasing risk to an unacceptable level. Audit will include benchmarking with other public safety organizations.
- Sales and Use Tax Monitoring: The OCA monitors sales and use tax payments due to the City both through its own analysis and through partnering with a third party specialist.
- Performance Report and Citizen-Centric Reporting: designed to provide residents, City Council, and City staff with important data and information regarding the performance of the City. Additionally, we publish the annual National Citizen SurveyTM which provides insight into residents' perceptions of the City's performance and allows the City to compare itself to other jurisdictions.
- Administration of the Fraud, Waste, and Abuse Hotline: Incident routing and monitoring is administered by the OCA and the City Auditor is a member of the Hotline Review Committee with the City Manager and the City Attorney.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Add value and improve the City's operations by providing independent, objective analysis and information regarding the stewardship, performance, and/or cost of City policies, programs, or operations to assist the City Council and management in making informed decisions.

Objectives:

- Focus on the City's highest risks by maintaining an effective, systematic, and documented process that identifies the most significant strategic, operational, financial, and regulatory risks to the achievement of the City's objectives.
- Provide impactful audit services through timely and value-added communication to key stakeholders regarding the effectiveness and efficiency with which City resources are employed, the adequacy of internal controls, and compliance with provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements, and City policies and procedures.
- Maintain an effective follow-up process to monitor and evaluate the adequacy, effectiveness, and timeliness of actions taken by management to address audit recommendations and report to the City Council whether city management has implemented the recommendation or has assumed the risk of not taking action.

GOAL 2

Provide the residents of Palo Alto, City Council, City staff, and other stakeholders with information on past performance to strengthen public accountability, improve government efficiency and effectiveness, and support future decision-making.

Objectives:

- Administer the National Citizen SurveyTM to collect data from survey respondents regarding the quality of City services.
- Publish the City of Palo Alto Performance Report to provide consistent, reliable information on the performance of City services.
- Contract with the City's external auditor for the completion of the City's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) and the Single Audit Report.

Maintain efficient and effective audit processes.

Objectives:

- Maintain an efficient and effective system of quality control by regularly performing internal and external assessments, and periodically updating the Office of the City Auditor's policies and procedures to ensure compliance with professional standards and incorporation of applicable leading industry practices.
- Maintain an adequately skilled, knowledgeable, and competent staff of audit professionals.
- Communicate the engagement's objectives, scope, conclusions, and recommendations accurately, objectively, clearly, concisely, constructively, completely, and in a timely manner.

Key Performance Measures

NUMBER OF MAJOR WORK PRODUCTS PER AUDIT STAFF

Goal	Focus on the City's highest risks by maintaining an effective, systematic, and documented process that identifies the most significant strategic, operational, financial, and regulatory risks to the achievement of the City's objectives.						
Objective	Provide impactful audit services through timely and value-added communication to key stakeholders regarding the effectiveness and efficiency with which City resources are employed, the adequacy of internal controls, and compliance with provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements, and City policies and procedures.						
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Number of major work products per audit staff.	1.00	1.67	1.20	1.50	1.75		
Description	This measure ta staff.	rgets the number	of major work p	roducts generate	d by each audit		
Purpose		In order to provide timely impactful audit services, the Office of the City Auditor has a target to complete 1.2 major work products per audit staff on an annual basis.					
Status	be at a higher le		2017 due to cha	y each audit staff anges in staff cou			

PERCENT OF AUDIT RECOMMENDATIONS IMPLEMENTED OVER THE LAST **FIVE YEARS.**

Goal	Add value and improve the City's operations by providing independent, objective analysis and information regarding the stewardship, performance, and/or cost of City policies, programs, or operations to assist the City Council and management in making informed decisions.						
Objective	Maintain an effective follow-up process to monitor and evaluate the adequacy, effectiveness, and timeliness of actions taken by management to address the audit recommendations and report to the City Council whether City management has implemented the recommendation or has assumed the risk of not taking action.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed						
Percent of Open audit recommendations implemented over the last five years.	45.00% 50.00% 75.00% 50.00% 60.00						
Description	are effective wh	en they are addre	essed to parties t	endations. Recor hat have authorit t-effective, and n	y to act and		
Purpose		mmendation is p ad efficiency of the		ically enhance ar ry being audited.	d improve the		
Status	months from the goal of encoura- timely manner. T recommendatio audit recommer	e date of issuanc ging managemer The Office of the ns before they ar	e to the Policy ar nt to implement a City Auditor mus e considered cor as general capac	it recommendation Services Comula Services Comula audit recomme t sign off on all aumplete. Due to the total department	mittee with the ndations in a udit e number of		

RATIO OF SALES TAX REVENUE RECOVERIES TO COST

Goal	Add value and improve the City's operations by providing independent, objective analysis and information regarding the stewardship, performance, and/or cost of City policies, programs, or operations to assist the City Council and management in making informed decisions.						
Objective	documented pr	Focus on the City's highest risks by maintaining an effective, systematic, and documented process that identifies the most significant strategic, operational, financial, and regulatory risks to the achievement of the City's objectives.					
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Ratio of sales tax revenue recoveries to cost.	3:1	5:1	2:1	9:1	3:1		
Description				ered by our in-hots plus contracte			
Purpose	To determine the effectiveness of cost recovery efforts for sales and use tax revenues.						
Status	The Office of the quarterly basis.	e City Auditor up	dates the amoun	t of revenue gene	erated on a		

Workload Measures

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2018	FY 2019
	Actuals	Actuals	Adopted	Estimated	Proposed
Number of major work products issued.	4	8	6	9	8

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Audit Services	1,112,413	1,207,797	1,301,326	1,267,289	(34,037)	(2.6)%
Total	1,112,413	1,207,797	1,301,326	1,267,289	(34,037)	(2.6)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	38,475	42,244	42,992	38,612	(4,380)	(10.2)%
Other Benefits	36,498	31,362	27,750	27,609	(141)	(0.5)%
Pension	157,746	172,942	184,894	180,734	(4,159)	(2.2)%
Retiree Medical	31,616	34,598	36,399	44,844	8,445	23.2%
Salary	612,070	637,696	659,949	643,242	(16,707)	(2.5)%
Workers' Compensation	_	_	23,777	17,129	(6,648)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	876,405	918,841	975,761	952,171	(23,591)	(2.4)%
Allocated Charges	55,053	45,079	53,306	59,355	6,049	11.3%
Contract Services	157,381	221,220	254,000	228,000	(26,000)	(10.2)%
General Expense	17,004	19,895	15,279	15,279	_	-%
Operating Transfers-Out	-	-	-	9,505	9,505	-%
Supplies & Material	6,571	2,762	2,980	2,980	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	1,112,413	1,207,797	1,301,326	1,267,289	(34,037)	(2.6)%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	799,890	385,751	740,731	897,314	156,584	21.1%
Sales Taxes	117,186	380,290	150,000	150,000	_	-%
Total Revenues	917,076	766,041	890,731	1,047,314	156,584	17.6%
Positions by Division						
Audit Services	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	_	-%
Total	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	_	-%

CITY AUDITOR

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
City Auditor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	187,533
Performance Auditor I	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	70,013
Performance Auditor II	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	205,594
Senior Performance Auditor	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	(1.00)	132,434
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	-	595,573
Total Positions	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	-	595,573

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	5.00	1,301,326	890,731	410,595
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Citizen's Survey on Code Enforcement	_	(20,000)	_	(20,000)
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	2,780	_	2,780
Triennial Peer Review	_	(4,000)	_	(4,000)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(21,220)	_	(21,220)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	19,226	_	19,226
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(2,311)	_	(2,311)
Worker's Compensation Savings (One-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(6,826)	_	(6,826)
Contract Services	_	(2,000)	_	(2,000)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	156,584	(156,584)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	3,245	_	3,245
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	2,854	_	2,854
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	(519)	_	(519)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	13,669	156,584	(142,914)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	5.00	1,293,775	1,047,315	246,461
Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	9,505	_	9,505
2 Realign Office of the City Auditor Staffing	_	(35,991)	_	(35,991)
Total Budget Adjustments	_	(26,486)	_	(26,486)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	5.00	1,267,289	1,047,315	219,975





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	9,505	0	9,505

This action transfers \$9,505 from the Office of the City Auditor to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Office of the City Auditor's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

2 Realign Office of the City Auditor Staffing

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This action eliminates 1.0 Senior Program Performance Auditor and adds 1.0 Program Performance Auditor II in the Office of the City Auditor. Although the Office of the City Auditor has authorized staffing levels at the Senior Program Performance Auditor level, the Office has been underfilling their staffing. This action aligns authorized staffing with actual staffing levels and is therefore not anticipated to have immediate impacts on service delivery for the City Auditor's Office. (Ongoing savings: \$36,000)

Performance Results



Permanently reducing the staffing levels will reduce the overall cost for the Office of the City Auditor to deliver current services without impacting quality of services.

CITY CLERK

Mission Statement



The City Clerk's Office promotes transparency and public engagement through coordinating the legislative process, records management, elections, public records requests, supporting the Mayor and City Council, and acting as a liaison between the City Council and the public.



Purpose

The purpose of the City Clerk's Office is to provide prompt, high quality public service by connecting the public with the legislative process; ensure the City's legislative processes are open and transparent

including friendly customer service, knowledgeable staff and easy accessibility through technology; elections administration; facilitate the preservation of Palo Alto's legislative history, including approved action minutes; coordination of public records requests, claims against the city, applications for boards and commissions, and update and maintain City Ordinances and the Municipal Code; provide access to legislative meeting information, and coordinate Statements of Economic Interest as well as campaign and other financial disclosure related filings.



position allocation.

Description

The City Clerk's Office provides a wide range of public services including: supporting the City Council, City staff, and public by providing copies of agendas and associated reports; posting and publishing legal notices, and scheduling public hearings; transcribing meeting minutes; recording of Ordinances and Resolutions; engaging in records management, elections, and board and commission recruitments; and processing of public records requests.

Accomplishments

- Held the fifth annual Board and Commission recognition event at the Mitchell Park Bowl.
- Successfully managed the Mayor's State of the City address at the Oshman Family Jewish Community Center.
- Received applications for Board and Commission vacancies resulting in 72 interviews totaling 13 hours of interviews in calendar year 2017.
- Prepared and published 52 City Council meeting agenda packets, and 19 Finance and Policy and Services Committees agenda packets in calendar year 2017.
- Supported 311 plus hours of Council and Council Standing Committee meetings in calendar year 2017.
- Scheduled and supported 315 administrative and citation hearings in calendar year 2017.
- Worked with Board and Commission Staff Liaisons to transition their webpages to a table format for their agendas, minutes, and meeting recordings providing uniformity across City webpages.
- Added additional public meeting supplementary information to the Council and Council Standing Committee agendas and webpages (staff responses to Council Member questions, staff memorandum, and presentations).

Initiatives

- Run a successful Council election and a potential ballot measure election in November 2018.
- Facilitate voter-approved transition from nine Council Members to seven Council Members.
- Assist with upgrades to the Council Chambers audio/video system.
- Work with departments to create a staff report writing guide.
- Continue streamlining the citywide records destruction process.
- Audit vital records stored off-site.

- Update the citywide email retention policy.
- Update citywide records management and training program.
- Explore an online records portal.
- Transition from verbatim transcript minutes to synopsis Sense minutes for City Council and Standing Committee meeting records.
- Update the Conflict of Interest Code with the assistance of every department.
- Explore various online board and commission application solutions.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Lead the agenda management process and records management program promoting transparency, accountability, and effective service delivery.

Objectives:

- Ensure that preparation and distribution of the Council's agenda packets are timely, accurate, and responsive. 11 days prior to the Council meeting.
- Transcribe and post Council action minutes within one week of meeting date.
- Effectively manage the records destruction process and maintain the Records Retention Schedule for all City departments.

GOAL 2

Respond to the legislative needs of the City Council, staff, and the community in a timely and effective manner.

Objectives:

- Utilize technology to enhance access to legislative items, such as agendas, reports, recordings, Ordinances, Resolutions, and Minutes on the City Council and City Clerk webpages.
- Encourage online filing of campaign statements in compliance with the Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) and Municipal Code requirements.
- Encourage staff, City Council, and Board & Commission Members to use online filing of Statement of Economic Interest forms.

GOAL 3

Effectively administer appointments to boards and commissions.

Objectives:

- Improve boards and commissions recruitment process, including expanding application accessibility, exploring new methods of advertising, and continuing successful interview processes.
- Create and maintain community partnerships to enhance the public's knowledge of, and interest in serving on boards and commissions.

Key Performance Measures

PERCENTAGE OF ACTION MINUTES POSTED WITHIN ONE WEEK AFTER THE **COUNCIL MEETING**

Goal		Provide timely reporting of City Council action in support of City operations and transparency to the public.					
Objective	Transcribe and submit Council action minutes for approval within one week of each Council meeting.						
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Percentage of action minutes posted within one week after the Council meeting	97.00%	95.00%	95.00%	98.00%	98.00%		
Description				e transcribes the its these actions			
Purpose	1 1	This supports transparency and informed decision making, by providing the public with Council actions in a timely manner.					
Status	of action minute	es posted online	within one week	formance level wi after each Counc ance estimated fo	il meeting and		

PERCENTAGE OF COUNCIL AGENDA PACKET MATERIALS POSTED ON THE THURSDAY, 11 DAYS PRIOR TO THE MONDAY CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Goal	Lead the agenda management process and records management program promoting transparency, accountability, and effective service delivery.							
Objective	Ensure that the preparation and distribution of the Council's agenda packets are timely, accurate, and responsive.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percentage of Council agenda packet materials posted 11 days prior to the Council meeting	98.00%	99.00%	98.00%	98.00%	98.00%			
Description	public on Thurse		ore the Council's	packets to the C Monday meeting t.				
Purpose	,	Provide the City Council and public with adequate time to review upcoming issues that will be discussed by the City Council, ensuring transparency of Council proceedings.						
Status	the City Clerk's at a level of 98%	Office coordinate	es with other City ted 11 days prior	g City Council age departments to a to the Council m 9.	accomplish this			

PERCENTAGE OF PUBLIC RECORDS REQUESTS RESPONDED TO WITHIN THE TEN DAYS REQUIRED BY LAW

Goal	Respond to the legislative needs of the City Council, staff, and the community in a timely and effective manner.						
Objective	Provide exceller	Provide excellent customer service to the public.					
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Percentage of public records requests responded to within the ten days required by law	98.00%	96.00%	99.00%	99.46%	99.50%		
Description		ne actual respons		essed within ten c r an extension of			
Purpose		Provide the public with information that is held by the City and is subject to public disclosure; ensure that a response is received by the requester within the allotted ten days.					
Status	,	arget to exceed the eeding this target	0	adopted for FY 20	018 and		

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of City Council Meeting Action Minutes posted annually	57	53	50	46	47
Number of weekly agenda packets produced annually	46	37	45	40	42
Number of public records requests received annually	299	340	315	370	400
Number of applications processed for open board and commission seats	40	66	50	52	55

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration	128,736	142,416	118,721	807,080	688,360	579.8%
Administrative Citations	58,830	30,009	206,481	119,399	(87,082)	(42.2)%
Council Support Services	573,092	585,353	746,322	326,007	(420,315)	(56.3)%
Election/Conflict of Interest	92,478	124,787	126,857	94,324	(32,533)	(25.6)%
Legislative Records Management	72,085	86,787	86,080	27,143	(58,937)	(68.5)%
Public Information	75,920	79,175	89,407	(83,529)	(172,936)	(193.4)%
Total	1,001,140	1,048,526	1,373,867	1,290,424	(83,443)	(6.1)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	52,139	34,447	66,350	39,983	(26,367)	(39.7)%
Other Benefits	15,909	19,078	25,875	21,687	(4,188)	(16.2)%
Overtime	5,237	1,201	6,696	6,870	174	2.6%
Pension	104,007	129,902	165,848	140,685	(25,163)	(15.2)%
Retiree Medical	73,486	80,417	84,602	40,532	(44,070)	(52.1)%
Salary	425,956	451,658	616,225	521,892	(94,332)	(15.3)%
Workers' Compensation	_	(369)	22,469	16,186	(6,283)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	676,733	716,334	988,064	787,835	(200,229)	(20.3)%
Allocated Charges	129,850	136,466	145,096	167,649	22,553	15.5%
Contract Services	118,362	142,835	177,320	255,320	78,000	44.0%
General Expense	56,737	42,636	52,591	51,591	(1,000)	(1.9)%
Operating Transfers-Out	-	-	-	8,510	8,510	-%
Supplies & Material	19,458	10,255	10,796	19,519	8,723	80.8%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	1,001,140	1,048,526	1,373,867	1,290,424	(83,443)	(6.1)%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	1	138	2,043	2,043	_	- %
Charges to Other Funds	513,239	324,795	487,528	658,196	170,668	35.0%
Other Revenue	493	649	3,143	3,143	- 170,000	—%
Total Revenues	513,733	325,582	492,714	663,382	170,668	34.6%
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Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Positions by Division						
Administration	0.35	0.35	0.35	2.85	2.50	714.29%
Administrative Citations	1.23	1.23	1.23	0.48	(0.75)	(60.98)%
Council Support Services	2.85	2.85	2.85	1.30	(1.55)	(54.39)%
Election/Conflict of Interest	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.55	(0.10)	(15.38)%
Legislative Records Management	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.30	(0.20)	(40.00)%
Public Information	0.65	0.65	0.65	_	(0.65)	(100.00)%
Total	6.23	6.23	6.23	5.48	(0.75)	(12.04)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Associate III	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	-	166,646
Assistant City Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	97,947
City Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	146,806
Deputy City Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	82,451
Hearing Officer	0.75	0.75	0.75	_	(0.75)	_
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.00	(0.75)	493,851
Temporary/Hourly	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	_	30,701
Total Positions	6.23	6.23	6.23	5.48	(0.75)	524,552

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	6.23	1,373,867	492,714	881,153
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	3,120	_	3,120
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	3,120	_	3,120
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits	_	(41,325)	_	(41,325)
Supplies & Material	_	6,723	_	6,723
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(2,184)	_	(2,184)
Worker's Compensation Savings (one-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(6,450)	_	(6,450)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	170,668	(170,668)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	3,067	_	3,067
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	1,548	_	1,548
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	17,003	_	_
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	-	(21,619)	170,668	(209,290)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	6.23	1,355,368	663,382	674,983
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	8,510	_	8,510
2 Administrative Hearing Service Delivery Change	(0.75)	(73,454)	_	(73,454)
Total Budget Adjustments	(0.75)	(64,944)	-	(64,944)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	5.48	1,290,424	663,382	610,039





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	8,510	0	8,510

This action transfers \$8,510 from the City Clerk's Office to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the City Clerk's Office's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

2 Administrative Hearing Service Delivery Change -0.75 (73,454)(73,454)

This action eliminates a vacant 0.75 FTE Hearing Officer position in the Office of the City Clerk, partially offset by the addition of contract dollars to align with current service delivery. The City Clerk is required to provide a hearing officer to adjudicate various required administrative hearings. For the past two years, the City Clerk has piloted the use of outside contractors as the hearing officer for such hearings. This pilot has resulted in comparable levels of quality in services as well as provided increased flexibility to draw on services only on an as needed basis, ultimately resulting in a reduction in the cost to provide this required service. (Ongoing Savings: \$73,454)

Performance Results



Transitioning from a Hearing Officer position to using outside contractors as the hearing officers will reduce the overall cost for the Office of the City Clerk to deliver current services without impacting quality of services and satisfaction of customers.

CITY COUNCIL

Mission Statement





The City Council's mission is to develop an overall vision for the community as a whole.

Purpose

The City Council is responsible for the scope, direction, and financing of City services; establishing policy based on information provided by staff, advisory boards and commissions, and the general public; and implementing policy through staff under the Council-Manager form of government.

Description

Under the Council-Manager form of government, the City Council is responsible for the legislative functions of the City such as establishing policies and priorities, developing an overall vision, and approving the annual spending plan for the City. The terms of the Mayor and the Vice-Mayor are one year, expiring at the first meeting in January. The terms of Council members are four years, and the General Municipal Election is held in even-numbered years on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
City Council Operations	429,737	452,223	499,824	489,510	(10,314)	(2.1)%
Total	429,737	452,223	499,824	489,510	(10,314)	(2.1)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	107,922	119,386	77,303	114,888	37,585	48.6%
Other Benefits	13,328	4,326	5,614	5,640	26	0.5%
Pension	15,081	16,991	32,827	33,459	632	1.9%
Retiree Medical	76,049	83,222	87,553	49,156	(38,397)	(43.9)%
Salary	69,965	88,111	108,000	96,000	(12,000)	(11.1)%
Workers' Compensation	_	_	4,270	3,076	(1,194)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	282,346	312,034	315,568	302,220	(13,349)	(4.2)%
Allocated Charges	2,285	15,949	15,871	17,220	1,349	8.5%
Contract Services	111,373	76,609	108,000	108,000	_	-%
General Expense	31,251	45,748	57,455	57,455	_	-%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	_	_	1,686	1,686	-%
Supplies & Material	2,483	1,883	2,930	2,930	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	429,737	452,223	499,824	489,510	(10,314)	(2.1)%
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Revenues	00.000	400.005	05.004	04.700	(0.000)	(4.4)0/
Charges to Other Funds	99,396	136,295	95,624	91,738	(3,886)	(4.1)%
Total Revenues	99,396	136,295	95,624	91,738	(3,886)	(4.1)%
Positions by Division						
City Council Operations	9.00	9.00	9.00	7.00	(2.00)	(22.22)%
Total	9.00	9.00	9.00	7.00	(2.00)	(22.22)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
City Council	9.00	9.00	9.00	7.00	(2.00)	84,000
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	9.00	9.00	9.00	7.00	(2.00)	84,000
Total Positions	9.00	9.00	9.00	7.00	(2.00)	84,000

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	9.00	499,824	95,624	404,200
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	1,141	_	1,141
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	-	1,141	-	1,141
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	(2.00)	(12,123)	_	(12,123)
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(415)	_	(415)
Worker's Compensation Savings (One-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(1,226)	_	(1,226)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	(3,886)	3,886
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	583	_	583
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	40	_	40
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	(2.00)	(13,141)	(3,886)	(9,255)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	7.00	487,824	91,738	396,086
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	1,686	_	1,686
Total Budget Adjustments	-	1,686	-	1,686
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	7.00	489,510	91,738	397,772



Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	1,686	0	1,686

This action transfers \$1,686 from the City Council to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the City Council's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).



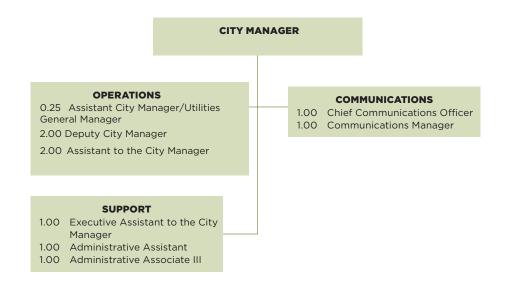
CITY MANAGER



The City Manager's Office provides leadership and professional management to the City government organization and works with the City Council to develop and implement its policies to maintain and enhance Palo Alto's quality of life.



The City Manager's Office adheres to guiding values that emphasize community, stewardship, and public service.



FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

10.25 - Full-time

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

The City Manager's Office provides strategic leadership and guidance to the City operations and services for the City of Palo Alto through the following areas (including incubation of new programs):

ADMINISTRATION AND CITY MANAGEMENT

Provides the organizational support and leadership necessary to implement Council programs and policies to meet the City's current and future needs; ensures City operations demonstrate transparency and fiduciary responsibility to the public; builds a strong service culture and provides ongoing, informative communications to City employees regarding key objectives, challenges and accomplishments.

PLACE AND NEIGHBORHOODS

Fosters an informed and engaged community; develops mutual understanding and support between City government and the community by proactively communicating public information, creating and supporting community partnerships, and facilitating citizen involvement; cultivates livability by recognizing the distinctiveness and diversity of Palo Alto and its neighborhoods.

ECONOMIC VITALITY

Develops programs in support of a healthy, prosperous economic environment; maintains collaborative relationships with residents and businesses to facilitate desired economic activity.

Accomplishments

The City Manager's Office provides leadership and professional management to the City government organization. The accomplishments demonstrated throughout the budget document, within the department chapters, are a consequence of the overall guidance provided by the office. In addition to these many accomplishments, the office completed a series of key projects and activities through its general administration, public communication and economic development duties:

- Supported City Council priority setting and agenda planning while providing leadership and guidance to the organization.
- Advanced organizational excellence through work plans, support for professional development and work/life balance, and performance management through the Executive Leadership Team.
- Transitioned essential leadership and staff positions, restructuring the office to ensure the execution of key City Council priorities.
- Supported the Police Department following the retirement of the Police Chief and Assistant Police Chief, and successfully recruited a new Police Chief.

CITY MANAGER

- Managed the City's state and federal legislative program to advance City Council and City department goals.
- Hosted several international delegations from China and the European Union, including representatives from Sister Cities in Heidelberg, Germany and Linköping, Sweden.
- Played a key role with the San Francisquito Creek Joint Powers Authority to break ground on Phase 1 Flood Protection Project and continued progress with upstream next phase elements, beginning the environmental clearance and coordination with stakeholders including Stanford University.
- Negotiated extension of Stanford University fire/emergency services agreement, and restarted negotiations on a new long-term agreement.
- Supported emergency preparedness throughout winter storm season.
- Coordinated strategic planning for Caltrain grade separation visioning, technical analysis and financial planning.
- Continued ongoing interdepartmental focus on Caltrain safety.
- Assisted with efforts to resolve key land use issues including Buena Vista, Edgewood Plaza, Palo Alto Square and Castilleja School.
- Coordinated with the Planning and Community Environment Department to support the adoption of a new Comprehensive Plan.
- Led the effort to develop the Council adopted 3-year Sustainability Implementation Plan.
- Provided communications advice and support for issue-specific efforts ranging from small cell towers to Code Art Festival.
- Supported multiple community outreach efforts on a variety of issues aimed at increasing civic participation, feedback and engagement.
- Produced and published multi-platform communications content related to City Council and organizational goals and programs; further expanded social media channel reach and provided responsive, informed and timely information to community, public and media stakeholders.
- Organized "On the Table" day of regional conversation about housing issues in partnership with local coffee houses as gathering venues.
- Led Veterans Day Recognition Event to honor the armed services and hosted the United States Army's 63rd Regional Support Command Color Guard, as well as other members of the Armed Forces.
- Partnered with local community groups to host the United Nations Association Film Festival throughout various City locations and assisted with the California Avenue Trick or Treat Halloween event.
- Administered the Know Your Neighbor Grant Program encouraging neighborhood activities that foster a sense of place and community and successfully transitioned it to the Community Services Department.

- Continued to advance the Animal Services Assessment leading to a nonbinding exclusive negotiation with Pets In Need, a local nonprofit animal rescue.
- Advanced efforts to address impacts of air traffic by advocating for and responding to initiatives by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and regional efforts to expand and create new community roundtables.
- Continued partnership with the Department of Veterans Affairs regarding impacts of their development project at their Palo Alto location on citizens and the Bol Park Bike Path.
- Continued to support key business districts such as Downtown Palo Alto, California Avenue, Stanford Shopping Center and the Stanford Research Park.
- Held a Business Development Summit in 2017 in partnership with the Palo Alto Chamber of Commerce hosting a panel that included the U.S. Commercial Service, U.S. Small Business Administration, U.S. Export-Import Bank, and U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.
- Santa Clara County Healthy City Awards named the City of Palo Alto as the Best Overall, 2017 and the Exemplary City for Reduced Exposure to Secondhand Smoke.

Initiatives

- Continue to support the City Council, the priority setting process, and regular, special, and committee meetings.
- Continue to provide leadership and professional management to the City government organization.
- Advance City Council priority projects through the new staffing structure while promoting the high-performance organization and cool cities initiatives.
- Work with Rail Committee, citizens, and stakeholders to achieve agreement on a grade separation alternative for rail crossings.
- Organize the delivery of City parking services and reach agreement on a paid parking strategy.
- Continue and complete negotiations with Stanford University regarding fire safety services.
- Enhance and advance international programs through the partnership with Neighbors Abroad to create smart city relationships with existing Sister Cities to share knowledge, experience and best practices related to government services and innovation.
- Continue to support the City Council and departments with federal and state legislative priorities and goals.
- Continue to work with Congress, FAA, San Francisco International Airport, San Jose International Airport, other local governments, regional organizations or groups and citizens to implement goals and measures that reduce aircraft noise.
- Continue to work collaboratively with the Department of Veterans Affairs regarding impacts from their development activity at their Palo Alto location.
- Continue to lead the Animal Shelter assessment in partnership with the Community Services Department for City Council consideration of a possible new service model.

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- Further implement the Cool Block Community Engagement program to develop and strengthen the citizen/local government relationships, and enable authentic partnerships in building community.
- Conduct a usability assessment of current website with internal/external stakeholders in anticipation of website redesign and platform migration.
- Further advance the City's digital engagement and online presence through responsiveness and quality content to both inform and engage the community.
- Provide strategic communications support to departments across the City with a focus on programs and projects under the Council priorities.
- Provide strategic support for outreach efforts specifically related to grade separation, planning and transportation issues, as well as infrastructure projects including major downtown construction projects.
- Continue partnership with businesses to advance the City's economic development goals and meet business owners' needs regarding concerns such as transportation, parking, and development.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Implement the City Council's policy direction and ensure their goals and objectives are achieved in a timely manner.

Objectives:

- Provide timely, accurate, and results-oriented financial and operational reports.
- Lead the development of citywide business plans that support achievement of the Council's policies and priorities.
- Maintain a highly qualified, engaged, and effective workforce to successfully attain the City's goals and objectives.

GOAL 2

Lead the City's management team to ensure the provision of high-quality, cost-effective, and customer-focused services.

Objectives:

- Provide data and analytics to support informed decision-making processes.
- Improve the efficiency of the City's infrastructure, facilities, and equipment to support environmental and fiscal sustainability.
- Facilitate a high level of citizen satisfaction with City services.

GOAL 3

Advocate sound financial planning by developing and implementing Operating and Capital Improvement Program (CIP) budgets.

Objectives:

- Advance structural reforms to ensure the City lives within our means.
- Expand the use of innovation, performance management, and community partnerships to maintain and/or enhance public services.
- Balance and manage economic growth and sustainability initiatives.

GOAL 4

Promote and sustain citizen participation and engagement in public matters.

Objectives:

- Engage public and private partners to advance community initiatives.
- Expand outreach efforts and communications platforms to broaden citizen participation in local government and community matters.
- Ensure timely and responsive resolution to citizens' inquiries.
- Preserve transparency and enhance communication with the public.

Key Performance Measures

CITIZEN SATISFACTION

Goal	Lead the City's management team to ensure the provision of high-quality, cost-effective, and customer-focused services.							
Objective	Facilitate a high level of citizen satisfaction with City services.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percent of surveyed who rated the Quality of City Services as "Good" or "Excellent"	81.00%	86.00%	87.00%	86.00%	87.00%			
Percent of surveyed who rated the Value of Services for the Taxes Paid as "Good" or "Excellent"	58.00%	61.00%	67.00%	65.00%	67.00%			
Percent of surveyed who rated the Overall Image/Reputation of the City as "Good" or "Excellent"	86.00%	86.00%	92.00%	88.00%	92.00%			
Description	The City participates in the National Citizen Survey (NCS), which is a collaborative effort between National Research Center, Inc. and the International City/County Management Association. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinion about the quality of life in the community.							
Purpose	Residents' feedback on the quality of services provided by the City allows staff to evaluate performance and identify opportunities for improvement.							
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ECONOMIC VITALITY

Goal	Advocate sound financial planning by developing and implementing Operating and Capital Improvement Program (CIP) budgets.
Objective	Balance and manage economic growth and development initiatives.

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed		
Overall quality of business and service establishments rated as "Good" or "Excellent"	72.00%	72.00%	81.00%	75.00%	81.00%		
Percent of surveyed rating economic development as "Good" or "Excellent"	61.00%	66.00%	71.00%	66.00%	71.00%		
Description	The City participates in the National Citizen Survey (NCS), which asks residents to rate their perception of economic development and business and service establishments. The NCS is a collaborative effort between the National Research Center, Inc., and the International City/County Management Association. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinion about the quality of life in the community.						
Purpose	Understanding the community perception of the business environment allows staff to work with developers and investors to ensure the right make-up of business and services are located in Palo Alto.						
Status	Although Palo Alto continues to rank above the benchmark, the high cost of commercial real estate has had an impact on local services. The City continues to work with business owners to increase parking supply, walkability and enhance public spaces with arts and events to increase customers' experience.						

OPEN GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNICATION

Goal	Promote and sustain citizen participation and engagement in public matters.						
Objective	Preserve transparency and enhance communication with the public.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 Actuals Actuals		FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed		
Percent of surveyed rating the City's public info services as "Good" or "Excellent"	78.00%	82.00%	84.00%	83.00%	84.00%		
Percent of surveyed attending a local public meeting	21.00%	24.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%		
	The City participates in the National Citizen Survey (NCS), which asks residents to						

rate their perception of local government media services. The NCS is a collaborative effort between National Research Center, Inc., and the International City/County Management Association. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinion about the quality of life in the community.

Robust levels of community awareness and participation demand communication **Purpose** systems that are timely, accurate, meaningful, and readily accessible. Although Palo Alto continues to rank above the benchmark, the City will be **Status**

Description

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of City Council and City Council Committee meetings	86	60	96	70	70
Total Hours of City Council and City Council Committee meetings	372	281	412	325	325

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration and City Management	2,462,341	1,955,938	2,876,223	2,998,094	121,870	4.2%
Economic Development	305,249	251,849	48,877	47,033	(1,845)	(3.8)%
Public Communication	331,769	193,511	234,528	241,613	7,085	3.0%
Total	3,099,359	2,401,298	3,159,629	3,286,740	127,111	4.0%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	147,338	91,811	182,959	171,580	(11,379)	(6.2)%
Other Benefits	125,036	96,777	60,696	66,204	5,509	9.1%
Overtime	_	118	_	_	_	-%
Pension	384,662	289,220	481,227	511,062	29,836	6.2%
Retiree Medical	108,257	112,770	118,640	114,094	(4,546)	(3.8)%
Salary	1,436,369	1,099,415	1,715,490	1,809,924	94,434	5.5%
Workers' Compensation	6,708	6,844	53,288	38,388	(14,900)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	2,208,371	1,696,957	2,612,298	2,711,252	98,953	3.8%
Allocated Charges	172,614	119,300	135,673	163,069	27,396	20.2%
Contract Services	506,711	420,113	311,185	311,185	_	-%
Facilities & Equipment	21,870	_	_	_	_	-%
General Expense	171,623	153,802	88,641	63,641	(25,000)	(28.2)%
Operating Transfers-Out	2,039	2,039	2,039	27,800	25,761	1,263.4%
Rents & Leases	75	63	154	154	_	-%
Supplies & Material	16,055	9,024	9,639	9,639	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	3,099,359	2,401,298	3,159,629	3,286,740	127,111	4.0%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	881,211	843,860	1,455,335	1,311,682	(143,653)	(9.9)%
Other Revenue	207	_	_	_	_	-%
Rental Income	_	403	_	_	_	-%
Total Revenues	881,418	844,263	1,455,335	1,311,682	(143,653)	(9.9)%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Positions by Division						
Administration and City Management	7.10	7.10	9.35	9.35	-	-%
Economic Development	1.00	1.00	_	_	_	-%
Public Communication	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	_	-%
Total	9.00	9.00	10.25	10.25	_	-%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	90,730
Administrative Associate III	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	83,323
Assistant City Manager	2.00	2.00	_	_	_	_
Assistant City Manager/Utilities General Manager	_	_	0.25	0.25	_	77,096
Assistant to the City Manager	_	_	2.00	2.00	_	302,235
Chief Communications Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	201,136
City Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	313,477
Deputy City Manager	_	_	2.00	2.00	_	403,853
Executive Assistant to the City Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	102,648
Manager Communications	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	115,586
Manager Economic Development	1.00	1.00	_	_	_	_
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	9.00	9.00	10.25	10.25	_	1,690,083
Total Positions	9.00	9.00	10.25	10.25	_	1,690,083

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	10.25	3,159,629	1,455,335	1,710,857
Base Adjustments				
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	6,563	_	6,563
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	6,563	_	6,563
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salaries and Benefits Adjustments	_	114,251	_	114,251
Know Your Neighbor Grant Funding (CMR #7176), approved on August 22, 2016 (Transfer to CSD)	_	(25,000)	_	(25,000)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	(143,653)	143,653
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	7,273	_	7,273
Information Technology Department Allocated Charges	_	15,797	_	15,797
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	2,944	_	_
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(5,180)	_	(5,180)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(15,298)	_	(15,298)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	94,787	(143,653)	255,974
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	10.25	3,260,979	1,311,682	1,973,394
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	25,761	_	_
Total Budget Adjustments	_	25,761	-	_
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	10.25	3,286,740	1,311,682	1,973,394





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	25,761	0	0

This action transfers \$25,761 from the City Manager's Office to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental Pension Trust Fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the City Manager's Office's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental Pension Trust Fund will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).



OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY

Mission Statement



The Office of Sustainability leads the organization, residents, businesses, and visitors in promoting a culture of environmental sustainability by developing, coordinating, and leading initiatives citywide, regionally, and through partnerships with the community.



Purpose

The purpose of the Office of Sustainability is to promote and facilitate an environmentally sustainable future in ways that improve quality of life, grow prosperity, build resilience, and provide leadership in

the region and to other communities.

OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY

CHIEF SUSTAINABILITY OFFICER

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Sustainability Support

0.75 Management Analyst

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

1.75 - Full-time

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

The City's Office of Sustainability (OOS), led by the Chief Sustainability Officer, focuses on the following areas:

STRATEGIC PLANNING:

Create, update, and organize City department plans that enhance sustainability.

POLICY AND PROGRAM COORDINATION:

Work with City Council and City staff to design and implement policies and programs that advance the City's sustainability goals.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS:

Collaborate with international, federal, state, county, special districts, and other non-governmental organizations to leverage resources and advance the City's sustainability efforts.

Accomplishments

- Developed and received City Council acceptance of the 2018-2020 Sustainability Implementation Plan (SIP) to achieve goals of the Sustainability/Climate Action Plan (S/ CAP).
- Formed four interdepartmental working groups in Energy, Water, Mobility, and Electric Vehicles to shape and guide SIP implementation.
- Reestablished the Electric Vehicle (EV) Task Force and assisted with work on draft polices for EV charging stations such as potential pricing options.
- Secured Bay Area Air Quality Management District grant to fund additional EV chargers at City garages and parking lots.
- Participated in regional efforts focused on Mobility as a Service (MaaS).
- Participated in international study on Open Data, Mobility, and Sustainability.
- Supported Utilities Department in updating its strategic plan.
- Managed City and community Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions reporting to the Climate Registry and the Carbon Disclosure Project.
- Palo Alto recognized as the first city in California to achieve a Platinum Level Beacon Award, the highest level possible for its efforts and leadership in addressing climate change.
- Palo Alto received the Green California Summit Leadership Award for Sustainable Communities.
- Represented the City in the Compact of Mayors and the U.S. Mayors' National Climate Action Agenda (MNCAA).

Initiatives

- Embed S/CAP goals and SIP actions into department work plans, program goals, objectives and operations, and support interdepartmental SIP implementation teams.
- Implement OOS-specific SIP elements focused on mobility and climate finance.
- Advance various EV initiatives, including pricing, additional charging infrastructure, and appropriate policies and permitting.
- Explore opportunities to accelerate efficiency upgrades of existing building stock.
- Initiate update, development, and approval of full "qualified" Sustainability and Climate Action Plan (S/CAP) for 2020; explore incorporating UN Sustainable Development Goals.
- Work with Office of Management and Budget to integrate sustainability policy goals through the Capital Improvement Program, and embed the goals in financial analysis and budget processes.
- Partner with Utilities Department in advancing efficiency, electrification, and Distributed Energy Resources (DER) strategies.
- Coordinate with Administrative Services Department to develop internal carbon pricing strategy and protocols, and to improve effectiveness of City's Environmentally Preferred Purchasing (EPP) program.
- Work with Public Works Department to develop zero emissions fleet strategy and facilities master plan.
- Partner with City teams to develop commute alternative pilots for City staff and possibly for local businesses and citizens.
- Implement and refine sustainability dashboards to drive better management and stronger community engagement with easily- obtained data.
- Develop and maintain a sustainability resource library.
- Engage staff and community around S/CAP and 2018-2020 SIP.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1:

Establish bold, coherent, and grounded direction, goals, and plans.

Objectives:

- Initiate update, development, and approval of full "qualified" Sustainability and Climate Action Plan (S/CAP) for 2020
- Work with City Departments to develop and activate specific S/CAP implementation strategies and plans.
- Assess and refine policies to ensure alignment with City sustainability commitments.
- Deploy sustainability performance dashboard, and use to educate and engage internal and external stakeholders.

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GOAL 2:

Integrate sustainability policies, programs, and practices into City operations and community actions.

Objectives:

- Upgrade existing EPP initiatives to 'default to green' wherever feasible.
- Support departments in assessing and improving operations and processes.
- Review and implement Total Cost of Operations (TCO) and externality policies in CIP and operating budgets.
- Explore development of internal carbon pricing in City management and operations.
- Explore divestment of City portfolios from fossil fuels.

GOAL 3:

Foster experimentation, alliances, and big leaps.

Objectives:

- Develop local and regional Mobility as a Service (MaaS) initiatives and pilot programs.
- Develop electrification/fuel switching strategies.

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Sustainability	495,345	490,988	523,762	421,116	(102,646)	(19.6)%
Total	495,345	490,988	523,762	421,116	(102,646)	(19.6)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	18,360	23,725	20,723	42,408	21,685	104.6%
Other Benefits	7,789	6,806	8,084	10,944	2,860	35.4%
Pension	38,619	41,167	51,685	82,048	30,363	58.7%
Retiree Medical	6,244	12,530	13,182	12,677	(505)	(3.8)%
Salary	300,642	267,769	296,681	146,017	(150,664)	(50.8)%
Workers' Compensation	_	_	5,921	4,265	(1,656)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	371,652	351,997	396,276	298,360	(97,916)	(24.7)%
Allocated Charges	560	48,752	50,987	21,058	(29,929)	(58.7)%
Contract Services	101,797	77,650	61,750	81,750	20,000	32.4%
General Expense	19,899	12,640	13,500	14,500	1,000	7.4%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	-	_	4,198	4,198	-%
Supplies & Material	1,436	(51)	1,250	1,250	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	495,345	490,988	523,762	421,116	(102,646)	(19.6)%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	144,142	150,148	130,234	141,266	11,033	8.5%
Other Revenue	1,819	31,576	_	_	_	-%
Total Revenues	145,960	181,724	130,234	141,266	11,033	8.5%
Positions by Division						
Sustainability	2.00	1.00	1.96	1.75	(0.21)	(10.71)%
Total	2.00	1.00	1.96	1.75	(0.21)	(10.71)%

OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Chief Sustainability Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	182,098
Management Analyst	_	_	_	0.75	0.75	85,800
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.75	0.75	267,898
Temporary/Hourly	1.00	_	0.96	_	(0.96)	_
Total Positions	2.00	1.00	1.96	1.75	(0.21)	267,898

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	1.96	523,762	130,234	393,528
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	1,136	_	_
Sustainability Initiatives Contract Funding	(0.96)	(110,000)	_	(110,000)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	(0.96)	(108,864)	_	(110,000)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits	_	(2,429)	_	(2,429)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	11,032	(11,032)
General Liability Insurance Allocation	_	808	_	_
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	(31,808)	_	(31,808)
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	511	_	511
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(575)	_	(575)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(1,700)	_	(1,700)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	(35,193)	11,032	(45,269)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	1.00	379,705	141,266	238,259
Budget Adjustments				
1 City Manager's Office of Sustainability Staffing	0.75	37,213	_	37,213
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	4,198	_	4,198
Total Budget Adjustments	0.75	41,411	_	41,411
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	1.75	421,116	141,266	279,670





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 City Manager's Office of Sustainability Staffing	0.75	37,213	0	37,213

This action realizes \$150,000 in ongoing salary savings partially offset by the addition of 0.75 Management Analyst and additional contract services funding in the City Manager's Office of Sustainability to align with anticipated needs for FY 2019 and beyond. With the City Council approval of the Sustainability & Climate Action Plan (S/CAP) and Sustainability Implementation Plans (SIPs), it is anticipated that the Office of Sustainability will shift away from the current staffing model. It is recommended that the SIP goals and initiatives be matriculated into the routine business processes and various City initiatives throughout the organization. This diffused implementation will uphold the goals of the Office of Sustainability and the Sustainability Action Plan as part of the core values within the organization. This reduction recognizes this transition through anticipated savings from the Chief Sustainability Officer position. Remaining resources associated with this position will be evaluated through FY 2019 and a recommendation will be brought forward for City Council consideration in the future. (Ongoing savings: \$75,000).

Performance Results



This action will give the Office of Sustainability flexibility to most effectively implement sustainability programs and initiatives, including the Sustainability/Climate Action Plan.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

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This action transfers \$4,198 from the Office of Sustainability to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Office of Sustainability's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the pension trust fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust fund will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).



Mission Statement



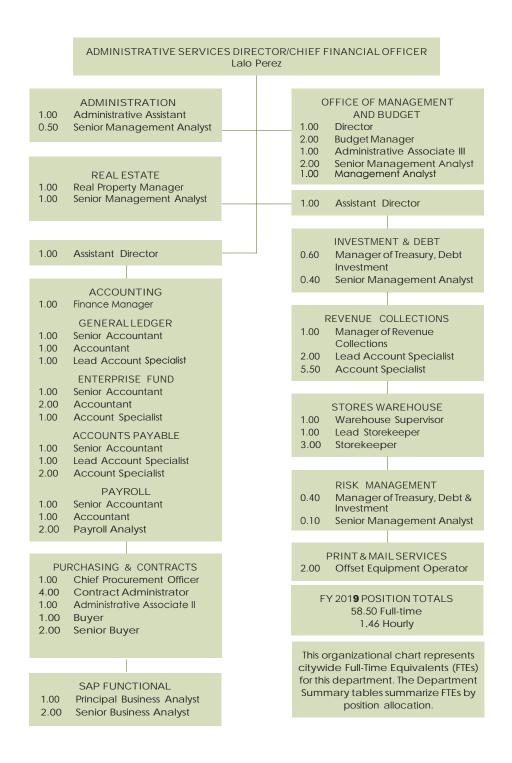
The Administrative Services
Department strives to provide
proactive financial and analytical
support to City departments and
decision makers, and to safeguard and
facilitate the optimal use of City
resources.



Purpose

The purpose of the Administrative Services Department is to provide excellent customer service to decision makers, the public, employees, and City departments; to provide analytical, organizational, and administrative support for a wide variety

of projects; to record, monitor, and protect City assets in a responsible manner; to provide essential financial management and forecasting reports; and to prepare and present financial reporting to various committees and City Council.



Description

The Administrative Services Department (ASD) is responsible for the following functions:

ADMINISTRATION

Provides financial, analytical, budget, strategic and administrative support services for the department and organization.

ACCOUNTING

Performs financial transactions and provides accurate, timely and reliable financial information for internal and external customers, including vendor payments, payroll, and financial reporting.

PURCHASING AND CONTRACTS

Facilitates negotiations, purchasing and contracting needs in a timely, efficient, and customeroriented manner.

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET (OMB)

Oversees the citywide budget preparation, review and analysis, performance measures, and budget monitoring. In addition, prepare the long range financial forecast.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT AND ACQUISITION

Provides asset management, acquires property rights, manages leasing of city properties, prepares real estate agreements, completes easement acquisition/vacation, negotiates real estate deals and provides real estate services citywide.

TREASURY

Collects, safeguards, forecasts, and invests revenue; issues and manages debt; and provides print shop and warehouse services. Warehouse services includes handling logistics for the City's Electric, Water, Gas, and Wastewater Utilities, as well as for Public Works and the Water Quality Control Plant.

Accomplishments

- Facilitated the maintenance of the City's AAA credit rating, which results in the lowest possible borrowing costs.
- Managed the City's real estate leases resulting in revenue of \$4.0 million.
- Issued an RFP for 40,000 square feet of space at Cubberley and successfully rented all the vacant spaces as a result of the Foothill College departure.
- Executed 12 office space leases, 63 hangars and 468 tie downs spots including club tie downs. The projected annual revenue from the Airport real estate assets is \$2.1 million.
- Identified and replaced expired lease at 285 Hamilton second floor space for Development Services Department with a new lease for an office suite negotiated at below market rate.

- Implemented online self-paced training platform and expanded upon the application of eProcurement capability (PlanetBids).
- Continued to expand DocuSign eSignature and electronic workflow for key department forms and facilitated the expanded citywide rollout of DocuSign.
- Explored and identified options for Council to calculate the long-term unfunded liabilities for pension based on updated assumptions. In addition, the Pension Section 115 Trust will have approximately \$5 million in deposits by end of FY 2018.
- Completed 20 easements and easement vacations.
- Completed the transition to a paper-free workflow in Purchasing and continued to expand scanning and electronic archiving in ASD and other city departments.
- Continued to uphold the City's policy effort in using recycled paper. Consolidated bulk of paper and toner costs into the new managed print services program to further extend cost savings and improve on office operations efficiency.
- Participated in citywide emergency preparation and planning to ensure financial support and reporting will be part of a coordinated emergency response effort.
- Developed and implemented business processes to reduce instances of duplicate vendor payments.
- Received an award in the Accounting Division for the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for Fiscal Year 2017 from the Government Finance Officer Associations of United States and Canada (GFOA) for "excellence in financial reporting'.
- Issued the 2018 Golf Course Certificate of Participation (COP) bonds to reimburse the General Fund Infrastructure Reserve for a full golf course renovation, practice area, and driving range expansion. The par issuance size is approximately \$8 million.
- Received CSMFO and GFOA awards in the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for the FY 2018 Adopted CIP and Operating budgets.
- Increased P-card activity along with the bank card rebate revenue in Purchasing.

Initiatives

- Continue implementation of the ASD strategic plan in four focus areas: 1) High quality customer service, 2) Innovation and continuous improvement, 3) Best practices, 4) Employee excellence, including: customer support resources in purchasing, payroll and accounting, and implementation of electronic forms.
- Reduce paper and office supply consumption of the City and generate operational efficiency by implementing a citywide Multi-functional Printer and Managed Print Services networked program (MFP/MPS) along with an Electronic Document Management System (EDMS).
- Maintain employee excellence by focusing on employee rating form, training plans, and specific goals improving customer service and responsiveness.

- Continue implementing citywide procurement process improvements to improve efficiency and align with industry best practices, including new key metrics reporting, knowledge management solution, and electronic document management.
- Implement new procurement process improvement recommendations, including the new eProcurement system for managing solicitations and vendor relations and contract management.
- Implement department-wide, technology-focused, core competency training such as: SAP module specific training for support resources and SAP reporting training in the human resources and payroll modules.
- Explore option to move current manual garage parking permit process to online platform.
- Establish a cooperative purchasing mall to streamline the purchasing process while ensuring competitive pricing and compliance with policies and procedures.
- Provide additional funding options for unfunded pension liability such as identifying funding sources and investment options for Council to consider.
- Continue to build out the financial support for emergency preparation for federal financial reporting after a disaster in conjunction with the Office of Emergency Services.
- Continue implementation of the paperless office program for the Accounting and Real Estate divisions.
- Develop best practices for accounts payable Automated Clearing House (ACH) implementation and Treasury wires.
- Prepare business blueprint and identify business process improvement for the next generation Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) System.
- Support sound environmental, social, and governance investing. Over \$9 million in the City's portfolio has been invested in highly rated municipal "green" or clean renewable energy bonds; these bonds funded photovoltaic energy systems installation, mass transportation including electrification of trains, and clean water projects. The City has also suspended new investments in the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) over concern for their use of fossil fuels.
- Support the citywide effort to replace aging enterprise resource planning system and implement a new system.

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Fund						
General Fund-Operating	7,497,404	7,378,820	7,982,836	8,028,509	45,673	0.6%
Printing & Mailing Services Fund	1,289,499	1,364,905	1,453,146	1,487,979	34,832	2.4%
Total	8,786,902	8,743,725	9,435,982	9,516,487	80,505	0.9%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Revenues						
Charges for Services	28,124	4,647	12,570	12,570	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	5,248,028	3,742,337	4,454,246	3,335,030	(1,119,217)	(25.1)%
Net Sales	300	_	_	_	_	-%
Other Revenue	264,307	144,894	161,500	171,400	9,900	6.1%
Property Taxes	3,720	_	_	_	_	-%
Return on Investments	(1,441)	(140)	400	400	_	-%
Total Revenues	5,543,038	3,891,737	4,628,716	3,519,400	(1,109,317)	(24.0)%
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Positions by Fund						
General Fund	41.04	41.50	40.06	39.61	(0.45)	(1.12)%
Printing and Mailing Services	1.62	2.10	2.10	2.10	_	-%
Total	42.66	43.60	42.16	41.71	(0.45)	(1.07)%

GENERAL FUND

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Ensure the City of Palo Alto's short and long-term financial status is healthy and sound.

Objectives:

- Assist with implementation of Council's Infrastructure Plan by providing updated financial planning and issuance of debt.
- Review opportunities for new and/or enhanced revenues.
- Analyze additional options for reducing the City's pension and retiree healthcare long-term liabilities.
- Provide long-term recommendations and strategies for City's real estate assets and risk reduction such as Cubberley, Ventura, and Middlefield road lots.
- Manage real estate assets effectively to enhance revenue and reduce cost.
- Recommend a strategically balanced budget within Council-approved reserve levels for City Council consideration.
- Assist with ongoing labor negotiations with analysis of labor and City proposals.
- Develop plans for addressing any forecast shortfalls in funding for operations and infrastructure.

GOAL 2

Provide timely and accurate financial reporting and transactions.

Objectives:

- Ensure that payroll processing, vendor payments, budget, and annual financial reporting are clear, timely, accurate, and in compliance with governmental finance standards.
- Enhance financial reporting mechanisms to ensure that departmental financial information is relevant and timely.
- Increase information availability and transparency using open data tools and dashboards.
- Look for opportunities to improve financial reporting as part of the new enterprise resource planning system.

GOAL 3

Ensure public funds and assets are invested prudently and well-managed.

Objectives:

- Ensure sufficient cash is always available to meet current expenditures.
- Maintain a reasonable rate of return on investments.

Invest in green and sustainable bonds, when available and appropriate.

GOAL 4

Continue implementation of the ASD Strategic Plan in the focus areas of customer service, innovation, best practices, and employee excellence.

Objectives:

- Continue implementing a succession plan for the department.
- Review ASD policies and procedures to continuously update and enhance.
- Rollout training and resources for customer support to improve processing time.
- Enhance training plans for employees for job specific training and career development.
- Implement new tools for team collaboration and sharing, such as SharePoint.

Key Performance Measures

ANNUAL PERCENTAGE YIELD ON INVESTMENTS

Goal	Ensure public funds and assets are invested prudently and are well-managed.							
Objective	Maintain a reasonable rate of return on investments.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Annual percentage yield on investments	1.82%	1.82%	2.05%	2.05%	2.15%			
Description		acks the City's ares (in priority ord		n on investments dity, and yield.	while following			
Purpose	A stable rate of return helps to grow the City's investment portfolio, and is one component in measuring the City's financial rating.							
Status	2.05 percent is		achieved in FY 20	ent, the City's ac 019. In comparise yield is 1.16%.				

AVERAGE PROCESSING TIME FOR PURCHASE REQUISITIONS

Goal		Implement performance management programs to support and enhance communication, accountability, and positive outcomes.						
Objective	Continue develo improvements.	Continue developing and implementing Procurement and Inventory process improvements.						
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed			
Track the average time from receipt of a Purchase Requisition to issuance of Purchase Order (Days)	15.00	22.00	23.00	22.00	22.00			
Description	Municipal Code cost-effective us	The City is required to follow procurement rules and regulations as outlined in the Municipal Code and State Law to ensure open and fair competition and the most cost-effective use of tax dollars. In compliance with existing rules and regulations, ASD endeavors to provide goods and services as quickly as possible to City departments.						
Purpose				hase Requisitions compliant with ex				
Status	regulations. In FY 2017, the Purchasing Division began to build on process improvements with increased training and new software solutions to increase efficiency and reduce turnaround time. Despite the process improvements, staff anticipates an increase in larger, more complex PRs in FY 2018 involving significant dollars and City Council decisions, therefore increasing estimated cycle time. The increase is associated with the increasing capital program expenditures. Additionally, to date Purchasing is still working with City stakeholders to onboard technology for process improvements that will further reduce turnaround times on PR and PO processing. Until then little change or improvement is realized beyond what has been achieved over the last year.							

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of P-card (City credit card) transactions	20,349	19,087	19,000	19,100	19,100
Number of purchase orders and purchase requisitions processed	3,496	2,400	2,300	2,624	2,400
Total amount of cash and investments - as of June 30 (Millions)	\$539.70	\$532.10	\$532.00	\$532.00	\$540.00

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Accounting	2,031,310	2,043,348	2,273,096	2,313,999	40,903	1.8%
Administration	797,339	700,131	452,517	478,573	26,055	5.8%
Office of Management and Budget	1,154,119	1,019,241	1,559,404	1,427,663	(131,742)	(8.4)%
Purchasing	1,543,130	1,439,096	1,503,022	1,613,270	110,248	7.3%
Real Estate	556,027	862,337	641,373	659,416	18,043	2.8%
Treasury	1,415,478	1,314,666	1,553,424	1,535,588	(17,836)	(1.1)%
Total	7,497,404	7,378,820	7,982,836	8,028,509	45,673	0.6%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	566,126	613,176	729,465	720,469	(8,996)	(1.2)%
Other Benefits	177,754	121,110	164,266	163,209	(1,057)	(0.6)%
Overtime	45,516	21,488	33,723	34,599	877	2.6%
Pension	979,873	1,019,697	1,238,194	1,266,442	28,248	2.3%
Retiree Medical	490,474	536,733	564,670	473,449	(91,221)	(16.2)%
Salary	4,120,344	3,841,677	4,212,658	4,257,849	45,190	1.1%
Workers' Compensation	13,346	20,338	150,294	108,269	(42,025)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	6,393,433	6,174,219	7,093,269	7,024,287	(68,983)	(1.0)%
Allocated Charges	451,507	364,415	367,541	443,050	75,510	20.5%
Contract Services	395,562	323,681	255,648	253,648	(2,000)	(0.8)%
Facilities & Equipment	10,071	270,979	4,200	4,200	_	-%
General Expense	199,071	198,066	214,924	189,924	(25,000)	(11.6)%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	_	_	65,146	65,146	-%
Rents & Leases	12,363	11,856	12,856	12,856	_	-%
Supplies & Material	35,396	35,602	34,398	35,398	1,000	2.9%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	7,497,404	7,378,820	7,982,836	8,028,509	45,673	0.6%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	28,124	4,647	12,570	12,570	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	3,952,406	2,403,540	3,001,500	1,768,909	(1,232,591)	(41.1)%
Net Sales	300		_	_	_	—%
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Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Other Revenue	264,307	142,894	161,500	171,400	9,900	6.1%
Property Taxes	3,720	_	_	_	_	-%
Total Revenues	4,248,857	2,551,080	3,175,570	1,952,879	(1,222,691)	(38.5)%
Positions by Division						
Accounting	12.90	13.60	13.60	13.52	(0.08)	(0.59)%
Administration	1.60	2.08	1.60	1.60	_	-%
Office of Management and Budget	6.62	6.02	6.62	6.02	(0.60)	(9.06)%
Purchasing	9.35	9.53	8.57	9.05	0.48	5.60%
Real Estate	2.80	2.32	2.32	2.32	_	-%
Treasury	7.77	7.95	7.35	7.10	(0.25)	(3.40)%
Total	41.04	41.50	40.06	39.61	(0.45)	(1.12)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	4.95	5.88	4.88	4.63	(0.25)	335,681
Account Specialist-Lead	4.59	4.05	3.05	3.45	0.40	267,749
Accountant	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	278,741
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	90,730
Administrative Associate II	_	-	1.00	1.00	-	77,734
Administrative Associate III	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	83,323
Assistant Director Administrative Services	1.75	1.65	1.65	1.65	-	330,564
Buyer	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	102,344
Chief Procurement Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	148,512
Contracts Administrator	1.70	1.70	2.70	2.70	_	293,232
Director Administrative Services/ CFO	0.70	0.80	0.80	0.80	-	199,845
Director Office of Management and Budget	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	187,614
Management Analyst	_	_	-	1.00	1.00	105,000
Manager Accounting	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	(1.00)	_

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Manager Budget	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	301,309
Manager Real Property	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	151,133
Manager Revenue Collections	0.70	0.62	0.62	0.62	_	91,484
Manager Treasury, Debt & Investments	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	_	86,362
Manager, Finance	_	_	_	1.00	1.00	145,476
Payroll Analyst	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	172,927
Senior Accountant	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	352,560
Senior Buyer	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	103,384
Senior Management Analyst	4.20	4.90	4.90	2.30	(2.60)	313,565
Storekeeper	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	75,472
Storekeeper-Lead	1.00	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	16,154
Warehouse Supervisor	0.50	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	17,767
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	38.09	38.60	38.60	38.15	(0.45)	4,328,663
Temporary/Hourly	2.95	2.90	1.46	1.46	_	98,375
Total Positions	41.04	41.50	40.06	39.61	(0.45)	4,427,038

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	40.06	7,982,836	3,175,570	4,807,266
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (One-time FY 2016 Salary Savings)	_	17,757	_	17,757
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	17,757	_	17,757
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				'
Salary and Benefits	_	141,226	_	141,226
Accounting Division Funding Realignment (inadvertent allocation error in prior year)	0.40	42,448	_	_
Purchase Card Rebate Increase	_	_	9,900	(9,900)
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(12,236)	_	(12,236)
Worker's Compensation Savings (One-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(43,147)	_	(43,147)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	(1,232,591)	1,232,591
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	17,179	_	17,179
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	12,928	_	12,928
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	(11,131)	_	(11,131)
Vehicle Replacement Allocated Charges	_	51,012	_	51,012
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	0.40	198,280	(1,222,691)	1,378,523
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	40.46	8,198,873	1,952,879	6,203,546
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	65,146	_	65,146
2 Office of Management and Budget Restructure	_	936	_	936
Reduction in Office of Management and Budget Analytical Staffing	(0.60)	(140,469)	_	(140,469)
4 Elimination of Accounting Division Contractual Staffing	_	(40,000)	_	(40,000)
5 Revenue Collections Staffing Funding Realignment	(0.25)	(30,978)	_	(30,978)
6 Reduction in Administrative Services Department Non-Salary Expenses	_	(25,000)	_	(25,000)
Total Budget Adjustments	(0.85)	(170,365)	_	(170,365)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	39.61	8,028,509	1,952,879	6,033,182





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	65,146	0	65,146

This action transfers \$65,146 from the Administrative Services Department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Administrative Services Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

2 Office of Management and Budget Restructure 0.00 936 936

This action realigns the structure of the Office of Management and Budget resulting in funding source realignment and the following position changes: eliminate 2.0 Senior Management Analyst positions and add 1.0 Budget Manager and 1.0 Management Analyst position. In a team of 7.6 full time positions (recommended 0.60 position reduction included in this budget), the current staffing model requires a high degree of experience for positions with the most typical path for professional advancement to be through opportunities outside of the office, creating a high turnover environment. This action ensures technical and managerial expertise as well as opportunities for advancement within the office through the addition of a Budget Manager and allows for a more journey level entry point to the office through the addition of a Management Analyst. OMB has been piloting this for the last 18 months. The pilot has resulted in a more stable team, reducing the turnover and maintaining the professional analytical support required by the Office. This strategic shift of positions ensures OMB can provide citywide analysis that enables data-driven decisions to be made cohesively among departments while embedding a succession planning structure. This action results in overall savings across all funds of \$37,700. (Ongoing Savings: \$39,602 all funds, \$1,000 in the General Fund)

Performance Results





The addition of a Budget Manager from a vacant Senior Management Analyst enables the Office of Management and Budget team to help support the City through its Executive Leadership management changes.

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
3 Reduction in Office of Management and Budget Analytical Staffing	-0.60	(140,469)	0	(140,469)

This action eliminates a vacant 0.6 Senior Management Analyst in the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), OMB has operated with this position vacant or filled by graduate student fellowship participants for a year as it underwent an internal evaluation and subsequently reorganized (as recommended in this FY 2019 Proposed Budget). This position historically supported all labor negotiations by providing the financial costing of proposals throughout the process. In coordination with the Human Resources Department, these tasks have been absorbed by the remaining staff in OMB as well as the Employee Relations team in HR. In addition to labor costing, this position provided the capacity for ad hoc special project analytical support to both OMB and ASD for various projects such as representation on the Utilities ROCC Committee, which will be absorbed by the remaining management staff in OMB and ASD. Additional responsibilities, such as the transition of performance measures and the annual SEA from the City Auditor's Office to OMB will require an evaluation of resource needs. (Ongoing Savings: \$140,000)

Performance Results



Reduction in professional analytical capacity in the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) will result in increased cycle time to assist in citywide initiatives outside of the budget process such as labor negotiations and ad hoc special projects. Support on such project will require planning and a reprioritization of resources among annual business needs. However, it will reduce to overall cost of the Office and cost to analyze, develop and monitor the annual budget process.

4 Elimination of Accounting Division Contractual Staffing	0.00	(40,000)	0	(40,000)
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This ongoing action reduces part-time staffing resources in the accounting division of the Administrative Services Department. Contractual funding has been used in the past couple of years to supplement the work of the accounting division and provide additional capacity while the division had a vacant Accounting Manager. As part of the mid-year actions for FY 2018, that Accounting Manager was reclassified to a Finance Manager. It is anticipated that this supplemental contract funding will no longer be necessary as the recruitment for the Finance Manager concludes. (Ongoing Savings: \$40,000).

Performance Results





Reduction in this temporary staffing will reduce the overall cost for the Accounting Division to deliver current services without impacting quality of services and satisfaction of customers. It is anticipated that once fully staffed, performance will remain consistent.

-0.25 5 Revenue Collections Staffing Funding Realignment (30.978)(30,978)

This action reallocates the staffing in the Revenue Collections team from the General Fund to various Parking Funds. Overall these actions are net-zero across all funds, however do reflect a 0.25 position reduction in the General Fund. Realignment of staff in the RPP fund results from the expansion of this program and increased levels of customer inquiries (front counter and over the phone) and citation collections (including scheduling protests and hearings). (Ongoing savings: \$32,335, \$0 all funds)

Performance Results



Realignment of funding is not anticipated to impact performance measure results as it simply reflects where current resources are dedicated.

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
6 Revenue Collections Staffing Funding Realignment	0.00	(25,000)	0	(25,000)

This action reduces \$25,000 in various non-salary expenses across the Administrative Services Department to align with anticipated needs for FY 2019. The reductions are in resources for contractual services typically used for ad hoc analysis, such as additional audit service associated with the preparation of the CAFR as well as other contractual services throughout the department. These reductions are anticipated to have minimal impacts on day-to-day service levels, however it is anticipated that they will reduce flexibility for unanticipated initiatives that may arise and require a reprioritization of resources. (Ongoing Savings \$25,000)

Performance Results



Realignment of funding is not anticipated to impact performance measure results as it simply reflects where current resources are dedicated.

PRINTING AND MAILING SERVICES

Accomplishments

- Processed 300,000 utility bills.
- Maintained timelines for producing council packets.
- In December 2017, the print shop updated their production equipment to offer better color print quality along with a variety of paper size options.

Initiatives

- Maintain a high level of customer service for Printing and Mailing by listening to their customers and, when appropriate, makingrelevant changes to their operations.
- Provide quality printing products that meet the needs of their customers.
- Adopt new technology that improves efficiency for mass print jobs such as utilizing spray technology for envelope addresses.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Provide timely and high quality services for City departments, City Council, and Committees.

Objectives:

- Continue analyzing additional cost saving options.
- Ensure timely distribution of mail and utility bills.
- Ensure timely creation and distribution of City Council and Committee packets.
- Reduce outsourcing of color job requests with the implementation of new color equipment.

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Printing and Mailing	1,289,499	1,364,905	1,453,146	1,487,979	34,832	2.4%
Total	1,289,499	1,364,905	1,453,146	1,487,979	34,832	2.4%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	32,606	24,790	25,455	27,305	1,850	7.3%
Other Benefits	3,742	2,253	3,099	3,135	37	1.2%
Overtime	2,832	6,145	_	_	_	-%
Pension	26,657	24,003	31,537	31,636	99	0.3%
Retiree Medical	54,687	59,845	62,960	14,663	(48,296)	(76.7)%
Salary	122,022	106,323	132,598	133,571	973	0.7%
Workers' Compensation	409	239	4,566	3,289	(1,277)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	242,956	223,597	260,214	213,600	(46,614)	(17.9)%
Allocated Charges	183,441	177,496	204,255	276,747	72,492	35.5%
Contract Services	34,411	10,607	249,642	114,711	(134,931)	(54.0)%
Facilities & Equipment	_	31,711	_	_	_	-%
General Expense	347,081	271,603	286,975	286,975	_	-%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	_	3,154	7,993	4,840	153.5%
Rents & Leases	376,213	494,718	368,649	507,695	139,046	37.7%
Supplies & Material	105,397	155,174	80,258	80,258	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	1,289,499	1,364,905	1,453,146	1,487,979	34,832	2.4%
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Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	1,295,623	1,338,798	1,452,747	1,566,121	113,374	7.8%
Other Revenue	_	2,000	_	_	_	-%
Return on Investments	(1,441)	(140)	400	400	_	-%
Total Revenues	1,294,182	1,340,657	1,453,147	1,566,521	113,374	7.8%
Positions by Division						
Printing and Mailing	1.62	2.10	2.10	2.10	_	-%
Total	1.62	2.10	2.10	2.10	-	-%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Manager Revenue Collections	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	14,756
Offset Equipment Operator	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.52	_	104,944
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	-	119,699
Temporary/Hourly	_	0.48	0.48	0.48	_	27,777
Total Positions	1.62	2.10	2.10	2.10	_	147,476

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Printing and Mailing Services			
Prior Year Budget	2.10	1,453,146	1,453,147	(1)			
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments							
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(3,154)	_	(3,154)			
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	2,953	_	_			
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(201)	_	(3,154)			
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities							
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	(46,242)	_	(46,242)			
Rents & Leases Expenditure Alignment	_	4,115	_	4,115			
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(372)	_	(372)			
Worker's Compensation Savings (One-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(1,311)	_	(1,311)			
Transfers to Technology Fund (Citywide technology CIP's)	_	6,395	_	6,395			
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	66,074	_	66,074			
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	1,461	_	1,461			
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	3,315	_	3,315			
Print & Mail Fund Allocated Charges	_	_	113,374	(113,374)			
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	33,435	113,374	(79,939)			
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	2.10	1,486,380	1,566,521	(83,094)			
Budget Adjustments							
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	1,598	_	1,598			
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	2.10	1,487,978	1,566,521	(81,496)			





Budget Adjustments

	Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Printing and Mailing Services
1 Suppler	mental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	1,598	0	1,598

This action transfers \$1,598 from the Print & Mailing Services Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Print and Mailing Services Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).



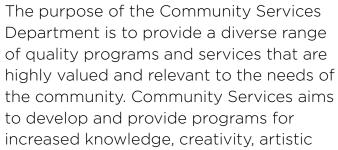
COMMUNITY SERVICES

Mission Statement



The Community Services Department's mission is to engage individuals and families in creating a strong and healthy community through parks, recreation, social services, arts, and sciences.

Purpose



expression, physical activity, social help, and enjoyment of the outdoors; seeks to be responsible stewards of the many unique community assets including open space, parks and their related interpretive centers, Children's Theatre, Palo Alto Art Center, Junior Museum and Zoo and three community centers at Cubberley, Mitchell Park and Lucie Stern and the Palo Alto Public Art collection; seeks to provide comfortable, safe, and attractive facilities; strives for sustainable practices that lower the City's carbon footprint; and develops and maintains mutually beneficial partnerships and collaborations with local organizations, businesses, individuals and foundations to achieve its mission.

COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR

Monique le Conge Ziesenhenne (Interim)

1.00 Management Assistant 1.00 Management Analyst 1.00 Administrative Assistant 1.00 Administrative Associate III	HUMAN SERVICES 1.00 Human Services Manager 1.00 Management Assistant	1.00 Administrative Assistant
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OPEN SPACE, PARKS & GOLF DIVISION

- 1.00 Division Manager, Open Space, Parks &
- 1.00 Open Space, Parks & Golf Superintendent
- 1.00 Program Assistant II

OPENSPACE

- 2.00 Community Services Manager
- 5.00 Park Ranger

PARKS ADMINISTRATION

1.00 Parks Superintendent

CITY PARKS & FACILITIES

- 2.00 Inspector, Field Services
- 4.00 Sprinkler System Representative
- 1.00 Park Maintenance -Lead
- 1.00 Community Services Manager
- 2.00 Parks Crew Lead
- 6.00 Park Maintenance Person

CAPITAL PROJECTS

1.00 Coordinator Public Works Projects

RECREATION DIVISION

1.00 Recreation Superintendent

LUCIESTERN **COMMUNITY CENTER**

- 1.00 Community Services Manager
- 2.00 Program Assistant I
- 1.00 Coordinator, Recreation **Programs**

MITCHELLPARK **COMMUNITY CENTER**

- 1.00 Community Services Senior Program Manager
- 1.00 Program Assistant I
- 1.00 Program Assistant II
- 2.00 Coordinator, Recreation **Programs**

CUBBERLEY **COMMUNITY CENTER**

- 1.00 Community Services Manager
- 1.00 Program Assistant II
- 1.00 Program Assistant I
- 2.00 Building Service Person-Lead
- 2.00 Building Service Person

ARTS & SCIENCES DIVISION

PALO ALTO ART CENTER

- 1.00 Community Services Manager
- 4.25 Producer Arts & Sciences
- 1.00 JMZ Educator
- 1.00 Program Assistant I

PUBLIC ART PROGRAM

- 1.00 Community Services Senior Program Manager
- 1.00 Program Assistant II

CHILDREN'STHEATRE

- 1.00 Community Services Senior Program Manager
- 1.00 Theater Specialist
- 3.75 Producer Arts & Sciences
- 1.00 Program Assistant I

JUNIOR MUSEUM AND ZOO

- 1.00 Community Services Senior Program Manager
- 1.00 Theater Specialist
- 3.00 Producer Arts & Sciences
- 2.60 JMZ Educator
- 1.00 Program Assistant I

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

79.60 - Full-time 50.56 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary table summarizes FTEs by position allocation.

Description

The Community Services Department operates three divisions and an Office of Human Services, providing the following services to the community:

ARTS AND SCIENCES

Provides visual and performing arts, music, dance, and science programs to youth and adults, with a focus on family programs. The division manages the Art Center, Junior Museum and Zoo (JMZ), Children's Theatre, Community Theatre, Cubberley Theatre, the Public Art Program, the Cubberley Artist Studios Program, and the MakeX Studio.

OPEN SPACE, PARKS, AND GOLF

Maintains nature interpretive centers and operates more than 4,000 acres of open space and urban parkland. The division offers programs in ecology and natural history in open space, maintenance of facilities for outdoor recreational use in City parks, and a full-service golf complex.

RECREATION

Provides a diverse range of programs and activities for the community, establishing a culture of health and well-being for families and individuals of all ages. Programs include childhood learning, youth development, teen services, summer camps, organized sports, aquatics, special events, and a wide variety of adult recreation classes. The Recreation Division manages and operates three community centers, a teen center, and the Rinconada Pool.

OFFICE OF HUMAN SERVICES

Provides funding and coordinates grants to nonprofit organizations through the Human Services Resource Allocation Process (HSRAP). Provides oversight of the afterschool child care program, the Palo Alto Mediation Program, the family resources data base, and serves as a key liaison to local social services organizations and child care providers.

Accomplishments

- Golf Course Reconfiguration Project was completed, featuring an improved 18-hole linksstyle course, putting green and scenic views of the Baylands. The renovated course uses significantly less water due to the use of more native and salt tolerant vegetation and a 40% reduction in irrigated turf grass. The course is expected to reopen under a new management contract in Spring 2018.
- City Council adopted the Parks, Trails, Natural Open Space and Recreation Master Plan in September 2017.
- The Buckeye Creek Hydrology Study was completed, providing recommendations to reduce erosion, sediment deposition, and flooding of parkland located in the northern boundary of Foothills Park.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

- The Rinconada pool season expanded through the end of October.
- Hosted special events that drew over 25,000 people including: Cubberley Day, May Fete Parade, July 4th Chili Cook-off, Summer Twilight Concert Series, Holiday Tree Lighting and Senior New Year's Eve Brunch. Co-hosted a community health fair with the YMCA; hosted the 2nd annual Teen Buoyancy Festival; and introduced a new event, the October Harvest Festival at Lucie Stern Community Center.
- ThinkFund (formerly Bryant Street Garage Fund) funded 20 teen inspired and led projects totaling \$23,000 and serving over 1,500 teens.
- Continued to offer numerous Teen Leadership Programs including: Art Center's Teen Leadership Program; ClickPA; Learning Enrichment Afterschool Program (LEAP); MakeX; Palo Alto Youth Council; Teen Advisory Board, and the Teen Arts Council.
- Human Services: Provided \$960,000 in financial support for senior services and childcare subsidies; \$500,000 in human service grants awarded to 16 agencies; hosted four community forums on Implicit Bias called "Being Different Together", which was attended by 275 community members; and developed a three-year strategic plan for Project Safety Net and its over 50 partner organizations.
- Arts & Sciences: Art Center served a record 130,000 people through a diverse range of programs with the support of over 800 active volunteers that contributed over 8,000 hours of time and support. Opened a printmaking studio at Cubberley Community Center, which was made possible by a gift from the Kirkeby family. Received three Awards for Best Public Art from the Americans for the Arts.
- Children's Theatre: 2017 was an exceptional year with a record breaking 52,000 attendees. Children's Theatre offers free tickets for under-served families and Ronald McDonald House residents.
- Children's Theatre added a Summer Teen Academy and Design Tech Camps allowing teens to gain professional-level training in performance and production design.
- The City formalized its agreement with the Friends of the JMZ to begin construction of a new Junior Museum and Zoo (JMZ) after the Friends made a donation of \$25 million. The new JMZ is expected to open in Summer 2020. The JMZ will temporarily relocate to Cubberley Community Center Auditorium during construction.
- JMZ hosted more than 184,000 visitors and reached 19,000 elementary school students through school program and field trips.
- A new dog park was built at Peers Park in Summer 2018.

Initiatives

The Baylands Comprehensive Conservation Plan will be completed in FY 2019 to provide guidance and best practices for managing the habitat, wildlife, and recreational uses at the Baylands Nature Preserve. Conservation plans for Foothills Park, Pearson Arastradero Preserve, and Esther Clark Park began in FY 2018 to provide management guidance for these open space preserves.

- Community Services will explore funding strategies for implementation of the Parks, Trails, Natural Open Space and Recreation Master Plan.
- The Parks, Open Space and Golf Division will begin evaluating best future uses of the Baylands 10.5 acres with community input.
- Staff will work with a design consultant on a master plan for the Cubberley Community Center. A stakeholder and community engagement plan will be a significant element of the master planning process. Community Services will be working closely with the Palo Alto Unified School District during the master planning process.
- The Arts and Sciences Division is working on two major initiatives: a strategic plan for the division and an assessment and implementation plan for the Stern Theatre.
- The Public Art Program is developing new artworks for municipal projects, such as Fire Station 3, the Charleston/Arastradero corridor, the Junior Museum and Zoo, parking garages in downtown and California Avenue, as well as managing dozens of public art in private development projects expected to be constructed in the next few years.
- The construction of a new Junior Museum and Zoo facility will begin, in partnership with the Friends of the JMZ who raised \$25 million, and is expected to re-open in FY 2020.
- Cubberley Artist's Studio Program (CASP) has many programs planned for the year, including open studios and hands on workshops at Cubberley Community Day.
- In FY 2019 the Mitchell Park Adobe Creek Bridge will be replaced. The pathways on each side of the bridge were renovated to meet ADA standards, but the Bridge is only five feet wide and poses safety issues for pedestrians and bicyclists. The new bridge will meet ADA standards.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Provide high-quality, relevant, and diverse services and programs to the public.

Objectives:

- Achieve a high level of customer satisfaction for all programs and services offered by the department.
- Increase public awareness of, and participation in, recreational services.
- Ensure programs are responsive to a broad range of needs within the community.

GOAL 2

Ensure parks and recreational areas are safe and environmentally sensitive.

Objectives:

- Maintain grounds to be in good condition and facilities to be in good repair.
- Protect public land and utilize best management practices for environmental preservation.

GOAL 3

Provide innovative, well-managed programs and services.

Objectives:

- Increase and diversify community involvement and volunteerism.
- Monitor cost recovery to facilitate sustainability of programs and services with a goal to maintain or increase cost recovery levels.
- Explore partnerships with other agencies to maximize services for the public.

Key Performance Measures

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT ONLINE REGISTRATION AND EFFICIENCY

Goal	Provide innovative, well managed programs and services.							
Objective	Increase online class registration.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Percent of class registrations occurring online	51.00%	51.00% 62.00% 60.00% 60.00% 60.00						
Description	Increase self-se	Increase self-service, efficient and convenient online class registration processes.						
Purpose	Increase staff pr	Increase staff productivity and capacity.						
Status	Currently, online	class registration	n is the preferred	method of regist	ration.			

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT OPEN SPACE AND PARKS

Goal	Ensure parks ar	Ensure parks and recreational areas are safe and environmentally sensitive.							
Objective	Protect public land and utilize best management practices for environmental preservation.								
	FY 2016 Actuals								
Percent of surveyed who rate the City's success in preserving natural areas as "Good" or "Excellent"	78.00% 82.00% 81.00% 81.00% 81.00%								
Description	This measure tracks resident responses when asked to rate Palo Alto's preservation of natural areas such as open space and green belts in an annual National Citizen Survey (NCS). The Department maintains and manages over 4,000 acres of open space including Foothills Park, Baylands Nature Preserve, Pearson-Arastradero Preserve and Esther Clark Nature Preserve. The City participates in the NCS, which asks residents to rate their perception of local government services. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinions about the quality of life in the community.								
Purpose		It is important for the City to solicit feedback from and respond to residents regarding the services and programs provided.							
Status			urisdictions in the such as open sp		•				

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

Goal	Provide high qu	Provide high quality, relevant, and diverse services and programs to the public.							
Objective	Ensure program	Ensure programs are responsive to a broad range of needs within the community							
	FY 2016 Actuals								
Percent of surveyed who rate recreation programs/classes as "Good" or "Excellent"	84.00% 87.00% 88.00% 88.00% 88.00%								
Description	The Department's motto is "Engage, Create, Enjoy!" to enhance the quality of life. We offer diverse experiences for children, teens, and adults of all ages. This measure tracks resident responses when asked to rate Palo Alto's recreation programs or classes in the annual National Citizen Survey (NCS). The City participates in the NCS, which asks residents to rate their perception of local government services. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinions about the quality of life in the community.								
Purpose	It is important for the City to solicit feedback from and respond to residents regarding the services and programs provided.								
Status	ratings in all oth		nan other cities in nts' ratings ranke I Citizen Survey .						

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Total Enrollment in classes/camps in arts, sciences, recreation, and open space programs	14,494	14,213	15,500	15,500	15,500
Average Enrollment in classes/ camps in arts, sciences, recreation, and open space programs	23	18	22	22	22

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration and Human Services	3,938,106	4,172,215	3,987,583	4,213,867	226,284	5.7%
Arts and Sciences	5,440,712	5,759,602	6,213,537	6,366,554	153,017	2.5%
Open Space, Parks and Golf	9,004,816	8,942,719	10,479,195	11,775,381	1,296,187	12.4%
Recreation and Cubberley	5,894,212	6,332,283	6,886,620	6,668,795	(217,825)	(3.2)%
Total	24,277,846	25,206,818	27,566,935	29,024,597	1,457,662	5.3%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	1,484,629	1,796,045	1,851,818	1,891,933	40,115	2.2%
Other Benefits	229,568	201,464	259,224	255,421	(3,802)	(1.5)%
Overtime	178,845	200,984	101,795	104,441	2,647	2.6%
Pension	1,555,993	1,849,667	1,986,661	2,056,481	69,820	3.5%
Retiree Medical	867,301	949,102	998,502	909,816	(88,685)	(8.9)%
Salary	8,036,627	8,717,180	9,289,484	8,970,057	(319,428)	(3.4)%
Workers' Compensation	90,352	57,906	333,881	240,516	(93,365)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	12,443,315	13,772,347	14,821,364	14,428,666	(392,698)	(2.6)%
Allocated Charges	4,451,750	4,660,976	4,765,565	5,207,348	441,783	9.3%
Contract Services	4,748,754	4,109,550	5,173,296	7,497,407	2,324,111	44.9%
Facilities & Equipment	85,831	39,646	63,700	53,700	(10,000)	(15.7)%
General Expense	1,822,763	1,903,230	2,000,802	1,027,451	(973,351)	(48.6)%
Operating Transfers-Out	6,990	6,990	6,990	110,605	103,615	1,482.3%
Rents & Leases	24,176	11,930	25,505	25,505	_	-%
Supplies & Material	694,268	702,148	709,713	673,916	(35,797)	(5.0)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	24,277,846	25,206,818	27,566,935	29,024,597	1,457,662	5.3%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	5,154,476	3,925,023	6,332,884	7,442,751	1,109,867	17.5%
Charges to Other Funds	55,513	55,686	59,230	60,715	1,485	2.5%
From Other Agencies	52,641	61,545	_	_		—%
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Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Other Taxes and Fines	(5,942)	2,521	1,026	1,026	_	-%
Rental Income	1,099,522	1,201,908	1,049,386	984,370	(65,016)	(6.2)%
Total Revenues	7,074,326	5,929,168	8,008,746	9,074,082	1,065,336	13.3%
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Positions by Division						
Administration and Human Services	5.96	5.79	6.24	6.24	-	-%
Arts and Sciences	44.64	45.89	46.28	44.42	(1.86)	(4.02)%
Open Space, Parks and Golf	31.93	32.87	32.87	30.59	(2.28)	(6.94)%
Recreation and Cubberley	59.51	59.71	59.65	47.08	(12.57)	(21.07)%
Total	142.04	144.26	145.04	128.33	(16.71)	(11.52)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	90,730
Administrative Associate III	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	83,323
Assistant Director Community Services	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	-	364,853
Building Serviceperson	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	128,006
Building Serviceperson-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	137,033
Coordinator Recreation Programs	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.00	(1.00)	270,565
Director Community Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	206,759
Division Manager Open Space, Parks and Golf	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	157,872
Heavy Equipment Operator	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	_	6,877
Inspector, Field Services	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	210,887
Junior Museum & Zoo Educator	2.75	2.75	3.60	3.60	_	290,405
Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	109,262
Management Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	84,778
Manager Community Services	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	_	484,016
Manager Community Services Senior Program	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	475,280
Manager Human Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	128,814

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Park Maintenance Person	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	_	460,069
Park Maintenance-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	88,906
Park Ranger	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	_	426,908
Parks/Golf Crew-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	166,874
Producer Arts/Science Program	12.50	12.50	11.00	11.00	_	1,045,366
Program Assistant I	7.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	_	630,932
Program Assistant II	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	339,112
Project Manager	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	11,126
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	137,322
Sprinkler System Representative	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	311,985
Superintendent Community Services	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	248,976
Superintendent Recreation	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	117,790
Theater Specialist	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	_	209,239
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	77.42	78.42	78.77	77.77	(1.00)	7,424,066
Temporary/Hourly	64.62	65.84	66.27	50.56	(15.71)	2,521,592
Total Positions	142.04	144.26	145.04	128.33	(16.71)	9,945,658

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	145.04	27,566,935	8,008,746	19,558,189
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Aquatics Program Pilot	-	142,617	_	142,617
Open Space, Parks and Golf Division Maintenance	_	80,000	_	80,000
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	222,617	_	222,617
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities		ı		
Salaries and Benefits Adjustment	_	312,734	_	312,734
Golf Course Revenue and Expense (CMR #8848, approved by the City Council on April 6, 2018)	_	1,122,533	1,511,472	(388,939)
Know Your Neighbor Grant Program (transfer from City Manager's Office, additional \$25,000)	_	50,000	_	50,000
Friends of the Palo Alto Children's Theatre (FOPACT) Donation to the Children's Theatre	_	45,000	45,000	_
Human Services Resource Allocation Program / Avenidas / PACC (consumer price index)	_	38,227	_	38,227
Children's Fine Arts Program and Lucie Stern Community Center Facility Rental Revenues	_	_	34,000	(34,000)
City Facilities and Parks Maintenance Service to Enterprise Funds Allocated Charges	_	_	1,485	(1,485)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	12,176	_	12,176
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(30,138)	_	(30,138)
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	132,836	_	132,836
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	24,815	_	24,815
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	7,289	_	7,289
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	254,187	_	254,187
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	10,480	_	10,480
Workers' Compensation Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(95,849)	_	(95,849)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	-	1,884,290	1,591,957	292,333
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	145.04	29,673,842	9,600,703	20,073,139
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	103,615	_	103,615
2 Art Center Exhibition Staffing	(1.65)	4,548	_	4,548
3 Reduction in Golf Course Part-Time Staffing	(0.47)	(29,300)	_	(29,300)

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
4 Reduction in Building Operations and Parks Maintenance Part-Time Staffing	(3.27)	(147,630)	_	(147,630)
5 Reduction in Community Services Administrative Operations	(0.21)	(88,240)	_	(88,240)
6 Aquatics Program Adjustments	(11.11)	(492,238)	(526,621)	34,382
Total FY 2019 Budget Adjustments	(16.71)	(649,245)	(526,621)	(122,624)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	128.33	29,024,597	9,074,082	19,950,515





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	103,615	0	103,615

This action transfers \$103,615 from the department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
2 Art Center Exhibition Staffing	-1.65	4,548	0	4,548

This action restructures the staffing model for the Art Center's exhibition program by eliminating 1.65 Arts & Science Professional part-time positions and adding contract services funding. These positions provide assistance in the set up and removal of art exhibits. The Art Center typically hosts several exhibits annually. The artwork requires careful handling during this process, and the department has struggled to maintain staffing consistently to complete this work. It is anticipated that contract services funding will provide increased flexibility and consistent on-call resources as needed in order to meet the demands. (Ongoing costs: \$4,548)

Performance Results





This action will provide more flexibility for the Art Center staff to hire qualified contractors to handle exhibits-related tasks on time.

3 Reduction in Golf Course Part-Time Staffing

-0.47

(29,300)

(29,300)

This action eliminates a vacant 0.47 part-time Management Specialist that operated a backhoe to fix water line breaks at the golf course. With the brand new irrigation system, the department does not anticipate needing this type of work going forward. Additionally, in April 2018, the City Council approved contract terms for a service management model with OB Sports. Through this contract all services at the golf course including management and maintenance will be addressed by the contractor. This elimination should not have an impact on the service delivery of the golf course and aligns with this new service delivery model. (Ongoing savings: \$29,300)

Performance Results







This adjustment ensures unnecessary golf course operating costs are removed without affecting the customer experience.

4	Reduction in Building Operations and Parks	
	Maintenance Part-Time Staffing	

-3.27

(147,630)

(147.630)

This action eliminates four part-time Custodial Assistant positions (equivalent of 1.08 positions) and two part-time Building Serviceperson positions (equivalent of 0.38 positions) and four part-time Parks Maintenance Assistant positions (equivalent of 1.81 positions). These positions are assigned to various maintenance and support roles throughout the Recreation and Parks and Open Space Divisions. The Recreation Division has adjusted its service delivery model to rely more on full-time custodial staff rather than utilize all the custodial assistant positions. The reduction in part-time parks maintenance positions will result in reduced capacity to address non-urgent requests for services and increased reliance on parks maintenance contractual staff to address non-urgent maintenance needs. This is the recommended reduction in departmental resources at this time; however, the department will continue to evaluate operations and should these reductions prove detrimental, the department will re-evaluate spending priorities and bring forward alternative adjustments at that time. (Ongoing savings: \$147,630)

Performance Results



Reduction in this temporary staffing will reduce the overall cost for the Recreation and Parks and Open Space Division to deliver current services without impacting quality of services and satisfaction of customers.

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
5 Reduction in Community Services Administrative Operations	-0.21	(88,240)	0	(88,240)

This action reduces various non-salary and three part-time Recreation Leader positions (equivalent of 0.21 positions) expenses across the Community Services Department to achieve ongoing savings in operating expenses. Reductions will result in more constrained resources for general CSD administration including recreation programs administration and housekeeping funds. These reductions do not eliminate available funding for any program. Although they are not anticipated to have significant impact on service delivery, these adjustments will require a prioritization of expenses in the department. This is the recommended reduction in departmental resources at this time; however, the department will continue to evaluate options and should these reductions prove detrimental, the Department will re-evaluate spending priorities and bring forward alternative adjustments at that time. (Ongoing savings: \$88,240)

Performance Results



No significant implications to the performance of the Community Services Department are anticipated as a result of this reduction other than cost savings to deliver current services without impacting quality of services and satisfaction of

6 Aquatics Program Adjustments

-11.11

(492,238)

(526,621)

34.382

This action eliminates 1.0 vacant Recreation Programs Coordinator and 10.11 Swim Instructor/Lifeguard and Recreation Leader part-time positions, as well as program revenues and expenses associated with the Aquatic Program to align with the current service-delivery model. In January 2017, the City began a public-private partnership with Team Sheeper LLC (Team Sheeper) to manage the year-round Learn to Swim program. In June 2017, the City Council approved an amendment to the contract to include operational management of lap and open swim programs, as well as oversight of Rinconada Masters and Palo Alto Stanford Aquatics programs. As a result of this partnership with Team Sheeper, in-house staffing is no longer necessary. (Ongoing net costs: \$34,382)

Performance Results







These adjustments enable a more financially feasible and sustainable Aquatics program that also improves customer experience.

GOLF COURSE FINANCIALS

	FY 2015 Actuals	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Projected	FY 2019 Proposed
REVENUES					
Tournament Fees	212	212 0		0	0
Green Fees	859,660	0	0	569,908	2,281,497
Monthly Play Cards	59,250	0	0	0	0
Driving Range	292,092	154,322	227,072	217,168	393,588
Cart/club Rentals	234.556	0	1,236	0	370,781
Proshop Lease	24,601	18,000	13,175	10,481	12
Restaurant Lease	44,592	18,000	32,657	2,779	12
Restaurant Utilities	18,000	18,000	16,500	1,877	0
Other Fee	16,116	24,000	4,039	6,697	609,134
Total Revenue	1,549,080	232,322	294,719	808,910	3,655,024
EXPENDITURES					
Operating Expenses					
Salaries & Benefits	74,978	129,915	119,906	112,653	117,341
Advertising & Publishing	6,473	15,000	1,126	0	0
Supplies and Materials	1,477	10,000	27,008	44,309	0
General Expense	72	1,450	52	1,587,255	2,498,465
Facilities and Equipment Purchases	250	5,000	6,434	7,563	0
Allocated Charges	315,812	157,750	156,748	178,976	237,835
Subtotal	399,061	319,115	303,274	1,930,756	2,853,641
Contract Services					
Golf Maintenance	807,230	217,896	364,666	0	0
Miscellaneous	38,067	0	49,068	0	0
Range Fees	110,995	31,710	195,631	153,686	0
Cart Rentals	88,906	0	0	0	0
Club Rentals	4,804	0	0	0	0
Fixed Management Fees	349,116	30,500	30,500	83,669	108,000
Contract Contingency	0	4,166	0	5,412	26,044
Subtotal	1,399,118	284,272	639,865	242,767	134,044
Total Operating Expenses	1,798,179	603,387	943,139	2,173,523	2,987,685
Income From Operations	(249,099)	(371,065)	(648,420)	(1,364,613)	667,339

GOLF COURSE FINANCIALS

	FY 2015 Actuals	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Projected	FY 2019 Proposed
Debt Expenses					
Debt Service (Refunded)	429,000	429,020	432,150	432,271	431,154
Debt Service (New)	0	0	0	0	181,794
Subtotal	429,000	429,020	432,150	432,271	612,948
Net Income (Loss)	(678,119)	(800,085)	(1,080,570)	(1,796,884)	54,391

^{*}The Golf Course was closed during FY2017 due to renovation.

^{**}The renovated Golf Course is scheduled to open in May 2018 under new management.

HUMAN SERVICE CONTRACTS

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,609	23,609	23,609	25,000	24,199
,565	18,565	18,565	30,000	19,029
,257	35,257	35,257	35,000	36,138
,372	36,372	36,372	36,533	37,281
,990	26,990	26,990	32,000	27,665
,724	44,724	44,724	76,932	45,842
,001	20,001	20,001	41,600	20,501
0	10,959	10,959	13,000	11,233
,684	29,684	29,684	31,000	30,426
,401	14,401	14,401	15,400	14,761
,475	26,475	26,475	31,500	27,137
,663	21,663	21,663	30,000	22,205
,654	503,213	503,213	680,445	515,793
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Human Service Contracts Notes:

- 1. Not part of the Human Services Resource Allocation Process.
- 2. Human Services Resource Allocation Process (HSRAP) contracts are requested as part of a two-year cycle, and once approved, the agencies receive the same level of funding across each year of the cycle. The Agency Request amounts reflect the request made for each year.
- 3. Council approved the allocation of remaining \$155,559 from the FY2018 Adopted Budget at the November 7, 2017 meeting. For details, refer to CMR 8581.
- 4. Funding is displayed as part of the Non-Departmental section of this document.

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Mission Statement



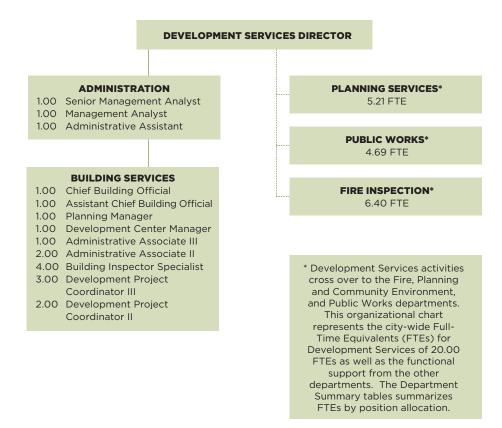


The mission of the Development
Services Department is to work
collaboratively with other departments
to provide citizens, business owners,
developers, and applicants reliable and
predictable expectations in the review,
permitting, and inspection of
development projects that meet the
minimum municipal and building
regulations to ensure the health, safety,
and welfare of the public.

Purpose

The Development Services Department ensures all private construction complies with a set of requirements that specify the minimum standards for construction. The main purpose of Development Services is to protect the public health, safety, and general welfare as they relate to the construction and occupancy of buildings and structures.

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FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

20.00 - Full-time 3.50 - Hourly

Description

The Development Services Department is responsible for the following functions:

ADMINISTRATION

Provides priority setting, strategic planning, personnel, contract, budget, and project management support; liaises with other departments and outside stakeholders; and manages and monitors performance metrics to measure progress.

PROJECT COORDINATION

Serve as primary point of contact for customers and staff members of subsequent divisions from project inception to completion by providing administration, assembling multi-disciplinary teams, providing early project assistance, project completeness checks, project review and project approval.

BUILDING

Protects the public's health, safety, and general welfare as they relate to the construction and occupancy of buildings and structures by enforcing laws and regulations that govern the design, construction, use and occupancy of buildings. The building division also provides timely and professional review of plans and documents for all building permit applications to ensure that the proposed work complies with all state and local code requirements. Following permit issuance, the building division ensures that construction complies with the approved plans and adopted codes.

PLANNING

Works collaboratively with City staff, consultants, and external customers to provide a link between the City's entitlement review and building processes. The planning division is also responsible for gathering and analyzing data in support of land use policy; reviewing projects for potential environmental impacts to the City and its residents; and ensuring compliance with the Zoning Ordinance and Comprehensive Plan.

PUBLIC WORKS

Provides engineering support with concern for City-owned facilities, streets, sidewalks, storm drains, and parks infrastructure as well as for the urban forest.

GREEN BUILDING

Assists applicants of residential and non-residential projects to comply with the City's green building and energy codes to maximize a project's energy and water use efficiency and maintain that level of efficiency into the future. The green building contract staff works with other departments to ensure that sustainable measures are incorporated into buildings from design through construction and continue in the monitoring of building performance.

FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

Ensures compliance with the fire code for the safety of occupants and protection of property. Staff performs fire sprinkler and fire alarm plan checks, permitting, and field inspections with the goal of ensuring all construction complies with local and national codes. The Fire Prevention Bureau works closely with applicants and residents, priding themselves in the level of service they provide customers whether its keeping a project on schedule or the public educated.

UTILITIES

Ensures new construction compliance with standards for water, gas, wastewater, and electric utilities. Projects are required to comply and integrate with the City's existing utility infrastructure in accordance with applicable laws.

Accomplishments

- Launched a new Energy Reach Code demonstrating leadership in the energy efficiency space for new construction.
- Received approval from City Council to refer the Seismic Risk Study to Policy and Services Committee to review the scope of structures that are at seismic risk and whether to require mandatory or voluntary retrofit.
- Partnered with Utilities department to expedite Electric Hot Water Heat Pump permitting process to advance City's sustainability goals.
- Received City Council approval on a new fee study schedule to base building permit fees on the International Code Council Building Valuation Tables instead of the project valuation received from the applicant and implemented a new reserve fund.
- Obtained City Council approved for new Electric Vehicle Charging Station ordinance for expedited residential permits in compliance with Assembly Bill 1236 and developed new submittal guidelines for residential permits to comply with ordinance.
- Generated Energy Storage Systems permit submittal guidelines for new generation of ion lithium battery back-up power systems, e.g. Tesla Powerwall 2, through a collaborative effort of meetings with the battery power system vendors.
- Developed an Electronic Plan Review (EPR) task force to review possible vendors for the selection of EPR software to be used for department and future city-wide submittal of plans electronically thereby reducing paper production and further streamlining the plan review process.
- Implemented Right of Way notification system which allows residents to monitor construction activity in city streets.
- Launched the automated expired permit notification system in Accela to inform applicants when the building permit expires.
- Continued enforcement of the Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (MWELO) required by the State Department of Water Resources and the Urban Forestry Technical Manual required by the City's Department of Public Works.

- Continued enforcement of the Green Building and Energy Ordinance reflecting building code changes for the 2019 code cycle.
- Finalized American with Disabilities (ADA) Transition Plan with interdepartmental stakeholders to advance implementation plan.
- Completed solicitation for new Green Building Special Inspectors contractors to ensure City's enforcement of ordinances and regulations are resourced adequately.

Initiatives

- Implement the City's sustainability goals by codifying the Green Building Summit's recommendations into 2019 Building Code cycle update and continue to support the Office of Sustainability with the Sustainability Implementation Plan.
- Advance the City's resiliency goals by advancing the seismic risk management study to Policy and Service Committee and collaborate with Office of Emergency Services on emergency preparedness plans related to building safety.
- Further budget and administration goals by monitoring the impacts of the Fiscal Year 2018 fee study implementation and continue to provide predictable and timely service to customers by reducing reliance on the General Fund through creating an Enterprise Fund.
- Advance the technology and innovation goals by continue to monitor and advance the performance metrics dashboard; implementing the electronic plan submittal project; and supporting the Right of Way notification system; while maintaining ongoing daily system and process enhancements to the department's software system, Accela.
- Accelerate transparency and predictability by standardizing customer forms, ensure website has current materials and is easy to navigate, and evaluate customer queuing and appointment reservation software for the Development Center.
- Promote department's operational excellence goal through the matrix management structure by increasing workforce development training focused on soft and technical skills; securing the Insurance Services Office top rating, and updating policy and procedures for financial and operational management.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Provide a high level of customer service and optimize application review, processing, and permit issuance times.

Objectives:

- Optimize number of days to issue a permit.
- Optimize the number of over the counter plan checks that result in a permit issuance.
- Interpret and apply building code through inspection and enforcement.

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

GOAL 2

Work collaboratively with City departments, which support development services, to adequately staff and respond to workload demands and achieve excellent customer service outcomes.

Obiectives:

- Provide customers with clear, succinct, and consistent guidelines.
- Implement facility and technology enhancements.
- Develop performance measures with internal and external stakeholders.

GOAL 3

Work collaboratively with City departments to set fees at full cost recovery while monitoring activity levels to ensure costs and revenues are aligned. This requires monitoring of activities and revenues to ensure rates are set at the appropriate levels and the applicant receives the service established by said fees.

Objectives:

- Complete regular fee studies to ensure revenues cover expenditures in each of the departments that collaborate with the Development Services Department.
- Monitor and track real time activity levels from each of the departments to ensure activities are aligned with expenditures.
- Share and publish goals, metrics and accomplishments with all stakeholders to ensure the Department is on track with established goals and fees are in line with activity levels.

Key Performance Measures

AVERAGE NUMBER OF DAYS FROM ISSUANCE TO FINAL

Goal	Provide a high level of customer service and decrease the total time to approve the construction phase of a commercial tenant improvement.							
Objective	Decrease number of days from permit issuance to final inspection.							
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed			
Average number of days between permit issuance and temporary occupancy or final inspection	135.00	161.00	130.00	165.00	148.00			
Description		This measure tracks the amount of time it takes to inspect and approve commercial tenant improvement for occupancy.						
Purpose	Moving new tenants into their space as quickly as possible is essential for the financial health and long-term success of new businesses. It is also important in promoting the general economic vitality of the City by reducing the number of days commercial spaces stay vacant and out of production. The goal is to provide the necessary information and coordination early in the construction phase which results in a positive outcome for the business owner while enhancing the economy of Palo Alto. Meanwhile, inspectors need to ensure construction complies with ever increasing requirements added to the building and green codes.							
Status	This measure is impacted by fluctuations in staffing levels, training of new staff with the City's unique codes and the implementation of additional Green Building and Energy requirements. In Fiscal Year 2017 management predicted a lower number of days for Fiscal Year 2018 due to anticipated implementation of Electronic Plan Check (EPC) and forecasts associated with staffing. However EPC did not launch and recruitment and retention of staff continue to be a challenge. Based on current data, management is estimating 165 days for Fiscal Year 2018. This is a 4 days increase compared to Fiscal Year 2017. For Fiscal Year 2019 management obtained 148 days using the average from Fiscal Year 2014 through 2017. Management believes aiming toward 150 days or less is an important target for the department. Additionally, key vacancies have been filled and management anticipates that EPC will be launched in Fiscal Year 2019.							

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INSURANCE SERVICES OFFICE (ISO) RATING

Goal	Exemplify the City's commitment to well-enforced building codes and a commitment to health, safety, and general welfare.							
Objective	Obtain and maintain the highest rating (level 1)							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Insurance Services Office (ISO) Rating	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00			
Description	ISO administers the Building Code Effectiveness Grading Schedule (BCEGS) program for the property/casualty insurance industry. The BCEGS program assesses the building codes in effect in a particular community and how the community enforces its building codes, assigning each municipality a grade of 1 (exemplary commitment to building code enforcement) to 10.							
Purpose	Municipalities with well-enforced, up-to-date codes demonstrate less property damage due to fire and natural disasters. This can be reflected in the citizens' insurance rates. BCEGS helps communities by: 1. Improving building codes (by encouraging the adoption of the most current codes), building departments, and code enforcement; 2. Promoting construction of better, more catastropheresistant buildings; 3. Reducing property losses from catastrophes; and 4. Reducing the economic and social disruption that results from catastrophes' serious and widespread destruction.							
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PERCENT OF PERMITS ISSUED ON TIME

Goal	Work collaboratively with City departments, which support development services, to adequately staff and respond to workload demands and achieve excellent customer service outcomes.								
Objective	Provide custom	Provide customers with clear, succinct, and consistent guidelines.							
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed				
Percent of permits initiated within a given period where all department reviews are completed	77.00% 69.00% 80.00% 70.00%								
Description	This measure tracks the percentage of time building permit plan reviews are completed by the estimated due date provided to the customer at the time of permit submittal. This includes projects that are submitted for the standard 30-day review period and require multi-departmental review. This measure is a result of the collaborative approach with all involved departments. A project is not deemed on-time unless every review stage is completed on time.								
Purpose	Customers depend upon the accuracy and dependability of estimated due dates to plan their construction projects. They may move out of their house or enter into a lease on a commercial tenant space based on the estimated timeline provided by Development Services. Being successful at adhering to timelines reduces costs for developers and property owners and has a direct correlation to the economic vitality of the City.								
Status	This performance measure is dependent on department plan review staff and contractors and implementation of process improvement technologies. In FY17 staffing level predictions for FY18 were positive and therefore management projected an increased in plan review completed on time. Additionally, management thought that the Electronic Plan Check (EPC) project would be implemented. As the Department looks to FY19, given the turnover in staff and contactors as well as the delayed roll out of EPC, management is realigning the projection.								

PERCENT OF PERMITS ISSUED OVER THE COUNTER

Goal	Provide a high level of customer service and decrease application review, processing and permit issuance times.							
Objective	Increase the number of over the counter (OTC) plan checks that result in same day permit issuance.							
	FY 2016FY 2017FY 2018FY 2018FY 2018ActualsActualsAdoptedEstimatedProperty of the property of the pro							
Percent of permits that are reviewed and approved by all necessary departments over-the-counter.	65.00%	64.00%	64.00%					
Description	This measure tracks the percentage of building permits that can be successfully reviewed and approved by all the affected City departments (over the counter) while the customer waits. This requires that Public Works, Planning, Utilities, and the Fire Prevention Bureau also review and approve the application for permit issuance. Without complete approval, the permit cannot be issued.							
Purpose	To streamline the process so customers make as few trips as possible to the Development Center to obtain a permit. It is also beneficial to City staff, resulting in less reviewing and processing time than if the plans were taken in for review. This process also reduces waste as fewer plans are created and distributed for various departmental reviews.							
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Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of building permit applications	3,978	3,709	3,600	3,934	3,895
Number of building permits issued	3,137	2,970	3,100	3,004	3,394
Fire permit inspections	2,815	2,873	2,500	2,424	2,179
Number of walk-in customer interactions	23,457	22,107	21,860	21,402	22,782
Number of building inspections	31,158	25,206	29,550	30,606	28,182

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration	2,398,193	2,122,416	2,593,471	3,003,908	410,436	15.8%
Building	4,513,057	5,013,066	5,524,855	5,036,724	(488,131)	(8.8)%
Fire	1,935,955	2,103,697	2,196,300	2,295,830	99,530	4.5%
GIS	(2,029)	-	-	-	_	-%
Green Building	346,302	398,807	304,000	304,000	_	-%
Planning	616,486	673,351	758,018	761,947	3,929	0.5%
Public Works	856,944	702,207	1,162,966	1,227,354	64,388	5.5%
Total	10,664,909	11,013,544	12,539,610	12,629,763	90,152	0.7%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	525,922	617,830	723,352	731,326	7,974	1.1%
Other Benefits	90,467	94,323	114,257	118,943	4,686	4.1%
Overtime	317,769	301,415	47,500	48,735	1,235	2.6%
Pension	1,004,236	1,161,183	1,273,390	1,366,318	92,928	7.3%
Retiree Medical	353,758	387,121	407,271	316,495	(90,775)	(22.3)%
Salary	3,299,985	3,654,628	4,293,217	4,477,827	184,610	4.3%
Workers' Compensation	398	1,666	142,533	102,678	(39,855)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	5,592,534	6,218,166	7,001,520	7,162,323	160,803	2.3%
Allocated Charges	813,783	824,903	1,014,339	1,310,208	295,870	29.2%
Contract Services	2,812,040	2,779,956	2,989,039	2,439,039	(550,000)	(18.4)%
Facilities & Equipment	28,638	3,269	3,800	3,800	-	-%
General Expense	353,934	255,136	419,210	410,730	(8,480)	(2.0)%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	_	-	68,313	68,313	-%
Rents & Leases	1,028,212	905,229	1,081,577	1,205,224	123,647	11.4%
Supplies & Material	35,768	26,885	30,126	30,126	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	10,664,909	11,013,544	12,539,610	12,629,763	90,152	0.7%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	6,339,627	6,359,213	7,498,861	7,538,797	39,936	0.5%
Charges to Other Funds	43,567	126,868	21,797	21,797	_	-%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Other Revenue	1,636	1,597	_	_	_	-%
Other Taxes and Fines	8,500	7,500	4,247	5,247	1,000	23.5%
Permits and Licenses	6,222,505	5,399,230	6,896,341	6,917,514	21,173	0.3%
Utility Users Tax	_	2	_	_	_	-%
Total Revenues	12,615,834	11,894,410	14,421,246	14,483,355	62,109	0.4%
Positions by Division						
Administration	4.25	5.21	5.21	5.26	0.05	0.96%
Building	18.17	17.21	17.81	17.28	(0.53)	(2.98)%
Fire	9.23	7.08	7.08	6.88	(0.20)	(2.82)%
Planning	5.69	5.69	5.09	5.09	_	-%
Public Works	5.36	4.72	4.81	5.50	0.69	14.35%
Total	42.70	39.91	40.00	40.01	0.01	0.03%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	80,870
Administrative Associate II	3.02	3.00	3.00	2.80	(0.20)	211,450
Administrative Associate III	1.01	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	83,323
Assistant Chief Building Official	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	119,413
Assistant Director Public Works	0.02	_	_	_	_	_
Associate Engineer	0.16	0.02	0.02	0.02	_	2,321
Associate Planner	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	_	97,302
Building Inspector Specialist	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	466,150
Building/Planning Technician	1.80	2.30	2.30	2.30	_	201,670
Chief Building Official	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	170,830
Chief Planning Official	0.20	_	_	0.01	0.01	1,542
Code Enforcement Officer	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	41,941
Code Enforcement-Lead	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	22,440
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	0.85	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	154,220
Development Project Coordinator II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	190,600

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Development Project Coordinator III	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	-	315,252
Development Services Director	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	216,969
Engineer	0.62	0.64	0.64	0.64	_	83,632
Engineering Technician III	2.10	1.78	1.78	1.78	_	173,926
Fire Fighter	1.00	_	_	_	_	_
Fire Inspector	4.00	3.20	3.20	3.20	_	518,835
Hazardous Materials Inspector	1.90	1.60	1.60	1.60	_	259,418
Industrial Waste Inspector	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	_	966
Industrial Waste Investigator	0.21	0.35	0.35	0.35	_	37,980
Inspector, Field Services	0.70	0.68	0.68	0.68	_	71,702
Landscape Architect Park Planner	_	_	_	0.50	0.50	58,947
Management Analyst	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.01	_	102,026
Manager Development Center	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	129,230
Manager Environmental Control Program	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	-	11,251
Manager Planning	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	278,034
Manager Urban Forestry	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	_	5,821
Manager Watershed Protection	0.05	_	_	_	_	_
Planner	0.25	0.17	0.17	0.15	(0.02)	16,889
Planning Arborist	0.25	0.25	0.29	_	(0.29)	_
Project Engineer	0.13	0.03	0.03	0.03	_	4,219
Project Manager	0.07	0.07	_	_	_	_
Senior Engineer	0.68	0.46	0.46	0.46	_	72,915
Senior Industrial Waste Investigator	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	_	1,160
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	146,390
Senior Planner	0.36	0.24	0.24	0.25	0.01	31,857
Supervisor Inspection and Surveying	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	_	33,881
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	39.32	36.53	36.50	36.51	0.01	4,415,372
Temporary/Hourly	3.38	3.38	3.50	3.50	_	226,496
Total Positions	42.70	39.91	40.00	40.01	0.01	4,641,868

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	40.00	12,539,610	14,421,246	(1,881,636)
Base Adjustments				
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	-	172,239	_	172,239
Rents & Leases Expenditure (New office space lease at 526 Bryant St)	_	123,647	_	123,647
Fire Division Technical Adjustments (Phone service expenses; fire permit and penalty revenues)	_	2,700	16,713	(14,013)
Muni Fee for Private Development Right of Way Software App Maintenance	_	_	5,460	(5,460)
Custodial Contract Funding (Removal of old custodial contract funding)	_	(11,690)	_	(11,690)
Permitting System Technical Support Contract Reallocation	_	(250,000)	_	(250,000)
Expenditure Alignment with Revenues	_	(300,000)	_	(300,000)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	19,454	_	19,454
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(13,856)	_	(13,856)
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	268,292	_	268,292
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	18,543	_	18,543
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	3,436	_	3,436
Workers' Compensation Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(40,919)	_	(40,919)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	(8,153)	22,173	(30,326)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	40.00	12,531,457	14,443,419	(1,911,962)
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	68,313	_	68,313
Landscape Architectural Review Fee and Staffing	0.21	51,644	39,936	11,708
3 Planning Division Staffing Realignment	_	(1,518)	_	(1,518)
4 Fire Division Staffing Realignment	(0.20)	(20,132)	_	(20,132)
Total Budget Adjustments	0.01	98,307	39,936	58,371
Total FY 2019 Adopted Budget	40.01	12,629,763	14,483,355	(1,853,592)





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	68,313	0	68,313

This action transfers \$68,313 from the department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

2 Landscape Architectural Review Fee and Staffing	0.21	51.644	39.936	11,708
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This action establishes a new landscape architectural review fee to meet the state landscape review requirements, as detailed in the Staff Report 6452 approved by the City Council on January 19, 2016. An interdepartmental review found that performing reviews for this new fee requires staff at the Landscape Architect classification. As such, the requested actions also include adding 0.5 Landscape Architect and deleting 0.29 Planning Arborist within the Public Works Division of the Development Services Department. (Ongoing net costs: \$11,708)

Performance Results





This action will ensure new state requirements for landscape architecuture reviews are implemented.

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
3 Planning Division Staffing Realignment	0.00	(1,518)	0	(1,518)

This net-zero action aligns the Planning and Community Environment staffing and funding based on activities in the Planning Division within the Development Services Department. Realignment consistes of an increase of 0.01 FTE each for a Chief Planning Official and Senior Planner, offset by a decrease of 0.02 FTE for a Planner position that is being shifted to the Planning and Community Environment Department. (Ongoing net savings: \$1,517)

Performance Results



The adjustment of staff alignment ensures that costs are accurately assigned.

4 Fire Division Staffing Realignment	-0.20	(20,132)	0	(20,132)
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This net-zero action aligns staffing, funding, and revenues associated with Fire permitting activity based on activities in both the Fire Department (Fire) and the Fire Prevention Division within the Development Services Department (DSD) by reallocating 0.20 Administrative Assistant from DSD to Fire. (Ongoing net savings: \$20,131)

Performance Results

This action will ensure that costs for Fire activities are aligned with the work being performed.

FIRE

Mission Statement

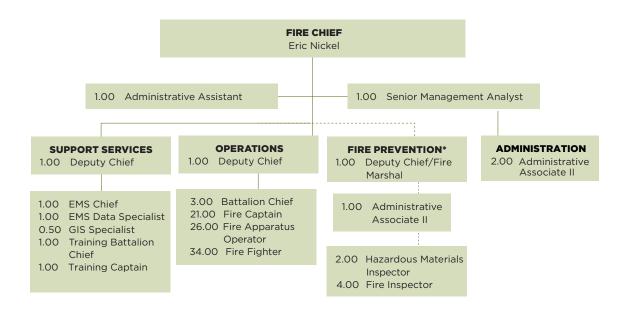




We are a professional team of men and women dedicated to safeguarding and enriching the lives of anyone, anytime, anywhere with compassion and pride.

Purpose

The purpose of the Fire Department is to protect life, property, and the environment from fire, hazardous materials, and other disasters; to provide rapid emergency response, proactive code enforcement, modern fire prevention methods, and progressive safety education for our citizens and coworkers; and to promote customer satisfaction by maintaining quality, professional, and friendly service to others.



FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

103.70 - Full-time 0.55 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

* Fire Prevention is functionally a part of the **Development Services** Department. The Fire Department retains administrative oversight over department personnel.

Description

The Fire Department provides a wide range of community and employee related services for the City of Palo Alto through the following service programs:

FIRE SUPPRESSION

Maintain a state of readiness to effectively respond to emergency and non-emergency calls. Provide a means for a safer Palo Alto through community outreach, public education, and prevention.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

In an emergency setting, rapid assessment, treatment, and transport of patients to definitive care in a safe and efficient manner.

FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

Improve the quality of life for the Palo Alto community through risk assessment, code enforcement, fire investigation, public education, and hazardous materials management.

EMPLOYEE FIRE/EMS CERTIFICATION TRAINING

Provide training to certify that staff maintain safe, efficient, and effective practices when responding to emergencies. Ensure personnel are familiar with and able to utilize the most up to date and proven techniques. Training specific to required EMT and/or Paramedic re-certification is also incorporated.

Accomplishments

- Responded to 155 fire incidents in Fiscal Year 2017 with 89% of responses in 8 minutes.
- Responded to 5,567 medical/rescue calls in Fiscal Year 2017; 99% of paramedic calls for service were responded to within 12 minutes and 94% of emergency medical calls within 8 minutes.
- Began a more detailed data collection method for tracking Fire Inspection and conducted 5,476 Fire Inspections in Fiscal Year 2017.
- EMS revenue totaled approximately \$3.1 million in Fiscal Year 2017.
- Sustained public outreach efforts, providing a total of 105 events in Fiscal Year 2017.
- Completed second phase of the accreditation self-assessment process; the Department is on track to become accredited in calendar year 2018.
- Successfully completed 18 months meet and confer process reaching agreement with local International Association of Firefighters (IAFF) labor group on deployment changes.
- Implemented new deployment model designed to more efficiently meet the needs of the community by shifting resources to meet the daily demands on the system.

- Reached tentative agreement with Stanford University on Fire Services Contract and continue to finalize the terms of a long term contract.
- Hired and successfully graduated 4 firefighters in the Santa Clara Joint Fire Academy.
- Collected Community Health Needs Assessment data, completed focus groups, and reviewed draft report.
- Secured reserve ladder truck with significant savings through collaborative regional partnerships.
- Upgraded important software systems allowing for more reliance on electronic records and processes, increasing efficiency, and improving record keeping.

Initiatives

- Create a comprehensive department succession program as more than half of the Department will be eligible to retire within the next five years. This will include regularly scheduled promotional and acting exams, creation of a career development guide, and increased training.
- Present self-assessment and peer evaluation results at the Public Safety Excellence Conference in order to obtain certification as an Accredited Fire Agency.
- Support efforts to modernize and replace essential public safety facilities and equipment.
- Evaluate community and public health risks and explore evidence-based prevention programs to reduce those risks.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Arrive at the scene of emergencies safely and in a timely manner within the Department's targeted response times.

Objectives:

- Promote timely adherence to Santa Clara County's clinical protocols and ensure consistent medical care in both Advanced and Basic Life Support (ALS/BLS) to the Palo Alto and Stanford communities.
- Provide the highest level of patient care and response standards by ensuring Palo Alto ambulances respond to all ambulance calls for service.
- Fire response time will be within 8 minutes 90 percent of the time.
- Advanced Life Support (ALS) response times will be within 12 minutes 90 percent of the time.

GOAL 2

Ensure reasonable life safety conditions through inspection programs.

Objectives:

- Perform periodic inspections of all facilities within Department's designated target cycle
- Identify and direct abatement of conditions or operating procedures which could cause an increase in probability or severity of a fire or hazardous materials release.

GOAL 3

Develop, maintain, and sustain a comprehensive community risk reduction program that engages the whole community.

Objectives:

- Support the Office of Emergency Services, the Palo Alto and Stanford Citizen Corps Council and the Emergency Services Volunteers in training and preparation in the areas of Medical Disaster Operations, Triage, Fire Suppression, and Light Search and Rescue.
- Complete an Integrated Risk Assessment and Management Plan designed to identify and quantify community risks and mitigation strategies.
- Identify high-risk communities within the City of Palo Alto and design risk reduction programs for the highest risk groups.

GOAL 4

Enhance training and maintain all certifications required by governing agencies such as the State Fire Marshal's Office and Santa Clara County Emergency Medical Services Office.

Objectives:

- Document all training through the Joint Apprenticeship Committee (JAC).
- Maintain the required minimum of 20 hours per month per employee of fire related training.
- Maintain, as mandated, records of training related to EMS and EMT/Paramedic certification.

GOAL 5

Internalize commitment to excellence in public service by continuously evaluating the assistance provided, identifying areas needing improvement, and implementing mitigation methods.

Objective:

Maintain awareness of service quality by focusing on customers' view of assistance that was provided.

Key Performance Measures

FIRE DEPARTMENT RESPONSE TIMES

Goal	Arrive at the scene of emergencies safely and in a timely manner within the department's targeted response times.
Objective	Fire and EMS response times will be within 8 minutes, and Advanced Life Support (ALS) response times will be within 12 minutes 90 percent of the time.

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed		
Percent of responses to EMS calls within 8 minutes	92.00%	94.00%	90.00%	92.00%	92.00%		
Percent of responses to paramedic calls within 12 minutes	99.00%	99.00%	99.00%	99.00%	99.00%		
Percent of responses to fire emergencies within 8 minutes	89.00%	89.00%	90.00%	90.00%	90.00%		
Description	This measure tracks the percentage of calls for service that are within established response time percentiles.						
Purpose	recovery, the ex	Quick response times can mean the difference between short and long-term recovery, the extent and severity of injury, and most importantly, the difference between life and death.					
Status	service within 12 calls within 8 min 8 minutes, whic many years. Usi Management As Initiative aiming	Fire Department 2 minutes and re nutes. The Depar h is the closest ving the results from the East reducing responsational Accredit.	sponded to 94 p tment responded ve've come to me om the Communit Department launc conse times. The I	ercent of emerged to 89 percent of eeting our goal of ty Focused Integrated an Operation Department is in	ency medical fire calls within f 90 percent in rated Risk hal Readiness the process of		

FIRES CONTAINED TO ROOM OF ORIGIN

Goal	Limit structural fire damage to the room or area of origin.							
Objective	Contain fires to the room or area of origin 90% of the time.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 201 Actuals Adopted Estimated Propose							
Percent of fires contained to the room or area of origin.	71.00%	71.00% 85.00% 90.00% 90.00% 90.00						
Description	This measure tra	This measure tracks the percentage of fires that are contained to the room of origin.						
Purpose	Containing a fire	e to the room of o	origin limits dama	ge and spread o	f the fire.			
Status	was below the g year because of each year. In the	goal of 90 percen f the small numbe e cases where the entire structure p	ed 85 percent of t. This measure c er of structure fire e fires were not c rior to arriving on	an vary significar es the Departmer contained, the fire	ntly from year to nt responds to had spread			

PERCENT OF SURVEYED RESIDENTS RATING FIRE DEPARTMENT SERVICES **GOOD OR EXCELLENT**

Goal	Internalize commitment to excellence in public service by continuously evaluating the assistance provided, identifying areas needing improvement, and implementing mitigation methods.							
Objective		Maintain awareness of service quality by focusing on customers' view of assistance that was provided.						
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percent of surveyed residents rating fire services good or excellent	97.00%	97.00%	95.00%	95.00%	95.00%			
Percent of surveyed residents rating fire prevention services good or excellent	85.00%	87.00%	85.00%	85.00%	85.00%			
Percent of surveyed residents rating ambulance/EMS services good or excellent	96.00%	96.00%	95.00%	95.00%	95.00%			
Description	This measure tracks the percent of surveyed residents rating fire and emergency services good or excellent, as well as Fire Prevention Services, as reported monthly from the Customer Satisfaction Survey. Collecting this data allows the Department to compare itself to nationwide benchmarking data prepared by the National Research Center.							
Purpose		ion with Fire Dep ty of fire services		is an important a mmunity.	assessment of			
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Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of ambulance transports	3,842	3,735	3,800	3,800	3,800
Fire calls average response time (Target: 6:00 Minutes)	5:06	5:32	5:25	5:25	5:25
Medical/rescue calls average response time (Target: 6:00 Minutes)	6:37	4:50	5:30	5:30	5:00
Number of fire calls for service	150	155	150	150	150
Number of medical/rescue calls for service	5,356	5,567	5,400	5,400	5,400
Number of all other calls for service	3,376	3,586	3,350	3,550	3,550
Total number of calls for service	8,882	9,153	8,900	9,200	9,200

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration	2,081,753	1,845,573	1,606,088	2,505,528	899,440	56.0%
Emergency Response	23,895,813	27,640,110	28,064,815	28,295,304	230,489	0.8%
Environmental Safety Management	168,475	151,643	181,549	542,730	361,182	198.9%
Records and Information Management	399,836	319,621	348,496	_	(348,496)	(100.0)%
Training and Personnel	1,006,042	1,573,207	1,573,198	787,802	(785,396)	(49.9)%
Total	27,551,919	31,530,153	31,774,145	32,131,365	357,220	1.1%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	1,900,382	1,953,781	2,250,001	2,212,683	(37,318)	(1.7)%
Other Benefits	315,685	273,687	295,753	294,432	(1,321)	(0.4)%
Overtime	2,595,138	3,247,813	1,396,436	1,911,761	515,325	36.9%
Pension	4,276,724	5,561,510	5,856,769	6,130,579	273,809	4.7%
Retiree Medical	2,034,464	2,433,065	2,559,706	2,223,229	(336,477)	(13.1)%
Salary	11,197,348	13,058,645	13,745,200	13,749,644	4,445	-%
Workers' Compensation	852,598	628,234	1,046,143	753,623	(292,520)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	23,172,338	27,156,736	27,150,008	27,275,951	125,943	0.5%
Allocated Charges	3,132,327	2,911,801	2,903,714	3,067,841	164,127	5.7%
Contract Services	453,343	456,381	645,325	472,000	(173,325)	(26.9)%
Facilities & Equipment	162,882	122,332	196,700	246,523	49,823	25.3%
General Expense	197,479	447,164	426,722	289,800	(136,922)	(32.1)%
Operating Transfers-Out	-	_	-	306,850	306,850	-%
Rents & Leases	_	144	_	_	_	-%
Supplies & Material	433,549	435,596	451,676	472,400	20,724	4.6%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	27,551,919	31,530,153	31,774,145	32,131,365	357,220	1.1%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	9,888,335	9,277,851	9,970,718	10,170,642	199,924	2.0%
Charges to Other Funds	168,222	163,386	161,322	163,605	2,283	1.4%
From Other Agencies	155,857	547,601	397,000	70,000	(327,000)	(82.4)%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Other Revenue	569,022	(52,082)	57,000	282,000	225,000	394.7%
Other Taxes and Fines	_	_	1,000	_	(1,000)	(100.0)%
Permits and Licenses	1,436	_	15,713	_	(15,713)	(100.0)%
Total Revenues	10,782,872	9,936,756	10,602,753	10,686,247	83,494	0.8%
Positions by Division						
Administration	3.00	3.00	3.00	5.68	2.68	89.33%
Emergency Response	99.07	99.07	99.07	89.57	(9.50)	(9.59)%
Environmental Safety Management	0.48	0.48	0.48	1.15	0.67	139.58%
Records and Information Management	1.50	1.50	1.50	-	(1.50)	(100.00)%
Training and Personnel	3.00	5.15	5.15	2.00	(3.15)	(61.17)%
Total	107.05	109.20	109.20	98.40	(10.80)	(9.89)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
40-Hour Training Battalion Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	182,270
40-Hour Training Captain	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	162,136
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	81,141
Administrative Associate II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.20	0.20	171,015
Battalion Chief	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	515,861
Business Analyst	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	122,187
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	_	0.05	0.05	0.05	_	9,639
Deputy Director Technical Services Division	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	39,924
Deputy Fire Chief	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	418,288
Emergency Medical Service Director	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	155,043
Emergency Medical Services Data Specialist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	83,323
Fire Apparatus Operator	30.00	30.00	30.00	26.00	(4.00)	3,684,210
Fire Captain	21.00	21.00	21.00	21.00	_	3,295,685
Fire Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	253,592

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Fire Fighter	40.00	41.00	41.00	34.00	(7.00)	4,451,381
Fire Inspector	_	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	129,709
Geographic Information System Specialist	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	64,109
Hazardous Materials Inspector	_	0.30	0.30	0.30	_	48,641
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	143,915
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	106.50	108.65	108.65	97.85	(10.80)	14,012,067
Temporary/Hourly	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	_	54,031
Total Positions	107.05	109.20	109.20	98.40	(10.80)	14,066,098

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	109.20	31,774,145	10,602,753	21,171,392
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Medical Gurney Replacement and Cardiac Monitor Warranty	_	(126,000)	_	(126,000)
Fire Hyrdrant Maintenance Program (reassign to Public Works)	_	(125,000)	_	(125,000)
International Accreditation Phase III	_	(50,000)	_	(50,000)
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	63,298	_	63,298
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(237,702)	_	(237,702)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits	_	2,075,624	_	2,075,624
Stanford Fire Deployment Changes (CMR #8530)	(11.00)	(1,668,484)	_	(1,668,484)
Stanford Emergency Fire Services Revenue Adjustment (align with current negotiations, net \$6.5 million)	_	_	270,924	(270,924)
Fire Hydrant Maintenance Program (transfer from Public Works)	_	79,000	_	79,000
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems		00 000		00.000
(SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	33,000	_	33,000
Medical Transport Reimbursement/Revenue from Other Agencies	_	(115,000)	(173,000)	58,000
Revenue Alignment	_	_	2,283	(2,283)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	41,888	_	41,888
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	112,652	_	112,652
Information Technology Allocated Charges Reallocation (Fire to OES)	_	(46,960)	_	(46,960)
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	(1,266)	_	(1,266)
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	6,905	_	6,905
Vehicle Equipment Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	17,445	_	17,445
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(29,835)	_	(29,835)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(300,329)	_	(300,329)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	(11.00)	204,641	100,207	104,433
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	98.20	31,741,084	10,702,960	21,038,123

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	306,850	_	306,850
2 Firefighter New Hire Costs	_	46,000	_	46,000
3 Firefighter Promotional Exams	_	20,000	_	20,000
4 Reallocation from Development Services	0.20	17,431	(16,713)	34,144
Total Budget Adjustments	0.20	390,281	(16,713)	406,994
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	98.40	32,131,365	10,686,247	21,445,117



Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	306,850	0	306,850

This action transfers \$306,850 from the Fire Department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Fire Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results

Proactively contributing to a pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
2 Firefighter New Hire Costs	0.00	46,000	0	46,000

This action adds \$46,000 in one-time funding for the anticipated recruitment and on-boarding of five (5) Firefighter personnel. Funding will be used for background checks, uniforms including full personal protective equipment, and Joint Fire Academy (JFA) fees. During FY 2018 the department hired four entry level Firefighters and anticipates further retirements during FY 2019 resulting in the need for these resources. The Department will continue to evaluate recruitment needs in future budget cycles as part of succession planning efforts to address the fifty percent of shift staff that will become eligible for retirement over the next five years. (Ongoing Costs: \$0)

Performance Results





This action provides the training and equipment necessary for new hires to transition to sworn Firefighters.

3 Firefighter Promotional Exams

0.00

20.000

20.000

This action increases contract service funding to establish an annual promotional process. This funding will enable the department to hire a consultant to perform a promotional exam on an annual basis, alternating between Captain and Apparatus Operator promotions. The establishment of an annual process will ensure that regularly scheduled hiring practices are in place to proactively address staff attrition that is expected to continue over the next ten years as more employees become eligible for retirement. Currently the department conducts these on an as needed basis. (Ongoing Costs: \$20,000)

Performance Results

This action supports succession planning efforts to provide continuity in staffing.

4 Reallocation from Development Services

0.20

17,431

(16,713)

34,144

This net-zero action technically aligns staffing, funding, and revenues with activities in both the Fire Department and the Fire Prevention Division within the Development Services Department. This reallocates 0.20 Administrative Assistant to align with workloads and shifts revenues and expenses associated with Fire permitting activity. A corresponding action is included in the Development Services Department to offset this action. (Ongoing Costs: \$34,144)

Performance Results





This action will ensure that costs for Fire activities are aligned with the work being performed.



HUMAN RESOURCES

Mission Statement





The Human Resources Department's mission is to recruit, develop, and retain a diverse, well-qualified, and professional workforce that reflects the high standards of the community we serve, and to lead City departments in positive employee relations, talent management, succession planning, and employee engagement.

Purpose

The purpose of Human Resources is to support City departments in achieving key goals and objectives; to provide a range of services, including new employee orienta-

tion, staffing and recruitment management, talent and skill development, performance assessment, safety and wellness programs; and to support employee relations, compensation, job classification, risk management, and organization development to City departments.

HUMAN RESOURCES DIRECTOR/ CHIEF PEOPLE OFFICER

Rumi Portillo

1.00 Assistant Director of Human Resources

WORKERS' COMPENSATION

1.00 Senior Human Resources Administrator

EMPLOYEE/LABOR **RELATIONS & TRAINING**

1.00 Manager, Employee Relations 1.00 Senior Management Analyst 0.50 Human Resources Technician 1.00 Senior Human Resources Administrator

BENEFITS DIVISION

1.00 Manager, Employee Benefits 2.00 Human Resources Representative

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

RECRUITMENT

2.00 Senior Human Resources Administrator 1.00 Human Resources Representative 1.50 Human Resources Technician

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1.00 Senior Management Analyst 2.00 Human Resources Technician

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

17.00 - Full-time 0.96 - Hourly

Description

The Human Resources Department provides guidance to City departments in the following areas:

TOTAL COMPENSATION

Administer salary, health, pension, and other benefits.

EMPLOYEE AND LABOR RELATIONS

Provide guidance to City staff to enhance performance, create a positive work environment, and effectively resolve complaints, grievances, and other problems, as well as lead the City through labor contract negotiations.

ORGANIZATION AND EMPLOYEE DEVELOPMENT

Identify and implement training and development opportunities to enhance skills, innovation, and leadership of City staff members.

TALENT MANAGEMENT

Recruit, select, and onboard employees who have a passion for public service and the right knowledge, skills, and abilities to take on increasingly complex public service roles.

RISK MANAGEMENT, SAFETY, AND WORKERS COMPENSATION

Support workplace safety, reduce injuries, and actively manage risk and other potential liabilities.

Accomplishments

- Amended the City's Retirement Contract with CalPERS implementing an employee pension cost share for the Police, Fire, Service Employees International Union (SEIU), and Management Groups as approved in the 2016 contracts.
- Successfully launched a Leadership Academy, training more than 30 managers and supervisors over a four-month timeframe.
- Implemented the HR Advice line as a forum for employees to get answers, make suggestions, and nominate employees for recognition, accessible 24/7.
- Ratified Memorandum of Agreement with the SEIU Hourly Group and successfully negotiated a one-year extension with the Palo Alto Police Manager's Association.
- Utilized technology to implement paperless recruitments and interviews as part of departmental efforts to modernize, contributing to a 35% reduction in paper consumption year-over-year.
- Enhanced the process for personnel actions by leveraging electronic submissions and signatures.

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- Launched a new eLearning Management System, beginning with new hires, that is anticipated to reach across the organization by the end of Fiscal Year 2018.
- Implemented a new background check process significantly reducing the time needed to collect data in the recruitment process, especially for out-of-state candidates.
- Recruited for, and filled, 220 positions including: Police Chief, Deputy City Managers, Assistant to the City Manager, Assistant City Attorney, Firefighters, and Police Officers.
- Conducted a Request for Proposal and transitioned to a new retiree medical benefit administrator.
- Enhanced the Open Enrollment portal and Employee Self Service capabilities to better assist employees to make informative benefits decisions.
- Converted all employees' benefits records to electronically searchable files to reduce paper and increase the availability of information.

Initiatives

- Implement a customer service tracking and case management system enabling the department to account and track incoming requests.
- Participate in the ERP selection process to provide subject matter expertise and help design the Human Resources modules for the ERP.
- Continue expanding the paperless interview process to all recruitments by further leveraging technology.
- Integrate the job applicant tracking system with the Human Resources Information System (SAP) to reduce the number of manual entries.
- Develop and launch a comprehensive program to provide training plans for City employees.
- Explore benchmarking to measure the effectiveness of the return-to-work program.
- Research Risk Management self-assessment tool in support of continuous loss control improvement.
- Digitize all Workers' Compensation records into the City's ePersonnel file system.
- Explore a new web-based leave tracking system for all protected leaves, such as Family Medical Leave, California Family Rights Act, Pregnancy Disability Leave and Leave related to Reasonable Accommodation.
- Integrate an interface between CalPERS and with the Human Resources Information System (SAP) to enhance productivity, efficiency, and accuracy.

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Fund						
General Fund-Operating	3,559,492	3,314,457	3,757,228	3,662,383	(94,845)	(2.5)%
Liability Insurance	1,848,428	1,491,957	3,328,535	2,984,622	(343,913)	(10.3)%
Worker's Compensation	2,180,302	2,737,309	5,787,596	6,103,345	315,749	5.5%
Total	7,588,222	7,543,723	12,873,359	12,750,350	(123,009)	(1.0)%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	4,041,870	1,076,120	3,631,044	3,774,302	143,258	3.9%
Operating Transfers-In	_	5,000	5,000	5,000	_	-%
Other Revenue	2,255,360	3,072,882	5,265,000	3,805,045	(1,459,955)	(27.7)%
Return on Investments	528,725	526,823	38,230	39,310	1,080	2.8%
Total Revenues	6,825,955	4,680,825	8,939,274	7,623,657	(1,315,617)	(14.7)%
Positions by Fund						
General Fund	16.70	17.44	17.20	16.96	(0.24)	(1.40)%
Workers' Compensation Program Fund	-	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	-%
Total	16.70	18.44	18.20	17.96	(0.24)	(1.32)%

GENERAL FUND

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Implement a Comprehensive Talent Management Program that will enable the City to attract, develop, and retain a committed workforce.

Objectives:

- Invigorate the recruitment process to decrease 'time to fill' and increase quality of hires.
- Reduce turnover with higher quality of hires and improved performance coaching.

GOAL 2

Enhance City culture of engagement and innovation.

Objectives:

- Ensure employee attendance rate is high.
- Enhance learning opportunities through a comprehensive employee training program.
- Increase employee communication through all media, including an enhanced HR department website.
- Continue to champion a Wellness Program with a target of 15 percent employee participation.

GOAL 3

Implement improvements to the department's operational systems especially employment, leave of absence, and benefit administration to ensure responsiveness and effectiveness of Human Resources staff performance.

Objectives:

- Strengthen oversight of benefit plan costs and processes.
- Improve Human Resources ability to meet customer needs and provide superior customer service.

Key Performance Measures

EMPLOYEE ATTENDANCE

Goal	Enhance City culture of employee engagement and innovation.							
Objective	Maintain high employee attendance rate.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Attendance	96.16%	95.00%	96.00%	96.00%	96.00%			
Description	This measure will track the attendance of employees in terms of percentage of time present.							
Purpose	Attendance is a proxy metric for engagement and productivity. Absenteeism hinders City operations, and results in inefficiency when employees assume additional responsibilities because of unexpected absences. The Department of Labor benchmark for attendance is 96 percent, allowing for absenteeism rate of 4 percent. Under this standard, absenteeism is defined to include unscheduled time away from work (not including vacations or holidays and scheduled/approved Workers Compensation, ADA or FMLA leave).							
Status	Fiscal Year 2017	7 estimate of 96.0 t approx 95-96%	00%. Future atte	% was a slight dip ndance rates are with the Departm	expected to			

PECPUITMENT

RECRUITMENT								
Goal	Implement a comprehensive Talent Management Program that will enable the City to attract, develop, and retain a committed workforce.							
Objective	Invigorate the recruitment process to decrease time to fill and increase quality of hires.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Recruitment - Days to fill a position	94.55	95.00	95.00	104.00	100.00			
Description	This measure will provide the average number of days to fill a position from requisition approval until a hiring decision is made.							
Purpose	be accomplishe candidates as e. City/County Ma	A strong recruitment strategy is the foundation of talent management and should be accomplished in a focused, timely manner to provide departments with quality candidates as expeditiously as possible. This measure aligns with the International City/County Management Association's (ICMA) human resource metrics and is a standard tool as defined in the Society of Human Resource Management.						
Status	95.00 days from	n 94.55 days in F d-to-fill positions	tion saw a slight i iscal Year 2016. , it is estimated th	As the City comp	petes for talent			

TURNOVER

Goal		Implement a comprehensive Talent Management Program that will enable the City to attract, develop, and retain a committed workforce.						
Objective	Reduce turnove	Reduce turnover with higher quality of hires and improved performance coaching.						
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Turnover - Voluntary Turnover	6.48%	5.20%	7.00%	4.00%	6.00%			
Turnover - Involuntary Turnover	0.21%	1.00%	0.50%	0.60%	0.50%			
Turnover - Retirement Turnover	3.45%	2.50%	2.70%	2.40%	2.50%			
Turnover - Total Turnover	10.14%	8.60%	10.00%	7.00%	9.00%			
Description			ntify trends when rations and retire	there is turnover, ments.	including			
Purpose	Employees who are qualified, are a good match for the organization, and who are actively engaged with work, are not expected to leave the City. If turnover is high, the City incurs additional costs of hiring new staff. Initiatives, such as offering a robust training program, provide employees with skills and knowledge to keep productivity at an optimal level.							
Status	in line with expe increase in retire	ectations but doe ements. The depart al Year 2018, how	s show signs of cartment is expec	an 8.6% total tu competition for ta ting to see a sligh total turnover ra	llent and an nt decrease in			

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Employee personnel transactions*	5,376	4,820	4,500	5,150	4,500
Percentage of employees participating in citywide training program**	0.00%	89.00%	87.50%	87.50%	90.00%

^{*}The department has experienced an increase in transaction volume, driven by the number of updates need to employees' records associated with MOA-based changes and transactions necessary to integrate records with third party applications. The number of transactions is expected to normalize in FY 2019.

^{**}This is a new performance measure that started in FY 2017. Staff will focus on developing and enhancing use of eLearning system and diverse citywide training program during FY 2019 in collaboration with other City Departments.

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration, Employee Org Development and HR Systems	1,550,612	1,095,303	1,166,851	1,150,626	(16,225)	(1.4)%
Benefits and Compensation	418,712	471,475	526,447	502,594	(23,853)	(4.5)%
Employee and Labor Relations	980,800	1,028,237	1,284,146	1,192,714	(91,432)	(7.1)%
Recruitment	407,623	412,336	444,005	471,174	27,170	6.1%
Risk Mgmt, Safety, Workers' Compensation	201,745	307,106	335,779	345,274	9,495	2.8%
Total	3,559,492	3,314,457	3,757,228	3,662,383	(94,845)	(2.5)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	190,212	225,177	322,912	319,103	(3,809)	(1.2)%
Other Benefits	83,324	67,751	91,351	92,609	1,258	1.4%
Overtime	1,451	1,202	-	-	-	-%
Pension	370,224	432,129	534,887	559,732	24,845	4.6%
Retiree Medical	175,169	191,691	201,668	190,587	(11,081)	(5.5)%
Salary	1,667,000	1,631,246	1,857,392	1,917,423	60,032	3.2%
Workers' Compensation	73	-	77,358	55,727	(21,631)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	2,487,452	2,549,194	3,085,568	3,135,183	49,615	1.6%
Allocated Charges	192,008	137,789	159,481	187,042	27,561	17.3%
Contract Services	607,404	448,795	249,309	205,309	(44,000)	(17.6)%
Facilities & Equipment	26,121	5,535	4,150	4,150	-	-%
General Expense	179,334	112,633	198,348	43,098	(155,250)	(78.3)%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	-	-	28,209	28,209	-%
Rents & Leases	43,000	44,088	43,000	43,000	_	-%
Supplies & Material	24,171	16,423	17,372	16,392	(980)	(5.6)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	3,559,492	3,314,457	3,757,228	3,662,383	(94,845)	(2.5)%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	1,673,028	1,076,120	1,856,044	1,797,302	(58,742)	(3.2)%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %			
Other Revenue	15	10	_	_	_	-%			
Total Revenues	1,673,043	1,076,130	1,856,044	1,797,302	(58,742)	(3.2)%			
Positions by Division	Positions by Division								
Administration, Employee Org Development and HR Systems	4.99	5.36	5.56	5.56	-	-%			
Benefits and Compensation	2.51	2.88	2.44	2.20	(0.24)	(9.84)%			
Employee and Labor Relations	4.60	4.60	5.00	5.00	_	-%			
Recruitment	3.00	3.00	2.60	2.60	_	-%			
Risk Mgmt, Safety, Workers' Compensation	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	_	-%			
Total	16.70	17.44	17.20	16.96	(0.24)	(1.40)%			

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	-	-	-	_
Assistant Director Human Resources	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	190,778
Director Human Resources/CPO	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	228,520
Human Resources Representative	2.00	2.00	3.00	3.00	_	240,947
Human Resources Technician	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	309,878
Manager Employee Benefits	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	136,510
Manager Employee Relations	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	147,638
Senior Human Resources Administrator	4.00	4.00	3.00	3.00	_	324,314
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	-	263,307
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	-	1,841,893
Temporary/Hourly	0.70	1.44	1.20	0.96	(0.24)	47,912
Total Positions	16.70	17.44	17.20	16.96	(0.24)	1,889,805

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	17.20	3,757,228	1,856,044	1,901,184
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	7,644	_	7,644
Labor Negotiations	_	(100,000)	_	(100,000)
Fire Department Recruiting	_	(50,000)	_	(50,000)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(142,356)	_	(142,356)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities		'		
Salary and Benefits	_	98,229	_	98,229
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	(58,742)	58,742
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	13,038	_	13,038
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	12,407	_	12,407
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	3,758	_	3,758
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(9,286)	_	(9,286)
Workers' Compensation Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(22,208)	_	(22,208)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	-	95,938	(58,742)	182,416
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	17.20	3,710,810	1,797,302	1,941,244
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	28,209	_	28,209
Human Resources Wellness Program Staffing Reduction	(0.24)	(26,406)	_	(26,406)
Reduction in Human Resources Non-Salary Expenses	_	(50,230)	_	(50,230)
Total Budget Adjustments	(0.24)	(48,427)	_	(48,427)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	16.96	3,662,383	1,797,302	1,892,817

HUMAN RESOURCES



Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	28,209	0	28,209

This action transfers \$28,209 from the Human Resources Department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Human Resources Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

2 Human Resources Wellness Program Staffing Reduction	-0.24	(26,406)	0	(26,406)
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This action eliminates a 0.24 part-time/hourly Management Specialist in the Benefits Division of Human Resources supporting the Wellness Program. Other resources for the Wellness Program remain, including a 0.48 Management Specialist in the General Benefits Fund. (Ongoing Savings: \$24,812)

Performance Results



This action is anticipated to have minimal impacts on service delivery of the Wellness Program while contributing budgetary savings.

Reduction in Human Resources Non-Salary Expenses	0.00	(50,230)	0	(50,230)
LAPERISES				

This action reduces various non-salary expenses across the Human Resources department to achieve ongoing savings in operating expenses. Reductions will result in more constrained resources for outside consultants and attorneys for labor negotiations (\$50,000 budget remains), for the employee benefits fair (\$20,000 budget remains), for advertising and publishing for candidate outreach, and other administrative services throughout the department. (Ongoing Savings: \$50,230)

Performance Results



These reductions do not completely eliminate available funding for any of the programs and are not anticipated to have significant impacts on service delivery; however, they will require a prioritization of expenses in the department.

GENERAL LIABILITIES INSURANCE **PROGRAM**

Description

The City's General Liability Program provides funding to cover flood, property, and various other insurance policies for City-owned equipment and machinery. The City is self-insured for the first \$1 million in losses per occurrence and participates in a Joint Powers Authority for coverage up to \$150 million per occurrence. This program uses an 85% confidence level, calculated by an outside actuarial consultant, for financial planning to ensure adequate resources are available for anticipated expenses.

Accomplishments

- Enhanced the City's Cyber Security insurance to minimize the City's risk exposure in a cyber risk event.
- Contracted with a vendor to obtain and assist in tracking Motor Vehicle driving records, consistent with risk management best practices, to reduce liability.

Initiatives

Research Risk Management self-assessment tool in support of continuous loss control improvement.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Reduce liability exposure to the City.

Objectives:

Reduce liability exposure to the City for employee-involved vehicle collision.

HUMAN RESOURCES

- Review DMV records on an annual basis for all employees whose job duties require that they drive City vehicles.
- Provide a proactive defensive driving course to all employees involved in vehicle collisions involving City vehicles regardless of fault.
- Reduce the number of claims related to City vehicle collision losses.

Key Performance Measures

CITY VEHICLE COLLISION LOSS

Goal	Reduce liability	Reduce liability exposure to the City.					
Objective	Reduce the number of claims related to City vehicle collision losses.						
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2019 Proposed					
Annual number of claims related to City vehicle collision losses	16.00	9.00	12.00	13.00	12.00		
Description	This measure w	ill provide data to	identify trends.				
Purpose	, ,		risk managemer volved vehicle co	nt staff in develop Illisions.	ing programs		
Status	Fiscal Year 2017 department safe	7 due to training ety meetings. Ac	programs and dis Iditional training,	ns has significant scussions with st such as online ar low numbers of	aff at nd onsite		

DEFENSIVE DRIVING TRAINING

Goal	Reduce liability	Reduce liability exposure to the City.						
Objective	Provide defensiv	Provide defensive driver training.						
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed					
Attendance at mandatory and proactive defensive driver training	51.00	58.00	55.00	50.00	55.00			
Description	This measure tradriving class.	acks the number	of employees co	ompleting a proac	ctive defensive			
Purpose	safe driving beh	Providing supplemental training will increase knowledge and awareness about safe driving behavior in order to protect employee and public safety, in addition to preventing future claims against the City.						
Status	lower vehicle co		class has remaine department will co sion losses.					

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Non-Departmental	1,848,428	1,491,957	3,328,535	2,984,622	(343,913)	(10.3)%
Total	1,848,428	1,491,957	3,328,535	2,984,622	(343,913)	(10.3)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Workers' Compensation	113,692	(111,260)	_	-	-	-%
Total Salary & Benefits	113,692	(111,260)	_	_	_	-%
Contract Services	7,125	6,650	70,000	71,820	1,820	2.6%
General Expense	1,727,611	1,596,567	3,258,535	2,912,802	(345,733)	(10.6)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	1,848,428	1,491,957	3,328,535	2,984,622	(343,913)	(10.3)%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	2,368,842	_	1,775,000	1,977,000	202,000	11.4%
Operating Transfers-In	_	5,000	5,000	5,000	-	-%
Other Revenue	(215,609)	35,393	40,000	41,040	1,040	2.6%
Return on Investments	139,444	135,145	22,465	23,135	670	3.0%
Total Revenues	2,292,677	175,538	1,842,465	2,046,175	203,710	11.1%

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Liabilities Insurance Program
Prior Year Budget	_	3,328,535	1,842,465	1,486,070
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Buena Vista Mobile Home Park (Legal Expenses)	_	(375,000)	-	(375,000)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(375,000)	-	(375,000)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
General Liability Insurance Claims	_	(248,535)	678,499	(927,034)
Property Loss	_	4,680	_	4,680
Broker and Consultant	_	1,690	_	1,690
Audit and Financial Services	_	130	_	130
Umbrella Excess Liability	_	248,322	_	248,322
Special Liability	_	1,300	_	1,300
Return on Investment	_	_	1,710	(1,710)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	7,587	680,209	(672,622)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	_	2,961,122	2,522,674	438,448
Budget Adjustments				
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	_	(500,000)	500,000
2 Cyber Security Property Loss Coverage	_	23,500	23,500	_
Total Budget Adjustments	_	23,500	(476,500)	500,000
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	_	2,984,622	2,046,174	938,448

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Liabilities Insurance Program
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	0.00	0	(500,000)	500,000

This action reduces the estimate for revenues received from other funds in the General Liability Fund by \$500,000. This reduction materializes in the 'Allocated Charges' budget category of each department. The City budgets the self-insured General Liability Fund at a confidence level of 85% and has experienced a few years of claims costs that have been lower than budgeted. This has resulted in the accumulation of fund balance in the General Liability Fund. This action proportionally lessens the burden to the organization for Fiscal Year 2019 General Liability expenses based on the actuarial calculation of liability, by \$273,000 in the General Fund and \$500,000 across all funds, instead drawing on \$500,000 of accumulated fund balance. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results





This action ensures that the organization only pays the necessary costs for a given year for the General Liability expenses.

2 Cyber Security Property Loss Coverage

0.00

23.500

23,500

0

This action provides funding for the City to obtain cyber-security property loss insurance. This additional insurance will better protect the City in the event of a cyber breach. The insurance provides expert computer services, legal services, notification services, call center services, breach resolution/mitigation services and public relations and crisis management expenses. City staff continues to proactively work to ensure that Cyber Security is maintained, but in the event of a breach, the insurance will provide additional layers of dealing with the aftermath of the breach. (Ongoing costs: \$23,500)

Performance Results



This action enhances the City's ability to deal with a cyber security breach.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION **FUND**

Description

The Workers' Compensation Program provides wage and medical benefits for employees who sustain an injury or develop an occupational illness within the course and scope of employment. This program uses an 85% confidence level, calculated by an outside actuarial consultant, for financial planning to ensure adequate resources are available for anticipated expenses.

Accomplishments

Instituted a Soft Tissue injury prevention program to reduce claims and lost time.

Initiatives

Explore benchmarking methodologies to measure the effectiveness of the return-to-work program.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Provide a safe environment for employees.

Objectives:

- Provide workplace safety training for all departments.
- Comply with all requirements of the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA).

GOAL 2

Minimize loss of productivity and disruption of services.

Objectives:

- Facilitate early return to work program.
- Reduce the number of costly lost time claims filed and days away from work.

Key Performance Measures

DOLLAR AMOUNT OF CLAIMS PAID

Goal	Minimize loss of	Minimize loss of productivity and disruption of services.						
Objective	Reduce the nun	Reduce the number of costly lost time claims filed and days away from work.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 20 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Propos							
Total dollar amount of claims paid	2,187,149	2,431,806	2,500,000	2,100,000	2,500,000			
Description				elated illness and otal costs paid ar				
Purpose			oss control progra injuries and illne	ams lessen the us ss.	se of public			
Status	increase compa anticipated that decrease based	ared to Fiscal Yea the total Fiscal Yea I on current data	r 2016 workers of ear 2018 workers and recent trend	npensation claims compensation cla s compensation c s. However, in Fis ease in claims pai	ims. It is claims will see a scal Year 2019,			

NUMBER OF CLAIMS

Goal	Minimize loss of	Minimize loss of productivity and disruption of services.						
Objective	Reduce the number of costly lost time claims filed and days away from work.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2018 Actuals Adopted Estimated Property							
Number of Workers' Compensation Claims Filed	nsation 82 70 75 7							
Description	This measure tra each fiscal year.		ployee workers o	compensation cla	im volume filed			
Purpose	funds for work-r	elated injuries an	ijury prevention p d illness. In addi tional staff is mitiç	tion to claim cost				
Status	2016 of 82. Bas	sed on analysis o	eased in Fiscal Ye f current data, it i /ear 2018 and co	s expected that t	the number of			

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division	Actuals	Actuals	Budget	Duaget	Change \$	Change 70
Non-Departmental	2,180,302	2,737,309	5,787,596	6,103,345	315,749	5.5%
Total	2,180,302	2,737,309	5,787,596	6,103,345	315,749	5.5%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	_	9,484	10,464	10,753	289	2.8%
Other Benefits	235,111	245,530	268,725	251,026	(17,699)	(6.6)%
Pension	_	31,767	34,603	35,981	1,377	4.0%
Salary	_	116,613	123,512	127,892	4,381	3.5%
Workers' Compensation	1,457,186	1,711,992	4,843,932	5,018,342	174,410	3.6%
Total Salary & Benefits	1,692,297	2,115,386	5,281,236	5,443,994	162,758	3.1%
Contract Services	2,375	6,650	6,900	7,079	179	2.6%
General Expense	485,630	615,273	496,000	650,458	154,458	31.1%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	-	3,460	1,813	(1,647)	(47.6)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	2,180,302	2,737,309	5,787,596	6,103,345	315,749	5.5%
Revenues						
Other Revenue	2,470,954	3,037,480	5,225,000	3,764,005	(1,460,995)	(28.0)%
Return on Investments	389,281	391,677	15,765	16,175	410	2.6%
Total Revenues	2,860,235	3,429,157	5,240,765	3,780,180	(1,460,585)	(27.9)%
Positions by Division						
Non-Departmental	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	-%
Total	-	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	-%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Senior Human Resources Administrator	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	118,414
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	118,414
Total Positions	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	118,414

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Workers' Compensatio n Fund
Prior Year Budget	-	5,787,596	5,240,765	546,831
Base Adjustments				
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(3,460)	_	(3,460)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(3,460)	_	(3,460)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities		•		
Salary and Benefit Adjustments	_	6,109	_	6,109
Workers' Compensation Insurance Claims Adjustments	_	142,070	39,005	103,065
Return on Investment Adjustments	_	_	410	(410)
Administrator Fees	_	(17,581)	_	(17,581)
State of California Assessment Fees	_	32,340	_	32,340
Umbrella Excess Liability Adjustments	_	154,458	_	154,458
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	317,396	39,415	277,981
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	_	6,101,532	5,280,180	821,352
Budget Adjustments				
1 Workers' Compensation Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	_	(1,500,000)	_
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	1,813	_	_
Total Budget Adjustments	_	1,813	(1,500,000)	_
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	_	6,103,345	3,780,180	824,812

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Workers' Compensatio n Fund
1 Workers' Compensation Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	0.00	0	(1,500,000)	0

This action reduces the estimate for revenues received from other funds in the Workers' Compensation Fund by \$1.5 million. This reduction materializes in the 'Workers' Compensation' line of the 'Salary and Benefits' budget category of each department. The City budgets the self-insured Workers' Compensation Fund at a confidence level of 85% and has experienced a few years of claims costs that have been lower than budgeted. This has resulted in the accumulation of fund balance in the Workers' Compensation Fund. This action proportionally lessens the burden to the organization for Fiscal Year 2019 Workers' Compensation expense based on the actuarial calculation of liability, by \$1.02 million in the General Fund and \$1.5 million across all funds, instead drawing on \$1.5 million of accumulated fund balance. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results





This action ensures that the organization only pays the necessary costs for a given year for the General Liability expenses.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution



1,813

0

This action transfers \$1,813 from the Workers' Compensation Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental Pension Trust Fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Workers' Compensation Fund annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

Workers' Compensation Fund

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Workers' Compensation Fund				
Claims Paid	2,187,149	2,431,807	2,000,000	4,896,002
Change in Estimated self-insurance liability	(837,910)	(795,714)	0	
CSAC excess insurance premium	485,630	615,100	495,000	649,458
Actuarial Services	2,375	6,650	6,650	7,079
TPA Administrator Fees	235,111	240,405	264,000	246,240
State self-insurance fees	90,000	75,899	120,000	122,340
In-house Administration	0	163,162	171,214	182,226
Workers' Compensation Fund Subtotal	2,162,355	2,737,309	3,056,864	6,103,345

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Mission Statement





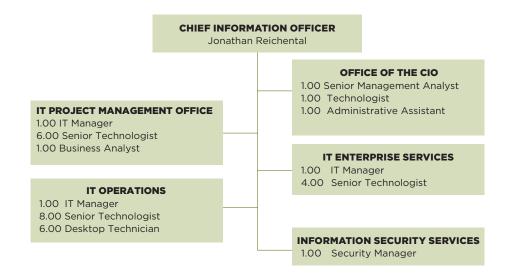
The Information Technology
Department's mission is to provide
innovative technology solutions that
support City departments in delivering
quality services to the community.

Purpose

The purpose of the Information Technology Department is to champion an inspiring and forward-leaning vision for citywide technology that reflects the unique role of the City of Palo Alto as a global leader in technology innovation; to provide a broad range of high-quality technology-related solutions to employees, departments, council members, and the community in

order for each to meet their respective goals; to support and continuously improve essential technology infrastructure for enabling the day-to-day operations of the City; and to create and maintain an exciting workplace for the Information Technology Department team that inspires high-performance and provides career growth opportunities.

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FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

33.00 - Full-time 0.48 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

Information Technology's vision statement is, 'to build and enable a leading smart and digital city.' A digital city broadly adopts innovative internet-based technologies to enable quality services and processes among City employees, citizens, visitors, and businesses. Being smart means using these same digital city capabilities integrated with the physical environment to improve livability, workability, and sustainability.

Beginning in Fiscal Year 2013, the Information Technology Department embarked on a multi-year journey to transform itself into being a provider of higher-value information technology solutions and make steady progress towards building a leading digital city.

The Information Technology Department provides a wide range of services for the City of Palo Alto through the following operational divisions:

OFFICE OF THE CIO (OCIO)

Provides leadership and strategic direction for the City of Palo Alto's use of technology. OCIO provides advisory services to City Departments regarding opportunities to leverage technology to improve government services. In addition, the division sets IT policies and directions for the IT Department and the City. This division is often the public-facing component of the team and is responsible for fostering mutually beneficial public-private, technology-related partnerships. The core services include IT strategic planning, financial management, contract management, communications, work force development, overall department administration, and data analytics.

IT PROJECT MANAGEMENT OFFICE (PMO)

As stewards of the public trust for IT project management, IT PMO ensures successful execution of the right technology projects at the right time and helps enable the success of department technology projects. IT PMO aspires to be a center of excellence for IT project management through the promotion of standards, awareness, and education.

IT OPERATIONS

Maintains and supports all deployed back-end and front-end City technologies, including the process of retiring products and services. The team also ratifies standards working alongside other IT divisions. Services include enterprise architecture, service desk, infrastructure support,

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server hosting, office automation software support, technical training and support, and asset management.

IT ENTERPRISE SERVICES

Maintains a core set of large Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) systems like SAP for supporting financial business processes, information flow, reporting, and data analytics for the City. These services include all aspects of Enterprise Systems management such as planning, development, integration, administration, support, maintenance, governance, and change management.

INFORMATION SECURITY SERVICES

Develops and implements the citywide information security program that includes the preservation of the availability, integrity, and confidentiality of the City's information resources. These services include security policy and procedures, legal compliance, risk management, disaster recovery, and security audit.

Accomplishments

- Awarded Digital Cities Top 10; Jonathan Reichental awarded 'Global 150 Digital Transformation Leader.'
- Conducted citywide cyber-attack simulation to enhance IT security at the City.
- Implemented and codified best practice Software Asset Management (SAM).
- Deployed Wireless Screencasting (AirTame) in most City conference rooms.
- Evaluated and determined next Client Computing Platform for City leadership and staff, including hardware and software standards for next 5 years.
- Smart City experiments including Verizon Sensity network around City Hall; Facebook Chatbot; and Soofa Solar USB charging station.
- Completed development of the Fiscal Year 2019 Fiscal Year 2021 revised IT Strategy.
- Completed Business Intelligence system upgrade and deployed it citywide.
- Started selection of next-generation Finance, Human Resources, and Utilities Customer Information Systems solutions.
- Selected new Geographic Information System (GIS).

Initiatives

The following major initiatives will be worked on by the Information Technology Department in Fiscal Year 2019, but not necessarily completed in Fiscal Year 2019. As circumstances dictate, projects will be reprioritized or rescheduled as appropriate:

- Deployment of citywide security enhancements for city-owned mobile devices.
- Completion of payment card industry compliance requirements.
- Deployment of WiFi to additional select sites such as Cubberley and Lytton Plaza.

- Citywide roll-out of the SharePoint Academy.
- Deployment of the next-generation City website.
- Implementation of the new Geographic Information System (GIS).
- Design of next-generation Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Systems in coordination with key department stakeholders.
- Support technology requirements for existing and newly rebuilt City infrastructure, such as the Junior Museum and Zoo and Fire Station 3.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Support a multiyear roadmap to significantly increase the City's adoption of digital services and smart city capabilities in order to enhance City services.

Objectives:

- Develop, enhance, and provide IT services that will increase the community's access to mobile services.
- Deploy and maintain enterprise-wide platforms and processes for supporting open and participatory government to enrich our community.
- Maintain an ongoing program of civic innovation activities in government technology and include broad participation from innovators in the public and private sectors.
- Formalize an Urban Innovation Network to bring together innovators, entrepreneurs and organizations in the local area to collaborate together.
- Define and develop metrics to support objectives in this goal.

GOAL 2

Enhance IT service delivery in order to provide excellent customer service to all City departments.

Objectives:

- Organize IT service delivery around the principles of the Information Technology Infrastructure Library (ITIL) in order to provide high quality, consistent, and efficient IT services.
- Mature the established citywide IT governance process to ensure alignment between technology priorities, project risks, City goals, and available funds.
- Deploy new tools to support higher quality service and knowledge management within the IT department.
- Formalize career path management for the City's technology staff.
- Review and refresh IT position descriptions, roles, and responsibilities.

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- Perform an assessment using the IT Capability Maturity Framework (IT-CMF) to baseline our current capabilities while enabling targeted improvement of capabilities.
- Define and develop metrics to support objectives in this goal.

GOAL 3

Strengthen the City's technology infrastructure and communication systems..

Objectives:

- Reduce the City's data center footprint by utilizing a hybrid cloud approach.
- Virtualize and decommission systems as necessary to reclaim office space for City IT staff.
- Implement unified communications to optimize business processes and increase user productivity.
- Standardize on data storage approach and solutions.
- Execute the adopted GIS strategy that will increase GIS capabilities and bring value to a larger number of stakeholders.
- Define and develop metrics to support objectives in this goal.

GOAL 4

Manage a program of projects to enhance and improve information security to enable confidentiality, integrity, availability of information across all City systems.

Objectives:

- Enhance cybersecurity awareness processes.
- Implement additional annual cybersecurity training for all City employees.
- Ensure a fully-tested disaster recovery and continuity program for mission critical services.
- Define and develop metrics to support objectives in this goal.

GOAL 5

Design and formalize a citywide data strategy to leverage the high value of our government data.

Objectives:

- Implement citywide data governance.
- Mature our Open Data initiative to address data driven decision making.
- Deploy a set of citywide data services capabilities for departments.
- Define and develop metrics to support objectives in this goal.

Key Performance Measures

PERCENT OF SURVEY RESPONDENTS RATING THE SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT AS EXCELLENT

Goal	Increase customer satisfaction on the services provided by the Information Technology Department.							
Objective	Establish clear division processes, staff responsibilities, and performance measures.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percent of survey respondents rating the services provided by the IT Department as excellent	93.00%	92.00%	95.00%	93.00%	95.00%			
Description				ction internal cust p support service				
Purpose	This measure is an important qualitative assessment of how well IT is supporting its internal customers and whether they feel IT is meeting their needs.							
Status	ensure high cus	tomer satisfactio		nagement is being h as "Customer S o building.				

PERCENTAGE OF SERVICE DESK REQUESTS RESOLVED AT TIME OF CALL

Goal	Track the overall time it takes to resolve service desk work orders.							
Objective	Establish clear division processes, staff responsibilities, and performance measures.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Percent of service desk requests resolved within 8 hours	6.00%	6.00%	6.00%	6.00%	6.00%			
Percent of service desk requests resolved within 5 days	28.00%	28.00%	31.00%	29.00%	30.00%			
Percent of service desk requests resolved beyond 5 days	11.00% 14.00% 11.00% 13.00% 13.00							
Percent of service desk requests resolved at time of call	33.00%	30.00%	32.00%	29.00%	29.00%			
Percent of service desk requests resolved within 4 hours	22.00%	23.00%	20.00%	23.00%	22.00%			
Description	These measures	s track the time it	takes to resolve	service desk wo	rk orders.			
Purpose	Ensuring that IT staff are resolving work orders in a timely manner provides a quantitative measurement of one of the important services the department provides.							
Status	however, with the address lower le	or fluctuations of a ne implementation evel Tier 1 reques orders. This may r	n of self-service a sts, staff will be a	and cloud automa vailable to work o	ation tools to on more			

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Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
IT expenditure per workstation	\$4,703.00	\$4,982.56	\$4,861.00	\$5,059.00	\$5,095.00
Number of closed help desk requests	10,748	8,750	10,334	8,689	9,100
Number of datasets published on open data platforms	83	87	98	92	97

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Technology Fund	2,069,255	1,058,744	3,733,077	4,207,541	474,464	12.7%
Enterprise Systems	2,582,366	3,123,376	3,323,269	3,285,959	(37,310)	(1.1)%
Office of the CIO	2,883,501	2,925,415	3,120,591	3,535,530	414,940	13.3%
Operations	5,702,804	5,880,219	7,788,970	8,167,345	378,375	4.9%
Project Services	1,112,628	1,083,847	2,146,203	1,935,267	(210,937)	(9.8)%
Total	14,350,553	14,071,602	20,112,110	21,131,642	1,019,532	5.1%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	551,700	666,572	789,387	807,631	18,244	2.3%
Other Benefits	182,332	146,083	185,047	186,973	1,926	1.0%
Overtime	11,662	4,819	18,585	19,068	483	2.6%
Pension	947,892	1,085,854	1,356,582	1,411,811	55,229	4.1%
Retiree Medical	273,435	299,224	314,799	347,609	32,810	10.4%
Salary	3,798,444	3,925,824	4,932,078	5,042,037	109,959	2.2%
Workers' Compensation	11,212	10,332	127,989	92,201	(35,788)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	5,776,675	6,138,708	7,724,466	7,907,330	182,864	2.4%
Allocated Charges	1,089,438	1,071,082	997,238	1,440,281	443,043	44.4%
Contract Services	3,879,837	4,697,928	5,641,332	5,647,287	5,956	0.1%
Facilities & Equipment	572,002	204,038	837,702	869,921	32,220	3.8%
General Expense	446,099	411,655	569,679	500,179	(69,500)	(12.2)%
Operating Transfers-Out	57,340	16,485	161,418	99,746	(61,672)	(38.2)%
Rents & Leases	342,594	351,501	362,749	374,357	11,608	3.2%
Supplies & Material	65,306	72,309	84,450	85,000	550	0.7%
Capital Improvement Program	2,121,263	1,107,895	3,733,077	4,207,541	474,464	12.7%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	14,350,553	14,071,602	20,112,110	21,131,642	1,019,532	5.1%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	80,292	_	_	_	-	-%
Charges to Other Funds	13,253,295	13,805,902	13,735,894	14,570,588	834,694	6.1%
Operating Transfers-In	2,479,564	2,077,784	2,031,612	2,321,462	289,850	14.3%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Other Revenue	_	_	130,864	32,826	(98,038)	(74.9)%
Return on Investments	381,527	435,369	343,300	440,667	97,367	28.4%
Total Revenues	16,194,678	16,319,055	16,241,669	17,365,543	1,123,874	6.9%
Positions by Division						
Enterprise Systems	9.00	10.50	9.50	9.00	(0.50)	(5.26)%
Office of the CIO	8.10	5.10	6.10	6.10	_	-%
Operations	13.48	13.48	14.48	14.48	_	-%
Project Services	5.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	_	-%
Total	35.58	36.08	37.08	36.58	(0.50)	(1.35)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	90,709
Assistant Director Administrative Services	_	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	19,968
Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	152,734
Desktop Technician	5.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	_	554,085
Director Administrative Services/ CFO	0.10	-	-	-	-	_
Director Information Technology/ CIO	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	241,045
Manager Information Technology	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.00	(1.00)	451,547
Manager Information Technology Security	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	154,336
Principal Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	153,171
Senior Business Analyst	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	279,698
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	129,459
Senior Technologist	15.00	16.00	17.00	18.00	1.00	2,385,697
Technologist	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	152,734
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	34.10	35.10	36.10	36.10	_	4,765,184

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Staffing

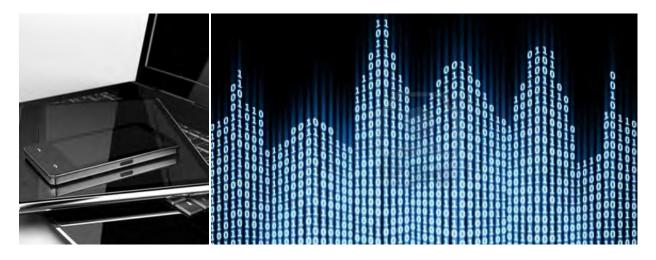
Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Temporary/Hourly	1.48	0.98	0.98	0.48	(0.50)	44,928
Total Positions	35.58	36.08	37.08	36.58	(0.50)	4,810,112

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Technology Fund
Prior Year Budget	37.08	20,112,110	16,241,669	3,870,441
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings)	_	_	900,000	(900,000)
Geographic Information System (GIS) Replacement	_	(500,000)	(305,096)	(194,904)
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(135,658)	_	(135,658)
Citywide SharePoint Training	_	(50,000)	(30,510)	(19,490)
Capital Improvement Project Funding	_	(3,733,077)	(1,067,413)	(2,665,664)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	-	(4,418,735)	(503,019)	(3,915,716)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities			'	
Salary and Benefits	_	233,455	_	233,455
Reduction of 0.5 Management Specialist	0.50	_	_	_
Capital Improvement Funding	_	4,207,541	1,230,754	2,976,787
Other Contract Adjustments	_	84,416	_	84,416
Laptop/Desktop Equipment Costs	_	83,180	_	83,180
Infrastructure Contracts	_	57,038	_	57,038
Transfer to University Avenue Parking Fund	_	7,420	_	7,420
Rents and Leases	_	11,608	_	11,608
Accela and Building Eye Contracts	_	250,000	250,000	_
Transfer from the General Fund (Technology Surcharge)	_	_	28,045	(28,045)
Office of the CIO Reductions (Training, Supplemental Staffing, Civic Innovation)	_	(40,000)	_	(40,000)
Elimination of Application Maintenance Contingency	_	(75,000)	_	(75,000)
Return on Investments	_	_	97,367	(97,367)
Systems Maintenance Contract Alignment	_	(145,000)	_	(145,000)
Charges to Other Funds - Information Technology Services	_	_	523,746	(523,746)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	432,435	_	432,435
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	17,468	_	17,468
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	869	_	869
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	4,289	_	4,289

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Technology Fund
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	424	_	424
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(12,441)	_	(12,441)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(36,743)	_	(36,743)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	0.50	5,080,959	2,129,912	2,951,047
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	37.58	20,774,334	17,868,562	2,905,772
Budget Adjustments				
1 New City of Palo Alto Website	_	300,000	_	300,000
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	71,156	_	_
3 IT Staffing Realignment	_	(13,848)	_	(13,848)
Total Budget Adjustments	_	357,308	_	286,152
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	37.58	21,131,642	17,365,543	3,191,924



Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Technology Fund
1 New City of Palo Alto Website	0.00	300,000	0	300,000

This action adds one-time funding to begin to develop a next generation website for the City of Palo Alto. Since the current City website was established in 2012, the needs of the public have changed and the capabilities of websites have grown more sophisticated. This project will perform a complete redesign, including visual updates, streamline the content management system for City users, make information more accessible to the public, and enhance existing content. These updates will also help ensure that the City's information remains accessible for all users. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



The development of a new website will enhance accessibility and usability. It will also help make the work of the City more transparent.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

0.00

71,156

0

This action transfers \$71,156 from the Information Technology Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Information Technology Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

3 IT Staffing Realignment

0.00

(13,848)

(13,848)

This action reclassifies 1.0 vacant Manager, Information Technology position to 1.0 Senior Technologist. This action recognizes the current operations of the department in order to more appropriately align with the service delivery needs of the organization. The Senior Technologist position will focus on enterprise-wide projects throughout the organization and serve as a project manager on various initiatives. (Ongoing savings: \$13,848)

Performance Results





This action is anticipated to increase the quality of service offered by the IT department and decrease cycle time associated with enterprise-wide projects.

LIBRARY

Mission Statement





Palo Alto City Library connects our diverse community through knowledge, resources and opportunities. We nurture innovation, discovery and delight.

Purpose

The purpose of the Library Department is to provide exceptional, responsive public service to Palo Alto residents and employees; to promote exploration of library resources to support learning, recreation, and personal enrichment; to foster a love of reading, creative expression, and community engagement for all ages; and to develop library facilities, technology, and

staff to create a welcoming, inclusive environment in which to share valuable resources and skilled expertise.

LIBRARY DIRECTOR Monique le Conge Ziesenhenne PUBLIC SERVICES DIVISION ADMINISTRATION 1.00 Assistant Director 1.00 Management Analyst1.00 Administrative Associate III RINCONADA LIBRARY 1.00 1.00 Library Services Manager Supervising Librarian 1.00 Senior Librarian Coordinator, Library Program INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & COLLECTIONS DIVISION 3.00 Librarian 1.00 Library Associate 3.00 Library Specialist 1.00 Division Head, IT & Collections **COLLECTIONS & TECHNOLOGY** 2.00 Senior Librarian Library Associate Library Specialist CHILDREN'S LIBRARY 2.00 1.00 Library Services Manager 2.00 Senior Librarian 1.00 Librarian 1.00 Business Analyst 1.00 Library Associate 1.00 Library Specialist **DIGITAL SERVICES & E-BRANCH** Library Services Manager Senior Librarian Library Specialist 2.00 1.00 MITCHELL PARK LIBRARY Library Services Manager Supervising Librarian Senior Librarian 1.00 1.00

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS 47.50 - Full-Time 15.08 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation

3.00 Librarian
1.00 Library Associate
5.00 Library Specialist

1.00 Library Associate

1.00 Library Associate 1.00 Library Associate0.50 Library Specialist

DOWNTOWN LIBRARY

Description

The Library provides a wide range of public services for the City of Palo Alto through the following:

PUBLIC SERVICES & PROGRAMS

Offers a variety of programs free of charge to library users of all ages, interests, and abilities, to provide educational, self-help, recreational, technological, and multi-lingual outreach. When appropriate, partners with other civic, non-profit, business, and educational organizations to present these programs.

INFORMATION, TECHNOLOGY, & COLLECTIONS

Provides opportunities for the public to access a variety of technologies, both inside and outside library facilities, including hardware devices, online databases, free WiFi, mobile applications, and experimental partnerships. Library collections include a diverse selection of print and non-print materials, as well as digital resources such as electronic books, magazines, and media, to meet the educational, informational, and recreational needs of its clientele, reflecting the variety of languages, cultures, and interests of our community.

BUILDINGS, SUPPORT, & ADMINISTRATION

Provides information, training, and support for City employees and the public, and ensures that all aspects of library services and policies are delivered with the highest degree of public stewardship in mind. By funding major facility renovations and improvements to three libraries through a dedicated library bond, and two previous renovation projects, Palo Alto has modern libraries offering comfortable, inviting, and flexible spaces for everyone in our community to gather and learn.

Accomplishments

- Updated the Library's Strategic Plan FY 2018 FY 2020.
- Continued participation in the California State Library initiative, 'California Revealed', which aims to assist local public libraries in partnership with local heritage groups to digitize, preserve, and provide online access to historically significant content about California, e.g. books, documents, recordings, etc. Palo Alto City Library (PACL) and the Woman's Club of Palo Alto are collaborating to make new historical information online.
- Began implementation of the Student Success Card, in collaboration with the Palo Alto Unified School District (PAUSD), to ensure that all students have access to PACL collections.
- Implemented the eLibrary (formerly called the eBranch) to enhance Library users' online and mobile experience, increased accessibility to collections and services, and increased visibility for PACL resources during web searches.
- Completed Positioning Libraries For a Virtual Future, a grant-funded project to test greeter robots and a 3-D modeling workstation which resulted in less waste for 3-D printing and greater familiarity with the use of robots in the library.

- Began implementation of a total business solution to replace the outdated public personal computer (PC) management system, printing, and scanning.
- Reviewed international languages collections to ensure that they are in alignment with PAUSD statistics of languages other than English spoken at home to better reflect community needs.
- Participated in the California State Library initiative 'California Listens' where community members created short films about their experiences coming to Palo Alto and/or being a part of the community. Films were added to the PACL digital collection (https:// library.cityofpaloalto.org/california-listens/).
- PACL initiated several new special events and programs: Walk and Roll Library Tour, Solar Eclipse program, Celebrating Cultures (Diwali program, Day of the Dead altar), Social Justice Book Club.
- Updated the collection maintenance plan and the collection development policy.

Initiatives

- Host a ReMaker Faire in 2018, which is grant-funded by the Pacific Library Partnership (PLP) to provide a one-day event based on the model of a Maker Faire. The event will be presented in partnership with appropriate City departments and community organizations to emphasize ways to reuse materials, promote Zero Waste and sustainability efforts at Palo Alto City Libraries (PACL) and throughout the City.
- Present a region-wide library leadership event to introduce thinking and planning regarding the future of libraries, funded by a grant from the Pacific Library Partnership.
- Test a collaborative Senior Outreach Project with the Palo Alto Fire Department to provide homebound library services and safety/wellness information.
- Seek out new partners to continue 'California Revealed' digitization project.
- Host events for children in the community to code library robots.
- Present digital literacy training and increase awareness, particularly in the area of protecting privacy.
- Gamification of library resources, programs, and services to attract traditionally non-library users to utilize the library.
- Offer wireless printing in all of the library branches.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Be the place where everyone can learn anything.

Strategies:

Provide early childhood literacy programs based on current research in child development and learning.

- Create learning opportunities for community members to be able to make sense of and succeed in our changing society.
- Provide a portal to American culture, language, and civic life.
- Ensure that the library's collections, technology, and buildings support the evolving requirements of 21st Century lifelong learning.
- Provide tools for improving all types of literacy.
- Provide opportunities to read for learning and for pleasure.

GOAL 2

Be the partner of choice for community organizations.

Strategies:

- Support Project Safety Net's programs to promote youth well-being and implement the 41 Developmental Assets.
- Increase collaboration with Palo Alto's public and private schools and their school librarians.
- Support library stakeholders in their advocacy and fundraising activities.
- Connect staff to community organizations in order to support their goals and collaborate activities
- Encourage relationships with community organizations that enhance library services and programs.

GOAL 3

Create engagement opportunities by being the place for community conversations about needs and aspirations.

Strategies:

- Provide a forum to explore issues of local interest and current events.
- Engage community members in library services as volunteers and program advisors.
- Connect community members to exchange and share stories, interests, and skills.

GOAL 4

Leverage technology to integrate the library into the lives of community members.

Strategies:

- Enhance unique and local collections.
- Develop partnerships to enhance customers' digital experiences.
- Plan and implement a social media strategy.
- Produce web content that is relevant to the needs and interests of our diverse audiences.
- Facilitate access for library users to resources that enable them to create content.
- Provide staff training and technology infrastructure to support digital projects.

GOAL 5

Provide a fulfilling library experience for our community because of the expertise and effort of our dynamic staff.

Strategies:

- Attract and retain the most skilled and knowledgeable staff.
- Motivate and recognize staff through opportunities to innovate and be creative.
- Explore opportunities for improving employee work-life balance.
- Support and promote efforts to make it possible for staff to live in or near Palo Alto.
- Create opportunities for staff members to bring their talents and interests to work.

Key Performance Measures

NUMBER OF TEENS WHO PARTICIPATE IN THE LIBRARY'S PROGRAMS FOR **TEENS, INCLUDING THE SUMMER READING PROGRAM**

Goal	Develop and provide library services and programs supporting the 41 Developmental Assets for Adolescents Model.							
Objective	Encourage adolescents between the ages of 12 and 18 to read for pleasure three or more hours a week (Developmental Asset #25).							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Number of library teen programs	4,559	6,059	6,785	6,241	6,366			
Description	This measure tra recreational read		nterest and parti	cipation in the lib	rary's			
Purpose	Adolescents who enjoy reading are more likely to grow up into healthy, caring, and responsible adults.							
Status	program develo	pment. Combine	ed with expanded	ith staff to impler d spaces for teen tion is expected	s at Mitchell			

PERCENT OF SURVEYED RESIDENTS RATING SATISFACTION WITH LIBRARY DEPARTMENT SERVICES AS GOOD OR EXCELLENT

Goal	Connects Palo Alto's diverse community through knowledge, resources, and opportunities.								
Objective	Maintain and enhance the community's satisfaction with library services.								
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed								
Variety of Library Materials	82.00%	86.00%	86.00%	87.00%	88.00%				
Neighborhood Branch Libraries	89.00%	93.00%	93.00%	93.00%	94.00%				
Public Library Services	91.00%	91.00% 92.00% 92.00% 93.00% 93.00%							
Recommend Palo Alto's Libraries to Friends	0.00% 91.00% 91.00% 91.00% 92.00%								
Description	community as g Citizen's Survey	ood or excellent. that is conducte	This data is colled annually by the	ing overall library ected as part of t e International Cit City to compare i	he National ry/County				
Purpose		sfaction with the services provided		ent is an importa its residents.	nt assessment				
Status	increased, rangi increased progra technologies ha reduced for mail	ing from 11% to be amming and send to the contributed to	29%. It is likely t vices, expanded o these increases and/or technolog	h of these objecti hat new/renovate collections, and r . Should budget gy, number of sta could decline.	ed facilities, new allocations be				

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Meeting Room Reservations	9,943	12,434	10,000	12,807	13,063
Number of virtual visits to the library	1,921,738	804,194	2,018,978	828,320	844,886
Checkouts of library materials	1,400,926	1,524,614	1,450,000	1,570,352	1,601,759
Number of visits to library branches	831,206	1,031,054	873,265	1,061,985	1,083,225
Annual turnover rate of library collections	3.04	3.76	3.20	3.00	3.20

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration	832,826	1,169,323	879,935	1,042,232	162,297	18.4%
Collection and Technical Services	2,217,832	2,529,570	2,574,027	2,704,162	130,135	5.1%
Public Services	4,909,335	5,254,508	5,992,892	5,977,105	(15,786)	(0.3)%
Total	7,959,994	8,953,402	9,446,853	9,723,499	276,646	2.9%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	760,110	915,672	990,284	940,644	(49,640)	(5.0)%
Other Benefits	116,669	105,382	126,728	128,852	2,124	1.7%
Overtime	36,276	10,063	68,783	70,571	1,788	2.6%
Pension	849,070	1,001,520	1,132,460	1,167,087	34,626	3.1%
Retiree Medical	398,190	435,745	458,425	444,128	(14,297)	(3.1)%
Salary	3,851,473	4,208,827	4,409,306	4,504,861	95,555	2.2%
Workers' Compensation	7,458	15,681	139,838	100,737	(39,101)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	6,019,245	6,692,891	7,325,825	7,356,879	31,055	0.4%
Allocated Charges	664,610	929,613	939,703	1,110,435	170,732	18.2%
Contract Services	244,150	350,139	350,065	353,065	3,000	0.9%
Facilities & Equipment	13,360	17,683	17,900	17,900	_	-%
General Expense	90,618	141,595	81,430	90,430	9,000	11.1%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	-	_	59,859	59,859	-%
Supplies & Material	928,011	821,480	731,931	734,931	3,000	0.4%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	7,959,994	8,953,402	9,446,853	9,723,499	276,646	2.9%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	21,690	22,751	25,460	25,461	1	-%
Operating Transfers-In	_	_	_	15,000	15,000	-%
Other Revenue	72,484	58,843	23,600	51,400	27,800	117.8%
Other Taxes and Fines	147,244	92,800	152,225	124,433	(27,792)	(18.3)%
Rental Income	1,770	_	_	_	_	-%
Total Revenues	243,188	174,393	201,285	216,294	15,009	7.5%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Positions by Division						
Administration	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	-%
Collection and Technical Services	11.64	13.24	13.24	13.55	0.31	2.34%
Public Services	52.04	49.94	49.94	48.63	(1.31)	(2.62)%
Total	64.08	63.58	63.58	62.58	(1.00)	(1.57)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	_	_	_	_
Administrative Associate III	_	_	1.00	1.00	_	83,323
Assistant Director Library Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	157,768
Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	152,734
Coordinator Library Programs	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	91,430
Director Libraries	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	213,097
Division Head Library Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	148,262
Librarian	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	_	563,490
Library Associate	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	_	509,263
Library Specialist	12.50	12.50	12.50	11.50	(1.00)	791,209
Management Analyst	_	_	1.00	1.00	_	95,285
Management Assistant	1.00	1.00	_	_	_	_
Manager Library Services	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	444,018
Senior Librarian	8.50	9.00	9.00	9.00	_	822,871
Supervising Librarian	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	192,213
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	48.00	48.50	48.50	47.50	(1.00)	4,264,963
Temporary/Hourly	16.08	15.08	15.08	15.08	_	776,965
Total Positions	64.08	63.58	63.58	62.58	(1.00)	5,041,927

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	63.58	9,446,853	201,285	9,245,568
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	20,476	_	20,476
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	20,476	_	20,476
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	171,200	_	171,200
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(12,716)	_	(12,716)
Worker's Compensation Savings (One-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(40,145)	_	(40,145)
Revenue Adjustments	_	_	9	(9)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	17,853	_	17,853
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	76,071	_	76,071
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	4,390	_	4,390
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	260	_	260
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	64,276	_	64,276
Vehicle Replacement Allocated Charges	_	122	_	122
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	-	281,311	9	281,302
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	63.58	9,748,640	201,294	9,547,346
Budget Adjustments				
1 Augment International Collection	_	15,000	15,000	_
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	59,859	_	59,859
3 Reduction in Library Special Programming	(1.00)	(100,000)	_	(100,000)
Total Budget Adjustments	(1.00)	(25,141)	15,000	(40,141)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	62.58	9,723,499	216,294	9,507,205



Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Augment International Collection	0.00	15,000	15,000	0

This action provides funding from the Library Impact Fee Fund to add material to the Palo Alto City Library's International Languages collection. The additions were recommended by the Library Advisory Commission and reflect the growing diversity of the community while addressing a recent survey result on increasing non-English spoken languages at home. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



The addition of International Languages content will better reflect the community needs and improve overall services.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

0.00

59,859

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59,859

(100,000)

This action transfers \$58,859 from the Office of the Library Department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Library Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

3 Reduction in Library Special Programming

-1.00

(100,000)

This action eliminates a vacant 1.0 Library Specialist position in the Library Department. This elimination would not have an impact on operating hours at the Library, but would require that a librarian position currently working on special programming projects, such as children's storytime, to refocus their time to staffing a library desk. It will reduce the Library Department to minimum staffing levels necessary for effective service delivery at current hours. (Ongoing savings: \$100,000).

Performance Results





This reduction will not impact basic library services although it will reduce staffing flexibility during peak seasons thus potentially impacting customer satisfaction and the response timelines during these periods.



Mission Statement



The mission of the Office of Emergency Services is to prevent, prepare for, mitigate, respond to, and recover from all hazards.

Purpose

The purpose of the Office of Emergency Services is to develop, maintain, and sustain a citywide, comprehensive, all-hazard, risk-based emergency management program that engages the whole community.

EMERGENCY SERVICES DIRECTOR

Kenneth Dueker

1.00 Office of Emergency Services Coordinator 1.00 Program Assistant II

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

3.00 - Full-time 0.48 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

The Office of Emergency Services develops, maintains, and sustains a citywide, comprehensive, all-hazard, risk-based emergency management program that engages the whole community.

Accomplishments

- Completed 2017 update of the City of Palo Alto Local Hazards Mitigation and Adaptation Plan (LHMAP) and the Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment Plan (THIRA).
- Completed the Earthquake Annex to the City's Emergency Operations Plan and Community Wildfire Protection Plan.
- Served as subject matter expert in the completion of the new Comprehensive Plan Safety
- Activated Emergency Operations Center (EOC) to manage the 2017-2018 Storm Season and other events.
- Participated with Santa Clara County OES in the project implementation for the Mass Notification System AlertSCC.
- Continued to develop the Emergency Services Volunteer (ESV) program and general community public safety awareness through ongoing public education sessions, trainings, and exercises.
- In coordination with Public Works, the Police Department, and the City Manager's Office, participated in the Caltrain Intrusion Detection System (IDS) solicitation and vendor selection.
- Continued to work with regional public safety partners on a wide range of planned and special events, ranging from visits by dignitaries to mass-gatherings and high-risk events. The Mobile Emergency Operations Center (MEOC) and other specialized OES vehicles were deployed to the majority of these events.

Initiatives

- Continue to work with Development Services, Public Works, and other City staff to develop a damage assessment process.
- Continue to develop other emergency plans, annexes, and protocols.
- Explore new technologies, including resilient power for key sites and critical systems.
- Continue to work with the IT and Utilities Departments to deploy a new Public Safety Wireless Network.
- Continue to work with the Public Works, Police, and Fire Departments on the design of the new Public Safety Building (PSB).

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Promote operational readiness of the City to implement the emergency management cycle (mitigate, prepare, respond, recover).

Objectives:

- Execute a training and exercise plan for designated staff assigned to the Emergency Operation Center (EOC), Mobile Emergency Operation Center (MEOC), Department Operations Center, and other assignments.
- Maintain emergency management facilities, critical infrastructure, and essential equipment to ensure they are fully mission capable.
- Coordinate development of new technologies for emergency management.
- Acquire grant funding to improve capabilities of preparedness and response resources.

GOAL 2

Engage the whole community to prepare for all hazards.

Objectives:

- Administer the City Emergency Services Volunteer Program (ESV) to provide a cadre of trained volunteers in residential neighborhoods.
- Coordinate with the private sector and non-governmental organizations to promote continuity of business operations.
- Outreach to the citizenry to encourage emergency preparedness.

GOAL 3

Maintain policies and plans related to disasters, critical incidents, and City safety.

Objectives:

- Lead a process to identify threats and hazards and to assess risks the City faces.
- Maintain awareness of threats through coordination with law enforcement agencies and other public safety partners.
- Participate in regional planning efforts.
- Revise the Emergency Operations Plan and associated plans and annexes through an adaptive planning process.

Key Performance Measures

READINESS OF OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES (OES) RESOURCES

Goal	Promote the City's operational readiness to implement the emergency management cycle (mitigate, prepare, respond, recover).							
Objective	Maintain OES emergency management facilities, critical infrastructure, and equipment fully mission capable.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Percent of Office of Emergency Services resources that are able to respond effectively to hazards	97.00%	97.00% 97.00% 95.00% 95.00% 95.00%						
Description	matrix at any tim effectively to all equipment, it is standard. There	ne. OES strives to hazards. Howeve not feasible to m fore, the goal is t	o maintain fully mi er, given the spec aaintain all system oo meet a 95 perc	dures to an all-had ssion capable statistical sialized and discretors to a 100 perce cent readiness rate senance during the	atus to respond ete inventory of nt readiness te, allowing			
Purpose	Critical resource	s will improve the	e City's ability to	manage a respor	ise.			
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Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of presentations, training sessions, and exercises	234	182	125	150	150
Number of deployments of the EOC, MEOC, and ICP	46	37	40	75	40

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Emergency Services	1,044,478	983,124	1,038,721	1,515,114	476,393	45.9%
Total	1,044,478	983,124	1,038,721	1,515,114	476,393	45.9%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	32,971	37,852	37,420	38,056	636	1.7%
Other Benefits	13,436	11,830	14,142	14,577	434	3.1%
Overtime	260	880	-	-	_	-%
Pension	86,693	101,971	103,920	111,738	7,819	7.5%
Retiree Medical	59,094	51,613	54,299	49,844	(4,455)	(8.2)%
Salary	366,326	385,750	402,563	428,803	26,240	6.5%
Workers' Compensation	1,989	1,286	22,588	16,272	(6,316)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	560,769	591,182	634,931	659,289	24,358	3.8%
Allocated Charges	43,062	45,905	52,168	89,072	36,904	70.7%
Contract Services	229,162	108,138	150,000	559,500	409,500	273.0%
Facilities & Equipment	126,759	134,991	117,000	117,000	_	-%
General Expense	31,038	34,437	34,700	34,700	_	-%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	-	-	5,631	5,631	-%
Supplies & Material	53,687	68,470	49,922	49,922	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	1,044,478	983,124	1,038,721	1,515,114	476,393	45.9%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	94,623	94,623	94,623	96,336	1,713	1.8%
Total Revenues	94,623	94,623	94,623	96,336	1,713	1.8%
Positions by Division						
Emergency Services	3.48	3.48	3.48	3.48	_	-%
Total	3.48	3.48	3.48	3.48	_	-%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Director Office of Emergency Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	162,824
Office of Emergency Services Coordinator	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	134,659
Program Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	(1.00)	_
Program Assistant II	_	_	_	1.00	1.00	84,778
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	-	382,261
Temporary/Hourly	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	_	36,649
Total Positions	3.48	3.48	3.48	3.48	_	418,911

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	3.48	1,038,721	94,623	944,098
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits	_	18,911	_	18,911
Project Safety Net - Video Management System Maintenance (reassign PD to OES)	_	400,000	_	400,000
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	9,500	_	9,500
Revenue Alignment	_	_	1,713	(1,713)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	1,987	_	1,987
Information Technology Allocated Charges Reallocation (Fire to OES)	_	46,960	_	46,960
Printing and Mailing Allocated Charges	_	(11,210)	_	(11,210)
Vehicle Replacement Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	583	_	583
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(1,415)	_	(1,415)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(6,485)	_	(6,485)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	458,830	1,713	457,117
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	3.48	1,497,551	96,336	1,401,215
Budget Adjustments				
1 Emergency Operations Staffing	_	11,932	_	11,932
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	5,631	_	5,631
Total Budget Adjustments	_	17,563	-	17,563
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	3.48	1,515,114	96,336	1,418,778





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Emergency Operations Staffing	0.00	11,932	0	11,932

This action reclassifies 1.0 Program Assistant to a Program Assistant II to meet the planning, administrative, and analytical needs of the Office of Emergency Services. This position will support programs and projects including: the City's administration of the Santa Clara County Alert SCC public alerting platform; administration of the City's Critical Infrastructure Program, including data collection, processing and system management; maintain the Department's Protected Critical Infrastructure Information (PCII) Certification; support the citywide transition to a regional radio system and implementation of a public safety wireless network; and support the design and capital plan for the new Public Safety building, (Ongoing net costs: \$11,932)

Performance Results







This action will ensure that sufficient staffing resources are available to advance public safety initiatives.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

0.00

5.631

This action transfers \$5,631 from the Office of Emergency Services Department to the General Benefits Fund on a onetime basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Office of Emergency Service Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to a pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).



Mission Statement





The mission of the Planning and Community Environment Department is to provide the City Council and the community with creative guidance on, and effective implementation of land use development, planning, transportation, housing and environmental policies, and plans and programs that maintain and enhance the City as a safe, vital, and attractive community.

Purpose

The Planning and Community Environment

Department is responsible for a range of planning and implementation actions aimed at preserving and enhancing the quality of life in Palo Alto, ensuring wise transportation investments, and facilitating land use and development decisions through consistent and transparent processes.

DIRECTOR PLANNING & COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT

Hillary Gitelman

OPERATIONS

1.00 Assistant Director

CURRENT PLANNING

- 1.00 Chief Planning Official
- 1.00 Planning Manager
- 4.00 Senior Planner*
- 3.00 Planner*

CODE ENFORCEMENT

1.00 Code Enforcement Lead* 2.00 Code Enforcement Officer

LONG RANGE PLANNING

- 1.00 Planning Manager
- 3.00 Senior Planner
- 1.00 Planner
- 1.00 Business Analyst

PLANNING/DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

- 1.00 Planning Manager*
- 1.00 Associate Planner*
- 3.00 Building/Planning Technician*

TRANSPORTATION

- 1.00 Chief Transportation Official
- 1.00 Transportation Planning
- 1.00 Traffic Engineering Lead
- 1.00 Senior Transportation Planner
- 2.00 Project Engineer
- 1.00 Associate Engineer
- 1.50 Coodinator Transit Systems Management
- 1.00 Parking Operations Lead
- 1.00 Associate Planner

ADMINISTRATION

- 1.00 Senior Management Analyst
- 1.00 Management Analyst
- 2.00 Administrative Associate III
- 1.00 Administrative Associate II
- 1.00 Administrative Associate I
- 1.00 Administrative Assistant

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

42.46 - Full-time 1.90 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

* Portions of these positions are functionally part of the **Development Services** Department. The Planning and Community Environment Department retains administrative oversight over department personnel.

Description

The Planning and Community Environment Department is responsible for the following functions:

LONG RANGE PLANNING

This division is responsible for updating and maintaining the City's Comprehensive Plan, including its Housing Element. The division also prepares zoning ordinance amendments, site-specific plans, and is responsible for data and analysis to support a wide variety of planning projects.

TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING

This division is responsible for transportation planning and for the City's transportation infrastructure. The division also conducts traffic studies and is responsible for traffic engineering, transportation demand management initiatives, shuttle services, parking supply and management, and implementation of the City's Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan.

CURRENT PLANNING

This division is responsible for the review of public and private projects pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the City's Zoning Ordinance, and the Comprehensive Plan. Activities include the review of applications submitted for planning entitlements, review of applications for building permits submitted at the Development Center, and providing general information to the public regarding the City's zoning and Comprehensive Plan provisions.

CODE ENFORCEMENT

This division is responsible for enforcement of code requirements and conditions of approval.

ADMINISTRATION

This division provides personnel, contract, budget, and project support for the department and also supports the Planning and Transportation Commission, Architectural Review Board, Historic Resources Board, Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee, and other public meetings.

Accomplishments

- Supported Council adoption of the updated Comprehensive Plan.
- Continued implementation of the Downtown, Evergreen Park/Mayfield, and Southgate Residential Preferential Parking (RPP) Programs.
- Supported Council adoption of an ordinance to enable additional Accessory Dwelling Units (ADU) throughout the City.
- Received over \$600,000 in grant funding for the North Ventura Coordinated Area Plan process and \$4.6 million for El Camino streetscape improvements.
- Improved traffic circulation on Middlefield north of Lytton.
- Supported Council adoption of a 5-year plan for the City's Safe Routes to School program.

- Supported adoption of updated housing impact fees.
- Supported approval of projects at Avenidas and the Junior Museum and Zoo.
- Supported approval of a new hotel at 744 San Antonio and multifamily housing at 3001 El Camino Real.
- Supported 49 action items and study sessions at the City Council (59% of the total) as well as 83 total meetings of boards, commissions, and advisory groups and 12 bike rodeos.

Initiatives

- Convene a citizen working group and begin preparation of the North Ventura Coordinated Area Plan.
- Advance tasks identified in the Housing Work Plan adopted by the City Council in February 2018.
- Construct parking wayfinding signs and solicit bids for an Automated Parking Guidance System (APGS) for downtown garages.
- Support the planning process for grade separations along the Caltrain corridor, including selection of a preferred alternative for environmental review.
- Continue improvements to the code enforcement program, including tracking officer caseloads, improving communication with Palo Alto 311 users, and increasing community awareness of code enforcement and related programs.
- Continue to support the CEQA and planning processes for key infrastructure projects, including the public safety building and parking garages.
- Codify Transportation Demand Management (TDM) requirements from the new Comprehensive Plan and update the City's Transportation Impact Fee program.
- Procure new parking permit software and begin transitioning to the new system, enabling enhanced customer service and reporting.
- Begin tracking staff time (rather than elapsed time) to complete Individual Review (IR) applications for two story homes and work towards a review time of 60 days.
- Develop forms and procedures for applications pursuant to SB 35 (the "by right" housing bill).

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Increase the public's trust in the City's planning functions, reaffirming the role of the Comprehensive Plan as the City's fundamental land use and transportation policy document, maintaining transparency and objectivity, and providing ample data and a reasonable basis for recommendations.

Objectives:

- Improve the review times for Individual Review (IR) applications, architectural review applications (AR), and building permit applications.
- Improve the review times for Individual Review (IR) applications and building permit applications.

GOAL 2

Deliver ongoing programs that improve people's lives, including code enforcement, housing, historic preservation, community block grant, and transportation and parking programs.

Objectives:

- Continue the City's significant commitment to Safe Routes to School.
- Manage the City's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Below Market Rate (BMR) housing programs.
- Respond to citizen complaints and effectively abate zoning and building code violations.

GOAL 3

Design and implement programs that encourage transportation alternatives to single occupancy vehicle trips and improve traffic flow and parking availability.

Objectives:

- Implement residential parking programs downtown.
- Operate a shuttle system and support a Transportation Management Association dedicated to decreasing the use of single occupant vehicles.
- Respond to work order requests related to parking and traffic and oversee operation of the City's transportation infrastructure.

Key Performance Measures

CODE ENFORCEMENT

Goal	Deliver ongoing programs that improve people's lives, including code enforcement, housing, historic preservation, community block grant, and transportation and parking programs.							
Objective	Respond to citiz violations.	Respond to citizen complaints and effectively abate zoning and building code violations.						
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percent of surveyed residents rating the quality of code enforcement as good or excellent	52.00%	56.00%	60.00%	52.00%	60.00%			
Description	This measure tracks residents' opinions through data collected in the National Citizen Survey.							
Purpose				n satisfaction as s are implemented				
Status	conducted alon rate the extent t concerns in Pala moderate or ma respectively. Th residential areas respondents rat	g with the 2017 a o which they belion Alto. Residents bjor problems, with a next highest rate, with a rating of ed all of the other an be found at h	annual citizen sur leved 15 different is ranked only par th ratings of 64 p ting was gasoline 33 percent. Fev er categories as a	on code enforce vey. Residents we areas were code king and traffic a ercent and 75 pe e-powered leaf bl wer than 25 perce moderate or ma fpaloalto.org/civid	vere asked to e enforcement s being ercent, lowers in ent of jor problem.			

INDIVIDUAL REVIEW AND BUILDING PLAN CHECKS

Goal	Increase the public's trust in the City's planning functions, reaffirming the role of the Comprehensive Plan as the City's fundamental land use and transportation policy document, maintaining transparency and objectivity, and providing ample data and a reasonable basis for recommendations.						
Objective	Improve the rev	Improve the review times for building permit applications.					
					FY 2019 Proposed		
Percent of Planning Review of building plan checks completed within 30 days of application intake	88.00%	87.00%	90.00%	87.00%	90.00%		
Description		This measure tracks the percentage of building plan checks completed within an expected time frame.					
Purpose	Staff level reviews of building plan checks ensure compliance with land use and development standards.						
Status	Factors that affed	ect results in this blication volume.	area include staf	f vacancy levels,	applicant		

TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING

Goal	Design and implement programs that encourage transportation alternatives to single occupancy vehicle trips and improve traffic flow and parking availability.						
Objective	Implement a suite of short-term parking and Transportation Demand Management programs concurrent with neighborhood parking restrictions in downtown.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 20 Actuals Adopted Estimated Propos						
Number of annual shuttle bus boardings	181,259	152,261	152,500	140,000	140,000		
Description	This measure tra	This measure tracks the annual usage of the shuttle program.					
Purpose	This measure is	used to track ch	anges in satisfac	tion with the shut	ttle program.		
Status	Alto shuttle route by Valley Transp discussed optio including increase resources. The e	e. Not included in ortation Authority ns to backfill the sed shuttle servic estimates for ann	n estimates is the y (VTA) to South I se service reduct es, which are cor	discontinuation of selimination of sel Palo Alto. The de ions with the Cityntingent upon adoparding will contialo Alto.	vices provided partment has Council, ditional funding		

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of planning and Architectural Review Board applications completed	383	365	175	364	365
Average number of days for Planning to first review building permit applications	20	25	20	25	20
Average number of days from Individual Review application to approval*	187	210	125	145	60

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration	1,590,566	1,836,650	1,596,380	1,724,122	127,742	8.0%
Building	12,246	13,692	_	883	883	-%
Planning and Transportation	7,285,184	6,811,476	6,863,318	7,126,976	263,658	3.8%
Total	8,887,997	8,661,817	8,459,697	8,851,981	392,284	4.6%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	414,698	431,634	558,675	517,054	(41,621)	(7.4)%
Other Benefits	105,503	72,766	103,131	107,359	4,228	4.1%
Overtime	59,226	30,373	60,754	54,044	(6,709)	(11.0)%
Pension	754,646	845,866	980,842	1,055,749	74,907	7.6%
Retiree Medical	274,311	300,159	315,782	404,459	88,676	28.1%
Salary	3,116,093	3,095,444	3,207,363	3,468,503	261,141	8.1%
Workers' Compensation	125,842	11,371	119,435	86,039	(33,396)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	4,850,319	4,787,613	5,345,981	5,693,206	347,225	6.5%
Allocated Charges	727,270	671,169	782,009	896,299	114,289	14.6%
Contract Services	2,975,806	2,788,586	1,909,939	1,846,439	(63,500)	(3.3)%
Facilities & Equipment	29,677	10,452	36,850	36,850	_	-%
General Expense	260,802	357,592	358,718	302,215	(56,503)	(15.8)%
Operating Transfers-Out	7,607	7,607	7,607	60,879	53,272	700.3%
Rents & Leases	1,160	_	_	_	_	-%
Supplies & Material	35,356	38,798	18,593	16,093	(2,500)	(13.4)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	8,887,997	8,661,817	8,459,697	8,851,981	392,284	4.6%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	766,583	919,906	1,286,225	1,383,919	97,694	7.6%
Charges to Other Funds	38,603	96,072	_	_	_	-%
Operating Transfers-In	128,000	128,000	128,000	128,000	_	-%
Other Revenue	221,435	92,365	2,500	2,500	_	-%
Other Taxes and Fines	360,300	544,029	20,390	20,390	-	-%
Permits and Licenses	1,256,265	1,266,891	1,107,239	1,169,350	62,111	5.6%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Rental Income	72	-	-	_	_	-%
Total Revenues	2,771,258	3,047,262	2,544,354	2,704,159	159,805	6.3%
Positions by Division						
Administration	5.20	6.91	6.95	6.75	(0.20)	(2.88)%
Planning and Transportation	26.72	25.53	24.70	24.83	0.13	0.53%
Total	31.92	32.44	31.65	31.58	(0.07)	(0.22)%

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	79,082
Administrative Associate I	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	71,529
Administrative Associate II	1.00	_	_	_	_	_
Administrative Associate III	2.00	3.00	3.00	2.59	(0.41)	212,509
Assistant Director PCE	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	202,218
Associate Engineer	1.00	1.00	0.73	0.65	(0.08)	75,418
Associate Planner	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.37	0.27	40,002
Building/Planning Technician	0.20	0.70	0.70	0.70	_	61,378
Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	152,734
Chief Planning Official	0.80	1.00	1.00	0.99	(0.01)	152,669
Chief Transportation Official	0.50	0.70	0.43	0.64	0.21	115,442
Code Enforcement Officer	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	_	167,765
Code Enforcement-Lead	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	89,758
Coordinator Transportation Systems Management	0.85	0.60	0.88	0.74	(0.14)	81,779
Director Planning/Community Environment	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	243,641
Management Analyst	0.40	0.88	0.98	0.80	(0.18)	81,070
Manager Planning	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	257,670
Parking Operations-Lead	0.30	0.20	_	0.10	0.10	13,574
Planner	3.00	3.83	3.83	3.85	0.02	437,950
Program Assistant II	-	0.35	0.60	_	(0.60)	_

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Project Engineer	1.65	1.15	0.50	0.80	0.30	112,517
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.88	(0.12)	124,357
Senior Planner	7.64	6.70	6.51	6.63	0.12	861,396
Traffic Engineering-Lead	1.00	0.10	0.38	0.65	0.27	84,939
Transportation Planning Manager	0.20	0.85	0.20	0.41	0.21	50,878
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	31.04	31.56	30.24	30.20	(0.04)	3,770,276
Temporary/Hourly	0.88	0.88	1.41	1.38	(0.03)	134,006
Total Positions	31.92	32.44	31.65	31.58	(0.07)	3,904,282

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	31.65	8,459,697	2,544,354	5,915,343
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
San Mateo County District Grant	_	(22,613)	_	(22,613)
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	19,178	_	19,178
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(3,435)	_	(3,435)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits	_	316,884	_	316,884
Revenue Alignment	_	_	85,846	(85,846)
Management Development Alignment	_	110	_	110
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	39,486	_	39,486
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	(1,259)	_	(1,259)
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	9,963	_	9,963
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	1,044	_	1,044
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	43	_	43
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(28,124)	_	(28,124)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(34,288)	_	(34,288)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	303,859	85,846	218,013
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	31.65	8,760,121	2,630,200	6,129,921
Budget Adjustments				
1 Technology Support	_	73,959	73,959	_
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	53,272	_	53,272
3 Transportation Program Staffing	_	6,645	_	6,645
4 Planning and Community Environment Staff Funding Alignment	(0.07)	57,983	_	57,983
5 Reduction in Planning & Community Environment Non-Salary Expenses	_	(100,000)	_	(100,000)
Total Budget Adjustments	(0.07)	91,860	73,959	17,901
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	31.58	8,851,981	2,704,159	6,147,822





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Technology Support	0.00	73,959	73,959	0

This action increases allocated charges for technical support of the City's centralized permitting system and other technological enhancements. This funding will be used to modify systems as required by ordinance changes and to meet the programmatic needs of the department to support and enhance fee calculations and collections, metrics and performance measurement tools, workflow integrations, and ancillary programs that provide a geographical view of entitlements and development in the City. This action is offset by an increase to revenue estimates in alignment with the departmental recommendation in FY 2019 to increase fees by 3%. (Ongoing Costs: \$0)

Performance Results





This action will ensure the costs for electronic systems used by the Department will be funded by the uses they support.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

0.00

53.272

53.272

This action transfers \$53,272 from the Planning and Community Development Department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Planning and Community Development Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to a pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

3 Transportation Program Staffing

0.00

6,645

6,645

This action adds a 1.0 FTE Associate Planner position and eliminates a 1.0 FTE Program Assistant II position at a total cost of \$25,000 of which \$6,645 is realized in the General Fund. The Associate Planner position is recommended to assist with Parking and Transportation programs, including management of data files, grant reporting and monitoring, capital project oversight, and assistance with anticipated parking enhancements currently under City review. The position is budgeted as follows: 0.27 in the General Fund, 0.31 in the General Capital Project Fund, 0.06 in University Avenue, 0.06 in California Avenue, and 0.03 in the Residential Parking Permit (RPP) Fund. (Ongoing Costs: \$6,645)

Performance Results





This action will ensure that sufficient stafing resources are available to support parking and transportation programs.

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
4 Planning and Community Environment Staff Funding Alignment	-0.07	57,983	0	57,983

This action realigns the funding of various positions resulting in a net reduction of 0.07 positions in the PCE General Fund operating budget, and as result of the higher level position classifications returning to the General Fund, increasing total impact. Across all City funds, this realignment of funding is a net-zero transaction that more accurately aligns staff to their anticipated FY 2019 work assignments and projects. The largest reallocation reflects a shift of staff resources from the implementation of Parking related capital projects to the operational management of these programs, including communications with the public and City Council, management of contracts, and special projects. In total, a reduction of 0.07 positions are recommended in the General Fund and 1.15 positions in the General Capital Improvement Fund. These reductions are offset by increases to each of the three parking funds: 0.92 positions Residential Parking Permit (RPP) Fund, 0.18 positions California Avenue Fund, and 0.12 positions University Avenue Fund. (Ongoing Costs: \$57,983)

Performance Results



The adjustment of staff alignment ensures that costs are accurately assigned.

5 Reduction in Planning & Community Environment Non-Salary Expenses	0.00	(100,000)	0	(100,000)
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This action reduces various non-salary expenses across the Planning and Community Environment Department to achieve ongoing savings in operating expenses. Reductions will result in more constrained resources for contract services used for the general administration of the department, various board and commissions, and Individual Review. These reductions do not eliminate available funding for any of these programs, and although are not anticipated to have significant impact on service delivery, will require a prioritization of expenses in the department. (Ongoing Savings: \$100,000)

Performance Results



No significant implications to Planning and Community Environment Department programs are anticipated as a result of this reduction other than cost savings.



POLICE

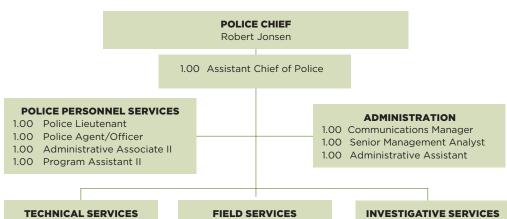
Mission Statement



To proudly serve and protect the public with respect and integrity.

Purpose

In line with the six pillars of the Department of Justice Implementation Guidebook on 21st Century Policing, the purpose of the Police Department is to: build trust and legitimacy; provide for policy and oversight; implement modern technology solutions and social media platforms; focus on community policing and crime reduction; implement officer training and education; and ensure officer safety and wellness.



- 1.00 Deputy Director, **Technical Services**
- 1.00 Court Liaison
- 2.00 Business Analyst
- 1.00 Crime Analyst
- 1.00 Code Enforcement Officer
- 1.00 Communications Technician
- 0.50 GIS Specialist

DISPATCHING SERVICES

- 1.00 Public Safety Communications Manager
- 4.00 Public Safety Dispatcher - Lead
- 16.00 Public Safety Dispatcher

INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

- 1.00 Public Safety Program Manager
- 1.00 Police Records Specialist - Lead
- 6.00 Police Records Specialist

- 1.00 Police Captain
- 1.00 Police Agent/Officer
- 1.00 Administrative Associate II

FIELD SERVICES (PATROL)

3.00 Police Lieutenant 10.00 Police Sergeant 50.00Police Agent/ Officer

- 1.00 Police Captain
- 1.00 Administrative Associate II
- 2.00 Police Sergeant
- 11.00 Police Agent/ Officer
- 2.00 Property/Evidence Technician

ANIMAL SERVICES

- 1.00 Superintendent, Animal Services
- 1.00 Veterinarian
- 1.00 Animal Control Officer -Lead
- 3.00 Animal Control Officer
- 2.00 Animal Service Specialist II
- 2.00 Vetrinarian Technician

TRAFFIC, PARKING, & SPECIAL EVENT SERVICES

- 1.00 Police Lieutenant
- 2.00 Police Sergeant
- 6.00 Police Agent/Officer
- 1.00 Public Safety
 - Program Manager
- 8.00 Community Service Officer

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

156.50 - Full-time 3.38 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

The Police Department provides a wide range of public safety services for the City of Palo Alto through the following divisions:

FIELD SERVICES

Responsible for police response, critical incident resolution, regional assistance response, and police services for special events.

TECHNICAL SERVICES

Provides 911 dispatch services for Police, Fire, Utilities, Public Works, Stanford, and Police information technology management.

INVESTIGATIONS

Conducts police investigations, oversees storage and maintenance of evidence, and coordinates some youth services activities.

TRAFFIC SERVICES

Responsible for traffic enforcement, complaint resolution, and school safety.

PARKING SERVICES

Responsible for parking enforcement, parking citations and adjudication, and abandoned vehicle abatement.

POLICE PERSONNEL SERVICES

Oversees police hiring, retention, personnel records, and training.

ANIMAL SERVICES

Provides animal control, pet recovery/adoption services, animal care, animal health and welfare, and regional animal services.

Accomplishments

- Completed three Basic Citizens' Police Academies, each an 8-week course.
- Achieved a 93% "excellent/good" overall police services rating from the FY 2017 City Performance Report - National Citizen Survey, a 5% increase from FY 2016.
- Continued to grow the number of followers on Department social media platforms allowing more residents to receive accurate and timely public safety information.
- Continued to participate in several regional initiatives, which promote emergency preparedness and response capabilities, including the Silicon Valley Regional Interoperability Authority.
- Purchased P25 Radio Infrastructure for the FY 2019 implementation of the Silicon Valley Regional Communications System.

- Completed a pilot project to test a limited number of body-worn cameras in the Patrol division.
- Replaced the City's 911 technology with a new, hosted solution in partnership with the Cities of Mountain View and Los Altos.
- Renovated the City's Emergency Communications Center (Dispatch).
- Completed executive recruitment for a new Police Chief and transitioned Assistant Police Chief.

Initiatives

- Continue to host two sessions of Basic Citizens' Police Academy classes per year, and implement new Advanced Citizens' Police Academy courses.
- Create and implement a Police Chief's Citizens' Advisory Group.
- Continue to provide accurate and timely public safety information to the community using a variety of sources, to include traditional news releases, social media posts, and via our free mobile app - Palo Alto PD Mobile.
- Continue participation in the design and planning for the new Public Safety building.
- Migrate to the new 700 MHz P25 regional radio system as part of the county-wide effort led by the Silicon Valley Regional Interoperability Authority.
- Continue the development of the joint Records Management System (RMS) system in partnership with cities of Mountain View and Los Altos.
- Implement a comprehensive Field Based Video Program, including the addition of bodyworn cameras for patrol officers.
- Continue Crisis Intervention Training for officers and dispatchers.
- Progress on-going recruitment initiatives to decrease Department vacancies.
- Explore and evaluate the officer and employee mindfulness and resiliency programs.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Building Trust and Legitimacy: In line with pillar one of the Department of Justice Implementation Guidebook on 21st Century Policing, the Police Department will embrace a guardian mindset to build public trust and legitimacy.

Objectives

- Reduce crime rates, traffic violations and accidents.
- Respond promptly to urgent calls for service.
- Apprehend and assist with prosecution of offenders.
- Provide assistance, enforcement, and guidance to the community regarding animal control.
- Provide emergency response to the community in the event of a disaster.

Continue development of the Public Safety Building

GOAL 2

Policy and Oversight: In line with pillar two of the Department of Justice Implementation Guidebook on 21st Century Policing, the Department will collaborate with community members in developing policies though the creation of a Chief's Advisory Group.

Objectives:

- Continue Office of Independent Review oversight of internal investigations.
- Increase quality and timeliness of response to citizens' complaints regarding use of force, canine investigations, and other internal affairs matters.
- Continue to consult with national experts in the field of promoting fair and equitable policing.
- Create opportunities for increased communication, visibility, and interaction with community members.
- Maintain and enhance the community's satisfaction with police services.
- Create and implement a Chief's Advisory Group.

GOAL 3

Technology and Social Media: In line with pillar three of the Department of Justice implementation guidebook on 21st Century Policing the Department will continue to use Department and Regional technology solutions to enhance services, as well as leveraging social media platforms to fully engage and educate our community.

Objectives:

- Monitor first year full implementation of body-worn camera program for Patrol officers in the field as part of the Department's enhanced field-based video program.
- Engage the community 24/7/365 through social media and outreach programs.
- Complete regional Records Management System project.
- Research and recommend replacement of mobile data computers.
- Implement on-line reporting.
- Enhance technology applications in alignment with national initiatives such as text-to-911.
- Implement citywide radio use of the Silicon Valley Regional Communications System
- Enhance the Department's open data initiative efforts by providing additional information to the public.

GOAL 4

Community Policing and Crime Reduction: In line with pillar four of the Department of Justice Implementation Guidebook on 21st Century Policing, the Department will continue to engage the community through its cultural mindset that focuses on community policing and community partnerships.

Objectives:

- Continue to teach two Basic Adult Citizens' Academies annually.
- Implement a Basic Youth Citizens' Academy.
- Continue to teach an Advanced Adult Citizens' Academy.
- Contribute to the Safe Routes to School Program.
- Continue partnership with the Palo Alto Unified School District with the deployment of two School Resource Officers.
- Continue to contribute to the evolution of the Trackwatch camera monitoring program along the Caltrain rail lines.

GOAL 5

Officer Training and Education: In line with goal five of the Department of Justice Implementation Guideline on 21st Century Policing, the Department will continue to enhance in-service officer training in the areas of fair and impartial policing; de-escalation; legal updates; and community relations. The Department will implement continuing education standards and officer wellness programs.

Objectives:

- Continue to train and educate all employees in fair and impartial policing philosophies.
- Ensure all officers receive Crisis Intervention Training.
- Implement Crisis Intervention Training for Dispatchers.
- Partner with Santa Clara County Mental Health to explore a Psychiatric Evaluation Response Team (PERT).
- Train officers on new technologies as they are implemented.

GOAL 6

Officer Safety and Wellness. In line with goal six of the Department of Justice Implementation Guideline on 21st Century Policing, the Department will ensure that wellness and safety efforts occur at every level of the organization.

- Ensure that critical incident defusing and debriefings occur as needed.
- Enhance employee assistance resources including urgent or emergency access to a psychologist and employee assistance program referrals for employees and their families.
- Continue to provide individual, tactical first-aid kits, anti-ballistic vests, and equipment necessary to perform all aspects of the job.
- Stress policies related to safety, in-line with the "Below 100" initiatives, a national initiative to reduce national police officer fatalities to under 100 per year: https://www.below100.org/.
- Enhance the Department's peer support program.

Key Performance Measures

ANIMAL SERVICES RESPONSE TIMES

Goal	Protect and serve the public through proactive and effective policing, animal services, and emergency preparedness.								
Objective	Respond promp	Respond promptly to animal calls for service.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed								
Percent of Palo Alto live animal calls responded to within 45 minutes	89.00%	89.00% 89.00% 90.00% 89.00% 90.00%							
Description	A 45 minute res Animal Services		e animal calls is th	ne threshold of se	rvice set by the				
Purpose	Live animal calls require the most timely response because they are generally life threatening or represent higher danger crimes in progress.								
Status	meeting a 90%	The division has maintained year over year response times at 89% and anticipates meeting a 90% target in the upcoming year upon full staffing of animal control officer positions.							

PERCENT OF SURVEYED RESIDENTS RATING POLICE DEPARTMENT **SERVICES GOOD OR EXCELLENT**

Goal	Cultivate, enhan	Cultivate, enhance and foster trustworthy relationships with the community.							
Objective	Maintain and en	hance the comm	nunity's satisfaction	on with police se	rvices.				
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed				
Animal Control Services	77.00%	80.00%	77.00%	77.00%	80.00%				
Crime Prevention Services	80.00%	81.00%	80.00%	80.00%	80.00%				
Traffic Enforcement Services	60.00%	60.00%	60.00%	60.00%	60.00%				
Overall Police Services	88.00%	93.00%	90.00%	88.00%	90.00%				
Description	police services t part of the Natio International Cit	s track the perceito the community onal Citizen's Sur y/County Manago o other municipal	as good or exce vey that is condu ement Associatio	ellent. This data is acted annually by	s collected as the				
Purpose	,	sfaction with the larvices provided to	•	•	assessment of				
Status	the quality of services provided to the City and its residents. Overall, the Department has maintained or exceeded customer satisfaction levels over the prior year for each of the categories and does not anticipate major changes to FY 2019 targets. The department attributes the variability in these ratings to staffing levels and looks to revise these targets upon successful hiring of vacancies in the traffic and animal control teams. The department intends to recruit positions in the traffic team and is engaged in the City evaluation of the service delivery model for animal control services.								

POLICE DEPARTMENT RESPONSE TIMES

Goal	Respond promp	Respond promptly to urgent calls for service.							
Objective	Protect and serve the public through proactive and effective policing, animal services, and emergency preparedness.								
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed								
Percent of urgent calls responded to within 10 minutes	74.00% 74.00% 90.00% 75.00% 90.00								
Percent of emergency calls responded to within 6 minutes	63.00% 67.00% 90.00% 70.00%								
Description		rgency calls respond to within 10 min		3 minutes and pe	rcent of urgent				
Purpose				ly police respons langer crimes in p					
Status	while emergenc measures remai results to the or vacancies that h	are generally life threatening or represent higher danger crimes in progress. The year over year response times for urgent calls has remained constant at 74% while emergency calls have increased from 63% to 67%. Targets for both measures remain unchanged at 90% in FY 2019. The Department attributes these results to the ongoing impacts of increased traffic congestion and departmental vacancies that have reduced supplemental on street staffing typically provided by specialty teams such as the traffic and downtown teams.							

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of police calls for service	53,870	53,901	55,000	54,000	54,000
Number of Part I crimes	1,613	1,672	1,600	1,600	1,600
Number of Part II crimes	2,889	2,579	2,650	2,600	2,600
Average response time for emergency calls (Goal: within 6 minutes)	5:47	5:39	6:00	5:45	6:00
Average response time for urgent calls (Goal: within 8 minutes)	8:38	8:33	8:00	8:30	8:00
Total number of Palo Alto animal service calls	2,421	2,359	2,400	2,200	2,300
Number of regional animal services calls (Los Altos and Los Altos Hills)	560	415	450	425	425

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Administration	1,194,121	1,372,907	1,038,302	1,191,493	153,190	14.8%
Animal Services	1,575,147	1,582,082	1,894,492	1,906,145	11,653	0.6%
Field Services	15,696,641	19,438,878	21,705,557	21,075,775	(629,782)	(2.9)%
Investigations and Crime Prevention Services	4,737,600	4,494,576	4,644,272	4,780,398	136,126	2.9%
Parking Services	1,241,728	1,367,611	1,496,299	1,626,536	130,237	8.7%
Police Personnel Selection	1,398,558	1,311,192	1,343,204	1,351,115	7,912	0.6%
Technical Services	7,269,274	8,283,058	8,799,332	9,064,759	265,427	3.0%
Traffic Services	2,552,209	1,355,766	1,411,594	1,352,257	(59,338)	(4.2)%
Total	35,665,276	39,206,070	42,333,053	42,348,477	15,425	-%
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Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	2,734,632	2,837,397	3,224,954	3,441,864	216,909	6.7%
Other Benefits	1,031,944	645,624	694,156	772,237	78,081	11.2%
Overtime	2,019,330	2,010,204	1,700,000	1,776,500	76,500	4.5%
Pension	5,516,331	6,472,251	7,304,834	7,948,102	643,268	8.8%
Retiree Medical	2,352,490	2,666,651	2,805,449	2,575,257	(230,193)	(8.2)%
Salary	15,715,984	17,072,244	18,396,666	18,779,800	383,134	2.1%
Workers' Compensation	949,783	1,057,455	1,167,029	840,707	(326,322)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	30,320,494	32,761,826	35,293,089	36,134,466	841,377	2.4%
Allocated Charges	2,969,885	2,783,927	3,231,864	3,483,529	251,665	7.8%
Contract Services	1,388,563	2,710,594	2,747,528	1,253,528	(1,494,000)	(54.4)%
Facilities & Equipment	21,460	74,934	69,500	34,500	(35,000)	(50.4)%
General Expense	417,774	396,720	452,205	480,205	28,000	6.2%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	_	_	398,383	398,383	-%
Rents & Leases	3,282	3,282	3,436	3,436	_	-%
Supplies & Material	543,819	474,787	535,431	560,431	25,000	4.7%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	35,665,276	39,206,070	42,333,053	42,348,477	15,425	-%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Revenues						
Charges for Services	1,133,298	1,201,130	1,287,121	1,357,313	70,192	5.5%
Charges to Other Funds	427,000	427,000	481,000	481,000	_	-%
From Other Agencies	291,554	419,490	290,548	299,900	9,352	3.2%
Operating Transfers-In	42,000	_	_	_	_	-%
Other Revenue	338,269	267,310	273,016	273,016	_	-%
Other Taxes and Fines	1,701,347	1,489,330	1,881,255	1,881,255	_	-%
Permits and Licenses	211,441	260,297	195,302	230,302	35,000	17.9%
Rental Income	400	645	1,067	1,067	_	-%
Total Revenues	4,145,310	4,065,202	4,409,309	4,523,853	114,544	2.6%
Positions by Division						
Administration	3.30	3.30	5.30	5.30	-	-%
Animal Services	10.66	10.66	10.56	10.56	_	-%
Field Services	68.80	61.80	73.55	73.55	_	-%
Investigations and Crime Prevention Services	14.28	21.28	16.38	16.38	_	-%
Parking Services	8.75	8.75	7.75	8.75	1.00	12.90%
Police Personnel Selection	4.10	5.10	4.10	4.10	_	-%
Technical Services	37.00	37.00	37.00	37.00	_	-%
Traffic Services	11.49	10.49	3.74	2.74	(1.00)	(26.74)%
Total	158.38	158.38	158.38	158.38	-	-%

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	90,730
Administrative Associate II	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	233,202
Animal Control Officer	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	220,756
Animal Control Officer-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	78,736
Animal Services Specialist II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	160,037
Assistant Police Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	210,746

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Business Analyst	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	_	183,281
Code Enforcement Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	104,853
Communications Manager	_	_	1.00	1.00	_	114,400
Communications Technician	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	106,523
Community Service Officer	8.50	8.50	7.50	7.50	_	600,552
Court Liaison Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	104,251
Crime Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	104,251
Deputy Director Technical Services Division	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	159,694
Geographic Information System Specialist	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	64,109
Police Agent	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	_	2,827,261
Police Captain	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	421,491
Police Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	270,400
Police Lieutenant	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	_	955,594
Police Officer	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	_	6,594,078
Police Records Specialist II	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	_	464,943
Police Records Specialist-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	82,915
Police Sergeant	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	_	2,340,333
Program Assistant II	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	84,778
Property Evidence Technician	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	160,302
Public Safety Communications Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	126,859
Public Safety Dispatcher	_	16.00	16.00	16.00	_	1,766,623
Public Safety Dispatcher - Lead	4.00	_	_	_	_	_
Public Safety Dispatcher I	2.00	_	_	_	_	_
Public Safety Dispatcher II	14.00	_	_	_	_	_
Public Safety Dispatcher-Lead	_	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	499,205
Public Safety Program Manager	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	249,496
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	142,002
Superintendent Animal Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	109,491
Veterinarian	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	128,190

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Veterinarian Technician	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	150,343
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	155.00	155.00	155.00	155.00	-	19,910,423
Temporary/Hourly	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.38	_	244,386
Total Positions	158.38	158.38	158.38	158.38	_	20,154,809

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	158.38	42,333,053	4,409,309	37,923,744
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	60,890	_	60,890
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	60,890	-	60,890
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits	_	1,099,910	_	1,099,910
Overtime Adjustment (align with Palo Alto Police Officer's Association contract, ratified April 2016)	_	76,500	-	76,500
Crossing Guards (CMR #5658, minimum wage compliance)	_	43,000	_	43,000
PD Chief Relocation Package	_	36,000	_	36,000
Project Safety Net - Video Management System Maintenance (reassign PD to OES)	_	(300,000)	_	(300,000)
Stanford Emergency Communication Services Revenue	_	_	42,954	(42,954)
False Fire Alarm Revenue Alignment	_	_	62,238	(62,238)
PAUSD Revenue Alignment	_	_	24,352	(24,352)
POST Training Reimbursment	_	(15,000)	(15,000)	_
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	69,500	_	69,500
Telecommunications Engineering Associates (TEA) Radio Maintenance Contract	_	(69,500)	_	(69,500)
Project Safety Net - Eliminate Track Watch Services	_	(1,240,000)	_	(1,240,000)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	102,638	_	102,638
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	125,304	_	125,304
Printing and Mailing Allocated Charges	_	8,531	_	8,531
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	1,920	_	1,920
Vehicle Equipment Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	25,485	_	25,485
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(73,104)	_	(73,104)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(335,033)	_	(335,033)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	(443,849)	114,544	(558,393)

Budget Reconciliation

Total FY 2019 Base Budget	Positions 158.38	Expenditures 41,950,094	Revenues 4,523,853	Net General Fund 37,426,241
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	398,383	_	398,383
Total Budget Adjustments	_	398,383	-	398,383
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	158.38	42,348,477	4,523,853	37,824,624





Budget Adjustments

	Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Ī	Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	398,383	0	398,383

This action transfers \$398,383 from the Police Department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Police Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to a pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

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Mission Statement

To preserve and enhance the quality of life for Palo Alto residents and visitors by providing efficient, safe, and cost effective services in partnership with our citizens while maintaining City assets, and being environmental stewards of the community.





Purpose

The purpose of the Public Works Department is to ensure the City's valuable infrastructure is well-maintained and available well into the future; promote the protection and enhancement of Palo Alto's urban forest; enhance the quality of life for residents and visitors by preventing pollution of the creeks and bay, promoting reuse and recycling, and encouraging use of alternative fuel vehicles; ensure continuous operation of the Regional Water Quality Control Plant; provide efficient and cost effective garbage, recyclables and yard trimmings collection, processing, and

disposal; deliver timely support to City departments in the area of engineering services; operate a safe and financially sustainable general aviation airport; and effectively manage the City's Capital Improvement Fund, including the City Council Infrastructure Plan, as well as refuse, wastewater treatment, storm drainage, airport, and fleet operations.



1.00 Assistant Director, Public Services 1.00 Management Analyst Administrative Associate III 1.00 3.00 Administrative Associate II 0.50 Administrative Associate I

FACILITIES MAINTENANCE

1.00 1.00 Facilities Manager Facilities Maintenance Operations 2.00 Facilities Maintenance-Lead Facilities Technician 200 **Facilities Painter** Project Manager 1.00

1.00 Facilities Carpenter 1.00 Electrician

Coordinator Public Works Projects 100 1.00 Building Service Person-Lead 1.00 Engineering Technician III

FLEET

Fleet Manager 1.00 1.00 Assistant Fleet Manager 1.00 Project Manager 2.00 Fleet Services Coordinator Motor Equipment Mechanic-Lead 2.00 Equipment Maintenance Service 6.00 Motor Equipment Mechanic II

URBAN FORESTRY

1.00 Manager Urban Forester Landscape Architect* Project Manager** 100 2.00 2.00 Tree Maintenance Special**
Tree Trim/Line Clear-Lead 1.00 7.00 Tree Trim/Line Clear

TRAFFIC CONTROL / STREET SWEEPING

Manager, Maintenance Operations Project Manager 100 1.00 Street Sweeper Operator Street Maintenance Assistant 2.00 1.00 Coordinator, Public Works Projects Traffic Control Maintenance II 2.00 Traffic Control Maintenance I

STORM DRAIN

STREET MAINTENANCE
Manager, Maintenance Operations 1.00 2.00 Heavy Equipment Operator-Lead Heavy Equipment Operator 3.00 Equipment Operator 1.00 Cement Finisher-Lead 2.00 Cement Finisher

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

1.00 Assistant Director, Environmental 1.00 Management Analyst

WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLANT

1.00 Water Quality Control Plant Manager Administrative Associate II 2.00 Assistant Manager WQC 2.00 3.00 Senior Engineer
Supervisor WQC Operations 6.00 16.00 Senior Operator, WQC Plant Operator II 1.00 1.00 Manager Laboratory Services Senior Chemist 3.00 3.00 Chemist Lab Technician 2.00 Electrician Lead 3.00 Electrician 1.00 Senior Mechanic Plant Mechanic

WATERSHED PROTECTION

Senior Technologist

Project Engineer

Technologist

1.00

1.00

1.00

Watershed Protection Manage 1.00 2.00 Manager Environmental Controls Program Assistant II 1.00 Project Manager Senior Engineer 3.00 Associate Engineer 1.00 Senior Waste Investigator 2.00 Industrial Waste Investigator 3.00 Industrial Waste Inspector

ZERO WASTE / REFUSE

1.00 Manager Solid Waste Manager Environmental Controls Zero Waste Coordinator 3.00 1.00 1.00 Program Assistant I 2.00 **Environmental Specialist** 1.00 Facilities Maintenance Lead 1.00 Landfill Technician 1.00 Landfill Maintenance Assistant

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation

ENGINEERING SERVICES

1.00 Assistant Director, Engineering 1.00 Management Analyst Administrative Associate III 1.00 Administrative Associate I

FIELD SERVICE (SURVEY AND

INSPECTION)
Supervisor Inspections/Survey 1.00 Inspector-Field Service 1.00 Surveyor

CIP PROGRAM

(STRUCTURES, STREETS & SIDEWALKS, STORM DRAIN, PARKS)

Senior Project Manager Senior Engineer 3.00 1.00 7.00 Architect/Park Planner Project Engineer 4.00 3.00 Engineer Associate Engineer 1.00 Project Manager

PRIVATE DEVELOPMENT

Senior Engineer* 3.00 Engineering Technician III* Engineer*

AIRPORT DIVISION

Airport Manager Manager, Maintenance Operations Management Analyst 1.00 Facilities Technician

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

202.00 - Full-Time 9.56 - Hourly

* These positions serve functions that support the Development Services Department

** These positions serve functions that support the Utilities Department

Description

The Public Works Department is responsible for operations and capital projects in the following areas:

ENGINEERING SERVICES

Designs and constructs City-owned facilities, streets, sidewalks, storm drains, parks, and airport infrastructure; provides engineering support to City departments for construction in the public right of way.

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Maintains and renovates City-owned and leased structures, streets, sidewalks, storm drains, street signage and parking lots; manages the City's urban forest; street sweeping program; and maintains the City's fleet.

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Operates and maintains the Regional Water Quality Control Plant; maintains a pretreatment program for control of industrial and commercial dischargers; provides pollution and waste prevention information and programs to residents and businesses; manages the City's solid waste programs, household hazardous waste programs, and the post-closure maintenance and monitoring of the City's closed landfill.

AIRPORT OPERATIONS

Operates the Palo Alto Airport; maintains airport facilities and grounds, manages agreements with airport tenants, serves as liaison with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and the Palo Alto flying community; and maintains compliance with FAA regulations.

Accomplishments

- Advanced progress toward goal of citywide average Pavement Condition Index score of 85 by calendar year 2019, which is within the range of very good to excellent ratings for street conditions. The 2017 calendar year-end score was 84.
- Continued implementation of the 2014 City Council Infrastructure Plan. Completed 40% of construction of the Fire Station No. 3 Replacement project and began construction of two of the three phases of the Charleston/Arastradero Corridor project. Completed environmental clearance and City Council approval of the Highway 101 Bicycle and Pedestrian Overcrossing and New California Avenue Parking Garage projects. Completed initial Architectural Review Board review of designs for the New Downtown Garage and New Public Safety Building projects.
- Completed the Matadero Creek Stormwater Pump Station, the last of the seven highpriority storm drain projects outlined in the 2005 Storm Drainage Fee Measure.
- Improved dewatering ordinance for basement and underground parking construction sites to require hydrogeological studies for minimizing pumping volumes, and to address

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- groundwater exclusionary techniques that dramatically reduce the volume of pumped water.
- Completed construction of the Golf Course Reconfiguration project, allowing the new Baylands Golf Links to open in Spring 2018.
- Completed the Advanced Water Purification Feasibility Study to improve recycled water quality and the recycled water strategic plan. Awarded contract for a groundwater study of indirect potable water reuse.
- Installed new energy efficient gas package in Municipal Services Center Bldg C and new LED lighting in City Hall Level A.
- Completed a request for proposal for janitorial services resulting in award of contract to a new vendor and smooth transition from the prior contractor.

Initiatives

- Continue implementation of the 2014 City Council Infrastructure Plan, managing the projects as a program and determining a funding strategy that will allow for the completion of the 2014 City Council Infrastructure Plan while maintaining funding in the Capital Improvement Fund for other citywide capital needs.
- Continue working toward the goals and objectives identified in the Urban Forest Master Plan.
- Build the Infrastructure Management System (IMS) to capture street and sidewalk maintenance conducted by the Public Services Division and begin using the IMS to report to City Council on the status of Palo Alto's infrastructure.
- Complete Municipal Services Center mechanical and electrical improvements and roofing replacements.
- Commence environmental documentation for a 1-2 Million Gallons per Day (MGD) microfiltration/ultrafiltration and reverse osmosis facility, complete the groundwater study of indirect potable reuse and evaluation of future recycled water expansion projects.
- Implement Storm Water Blue Ribbon Committee recommendations to develop continued storm drain system operations, a set of storm drain infrastructure improvements and green infrastructure innovations as a result of the passage of the Storm Water Management Fee ballot measure in April 2017.

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Fund						
Airport Enterprise Fund	1,681,251	3,893,603	7,182,951	12,388,353	5,205,402	72.5%
General Fund	14,342,106	16,671,892	17,021,951	18,586,577	1,564,626	9.2%
Refuse Fund	32,569,044	30,767,437	30,674,955	29,808,112	(866,842)	(2.8)%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Storm Drainage Fund	4,150,168	8,108,294	6,309,668	9,391,799	3,082,130	48.8%
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Fund	8,579,657	10,450,914	13,293,051	14,714,999	1,421,948	10.7%
Wastewater Treatment Fund	23,011,975	23,810,516	63,041,886	36,147,118	(26,894,769)	(42.7)%
Total	84,334,202	93,702,655	137,524,463	121,036,957	(16,487,505)	(12.0)%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	143,060	211,441	205,168	205,168	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	9,560,988	11,532,830	10,916,891	11,407,111	490,220	4.5%
From Other Agencies	230,080	2,393,409	38,969,880	9,499,500	(29,470,380)	(75.6)%
Net Sales	58,904,362	60,349,838	64,071,504	66,255,981	2,184,477	3.4%
Operating Transfers-In	2,091,790	1,133,888	396,107	196,107	(200,000)	(50.5)%
Other Revenue	3,734,842	4,488,760	3,189,000	9,568,500	6,379,500	200.0%
Other Taxes and Fines	16,900	(2,200)	6,500	6,500	_	-%
Permits and Licenses	571,442	787,993	622,300	631,894	9,594	1.5%
Rental Income	475,470	688,642	1,680,000	755,400	(924,600)	(55.0)%
Return on Investments	864,186	997,160	676,220	687,800	11,580	1.7%
Total Revenues	76,593,120	82,581,762	120,733,570	99,213,961	(21,519,609)	(17.8)%
Positions by Fund						
Airport Fund	5.88	5.88	5.46	5.46	_	-%
General Fund	56.49	57.85	56.66	52.49	(4.17)	(7.36)%
Refuse Fund	15.20	15.65	15.65	15.65	_	-%
Storm Drainage Fund	10.32	10.34	13.55	13.55	_	-%
Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund	17.26	17.26	17.26	16.53	(0.73)	(4.23)%
Wastewater Treatment Fund	70.37	73.47	71.26	71.26	_	-%
Total	175.52	180.45	179.84	174.94	(4.90)	(2.72)%

^{*} This table does not reflect positions in the Capital Improvement Fund or the Cubberley Property Infrastructure Fund

GENERAL FUND

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Ensure the City's assets and infrastructure inventory are updated and well-maintained.

Objectives:

- Use an Infrastructure Management System (IMS) to support planning, budgeting, and accountability for the City's assets in accordance with the Infrastructure Blue Ribbon Commission's recommendations.
- Maintain and enhance the overall condition of the City's streets while effectively communicating the program's accomplishments to the public.
- Complete Sidewalk Program Evaluation Study to determine potential changes to the current sidewalk repairs program.

GOAL 2

Provide high quality, cost-effective oversight of the City's capital improvement and facilities maintenance programs.

Objectives:

- Continue implementation of the City Council Infrastructure Plan for key infrastructure needs, managing the projects as a program.
- Provide cost-effective custodial and facilities maintenance services that meet the expectations of the public and provide clean and safe buildings.
- Continue implementation of the recommendations identified in the Facilities Organization Study, including data collection, performance standards, bench-marking, and customer satisfaction surveys.
- Facilitate improvements to the Municipal Service Center, including mechanical and electrical upgrades and roof replacements.
- Continue implementing organizational efficiencies as outlined in the Facility Master Plan Study, specifically analyzing the organizational structure and asset management process recommendations for implementation.

GOAL 3

Preserve the public's health and safety to ensure a vibrant, sustainable community for future generations.

Objectives:

Complete the Environmental Impact Report for and select an alternative to proceed with a Newell Road Bridge flood protection project.

- Ensure compliance with all applicable regulations related to the public's health and safety.
- Increase the number of City trees planted per year by 200 while maintaining the health of the City's urban forest and ensuring proper tree clearance of all utility lines.
- Modernize City building systems to reduce energy consumption by including LED lighting conversions, roofing replacement upgrades, water efficient fixtures, more efficient mechanical equipment, computer controls of lighting and heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) systems.

Key Performance Measures

CITIZEN SURVEY - QUALITY OF SIDEWALK MAINTENANCE

Goal	Ensure the City's assets and infrastructure inventory are updated and well maintained.							
Objective	Increase rating given by residents for quality of sidewalk maintenance.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 Actuals Actuals		FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed			
Percent of citizens rating the quality of sidewalk maintenance as "good" or "excellent"	61.00% 65.00% 63.00% 66.00% 67.00							
Description	The City participates in the National Citizen Survey (NCS), which asks residents to rate their perception of sidewalk maintenance. The NCS is a collaborative effort between National Research Center, Inc., and the International City/County Management Association. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinion about the quality of life in the community.							
Purpose	To obtain feedback from residents on whether sidewalks are being maintained adequately in order to determine if the program's resources are appropriate.							
Status	The Department had estimated that a 62 percent rating would be reached in FY 2017 and the actual measured rating for FY2017 was 65 percent. In consideration of the continued higher budgets for sidewalk maintenance that allowed for increased sidewalk improvements since FY 2013, the FY 2018 estimated and FY 2019 adopted ratings reflect continued modest increases.							

CITIZEN SURVEY - STREET MAINTENANCE

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Goal	Ensure the City's assets and infrastructure inventory are updated and well maintained.							
Objective	Increase rating given by residents for quality of street maintenance.							
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed			
Percent of citizens rating the quality of street repair as "good" or "excellent"	57.00% 55.00% 58.00% 57.00% 58							
Description	The City participates in the National Citizen Survey (NCS), which asks residents to rate their perception of street maintenance. The NCS is a collaborative effort between National Research Center, Inc., and the International City/County Management Association. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinion about the quality of life in the community.							
Purpose	To obtain feedback from residents on whether streets are being maintained adequately in order to determine if the program's resources are appropriate.							
Status	The Department estimated a 57 percent rating for FY 2018 and the actual measured rating for FY 2017 was 55 percent. In consideration of the continued higher budgets for street maintenance that allow for increased paving since FY 2012, the FY 2018 estimated and FY 2019 adopted ratings reflect continued modest increases.							

CITIZEN SURVEY - STREET TREE MAINTENANCE

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Goal	Preserve the public's health and safety to ensure a vibrant, sustainable community for future generations.							
Objective	Increase rating given by residents for quality of street tree maintenance.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Pro							
Percent of citizens rating street tree maintenance "good" or "excellent"	71.00% 75.00% 70.00% 75.00% 75.00							
Description	This measure assesses the residents' level of satisfaction with the City's street tree maintenance program.							
Purpose	To obtain feedback from residents on whether street trees are being maintained adequately in order to determine if the program's resources are appropriate.							
Status	The Department has been achieving between 70 and 75 percent satisfaction. In FY 2016 extra watering was offered so satisfaction numbers were estimated to increase to 75 percent but the actual measured rating was only 71 percent. Due to prolonged drought conditions, tree removals increased leaving less time for tree trimming. With the drought abating, ratings increased slightly in FY 2017 and should remain constant for FY 2018 and FY2019.							

PAVEMENT CONDITION SCORE

Goal	Ensure the City' maintained.	Ensure the City's assets and infrastructure inventory are updated and well maintained.					
Objective	Maintain and en	hance the overal	ll condition of the	City's streets.			
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Pavement Condition Score	82.00	83.00	84.00	84.00	85.00		
Description	This measure tracks the condition of the City's streets based on an index published by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) as well as changes in that score.						
Purpose	Improving the co		reets reduces ov	erall maintenance	e costs and		
Status	Pavement Condition Index (PCI) scores are rated as follows: 80+= very good or excellent, 70-79 = good, 60-69 = fair, 50-59 = at-risk, 25-49 = poor, 0-24 = fail. The City Council has a goal of raising the citywide average PCI score to 85 by FY 2019. The FY 2017 estimated PCI is the same as the FY 2017 adopted goal and the Department remains on schedule to meet the citywide average goal. Annual reports by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) indicate that Palo Alto now has one of the highest citywide average PCI scores in Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties.						

RESPONSE TO POTHOLE NOTIFICATION

Goal	Ensure the City' maintained.	Ensure the City's assets and infrastructure inventory are updated and well maintained.					
Objective	Increase rating.	ncrease rating.					
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Percent of potholes repaired within 15 days of notification	93.50%	85.00%	90.00%	80.00%	80.00%		
Description	This measure records the number of potholes that are repaired within 15 days of the Department being notified of the problem.						
Purpose			of repairing potho d repaired in a tir	les within 15 day nely manner.	s in order to		
Status	The Department has been making repairs within 15 days 85 percent of the time. Proposed FY 2019 percentages will decrease to 80% due to a reduction in workforce impacting timeliness of job completion. Increased inspection of adjacent areas to increase cost effectiveness and increase PCI scores has resulted in additional work. Since implementation of Palo Alto 311, notifications of potholes has increased substantially.						

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of lane miles resurfaced	39	39	44	31	41
Percent of lane miles resurfaced	8.00%	8.30%	9.30%	6.50%	8.80%
Number of facilities work order requests completed	7,403	7,533	7,400	7,000	7,000

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
General Fund Administration	1,448,725	1,300,643	1,388,775	1,526,070	137,295	9.9%
General Fund Engineering Services	849,414	1,058,913	1,424,058	1,408,076	(15,982)	(1.1)%
General Fund Public Services: Streets	3,335,710	3,651,602	3,926,773	3,679,770	(247,003)	(6.3)%
General Fund Public Services: Structures and Grounds	5,901,104	6,427,443	6,188,470	7,610,835	1,422,365	23.0%
General Fund Public Services: Trees	2,807,153	4,233,292	4,093,876	4,361,827	267,951	6.5%
Total	14,342,106	16,671,892	17,021,951	18,586,577	1,564,626	9.2%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	978,822	1,141,450	1,194,500	1,145,678	(48,822)	(4.1)%
Other Benefits	164,500	123,151	148,554	148,624	70	-%
Overtime	222,549	259,626	171,389	163,631	(7,757)	(4.5)%
Pension	1,190,406	1,432,169	1,496,241	1,481,087	(15,154)	(1.0)%
Retiree Medical	824,902	902,347	949,314	825,829	(123,485)	(13.0)%
Salary	4,551,665	5,053,753	5,221,691	5,059,572	(162,118)	(3.1)%
Workers' Compensation	43,500	37,720	190,214	133,352	(56,862)	(29.9)%
Total Salary & Benefits	7,976,344	8,950,217	9,371,902	8,957,773	(414,129)	(4.4)%
Allocated Charges	2,786,969	3,039,392	3,198,139	3,489,133	290,994	9.1%
Contract Services	2,325,692	3,341,172	3,221,238	4,877,205	1,655,967	51.4%
Facilities & Equipment	255	5,148	2,146	2,146	_	-%
General Expense	63,044	60,381	80,599	34,449	(46,150)	(57.3)%
Operating Transfers-Out	16,574	16,574	16,574	94,518	77,944	470.3%
Rents & Leases	250,707	189,242	220,543	220,543	_	-%
Supplies & Material	922,522	1,069,766	910,811	910,811	_	-%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	14,342,106	16,671,892	17,021,951	18,586,577	1,564,626	9.2%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	6,687	43,096	53,280	53,280	-	-%
Charges to Other Funds	1,980,081	3,046,528	1,819,285	2,127,989	308,704	17.0%
Operating Transfers-In	196,107	196,107	196,107	196,107	_	-%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Other Revenue	15,602	47,179	46,000	54,500	8,500	18.5%
Permits and Licenses	571,442	787,993	622,300	631,894	9,594	1.5%
Total Revenues	2,769,920	4,120,903	2,736,972	3,063,770	326,798	11.9%
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Positions by Division						
General Fund Administration	2.95	3.05	3.05	3.05	_	-%
General Fund Engineering Services	3.47	4.56	5.29	4.92	(0.37)	(6.99)%
General Fund Public Services: Streets	18.98	18.02	18.22	15.74	(2.48)	(13.61)%
General Fund Public Services: Structures and Grounds	18.16	18.81	17.31	15.83	(1.48)	(8.55)%
General Fund Public Services: Trees	12.93	13.41	12.79	12.95	0.16	1.25%
Total	56.49	57.85	56.66	52.49	(4.17)	(7.36)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	85,654
Administrative Associate I	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	_	42,917
Administrative Associate II	2.63	2.65	2.65	2.65	_	205,995
Administrative Associate III	_	0.01	0.01	0.01	_	833
Assistant Director Public Works	0.85	0.87	0.87	0.87	_	152,850
Associate Engineer	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	_	34,809
Building Serviceperson	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	(1.00)	_
Building Serviceperson-Lead	1.80	1.80	1.00	1.00	_	68,517
Cement Finisher	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.00	(1.00)	188,509
Cement Finisher-Lead	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	_	26,221
Coordinator Public Works Projects	1.00	0.50	1.50	1.50	-	128,311
Director Public Works/City Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	232,220
Electrician	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	87,855
Engineer	0.40	0.66	0.66	0.66	_	86,245
Engineering Technician III	1.20	1.47	1.47	1.47	-	143,636
Equipment Operator	3.46	3.46	3.46	2.46	(1.00)	213,441

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Facilities Carpenter	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	94,254
Facilities Maintenance-Lead	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	_	225,329
Facilities Mechanic	5.55	-	-	-	-	_
Facilities Painter	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	_	164,945
Facilities Technician	_	5.55	4.05	4.05	-	421,034
Heavy Equipment Operator	2.33	2.33	2.33	2.33	_	228,919
Heavy Equipment Operator-Lead	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	_	89,336
Inspector, Field Services	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	_	11,599
Landscape Architect Park Planner	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.60	0.50	71,920
Management Analyst	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	_	78,784
Manager Facilities	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	_	133,848
Manager Maintenance Operations	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	_	157,697
Manager Urban Forestry	0.96	0.96	0.96	0.96	_	139,696
Manager Watershed Protection	_	0.05	0.05	0.05	_	7,408
Planning Arborist	0.75	0.75	0.71	_	(0.71)	_
Project Engineer	0.40	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	70,323
Project Manager	1.93	2.58	2.65	2.65	_	284,681
Senior Engineer	0.57	0.79	0.79	0.79	_	126,587
Senior Management Analyst	1.11	1.11	1.11	1.11	_	130,745
Senior Project Manager	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	15,631
Supervisor Inspection and Surveying	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	12,549
Surveyor, Public Works	0.10	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	35,212
Traffic Controller Maintainer I	1.94	1.94	1.94	1.94	_	165,255
Traffic Controller Maintainer II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	157,721
Tree Maintenance Person	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	87,402
Tree Trim/Line Clear	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	_	602,287
Tree Trim/Line Clear-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	92,041
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	54.59	55.93	54.66	51.45	(3.21)	5,303,216
Temporary/Hourly	1.90	1.92	2.00	1.04	(0.96)	59,979
Total Positions	56.49	57.85	56.66	52.49	(4.17)	5,363,196

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	56.66	17,021,951	2,736,972	14,284,979
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	59,439	_	59,439
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	59,439	-	59,439
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	23,722	_	23,722
Custodial Contract (CMR #8323 approved August 14, 2017; year 2 & contingency)	_	1,320,458	_	1,320,458
Tree Trimming Services (Year 3, 7-year cycle)	_	177,880	_	177,880
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	28,980	_	28,980
Urban Forestry Mitigation Fee for Tree Planting (Year 2 of 3-year Plan)	_	8,500	8,500	_
Fire Hydrant Maintenance Program (Net transfer to Fire Department \$82,800)	_	3,800	_	3,800
General Expenses Alignment	_	50	_	50
Office of Management and Budget Staffing Reorganization (funding shifts)	_	6,185	_	6,185
Muni Fee for Private Dev Right of Way Software App Maintenance	_	_	5,460	(5,460)
Street Cut Fees Increase	_	_	4,134	(4,134)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	_	268,592	(268,592)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	59,773	_	59,773
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	30,601	_	30,601
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	15,366	_	15,366
Public Works Administration Allocated Charges	_	_	40,112	(40,112)
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	1,136	_	1,136
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	164,468	_	164,468
Vehicle Replacement Allocated Charges	_	5,973	_	5,973
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(45,762)	_	(45,762)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(53,143)	_	(53,143)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	1,747,987	326,798	1,421,190
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	56.66	18,829,377	3,063,770	15,765,608

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	77,944	_	77,944
2 Private Development Workgroup Pilot Study	_	30,000	_	30,000
3 Public Safety Custodial Service Delivery Change	(1.00)	_	_	_
4 Reduction in Streets and Sidewalks Operations Team	(2.48)	(304,080)	_	(304,080)
5 Eliminate Water Truck Part-Time Staffing	(0.48)	(28,373)	_	(28,373)
6 Trees Division Staffing Realignment	(0.21)	(18,291)	_	(18,291)
Total Budget Adjustments	(4.17)	(242,800)	_	(242,800)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	52.49	18,586,578	3,063,770	15,522,808





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	77,944	0	77,944

This action transfers \$45,762 from the Public Works Department to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Public Works Department's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
2 Private Development Workgroup Pilot Study	0.00	30,000	0	30,000

This action provides one-time funding to review key areas identified as needing more proactive support such as news stand code compliance. Funding will allow for the compilation of a database for which code compliance analysis can be applied and a process that can bring activities into alignment with existing codes, and streamline future compliance reviews. In addition, funding will provide capacity to assist in the maintenance of the new Right of Way software application for private development projects, ensuring the public is provided timely information of impacts to the public right of way. As both of these initiatives are new, this one-time funding will seek to find ways to establish standards that can be maintained on and ongoing basis with existing staffing; however, the department will evaluate ongoing needs and bring forward any recommended changes in resources as necessary. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results





Service delivery is anticipated to improve under this pilot study which will provide support for special projects, performance measures, coverage for the Development Center counter, plan reviews, news rack, Right of Way Management program, indexing table & chair sidewalk encroachments in the public right of way and assisting with the City's paperless office initiatives.

3 Public Safety Custodial Service Delivery Change

-1.00

This action eliminates a vacant 1.0 Building Serviceperson position and adds \$90,000 in contractual service funding for custodial services for the Police Department. Currently custodial services throughout the City are primarily provided through an outside vendor, however, City staff continued to provide services to the public safety physical space due to background check needs. As a result of the City's most recent custodial contract, it is anticipated that these background needs can be addressed and satisfied by the current vendor, allowing the City to consolidate all service to one contract, streamlining the administration of custodial services throughout the organization. Although there are no immediate budgetary savings as a result of this action, it does reduce the city's long term pension and other postemployment benefits (OPEB) liabilities, and ensures that a high quality of service will still be delivered to the Police Department. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Shifting this vacant custodial position to the custodial service funding will contain future cost escalation for delivering current services without impacting the quality of services and satisfaction of customers.

4	Reduction in Streets and Sidewalks Operations
	Team

-2.48

(304,080)

(304,080)

This action eliminates 2.48 vacant positions and commensurate supplies and materials (\$50.000) in the Public Works Department - 1.0 Cement Finisher, 1.0 Equipment Operator, and 0.48 Part-Time General Laborer. The Public Work's Department currently uses both in-house teams as well as contractual teams to address the streets and sidewalk operations of the City. This reduction in staffing and resources will reduce the City's ability to address non-urgent requests for services called in by constituents. The City will be undertaking a sidewalk assessment study to determine the appropriate maintenance schedule moving forward. Until that study is complete, sufficient staffing resources remain to address urgent requests. Non-urgent requests will be tracked and dealt with through the standard CIP maintenance schedule. These eliminations are anticipated to have minimal impacts on the ability of the City to deal with urgent requests to repair streets and sidewalks. (Ongoing savings: \$304,080)

Performance Results





Eliminating these vacant positions and supplies and materials will increase non-urgent response times and may impact satisfaction of customers.

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
5 Eliminate Water Truck Part-Time Staffing	-0.48	(28,373)	0	(28,373)

This action eliminates a vacant 0.48 Administrative Specialist – I in the Urban Forest Section of the Public Works Department. This position was previously necessary to staff a water truck to ensure that vegetation throughout the City received proper watering, especially during the most recent drought. However, with an end to the drought conditions that California previously faced and the continued trend towards landscaping that is more water-efficient, this position is no longer necessary. This elimination is anticipated to have minimal impacts on the City's ability to adequately water vegetation. (Ongoing savings: \$28,373)

Performance Results





Eliminating this vacant Administrative Specialist - I position will not impact the quality of services and satisfaction of

6 Trees Division Staffing Realignment

-0.21

(18,291)

(18,291)

This action eliminate a vacant 1.0 FTE Planning Arborist and adds a 1.0 FTE Landscape Architect in the Public Works Department. The Planning Arborist position provided support to three service areas in the department: 34 percent trees administration, 37 percent permitting and plan review, and 29 percent Development Services support. The Landscape Architect position is recommended to assume the current duties of the Planning Arborist position and support to the following service areas: 50 percent trees administration and 50 percent Development Services Support. Development review, supervision of staffing, development of new policies and technical specifications, and most critically, ensuring compliance with State and local ordinances (including the California Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance) will be the primary duties assumed by the Landscape Architect. The existing Planning Arborist position will no longer suffice as the new state requirements have expanded the necessary credentials that the Landscape Architect position would fulfill, such as the requirement for a landscape architect license. In addition, this higher level of staffing will provide additional capacity to address the implementation of programs for the Urban Forest Master Plan, Parks Master Plan, City of Palo Alto Comprehensive Plan, and upcoming Green Infrastructure Plan. Some responsibilities are cost recovered in the Municipal Fee Schedule through the Development Services Department. Overall, the net implications of realigning staffing levels and funding allocations is anticipated to cost \$33,000. Of this, savings of \$18,000 in the Public Works General Fund and additional costs of \$52,000 in the Development Services Department will be realized. Increased costs in Development Services is anticipated to be partially offset by fee revenues for architectural review of \$40,000. (Ongoing savings: \$18,291)

Performance Results





This action will allow the City to comply with evolving requirements with minimal cost implications and maintain quality of service delivery.

AIRPORT FUND

Description

The Palo Alto Airport serves as a general aviation reliever airport to the Bay Area's major air carrier airports. It is the fourth busiest airport in the Bay Area, averaging 160,000 annual operations; open 24 hours each day, 365 days annually; and has a Federal Aviation Administration staffed air traffic control tower.

Accomplishments

- Completed design and construction of Phase I of the Apron Reconstruction project utilizing an FAA grant reimbursement awarded for 90% of project costs.
- Executed Airport Aircraft Storage License Agreements with hangar and tie-down tenants, transitioning successfully from the legacy contracts transitioned from the County of Santa Clara.
- Completed design of Phase II of the Airport Apron Reconstruction project and the invitation for request for proposal.

Initiatives

- Adopt and implement Rules and Regulations and Minimum Standards for the airport operations and leases.
- Award and complete Phase II construction work on the Airport Apron Reconstruction project, and complete Phase III design work.
- Develop an Airport Business Plan, including a facilities assessment to establish goals, objectives and action plans that will drive the day-to-day operation and management of the airport as well as identify capital needs and inform personnel decisions.
- Continue seeking grant funding opportunities from the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and other agencies for capital improvements.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Operate a safe and viable airport as an enterprise fund while controlling expenses and generating sufficient revenues to become self-sufficient.

Objectives:

- Maintain compliance with federal and state requirements for airfield conditions.
- Continue to follow industry standards and trends in staff training and education.
- Adopt and implement an Airport Business Plan to guide future development and ensure fund stability.

GOAL 2

Provide high quality, cost-effective oversight of the airport's capital improvement plan.

Objectives:

- Continue management of FAA sponsored capital improvement projects at the airport.
- Submit grant applications to the FAA for multi-phase projects that ensure efficiency and airfield safety.
- Maintain grant funding eligibility by submitting a Five-Year Airport Capital Improvement Project work plan to the FAA annually.

Key Performance Measures

AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS

Goal	Track the numb	Track the number of annual aircraft operations.					
Objective	Provide a safe, a	Provide a safe, aesthetically pleasing and profitable airport.					
	FY 2016FY 2017FY 2018FY 2018FY 2ActualsActualsAdoptedEstimatedPropo						
Number aircraft operations	160,200	149,000	160,000	150,000	160,000		
Description	The Palo Alto Airport (PAO) is owned and operated by the City of Palo Alto and is a general aviation field. However, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) defines workload measures for airports with an air traffic control tower (ATCT) as the number of aircraft operations (sum of landings and takeoffs). In addition to being the twelfth busiest airport in California, PAO is a reliever to three Bay Area airports. PAO has one paved runway 13/31, which measures 2,443 x 70 feet.						
Purpose		Providing a safe, well maintained and attractive airport will appeal to the tenants, pilots, visitors, outside agencies, residents and the flying community at large.					
Status	2018 and increa	ase to 160,000 in	n FY 2017 and es n FY 2019. Opera ng schools in the	itions are affected			

PERCENTAGE OF TIE-DOWNS LEASED

Goal	Maximize tie-do	wn space occup	ancy.					
Objective	Increase tenant occupancy by providing a safe and well-maintained airport that is also cost recoverable.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percentage of Tie-downs Leased	68.00%	70.00%	70.00%	65.00%	70.00%			
Description	The City of Palo Alto operates and maintains the Palo Alto Airport and provides airport users with safe transportation options with a high level of airport services. The airport has a total of 510 tie-down spaces, out of which 468 are rentable after accounting for spaces under construction or maintenance.							
Purpose	revitalize the Pal footprint. Tie-de leasing and uns	lo Alto Airport wit own and apron a ightly. Providing nants, pilots, visi	increase revenue thout changing o ireas that are in d a safe, well main tors, outside age	r increasing the c lisrepair are not a tained and attrac	current airport vailable for ctive airport will			
Status	infrastructure ar down spaces. In and decreased	nd equipment; an n FY 2017 the pe	aintaining 102.4 and managing over ercentage of lease 18. The percenta is in FY 2019.	· 250 tenants and ed rentable tie-do	329 leased tie- owns was 70%			

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Airport Administration	741,627	692,581	953,802	931,018	(22,784)	(2.4)%
Airport Operations	269,397	552,847	556,909	688,960	132,052	23.7%
CIP Airport Fund	670,226	2,648,175	5,672,241	10,768,374	5,096,134	89.8%
Total	1,681,251	3,893,603	7,182,951	12,388,353	5,205,402	72.5%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	84,769	97,561	142,902	112,975	(29,927)	(20.9)%
Other Benefits	18,205	14,956	20,231	20,358	127	0.6%
Overtime	12,735	33,105	_	_	_	-%
Pension	90,631	100,457	146,008	148,243	2,235	1.5%
Retiree Medical	10,254	11,221	11,804	43,990	32,186	272.7%
Salary	494,250	507,794	576,577	579,432	2,855	0.5%
Workers' Compensation	74	580	20,768	14,961	(5,807)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	710,916	765,673	918,291	919,959	1,669	0.2%
Allocated Charges	295,146	340,236	538,108	526,486	(11,622)	(2.2)%
Contract Services	104,386	174,962	146,700	259,124	112,424	76.6%
General Expense	45,345	76,199	30,480	40,480	10,000	32.8%
Operating Transfers-Out	_	_	9,519	13,458	3,938	41.4%
Rents & Leases	4,400	6,106	11,630	11,630	_	-%
Supplies & Material	32,154	47,358	56,472	56,472	_	-%
Capital Improvement Program	488,905	2,483,071	5,471,751	10,560,743	5,088,992	93.0%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	1,681,251	3,893,603	7,182,951	12,388,353	5,205,402	72.5%
Revenues						
From Other Agencies	131,868	2,371,729	4,860,000	9,499,500	4,639,500	95.5%
Net Sales	493,046	566,297	644,879	647,767	2,888	0.4%
Operating Transfers-In	_	_	200,000	-	(200,000)	(100.0)%
Other Revenue	108,837	244,186	15,000	975,000	960,000	6,400.0%
Rental Income	353,076	539,829	1,680,000	755,400	(924,600)	(55.0)%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Return on Investments	5,839	5,895	1,700	1,700	_	-%
Total Revenues	1,092,666	3,727,937	7,401,579	11,879,367	4,477,788	60.5%
Positions by Division						
Airport Administration	2.96	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	-%
Airport Operations	0.50	2.42	2.21	2.21	_	-%
CIP Airport Fund	2.42	1.46	1.25	1.25	_	-%
Total	5.88	5.88	5.46	5.46	_	-%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Facilities Technician	-	-	1.50	1.50	_	155,938
Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	83,387
Manager Airport	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	161,574
Manager Maintenance Operations	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	117,728
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	3.00	3.00	4.50	4.50	-	518,628
Temporary/Hourly	2.88	2.88	0.96	0.96	_	53,914
Total Positions	5.88	5.88	5.46	5.46	-	572,542

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Airport Fund
Prior Year Budget	5.46	7,182,951	7,401,579	(218,628)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (one-time project allocations)	_	(4,832)	_	(4,832)
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	8,232	_	8,232
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(11,231)	_	_
General Fund Loan to the Airport Fund	_	_	(200,000)	200,000
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(7,831)	(200,000)	203,400
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities		'		
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	7,632	_	7,632
Airport Tie-Down and Rental Income	_	_	38,288	(38,288)
Capital Improvement Projects and FAA Grant Funding	_	5,096,692	4,639,500	457,192
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	27,820	_	27,820
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	6,864	_	6,864
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	(56,555)	_	(56,555)
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	3,236	_	3,236
Public Works Administration Allocated Charges	_	3,479	_	3,479
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	4,936	_	4,936
Vehicle Replacement Allocated Charges	_	334	_	334
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(5,135)	_	(5,135)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-Time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(5,963)	_	(5,963)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	5,083,339	4,677,788	405,551
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	5.46	12,258,458	11,879,367	390,323
Budget Adjustments				
1 Airport Business Plan and Facility Assessment	_	122,424	_	122,424
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	7,471	_	7,471
Total Budget Adjustments	_	129,895	_	129,895
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	5.46	12,388,353	11,879,367	508,986





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Airport Fund
1 Airport Business Plan and Facility Assessment	0.00	122,424	0	122,424

This action provides \$122,000 in one-time non-salary funding to complete two assessments: an airport business plan and a facility assessment. In FY 2015, the City assumed operations of the airport and has been transitioning away from the legacy County of Santa Clara operations. The business plan will aim to study and set business goals by providing recommendations and a plan to achieve those goals. In addition, the plan will address facility needs coupled with a more detailed facility assessment which will evaluate existing facility repairs and safety needs. These studies will inform airport business operations and quide future investments for the department and City Council consideration. Funding has not been identified to implement recommended changes that may be identified in either of these assessments. It is expected that part of the plan will recognize and assist in moving operating to be fully funded through the enterprise fund in addition to repaying existing loans outstanding to the General Fund. (Ongoing Costs: \$0)

Performance Results



These assessments will provide strategies on how and where to deploy resources that will receive the highest rate of return, thus increasing customer satisfaction with Airport services and managing costs to operate and maintain the airport most efficiently.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution 0.00 7,471 7,471

This action transfers \$7,471 from the Airport Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Airport Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively establishing a pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and begin to address GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

REFUSE FUND

Description

Public Works provides refuse-related services on a user charge basis to Palo Alto's residents and businesses. The Refuse Fund goals are to minimize waste generation, maximize recycling and reuse to meet and exceed the City's Zero Waste goals, to protect the environment by safely collecting and disposing of household hazardous waste, and to maintain and monitor the City's closed landfill.

Accomplishments

- Implemented the third and final phase of the commercial recycling and composting ordinance. Nearly 100% of customers have subscribed to compost collection service, potentially diverting approximately 4,500 tons of compostable materials from the garbage. Diverted material is anaerobically digested, generating electricity and compost at the nearby Zero Waste Energy Development Facility in San Jose.
- Increased participation in the City's Household Hazardous Waste Program from 4,920 households in Fiscal Year 2016 to 5,600 in Fiscal Year 2018. With a 19% participation rate, Palo Alto is one of the highest in the state compared to Santa Clara County at 4.6% in 2017 and the state's average of 5.3%. Reuse Program participation also increased from 3,000 to over 5,400 pounds of materials reused.
- Purchased Northern California's first electric full-sized waste collection truck for a pilot program, which if successful, would help the City meet its sustainability goals.
- Researched and developed concepts for multiple Construction Materials Management initiatives that would ensure buildings are deconstructed and selected materials salvaged or separated for recovery, to be eventually diverted from the landfill. Changes to the Municipal Code will be recommended in early Fiscal Year 2019.
- Updated the Zero Waste Plan and identified new policies, programs and infrastructure needed to move the City toward its Zero Waste goals. The updated plan will be recommended in early Fiscal Year 2019.

Initiatives

Provide additional outreach and training, perform audits and enforcement of commercial customers waste sorting policies to achieve substantial compliance in the City's waste sorting requirements.

- Develop and implement outreach and educational strategies to divert residential food scraps to green compost carts, with a stretch goal of diverting 2,500+ tons of residential food scraps to generate energy and compost.
- Develop and recommend a strategy for waste management contracting services that will provide waste collection, hauling, processing services, disposal and outreach beyond 2021.
- Continue working with GoBox to develop and foster a reusable takeout container pilot service in the downtown area.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Minimize waste generation and maximize recycling and reuse programs to achieve zero waste to landfills by 2021.

Objectives:

- Promote recycling, composting, and reuse through educational programs and outreach to increase public participation.
- Reduce waste sent to landfills by implementing new programs and enforcing existing requirements such as the 2016 recycling and composting ordinance.
- Develop and recommend new innovative policies and program to minimize and divert construction-related waste and other problem materials.

GOAL 2

Protect the environment by providing convenient, weekly, and local household hazardous waste collection services to residents and small businesses.

Objectives:

- Increase participation with the City's household hazardous waste collection services through educational programs and outreach.
- Promote the reuse of good household products to residents at the City's Household Hazardous Waste Station reuse storage cabinets.

GOAL 3

Effectively manage the City's closed landfill to meet all regulatory requirements and minimize the impacts of postclosure maintenance on Byxbee Park users.

Objectives:

- Perform annual settlement repairs of the landfill areas to minimize the impacts of periodic larger repairs to park users.
- Develop and maintain a comprehensive preventative maintenance program for the landfill environmental control systems.

Key Performance Measures

AVERAGE AMOUNT OF GARBAGE (IN POUNDS) GENERATED PER RESIDENT AND DISPOSED IN LANDFILLS EACH DAY

Minimize waste generation and maximize recycling and reuse programs in order to achieve zero waste to landfills by 2021.						
Promote recycling, composting, and reuse through educational programs and outreach in order to increase public participation.						
FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed						
3.90	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
which will track calculated direc calculated the d	This measure will be replaced as of FY 2017 by a more understandable measure which will track the percentage of waste diverted from landfills and will be calculated directly from the pounds of waste sent to the landfill. This measure calculated the daily average amount of garbage disposed per resident to measure how much waste is being disposed in landfills.					
This measure helps track waste generation and can help verify if the City is meeting its City's zero waste goals.						
		oy a similar meas	ure, "Percentage	of waste		
	to achieve zero Promote recyclic outreach in order FY 2016 Actuals 3.90 This measure with which will track calculated direct calculated the drown much wasted to the meeting its City. This measure is	to achieve zero waste to landfills Promote recycling, composting, outreach in order to increase put FY 2016 Actuals 3.90 N/A This measure will be replaced as which will track the percentage of calculated directly from the pour calculated the daily average amonhow much waste is being disposed in the power of the	to achieve zero waste to landfills by 2021. Promote recycling, composting, and reuse througoutreach in order to increase public participation. FY 2016 Actuals RY 2017 Actuals RY 2018 Adopted 3.90 N/A N/A This measure will be replaced as of FY 2017 by a which will track the percentage of waste diverted calculated directly from the pounds of waste sent calculated the daily average amount of garbage d how much waste is being disposed in landfills. This measure helps track waste generation and comeeting its City's zero waste goals. This measure is being replaced by a similar measure helps track being replaced by a similar measure helps track being replaced by a similar measure helps replaced by a si	to achieve zero waste to landfills by 2021. Promote recycling, composting, and reuse through educational proutreach in order to increase public participation. FY 2016		

NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS SERVICED THROUGH THE HOUSEHOLD **HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM ON AN ANNUAL BASIS**

Goal	Protect the environment by providing convenient, weekly and local household hazardous waste collection services to residents and small businesses.						
Objective	services through	n educational prouses	ograms and outre	o City residents a			
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Number of Households participating in the Household Hazardous Waste program	4,920.00	5,594.00	5,000.00	5,600.00	5,700.00		
Description	The number of households serviced at the City Household Hazardous Waste station is a direct measurement of the usage of the program which indirectly measures the convenience and public awareness of the program.						
Purpose		nused hazardous		dous waste colle e disposed in the			
Status	participation rate were serviced b in 2017 based of the County of S participation rate	es in the state at y the City's progron data from Cali anta Clara House e of 4.6%. The S	19.2% (i.e., perceram, there were 2 fornia Departmer ehold Hazardous tate did not gene	has one of the hent of the City's hent of the City's hent of Finance). By Waste Program erate statewide durate between 4-	nouseholds that nits in Palo Alto y comparison, had a ata for Fiscal		

PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH MINI-CAN GARBAGE SERVICE

Goal	Minimize waste generation and maximize recycling and reuse programs in order to achieve zero waste to landfills by 2021.						
Objective	Promote recycling, composting, and reuse through educational programs and outreach in order to increase public participation.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed						
Percent of households with minican garbage service	38.00%	40.00%	42.00%	42.00%	44.00%		
Description	reductions in res City's zero wast garbage volume	sidential garbage te programs and will be reduced.	vith mini-can gark generation. As n elect smaller min This increases thity meet its zero v	nore residents pa i-can garbage se ne City's diversio	articipate in the ervice, their n from landfill		
Purpose		elps verify if resid e zero waste to la	ents are reducing andfills by 2021.	g their garbage ge	eneration in		
Status	garbage carts b and green carts	y diverting their r thereby decreas	ed the trend of de recyclable and co region the amount of re also trending to	mpostable waste of garbage landfill	e to the blue ed. Residents		

PERCENTAGE OF WASTE DIVERTED FROM LANDFILLS

Goal	Minimize waste generation and maximize recycling and reuse programs in order to achieve Zero Waste to landfills by 2021.						
Objective	Promote recycling, composting, and reuse through educational programs and outreach in order to increase public participation.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed						
Percentage of waste diverted from landfills	79.00%	81.50%	82.00%	82.00%	83.00%		
Description	As of FY 2017, this measure replaced the old measure of using the average number of pounds disposed per day per resident with an easier to understand percentage to indicate the City's effectiveness of Zero Waste programs. The percent of waste diverted from landfills is derived from both the amount of waste sent to landfills in the previous calendar year based on data from CalRecyle and the per capita disposal rate in landfills.						
Purpose	Track waste ger	neration and help	verify the City is	meeting its Zero	Waste goals.		
Status	of a new Zero V enforcement of	Vaste Plan updat waste sorting are	e and initiatives a expected to rais	82 percent. The iss well as new emeters the diversion mon rate decrease	nphasis on neasure to 83%		

PERCENTAGE OF COMMERCIAL ACCOUNTS WITH COMPOST SERVICE

Goal	Minimize waste generation and maximize recycling and reuse programs in order to achieve zero waste to landfills by 2021.						
Objective	Reduce landfilled waste by implementing new programs such as the recycling and composting ordinance approved by City Council in January 2016.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed						
Percent of commercial accounts with compost service	36.00%	52.00%	75.00%	100.00%	100.00%		
Description	The percentage of commercial customers with compost service measures commercial customer participation in the City's Zero Waste programs, and compliance with the Recycling and Composting Ordinance. As more customers order compost service and sort their waste properly, additional food scraps and soiled paper will be diverted from landfills, thereby advancing the City's goals.						
Purpose	Tracking commercial customer compost service usage provides insight to levels at which they are reducing garbage generation and verifies compliance with the City's Recycling and Composting Ordinance.						
Status	has increased the service from app Fiscal Year 2018	The Recycling and Composting Ordinance was implemented in April 2016 and has increased the percentage of commercial customers subscribing to compost service from approximately 30% in Fiscal Year 2015 to nearly 100% by the end of Fiscal Year 2018. As commercial customers improve their waste sorting capabilities, an increase in waste diverted from landfill disposal should be evident.					

Workload Measures

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2018	FY 2019
	Actuals	Actuals	Adopted	Estimated	Proposed
Tons of materials recycled or composted	56,438	60,582	58,000	59,300	60,000

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Refuse Fund	2,138,706	125,250	_	_	(O)	(100.0)%
Refuse Administration	4,444,281	4,281,218	3,688,125	3,644,323	(43,802)	(1.2)%
Refuse Collection, Hauling and Disposal:	5,377,366	5,143,988	4,776,133	21,193,443	16,417,310	343.7%
Refuse Collection, Hauling and Disposal: Payment to GreenWaste	16,250,898	16,503,152	16,252,909	-	(16,252,909)	(100.0)%
Refuse Solid Waste	3,324,242	3,578,001	4,478,122	3,519,258	(958,864)	(21.4)%
Refuse Street Sweeping	1,033,550	1,135,828	1,479,665	1,451,088	(28,577)	(1.9)%
Total	32,569,044	30,767,437	30,674,955	29,808,112	(866,842)	(2.8)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	202,393	244,378	262,548	280,929	18,381	7.0%
Other Benefits	52,932	39,782	51,305	51,215	(90)	(0.2)%
Overtime	47,866	21,466	41,789	42,875	1,087	2.6%
Pension	358,690	401,494	450,516	445,904	(4,612)	(1.0)%
Retiree Medical	330,686	361,874	380,709	219,089	(161,621)	(42.5)%
Salary	1,619,280	1,628,137	1,652,189	1,627,458	(24,731)	(1.5)%
Workers' Compensation	45,139	328,122	57,126	41,152	(15,973)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	2,656,986	3,025,253	2,896,182	2,708,622	(187,560)	(6.5)%
Allocated Charges	2,054,784	1,816,408	1,866,433	1,840,811	(25,623)	(1.4)%
Contract Services	6,298,872	6,200,497	6,880,744	6,205,681	(675,063)	(9.8)%
Debt Service	565,372	564,840	155,637	196,299	40,662	26.1%
Facilities & Equipment	_	_	3,000	3,000	-	-%
General Expense	45,244	54,575	112,275	112,275	_	-%
Operating Transfers-Out	27,915	28,718	62,282	106,054	43,772	70.3%
Rents & Leases	2,466,105	2,516,090	2,302,687	2,212,657	(90,030)	(3.9)%
Supplies & Material	112,220	72,309	142,805	142,805	_	-%
Transfer to Infrastructure	68,880	_	_	27,000	27,000	-%
Utility Purchase	16,250,898	16,463,048	16,252,909	16,252,909	_	-%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Capital Improvement Program	2,021,767	25,698	1	(O)	(1)	(110.0)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	32,569,044	30,767,437	30,674,955	29,808,112	(866,842)	(2.8)%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	38,973	96,858	34,000	34,000	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	241,632	210,574	210,552	212,502	1,950	0.9%
Net Sales	28,332,871	30,247,663	29,359,500	30,109,500	750,000	2.6%
Operating Transfers-In	356,255	13,325	_	_	_	-%
Other Revenue	3,311,151	3,219,715	2,546,000	2,546,000	_	-%
Other Taxes and Fines	(2,100)	(2,200)	_	_	_	-%
Rental Income	122,395	148,813	_	_	_	-%
Return on Investments	260,539	309,611	178,900	178,900	_	-%
Total Revenues	32,661,715	34,244,359	32,328,952	33,080,902	751,950	2.3%
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Positions by Division						
CIP Refuse Fund	0.65	0.65	_	-	_	-%
Refuse Administration	0.48	0.43	0.43	0.43	_	-%
Refuse Collection, Hauling and Disposal	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	-%
Refuse Solid Waste	10.39	10.89	11.54	11.54	_	-%
Refuse Street Sweeping	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.68	_	-%
Total	15.20	15.65	15.65	15.65	_	-%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	0.15	0.10	0.10	0.10	-	7,250
Accountant	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	10,082
Assistant Director Public Works	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	_	67,222
Coordinator Public Works Projects	1.00	_	_	_	_	_
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	_	5,783
Environmental Specialist	1.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	229,869

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Facilities Maintenance Lead	-	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	106,571
Hazardous Materials Inspector	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	_	3,243
Landfill Technician	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	106,571
Management Analyst	0.10	0.43	0.43	0.43	_	45,962
Manager Environmental Control Program	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	384,051
Manager Maintenance Operations	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.46	_	55,829
Manager Solid Waste	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	152,818
Program Assistant I	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	78,867
Project Manager	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	23,080
Senior Accountant	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	12,287
Senior Management Analyst	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	_	9,600
Street Maintenance Assistant	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	72,771
Street Sweeper Operator	1.63	1.63	1.63	1.63	_	141,167
Surveyor, Public Works	0.35	_	_	_	_	_
Zero Waste Coordinator	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	100,816
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	13.57	14.50	14.50	14.50	_	1,613,839
Temporary/Hourly	1.63	1.15	1.15	1.15	_	61,976
Total Positions	15.20	15.65	15.65	15.65	_	1,675,815

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Refuse Fund
Prior Year Budget	15.65	30,674,955	32,328,952	(1,653,997)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	32,721	_	32,721
Zero Waste Plan Update and Community Outreach	_	(500,000)	_	(500,000)
Landfill Pipe Replacement and Groundwater Studies	_	(305,000)	_	(305,000)
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(45,052)	_	(45,052)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(817,331)	_	(817,331)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	(174,253)	_	(174,253)
Residential and Commerical Refuse Hauling and Processing Services	_	125,500	750,000	(624,500)
Debt Service: City of Sunnyvale Solid Waste Revenue Refunding Bonds	_	40,662	_	40,662
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	5,459	_	5,459
Office of Management and Budget Staffing Reorganization (funding shifts)	_	3,093	_	3,093
Custodial Contract Services	_	(1,023)	_	(1,023)
Rents & Leases Expenditure Alignment	_	(90,030)	_	(90,030)
Transfers to Technology Fund (Citywide technology CIP's)	_	66,340	_	66,340
Transfers to Infrastructure Fund (City facilities CIP's)	_	27,000	_	27,000
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	(41,941)	_	(41,941)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	19,828	_	19,828
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	(37,228)	_	(37,228)
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	(2,463)	_	(2,463)
Public Works Administration Allocated Charges	_	6,958	_	6,958
Refuse Sales Allocated Charges	_	_	1,950	(1,950)
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	99	_	99
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	670	_	670
Vehicle Replacement Allocated Charges	_	9,856	_	9,856
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(14,122)	_	(14,122)

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Refuse Fund
Workers' Compensation Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(16,400)	_	(16,400)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	(71,995)	751,950	(823,945)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	15.65	29,785,629	33,080,902	(3,295,273)
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	22,483	_	22,483
Total Budget Adjustments	_	22,483	_	22,483
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	15.65	29,808,112	33,080,902	(3,272,790)





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Refuse Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	22,483	0	22,483

This action transfers \$22,483 from the Refuse Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Refuse Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

STORM DRAINAGE **FUND**

Description

The City's stormwater management services are funded through user fees charged to property owners of developed parcels in Palo Alto. Stormwater management activities include operation, maintenance, replacement and augmentation of the storm drainage system to ensure adequate local drainage consistent with the Storm Water Master Plan updated June 2015 and Green Stormwater Infrastructure projects. The Fund provides litter reduction, urban pollution prevention programs, commercial and residential rebates, and flooding emergency-response services with the goals of reducing stormwater runoff and maintaining stormwater quality protection for discharge to creeks and San Francisco Bay.

Accomplishments

- Completed construction of the Matadero Creek Storm Water Pump Station project, which included electrical and fiber services, an electrical building with back-up generator and a below ground wet well.
- Provided rebates to residents who installed and maintained private storm water capture devices.
- Initiated efforts to develop the Green Stormwater Infrastructure Plan to ensure compliance of the Municipal Regional Permit for storm water.

Initiatives

- Continue implementing the 13 high-priority stormwater management projects outlined in the Stormwater Management Fee ballot measure passed in April 2017.
- Continue implementing the Storm Drain Blue Ribbon Committee's recommendations for Green Stormwater Infrastructure improvements.

PUBLIC WORKS

- Complete the Bay-to-Highway 101 flood control project, a cooperative effort with the San Francisquito Creek Joint Powers Authority and continue to assist with outreach and planning of the 'San Francisquito Creek: Upstream to Highway 101' Project.
- Complete the Green Stormwater Infrastructure Plan for the City to comply with new State of California stormwater regulations.
- Implement the City's Long-Term Trash Reduction Plan to achieve an 80% reduction in the volume of trash entering local creeks and San Francisco Bay through local storm drains.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Effectively manage the storm drain system to ensure adequate local drainage.

Objectives:

- Systematically clean storm drain lines to prevent backups and ponding on City streets.
- Complete the 13 high-priority stormwater management projects, Green Stormwater Infrastructure improvements, and the Storm Drain Blue Ribbon Committee's recommendation for stormwater management programs outlined in the Stormwater Management Fee ballot measure passed in April 2017.
- Assist with inter-agency projects such as the 'San Francisquito Creek: Upstream to Highway 101' Project.

GOAL 2

Reduce stormwater runoff and protect the quality of waters discharged to creeks and San Francisco Bay.

Objectives:

- Continue to comply with the Municipal Regional Stormwater Discharge Permit for stormwater regulations adopted in 2015.
- Conduct regular inspections of commercial facilities, industrial facilities, and construction sites to ensure compliance with stormwater discharge regulations.
- Develop ordinance requirements that are environmentally conscientious such as developing a demolition ordinance that PCB-containing products are disposed of properly as required in the Municipal Regional Stormwater NDPES Permit (MRP) 2.0.

Key Performance Measures

CITIZEN SURVEY - STORM DRAIN

Goal	Effectively mana	Effectively manage the storm drainage system to ensure adequate local drainage.							
Objective	Measure ratings	Measure ratings from residents on the quality of storm drainage.							
	FY 2016 Actuals								
Percent respondents rating the quality of storm drainage as good or excellent	75.00% 81.00% 80.00% 80.00% 80.00%								
Description	rate their percept between the Na Management As jurisdictions in the	The City participates in the National Citizen Survey (NCS), which asks residents to rate their perception of storm drain management. The NCS is a collaborative effort between the National Research Center, Inc. and the International City/County Management Association. The NCS is an annual survey of approximately 500 jurisdictions in the United States whose residents evaluate local government services and give their opinion about the quality of life in the community.							
Purpose	Obtain feedback from residents on whether storm drains are being maintained adequately in order to determine if the program's resources are appropriate.								
Status		The quality of storm drainage has been achieving between 75 and 81 percent satisfaction since 2016. The City is estimating to maintain an 80 percent rating.							

NUMBER OF CAPITAL PROJECTS ON THE 2005 STORM DRAINAGE FEE **BALLOT MEASURE COMPLETED**

Goal	Effectively manage the storm drainage system to ensure adequate local drainage.							
Objective	To manage a capital improvement program that utilizes annual revenues and staff resources in an efficient manner in order to complete the seven capital improvement projects that were identified in the 2005 storm drainage fee ballot measure before the fee sunsets in June 2017.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Number of projects completed (Storm Drain)	5.00	6.00	7.00	7.00	7.00			
Description	to increase the of infrastructure in	capacity and mai	ntain the condition the 2005 storm	a capital improve on of the storm d drainage fee ball	rainage system			
Purpose		system must be uue to provide sei	•	naintained on a re munity.	egular basis so			
Status	Staff completed all the seven capital improvement projects identified in the 2005 Storm Drainage Fee Measure by the end of Fiscal Year 2018. This measure will no longer be used in next fiscal year budget as all projects are completed and the Storm Drainage fee has sunset.							

PERCENT OF INSPECTIONS IN COMPLIANCE WITH STORM WATER **REGULATIONS**

Goal	Reduce stormwater runoff and protect the quality of waters discharged to creeks and San Francisco Bay.							
Objective	Conduct regular inspections to ensure compliance.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percent of inspections in compliance with storm water regulations	83.00% 85.00% 80.00% 80.00% 80							
Description	Watershed Protection staff conducts a comprehensive program of public outreach and education, site inspections, and enforcement actions in order to prevent pollutants from contaminating stormwater runoff. Inspections are conducted at industrial facilities, commercial facilities, construction sites and other outdoor activities. Industrial facilities include varied activities such as research, laboratories, manufacturing, and other processing. Commercial facilities typically serve the public and include categories such as photo shops, food service establishments, dry cleaners, dentists, and other sales or services.							
Purpose	Stormwater pollution prevention activities are required by the Municipal Regional Stormwater Discharge Permit issued to the City by the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board. Controlling pollutant discharges to the storm drain system helps to improve the water quality in local creeks and San Francisco Bay.							
Status	Watershed Protection staff conducts an inspection program for industrial and commercial facilities and assesses them for compliance with stormwater regulations. In FY 2017, inspected sites included 38 industries, 63 automotive facilities, 101 construction sites, and approximately one third of the 377 restaurants on the inspection list. The FY 2018 estimated compliance rate is 80% based on the previous year as well as data to date, indicating that many new businesses are being inspected that may not yet be aware of the requirements. Watershed Protection staff educates these businesses on what it takes to be in compliance with stormwater regulations.							

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Storm Drainage Fund	1,084,083	5,139,312	804,875	4,056,012	3,251,137	403.9%
Storm Drainage Administration	777,068	938,434	1,207,070	891,557	(315,513)	(26.1)%
Storm Drainage Environmental Compliance	378,978	(61,813)	952,985	981,370	28,385	3.0%
Storm Drainage Operations and Maintenance	1,771,220	1,964,235	3,200,530	3,328,062	127,532	4.0%
Storm Drainage Systems Improvement Flood Control	138,820	128,127	144,209	134,798	(9,411)	(6.5)%
Total	4,150,168	8,108,294	6,309,668	9,391,799	3,082,130	48.8%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	192,406	198,979	253,686	243,089	(10,597)	(4.2)%
Other Benefits	28,052	21,435	41,466	42,217	751	1.8%
Overtime	43,463	24,941	49,429	50,714	1,285	2.6%
Pension	259,855	290,983	406,203	418,581	12,378	3.0%
Retiree Medical	57,698	63,585	66,895	144,909	78,014	116.6%
Salary	945,028	1,017,360	1,428,769	1,462,271	33,502	2.3%
Workers' Compensation	6,707	19,694	39,437	28,410	(11,027)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	1,533,210	1,636,977	2,285,884	2,390,191	104,307	4.6%
Allocated Charges	761,660	956,201	1,428,009	1,173,474	(254,536)	(17.8)%
Contract Services	431,506	(66,984)	905,379	907,899	2,520	0.3%
Debt Service	373,008	335,877	949,300	949,300	_	-%
Facilities & Equipment	5,286	(260)	7,621	7,621	_	-%
General Expense	22,153	51,551	148,560	145,960	(2,600)	(1.8)%
Operating Transfers-Out	5,970	133,472	27,463	49,360	21,896	79.7%
Rents & Leases	39,079	40,045	47,482	48,805	1,322	2.8%
Supplies & Material	98,514	77,396	94,726	94,726	_	-%
Capital Improvement Program	879,784	4,944,019	415,243	3,624,464	3,209,220	772.9%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	4,150,168	8,108,294	6,309,668	9,391,799	3,082,130	48.8%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Revenues						
Charges for Services	97,399	71,488	117,888	117,888	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	_	2,961	_	_	_	-%
From Other Agencies	98,212	21,680	_	_	_	-%
Net Sales	6,326,562	6,600,488	6,927,531	7,128,430	200,899	2.9%
Operating Transfers-In	233,662	_	_	_	_	-%
Other Revenue	(55)	(243)	_	_	_	-%
Other Taxes and Fines	_	_	2,500	2,500	_	-%
Return on Investments	178,207	186,051	129,700	129,700	_	-%
Total Revenues	6,933,986	6,882,425	7,177,619	7,378,518	200,899	2.8%
Positions by Division						
CIP Storm Drainage Fund	2.15	2.17	2.37	2.37	_	-%
Storm Drainage Administration	0.65	0.60	0.80	0.80	_	-%
Storm Drainage Operations and Maintenance	6.98	6.98	9.79	9.79	_	-%
Storm Drainage Systems Improvement Flood Control	0.54	0.59	0.59	0.59	-	-%
Total	10.32	10.34	13.55	13.55	_	-%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	0.15	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	7,250
Accountant	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	_	5,041
Administrative Associate I	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	7,153
Administrative Associate II	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	11,660
Administrative Associate III	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	8,332
Assistant Director Public Works	0.20	0.20	0.30	0.30	_	55,472
Associate Engineer	_	0.19	1.19	1.19	_	138,074
Electrician	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	10,982
Electrician-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	117,571
Engineer	1.00	0.90	0.90	0.90	_	117,607

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Engineering Technician III	0.20	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	24,428
Equipment Operator	0.54	0.54	0.54	0.54	_	46,853
Heavy Equipment Operator	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	_	88,424
Heavy Equipment Operator-Lead	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	_	120,867
Industrial Waste Inspector	0.19	0.19	0.40	0.40	_	38,627
Industrial Waste Investigator	0.99	0.80	1.00	1.00	_	108,514
Management Analyst	0.20	0.20	0.30	0.30	_	31,373
Manager Environmental Control Program	0.40	0.40	0.70	0.70	_	79,444
Manager Maintenance Operations	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	57,793
Manager Watershed Protection	_	_	0.20	0.20	_	29,632
Program Assistant II	_	_	0.60	0.60	_	50,867
Project Engineer	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	_	116,737
Project Manager	0.15	0.15	0.55	0.55	_	62,471
Senior Accountant	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	12,287
Senior Engineer	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.76	_	104,364
Senior Industrial Waste Investigator	_	_	0.10	0.10	_	11,603
Surveyor, Public Works	_	0.12	0.12	0.12	_	12,804
Technologist	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	_	45,820
Traffic Controller Maintainer I	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	_	5,111
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	10.12	10.14	13.35	13.35	-	1,527,158
Temporary/Hourly	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	8,320
Total Positions	10.32	10.34	13.55	13.55	_	1,535,478

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Storm Drainage Fund
Prior Year Budget	13.55	6,309,668	7,177,619	(867,951)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	28,649	_	28,649
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(31,037)	_	(31,037)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	-	(2,388)	-	(2,388)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	114,056	_	114,056
Stormwater Rate Adjustment (CPI increase of 2.9%)	_	-	189,820	(189,820)
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	2,520	_	2,520
Rents & Leases Expenditure Alignment	_	1,322	_	1,322
General Expense Alignment	_	(2,600)	_	_
Capital Improvement Projects	_	3,212,665	_	3,212,665
Transfers to Technology Fund (Citywide technology CIP's)	_	28,385	_	28,385
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	(165,131)	_	(165,131)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	5,696	_	5,696
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	(210,377)	_	(210,377)
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	21,234	_	21,234
Public Works Administration Allocated Charges	_	5,218	_	5,218
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	_	11,079	(11,079)
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	58,949	_	58,949
Vehicle Replacement Allocated Charges	_	3,826	_	3,826
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(9,749)	_	(9,749)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(11,322)	_	(11,322)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	3,054,692	200,899	2,856,393
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	13.55	9,361,973	7,378,518	1,986,055
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	21,104	_	21,104
Total Budget Adjustments	_	21,104	_	21,104
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	13.55	9,383,077	7,378,518	2,007,159

Budget Adjustments

	Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Storm Drainage Fund
1 Supple	mental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	21,104	0	21,104

This action transfers \$21,104 from the Storm Drainage Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Storm Drainage Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

VEHICLE REPLACEMENT AND MAINTENANCE FUND

Description

The Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund is an internal service fund providing fleet management services for City vehicles and heavy equipment. Timely maintenance and replacement of vehicles and equipment ensures safe, reliable, and efficient use of resources. This program also provides for safe, efficient fuel storage and dispensing facilities while pursuing alternative fuel technologies, and minimizing the pollution and carbon footprint generated by the City's vehicle fleet.

Accomplishments

- Delivered 51 vehicles and 6 pieces of equipment in Fiscal Year 2018 to maintain safe, reliable and efficient use of resources.
- Completed a fleet cost recovery study.
- Removed and replaced the vehicle/equipment wash rack system located at the Municipal Services Center.
- Added multi-product fuel dispensers to the fuel station.
- Transitioned to 100% paperless work order and parts requisition system.
- Awarded a new 5-year fuel contract, reducing fuel delivery fees and rates for users.
- Evaluated and updated rates to ensure cost-recovery is being achieved for Compressed Natural Gas (CNG), shop and commercial maintenance and repairs, and parts.

Initiatives

Perform review of underutilized vehicles annually and remove vehicles from fleet that do not meet the minimum usage requirements per policy.

- Continue to reduce the backlog of older vehicles that need to be replaced with more efficient vehicles/equipment to reduce the City's carbon footprint.
- Continue implementing Fleet Operational Study recommendations by improving fleet technology, staff training and increasing the number of electric and alternative fuel vehicles/ equipment in the fleet where possible.
- Award a multi-year contract to vendor(s) for the removal and installation of outfitting equipment from surplus and new vehicles/equipment.
- Begin implementing recommendations from the fleet cost recovery study.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Ensure the City's vehicles, equipment, and fuel storage/dispensing facilities are safe, reliable, and energy efficient to reduce Green House Gas (GHG) emissions.

Objectives:

- Continue seeking opportunities to increase the number of electric and alternative fuel vehicles/equipment.
- Continue providing staff training for safe operation and maintenance of vehicles/equipment and fueling stations.
- Annually review and update the 5-year vehicle/equipment replacement Capital Improvement Program to maximize cost-effectiveness, reduce GHG emissions, and explore opportunities to reduce the fleet.

GOAL 2

Provide cost-effective preventive maintenance and repair services.

Objectives:

- Perform fleet utilization analyses annually to ensure the City has a right-sized fleet.
- Continue replacing the oldest, least efficient vehicles first; replacing with electric or alternative fuel vehicles when possible.
- Continue providing staff education and training.
- Annually assess rates for Compressed Natural Gas (CNG), shop and commercial maintenance and repairs, and parts to ensure cost-recovery.

Key Performance Measures

PERCENT OF NON-EMERGENCY VEHICLES IN FLEET THAT ARE USING **ALTERNATE FUEL OR TECHNOLOGIES**

Goal		Ensure the City's vehicles, equipment, and storage/dispensing facilities are safe, reliable, and energy efficient.					
Objective	Increase the usage of alternative fuels.						
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed						
Percent of alternative fuel consumed by non-emergency vehicles	26.60%	33.00%	29.20%	33.00%	33.00%		
Description	,	comprised of veh oressed natural g		nent that are prin	narily gasoline,		
Purpose		l lower emissions ehicles/equipme		needs to increase	the use of		
Status	diesel and natur	ral gas. It used 99 of alternative fue	9,315 gallons of d	fuel in 2017 amo compressed natu icipated to remai	ral gas which		

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of vehicles that are alternatively fueled or electric	50	51	55	51	58
Number of vehicle repair and preventative maintenance work orders	4,619	4,019	4,100	3,690	3,590
Total number of vehicles and equipment in the City's fleet	559	555	549	558	558

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
Vehicle Operations and Maintenance	5,586,194	5,463,507	5,455,409	6,448,192	992,782	18.2%
Vehicle Replacement and Additions	2,993,463	4,987,407	7,837,642	8,266,807	429,166	5.5%
Total	8,579,657	10,450,914	13,293,051	14,714,999	1,421,948	10.7%
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Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	295,595	308,844	369,965	352,799	(17,166)	(4.6)%
Other Benefits	53,639	36,622	50,507	49,814	(693)	(1.4)%
Overtime	6,970	4,919	56,610	58,081	1,472	2.6%
Pension	321,560	355,106	422,535	436,630	14,095	3.3%
Retiree Medical	79,467	86,962	91,489	148,359	56,871	62.2%
Salary	1,386,350	1,292,182	1,468,804	1,511,184	42,380	2.9%
Workers' Compensation	7,726	4,995	53,936	38,855	(15,082)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	2,151,307	2,089,629	2,513,846	2,595,722	81,877	3.3%
Allocated Charges	1,612,792	1,366,290	1,185,639	1,352,629	166,990	14.1%
Contract Services	282,187	524,789	511,900	506,696	(5,204)	(1.0)%
General Expense	57,943	108,857	66,080	70,630	4,550	6.9%
Operating Transfers-Out	335,294	-	38,394	198,066	159,672	415.9%
Rents & Leases	177,193	181,834	189,067	195,002	5,935	3.1%
Supplies & Material	1,121,338	1,109,794	1,169,216	1,338,816	169,600	14.5%
Transfer to Infrastructure	31,711	263,198	_	540,000	540,000	-%
Capital Improvement Program	2,809,892	4,806,522	7,618,910	7,917,438	298,528	3.9%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	8,579,657	10,450,914	13,293,051	14,714,999	1,421,948	10.7%
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Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	7,291,552	8,227,916	8,835,554	9,013,976	178,422	2.0%
Operating Transfers-In	1,305,766	924,456	_	_	_	-%
Other Revenue	296,297	312,216	155,000	155,000	_	-%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Return on Investments	192,219	197,278	178,300	178,300	_	-%
Total Revenues	9,085,834	9,661,867	9,168,854	9,347,276	178,422	1.9%
Positions by Division						
Vehicle Operations and Maintenance	15.86	15.86	15.86	14.28	(1.58)	(9.96)%
Vehicle Replacement and Additions	1.40	1.40	1.40	2.25	0.85	60.71%
Total	17.26	17.26	17.26	16.53	(0.73)	(4.23)%

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Associate III	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	83,323
Assistant Director Public Works	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	43,139
Assistant Fleet Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	103,750
Equipment Maintenance Service Person	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	137,186
Fleet Services Coordinator	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	171,847
Management Analyst	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	23,134
Manager Fleet	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	129,106
Motor Equipment Mechanic II	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	_	583,371
Motor Equipment Mechanic-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	208,003
Project Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	95,514
Senior Management Analyst	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	_	9,600
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	16.53	16.53	16.53	16.53	-	1,587,973
Temporary/Hourly	0.73	0.73	0.73	_	(0.73)	_
Total Positions	17.26	17.26	17.26	16.53	(0.73)	1,587,973

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund
Prior Year Budget	17.26	13,293,051	9,168,854	4,124,197
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(42,254)	_	(42,254)
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	26,932	_	26,932
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	-	(15,322)	-	(15,322)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities		'		
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	157,103	_	157,103
Delete 0.25 Management Specialist (Fleet Division transition staffing due to vacancies)	(0.25)	(41,374)	_	(41,374)
Vehicle Parts and Fuel Contractual and Managed Services	_	168,136	_	168,136
Lease Agreement (Utilities aerial trucks)	_	120,569	_	120,569
Rents & Leases	_	5,935	_	5,935
Office of Management and Budget Staffing Reorganization (funding shifts)	_	3,093	_	3,093
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	1,260	_	1,260
Capital Improvements Projects	_	298,259	_	298,259
Transfer to the Technology Fund (citywide technology CIPs)	_	58,504	_	58,504
Transfer to Infrastructure Fund (citywide facilities CIPs)	_	540,000	_	540,000
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	83,043	_	83,043
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	18,720	_	18,720
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	31,581	_	31,581
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	(160)	_	(160)
Public Works Administration Allocated Charges	_	12,176	_	12,176
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	8,487	_	8,487
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	-	199,884	(199,884)
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(13,334)	_	(13,334)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(15,484)	_	(15,484)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	(0.25)	1,436,514	199,884	1,236,630

Budget Reconciliation

Total FY 2019 Base Budget	Positions 17.01	Expenditures 14,714,244	Revenues 9,368,738	Net Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund 5,345,506
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	22,216	_	22,216
2 Eliminate Vehicle Stock Part-Time Staffing	(0.48)	(21,462)	(21,462)	0
Total Budget Adjustments	(0.48)	754	(21,462)	22,216
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	16.53	14,714,998	9,347,276	5,345,506





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	22,216	0	22,216

This action transfers \$22,216 from the Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Office of the Wastewater Treatment Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund
2 Eliminate Vehicle Stock Part-Time Staffing	-0.48	(21,462)	(21,462)	0

This action eliminates a vacant 0.48 Stock Clerk in the Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund to align with current service delivery for vehicle stock. In Fiscal Year 2017, the City of Palo Alto transitioned from an in-house parts program, administered by the stock clerk position, to a service management with NAPA Auto Parts. NAPA provides on-time delivery of various parts and equipment needed for vehicle maintenance. After evaluating the service delivery of NAPA, it is recommended that the Stock Clerk position be eliminated. This elimination should not have an impact on the service delivery of the vehicle maintenance staff. (Ongoing Savings: \$22,897)

Performance Results





Eliminating this vacant Stock Clerk position will not impact the quality of services and satisfaction of customers.

WASTEWATER TREATMENT FUND

Description

The City's Regional Water Quality Control Plant (RWQCP) operates 24 hours a day to treat all wastewater from the City of Palo Alto and the City's five partner agency regional service areas (Mountain View, Los Altos, Los Altos Hills, Stanford, and East Palo Alto Sanitary District) to ensure the compliance with regulations protecting the San Francisco Bay and the environment.

Accomplishments

- Awarded contracts to haul and treat sludge from the new sludge dewatering and truck loadout facility currently under construction. With the facility completed and online in January 2019, the two sludge-burning incinerators were subsequently retired.
- Commenced planning and design for secondary treatment upgrade, primary sedimentation tank rehabilitation, and the laboratory/environmental services building as part of fulfilling the Long Range Facilities Plan.
- Completed rehabilitation of the old pumping plant.
- Completed 10% design for a 1 Million Gallons per Day (MGD) Advanced Water Purification Facility (microfiltration or ultrafiltration followed by reverse osmosis) to improve recycled water quality by reducing salinity.
- Completed the business plan and 30% design for the Phase III Recycled Water Pipeline.

Initiatives

- Complete construction of the sludge dewatering and truck loadout facility in Winter 2019.
- Amend environmental documentation, secure funding, complete design, and begin construction of the Advanced Water Purification Facility (i.e. reverse osmosis) to improve recycled water quality.
- Determine the feasibility for indirect potable reuse in the northwest region of Santa Clara County by understanding the groundwater basin.

Determine regional opportunities for recycled water expansion such as the feasibility for recycled water expansion to Stanford Research Park and South Palo Alto via the Phase III Recycled Water Pipeline.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Protect the environment and the public's health.

Objectives:

- Conduct regular inspections of commercial permitees to ensure compliance with all regulations.
- Complete new capital improvement projects to ensure the plant's reliability.
- Conduct ongoing operation and maintenance.

GOAL 2

Operate high quality, cost-effective and visually neutral facilities.

Objectives:

Mitigate cost increases through effective maintenance of equipment and analysis of potential operational efficiencies.

GOAL 3

Expand recycled water use.

Objectives:

Improved recycled water quality through source control of salt water intrusion into sanitary sewers and potential future advance treatment for recycled water.

Key Performance Measures

DISCHARGE TESTS IN COMPLIANCE

Goal	Protect the envi	Protect the environment and the public's health.					
Objective	Maintain 99% d	Maintain 99% discharge test compliance.					
	FY 2016 Actuals						
Percent of wastewater treatment discharge tests in compliance	99.67%	99.67% 100.00% 99.00% 99.00% 99.00%					
Description	NPDES dischar	ge permit for wat mpliance with the	ter discharged to	ements to meet a the south San Fr oal of the City; th	rancisco Bay.		
Purpose		Measure compliance of the RWQCP treatment system's final water discharged compared to the limits established in the NPDES discharge permit.					
Status		scharge tests are ear 2018 and Fis		n compliance wit	h discharge		

PERCENT OF PASSED FISH ACUTE TOXICITY BIOASSAY TESTS

Goal	Protect the envi	Protect the environment and the public's health.				
Objective	Obtain fish acute toxicity bioassays with 100% survival.					
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed					
Fish toxicity test (percent survival)	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	
Description	Percent of acute	e fish toxicity bioa	assay tests passe	ed with 100% sur	vival.	
Purpose		Fish survival in the bioassay is an indicator that plant discharges to the Bay are safe for receiving water marine life.				
Status				ts passed with 10 Year 2018 and Fis		

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Millions of gallons of recycled water delivered	230	180	260	216	250
Number of inspections performed annually (Wastewater Treatment)	397	301	400	350	350
Millions of gallons processed by the Palo Alto's Regional Water Quality Control Plant	6,387	7,176	6,398	6,777	6,935

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Wastewater Treatment Fund	2,792,222	(1,124,472)	37,988,136	10,186,740	(27,801,396)	(73.2)%
Wastewater Treatement Systems Improvement Operations	15,951,637	15,991,438	16,486,893	17,196,146	709,253	4.3%
Wastewater Treatment Administration	508,324	5,269,540	5,138,056	5,220,653	82,597	1.6%
Wastewater Treatment Environmental Compliance	3,759,792	3,674,009	3,428,802	3,543,579	114,777	3.3%
Total	23,011,975	23,810,516	63,041,886	36,147,118	(26,894,769)	(42.7)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	1,196,798	1,333,363	1,391,249	1,444,680	53,430	3.8%
Other Benefits	169,747	131,812	194,084	198,135	4,051	2.1%
Overtime	353,542	260,776	310,126	318,189	8,063	2.6%
Pension	1,626,688	1,872,666	2,035,334	2,116,386	81,052	4.0%
Retiree Medical	745,965	816,320	858,810	853,066	(5,744)	(0.7)%
Salary	6,340,815	6,698,533	7,357,411	7,563,716	206,305	2.8%
Workers' Compensation	29,874	52,654	270,879	195,136	(75,742)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	10,463,429	11,166,125	12,417,893	12,689,308	271,415	2.2%
Allocated Charges	5,348,078	5,311,133	6,319,704	6,122,299	(197,405)	(3.1)%
Contract Services	1,602,264	5,678,025	2,305,354	3,007,839	702,485	30.5%
Debt Service	480,060	443,920	1,468,851	1,468,851	_	-%
Facilities & Equipment	1,888	4,110	7,500	7,500	-	-%
General Expense	387,514	449,456	505,029	451,029	(54,000)	(10.7)%
Operating Transfers-Out	11,597	335,213	206,049	382,023	175,974	85.4%
Supplies & Material	1,962,664	1,630,955	2,050,754	2,090,754	40,000	2.0%
Capital Improvement Program	2,754,480	(1,208,420)	37,760,752	9,927,514	(27,833,238)	(73.7)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	23,011,975	23,810,516	63,041,886	36,147,118	(26,894,769)	(42.7)%
Revenues						
Charges to Other Funds	47,723	44,851	51,500	52,644	1,144	2.2%
From Other Agencies	_	_	34,109,880	_	(34,109,880)	(100.0)%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Net Sales	23,751,883	22,935,389	27,139,594	28,370,284	1,230,690	4.5%
Other Revenue	3,010	665,707	427,000	5,838,000	5,411,000	1,267.2%
Other Taxes and Fines	19,000	_	4,000	4,000	_	-%
Return on Investments	227,383	298,324	187,620	199,200	11,580	6.2%
Total Revenues	24,049,000	23,944,271	61,919,594	34,464,128	(27,455,466)	(44.3)%
Positions by Division						
CIP Wastewater Treatment Fund	0.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	_	-%
Wastewater Treatement Systems Improvement Operations	55.69	56.36	56.16	56.16	_	-%
Wastewater Treatment Administration	0.64	0.59	0.59	0.59	_	-%
Wastewater Treatment Environmental Compliance	13.74	15.22	13.21	13.21	_	-%
Total	70.37	73.47	71.26	71.26	_	-%

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	0.15	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	7,250
Accountant	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	25,204
Administrative Associate II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	155,468
Assistant Director Public Works	0.75	0.75	0.65	0.65	_	129,914
Assistant Manager WQCP	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	275,912
Associate Engineer	1.35	1.80	1.80	1.80	_	208,851
Buyer	1.00	_	_	_	_	_
Chemist	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	312,812
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	_	7,711
Electrician	2.90	2.90	2.90	2.90	_	318,475
Electrician-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	117,571
Environmental Specialist	1.00	_	_	_	_	_
Hazardous Materials Inspector	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	_	3,243
Industrial Waste Inspector	2.80	2.80	2.59	2.59	_	250,110

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Industrial Waste Investigator	0.80	0.35	0.15	0.15	-	16,277
Laboratory Technician WQC	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	279,784
Maintenance Mechanic	7.00	-	-	_	_	_
Management Analyst	_	0.67	0.57	0.57	_	59,410
Manager Environmental Control Program	1.50	1.50	1.20	1.20	-	141,205
Manager Laboratory Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	141,482
Manager Water Quality Control Plant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	182,541
Manager Watershed Protection	0.95	0.95	0.75	0.75	_	111,119
Plant Mechanic	_	7.00	7.00	7.00	_	716,999
Program Assistant II	2.00	2.00	1.40	1.40	_	118,689
Project Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	140,646
Project Manager	_	1.00	0.60	0.60	_	67,741
Senior Accountant	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	12,287
Senior Buyer	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	103,384
Senior Chemist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	115,871
Senior Engineer	1.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	392,600
Senior Industrial Waste Investigator	0.99	0.99	0.89	0.89	_	103,265
Senior Management Analyst	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	_	15,471
Senior Mechanic	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	110,130
Senior Operator WQC	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	_	701,178
Senior Technologist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	147,056
Storekeeper	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	75,472
Supervisor WQCP Operations	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	356,325
Technologist	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	_	106,914
WQC Plant Operator II	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	_	1,648,692
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	68.43	71.05	68.84	68.84	-	7,677,059
Temporary/Hourly	1.94	2.42	2.42	2.42	_	206,339
Total Positions	70.37	73.47	71.26	71.26	_	7,883,398

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Wastewater Treatment Fund
Prior Year Budget	71.26	63,041,886	61,919,594	1,122,292
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Strategic Plan (Revenue from Santa Clara Valley Water District) Recycled Water Year 1	_	(427,000)	(427,000)	_
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(210,478)	_	(210,478)
Information Technology Department Allocation (FY 2016 Salary Savings; one-time)	_	110,723	_	110,723
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(526,755)	(427,000)	(99,755)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits Adjustments	_	190,558	_	190,558
Strategic Plan (Revenue from Santa Clara Valley Water District) Recycled Water Year 2	_	188,000	188,000	_
Office of Management and Budget Staffing Reorganization (funding shifts)	_	3,093	_	3,093
Water Quality Control Plant (WQCP) Lab Services	_	_	1,144	(1,144)
Liquid Waste Hauler and Tributary Agency Partner Contribution	_	_	869,898	(869,898)
Capital Improvements Projects	_	(27,828,808)	(28,448,300)	619,492
Transfers to Technology Fund (Citywide technology CIP's)	_	277,455	_	277,455
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	(354,998)	_	(354,998)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	93,524	_	93,524
Information Technology Allocated Charges	_	391,300	_	391,300
Print and Mail Allocated Charges	_	(1,775)	_	(1,775)
Public Works Administration Allocated Charges	_	7,405	_	7,405
Refuse Sales Allocated Charges	_	1,950	_	1,950
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	1,079	_	1,079
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	118,379	_	118,379
Vehicle Replacement Allocated Charges	_	3,628	_	3,628
Wastewater Treatment Allocated Charges	_	_	360,792	(360,792)
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	(66,965)	_	(66,965)
Worker's Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 savings)	_	77,764	-	77,764
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	-	(26,898,410)	(27,028,466)	130,056

Budget Reconciliation

Total FY 2019 Base Budget	Positions 71.2 6	Expenditures 35,616,721	Revenues 34,464,128	Net Wastewater Treatment Fund 1,152,593
Budget Adjustments				
Replacement of Incinerator with Dewatering Facility	_	425,830	_	425,830
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	104,568	_	104,568
Total Budget Adjustments	_	530,398	_	530,398
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	71.26	36,147,119	34,464,128	1,682,991

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Wastewater Treatment Fund
Replacement of Incinerator with Dewatering Facility	0.00	425,830	0	425,830

This action increases expenses by \$426,000 reflecting the change in service delivery. This increase reflects the net impact of increases in contract expenses and adjustments to the costs of utilities based on estimates for operating the Sludge Dewatering and Loadout (SDLO) Facility, which is planned to come online in January 2019 and will result in the retirement of an incinerator around the same time. Construction of the Sludge Dewatering and Loadout (SDLO) facility is estimated to complete in November 2019 and operations to begin in January 2019, which will result in the retirement of the incinerator around the same time. Currently, the City processes sewage sludge by compressing it and burning it; this leaves ash behind that gets trucked out. The SDLO facility will allow the City to process sewage sludge by dewatering, leaving behind a dry waste matter that gets trucked out for further treatment. This new process is environmentally better for air and allows the City to retire its incinerators. (Ongoing costs: \$772,275)

Performance Results





The Sludge Dewatering and Loadout (SDLO) facility will allow the City to process sewage sludge by dewatering instead of incinerating it into dry waste matter that is transported to landfills. The SDLO processing method is environmentally cleaner for air compared to the incinerators.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution 0.00 104.568

This action transfers \$104,568 from the Wastewater Treatment Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Office of the Wastewater Treatment Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).



UTILITIES

Mission Statement





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The City of Palo Alto Utilities' mission is to provide safe, reliable, environmentally sustainable and costeffective services.

Purpose

The purpose of the City of Palo Alto Utilities is to provide high quality, cost-effective electric, gas, fiber optics, water and wastewater collection services; promote effective energy and water efficiency programs; proactively manage infrastructure needs and replace deteriorated or aging facilities with new technologies to ensure safe and reliable delivery of services; and ensure the City's utilities are

UTILITIES GENERAL MANAGER

Edward K. Shikada

ELECTRIC & WGW OPERATIONS

- 3.00 Administrative Associate II
- 1.00 Assistant Director Utilities Operations
- 1.00 Business Analyst
- 1.00 Cathodic Techician
- 1.00 Cathodic Protection Tech-Asst
- 2.00 Cement Finisher
- 5.00 Coordinator Utilities Projects
- 3.00 Electrician Assistant I
- 1.00 Electric Equipment Technician
- 7.00 Heavy Equipment Operator
- 4.00 Heavy Equipment Operator / Installer Repairer
- 2.00 Inspector, Field Services
- 11.00 Lineperson / Cable Splicer
- 4.00 Lineperson / Cable Splicer-Lead
- 2.00 Maintenance Mechanic Welding
- 1.00 Metering Technician- Lead 3.00 Metering Technician
- 1.00 Manager Electric Operations
- 1.00 Manager WGW Operations 2.00 Overhead/Underground Troubleman
- 1.00 Program Assistant
- 1.00 Restoration Lead
- 2.00 SCADA Technologist
- 1.00 Senior Mechanic 1.00 Senior Utilities Field Service Rep
- 2.00 Senior Water System Operator
- 5.00 Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber Technician
- 2.00 Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber Technician-Lead
- 6.00 Substation Electrician
- 2.00 Substation Electrician-Lead
- 2.00 Underground Inspectors
- 1.00 Underground Inspector-Lead
- 2.00 Utilities Comp Tech 1.00 Utilities Comp Tech-Lead
- 5.00 Utilities Field Service Rep
- 11.00 Utilities Installer/Repairer
- 5.00 Utilities Install/Rep-Lead
- 3.00 Utilities Install/Rep-Welding
- 2.00 Utilities Install/Rep-Welding-Lead 1.00 Utilities Safety Officer
- 5.00 Utilities System Operator
- 12.00 Utilities Supervisor
- 3.00 Utilities Locator
- 4.00 Water Systems Operator II
- 1.0 Gas & Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician-Lead
- 4.0 Gas & Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician

UTILITIES ADMINISTRATION

- 1.00 Administrative Assistant
- 1.00 Administrative Associate II
- 2.00 Business Analyst
- 1.00 Compliance Manager
- 1.00 Coordinator, Utilities Projects
- 0.50 Program Assistant
- 1.00 Manager Communications
- 1.00 Manager Utilities Telecom
- 1.00 Principal Business Analyst
- 3.00 Senior Business Analyst 1.00 Senior Resource Planner
- 1.00 Strategic Business Manager
- 1.00 Chief Operating Officer

CUSTOMER SUPPORT SERVICES

- 1.00 Assistant Director Utilities Customer Support Services
- 2.00 Customer Service Specialist-Lead
- 7.00 Customer Service Representative
- 2.00 Customer Service Specialist
- 1.00 Manager, Utilities Credit and Collections
- 6.00 Meter Reader
- 1.00 Meter Reader-Lead
- 1.00 Manager Customer Service
- 2.00 Credit and Collections Specialist

ELECTRIC & WGW ENGINEERING

- 1.00 Administrative Associate II
- 1.00 Assistant Director Utilities
- Engineering 2.00 Business Analyst
- 2.00 Electric Project Engineer
- 4.00 Engineer
- 1.00 Engineering Manager Electric
- 1.00 Engineering Manager WGW
- 3.00 Engineer Technician III
- 3.00 Inspector, Field Services
- 3.00 Power Engineer
- 5.00 Project Engineer
- 4.00 Senior Electrical Engineer
- 5.00 Senior Project Engineer
- 1.00 Supervisor, Electric Project Engineer
- 5.00 Utilities Engineer Estimator
- 1.00 Utilities Engineer Estimator-Lead

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

- 1.00 Assistant Director, Resource
 - Management
- 2.00 Administrative Assoc II 1.00 Business Analyst
- 3.00 Key Account Representative
- 1.00 Manager, Utility Program Services 6.00 Resource Planner
- 5.00 Senior Resource Planner
- 3.00 Marketing Program Administrator

FY 2019 POSITION TOTALS

244.5 - Full-time

11.38 - Hourly

This organizational chart represents citywide Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs) for this department. The Department Summary tables summarize FTEs by position allocation.

Description

Palo Alto is the only city in California that offers a full array of utility services to its citizens and businesses. Because of this, the City has a unique opportunity to partner with the Palo Alto community to enjoy the benefits and achievements of reliable, home-grown, and environmentally-focused utilities. Palo Alto has a tradition of over 100 years of successful public utility operations. It is a tradition that continues to provide the Palo Alto community with safe and reliable utilities service, local decision-making over policies, utility rate-making, environmental programs, and customized services.

The City of Palo Alto Utilities (CPAU) continues to focus on customer service, infrastructure reliability, regulatory compliance and cost containment. CPAU also supports the City's sustainability goals by building a low-carbon energy supply through the use of renewable energy and offsets and by promoting programs to help customers use energy and water more efficiently, reduce their carbon footprint, and help them integrate new technologies.

At CPAU, our people empower tomorrow's ambitions while caring for today's needs! We make this possible with our outstanding professional workforce, leading through collaboration and optimizing resources to ensure a sustainable and resilient Palo Alto.

ADMINISTRATION

Utilities Administration is responsible for the overall management of the CPAU including communication, regulatory compliance, strategic planning, budget coordination, legislation and regulatory policy analysis, and personnel and administrative support to the entire Department.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT SERVICES

This group annually bills \$250 million for the City's electric, natural gas, water, commercial fiber optic, wastewater collection (operated by CPAU), storm drain, and refuse (operated by Public Works) services; operates the Customer Service Call Center with 75,000 annual customer interactions; reads 90,000 utility meters per month; implements Credit and Collection policies and financial assistance programs.

ENGINEERING

Engineering is responsible for managing all phases of CPAU's capital improvement projects including providing new or upgrading existing service to customers, and replacing and rehabilitating the City's electric, fiber, water, gas, and wastewater distribution systems.

OPERATIONS

Utilities Operations is responsible for the operations, maintenance, and emergency response for the electric, fiber, water, gas, and wastewater distribution systems.

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Resource Management is responsible for: the long-term resource acquisition plan, including electricity, natural gas, and water; contract negotiations to acquire renewable resources; financial planning; rate development; energy efficiency and water conservation programs; and management of key accounts.

Accomplishments

- Awarded Platinum Level Beacon Award by the Institute for Local Government for efforts and leadership in addressing climate change.
- Awarded first place for the fourth time by the Smart Electric Power Alliance (SEPA) for the Solar Watts-per-Customer Top Ten list of utilities that integrated the most solar to the grid.
- Received Special Recognition for Participation in Georgetown University's Energy Prize Competition.
- Accomplished the City's Natural Gas Supply Goes Carbon Neutral. In July 2017, provided 100% carbon neutral natural gas for the entire Palo Alto community.
- Entered agreement to buy Carbon Offsets from Palo Alto's Sister City, Oaxaca, Mexico. On December 4, City Council approved a resolution to purchase carbon offsets from a forestry project in Oaxaca, Mexico, to offset carbon dioxide emissions associated with natural gas use in the Palo Alto community. The agreement is part of the City's Carbon Neutral Natural Gas Plan with goals to reduce overall community Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions in an effort to combat climate change.
- Unveiled new solar panels installed atop parking carports of two public garages and electric vehicle (EV) charging stations that are powered by the renewable energy generated onsite.
- Provided rebates for Electric Vehicle Charging Stations installed at schools, apartment complexes, and non-profit buildings with common area charging accommodations.
- Awarded first place for Amount of Solar Through Bay Area SunShares Program. The City participated for the third year in a row in Bay Area SunShares, a solar group-buy program that offers discounts on rooftop solar by pooling the buying power of a group of residents.
- Completed and presented eight month process to update the Utilities Strategic Plan.

Initiatives

- Implement City Council approved 2018 Utilities Strategic Plan to focus resources towards meeting priority initiatives related to workforce, technology, collaboration, and finances and resource optimization.
- Assist Development Services to verify final street addresses are assigned prior to account activation and billing of Utilities account-holders.
- Continue Downtown Upgrade, which provides critical, preventative upgrades to core infrastructure so we can continue to provide safe, reliable and cost effective services to our community. Construction work includes utility pipe replacements, road repaving, traffic signal enhancements and a new downtown parking garage.
- Update Divisional Succession Plans for the next five years.
- Evaluate and upgrade Outage Management System to reduce restoration time and provide customers near real-time outage information.
- Develop Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI)/Meter Data Management System (MDM) Requirements to identify functional and system requirements.
- Evaluate Multi-Agency AMI/MDM with Northern California Power Association (NCPA) to pool resources, share ideas and increase purchasing power.
- Upgrade Utilities customer account portal to provide customers additional 24/7 selfservices and customer information to better manage their consumption and choices.
- Integrate new Geographical Information System (GIS) to ensure accurate infrastructure information for customer service and infrastructure improvements.
- Establish and implement a Distributed Energy Resources plan to ensure local generation (e.g. solar), storage, electric vehicles (EVs), and controllable loads (like heat pump water heaters) are integrated into the distribution system in a way that benefits both the customer and the broader community.
- Engage in community outreach to identify what aspects of resiliency are important to the community for each utility to support development of a resiliency work plan.

Key Performance Measures

COMPARABLE AND COST-EFFECTIVE SERVICES

Goal	Ensure fiscally s	Ensure fiscally sound and cost-effective services							
Objective	Reduce the cost of delivering services through best management practices.								
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed								
Palo Alto's average residential monthly utility bill above/below the median of neighboring cities	(6.80)% (10.40)% (6.80)% (14.00)% (14.00)%								
Description	This compares the average residential monthly utility bill which includes electricity, gas, water, and wastewater services to the nearby communities (Santa Clara \$188.66, Hayward \$233.38, Los Altos \$236.40, Mountain View \$242.04, Redwood City \$294.07, and Menlo Park \$311.12).								
Purpose	This measure compares the City's average utility rates charged to residents to other comparable cities (e.g., similar size, similar commodity purchase options, similar geography).								
Status	similar geography). Palo Alto's electric rates are significantly lower than PG&E and slightly higher than Santa Clara. Natural gas rates are lower than surrounding communities due to PG&E increasing its distribution rates for capital improvement and maintenance. Water rates are higher than many neighboring communities primarily because of differing system characteristics and levels of infrastructure investment, but also because some communities have different sources of supply. Palo Alto's water supply comes from the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission, which is in the middle of a \$4.6 billion improvement project, and Palo Alto is investing more than other areas in improving local distribution pipelines and enhancing emergency water supply system. Despite fee increases, CPAU rates remain lower than neighboring cities.								

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION

Goal	Provide exceller	Provide excellent customer service							
Objective	Maintain a high level of customer satisfaction, equal to or greater than 83 percent of Palo Alto citizens rating satisfaction of utility services as "Excellent" or "Good" in the National Citizen Survey.								
	FY 2016 Actuals								
Percent rating services (electric, gas, wastewater, and water) "Good" or Excellent"	83.25%	86.00%	85.00%	85.00%	86.00%				
Description	Research Center Association (ICN valid survey of congovernments. The stakeholders for improvement, as	The National Citizen Survey (NCS) is a collaborative effort between National Research Center, Inc. (NRC) and the International City/County Management Association (ICMA). The NCS was developed by NRC to provide a statistically valid survey of opinions about community and services provided by local governments. The survey results may be used by staff, elected officials and other stakeholders for community planning and resource allocation, program improvement, and policy-making. There are ten California communities participating in the survey.							
Purpose	The best way to get feedback on whether our customers are satisfied with the nature, extent and delivery of services we provide them is to ask outright, using random-selection survey processes that include a good cross-section of our customer base.								
Status	Results are statistically weighted to reflect the proper demographic composition of the entire community. A total of 614 completed surveys were obtained, providing an overall response rate of 21 percent. Typically, response rates obtained on citizen surveys range from 25 percent to 40 percent. From Fiscal Year 2012 to Fiscal Year 2017, Utilities has met its target of 83 percent.								

Workload Measures

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2018	FY 2019
	Actuals	Actuals	Adopted	Estimated	Proposed
Total cost of Capital Improvement Program annually (Millions)	\$22.20	\$20.40	\$26.20	\$27.20	\$35.40

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Fund						
Electric Fund - Operating	53,504,506	50,471,721	69,158,197	66,792,512	(2,365,685)	(3.4)%
Electric Supply	85,918,737	93,975,231	107,008,613	104,740,510	(2,268,103)	(2.1)%
Fiber Optics	2,574,599	2,385,108	4,144,473	4,180,199	35,726	0.9%
Gas Fund - Operating	19,079,098	19,025,805	26,768,899	26,810,849	41,951	0.2%
Gas Supply	9,061,954	14,246,460	17,157,301	16,707,790	(449,511)	(2.6)%
Wastewater Collection - Operating	19,271,590	24,361,592	19,173,803	23,935,539	4,761,736	24.8%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Water Fund - Operating	42,098,850	38,572,014	47,487,138	58,154,512	10,667,374	22.5%
Total	231,509,334	243,037,933	290,898,423	301,321,910	10,423,488	3.6%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	438,985	588,350	270,000	270,000	-	-%
Charges to Other Funds	985,530	716,165	518,662	504,525	(14,138)	(2.7)%
From Other Agencies	636,666	512,301	576,632	576,632	-	-%
Net Sales	197,161,475	229,843,108	234,641,566	249,171,992	14,530,426	6.2%
Operating Transfers-In	481,233	2,922,786	3,977,536	4,203,098	225,562	5.7%
Other Revenue	11,260,334	9,701,750	14,251,610	11,953,278	(2,298,332)	(16.1)%
Other Taxes and Fines	420,867	-	-	-	-	-%
Property Taxes	76	39	_	_	_	-%
Rental Income	_	5,000	_	-	_	-%
Return on Investments	3,969,933	3,794,136	4,442,200	4,442,200	_	-%
Total Revenues	215,355,098	248,083,635	258,678,207	271,121,725	12,443,519	4.8%
Positions by Fund						
Electric Fund	116.38	113.32	111.23	111.33	0.10	0.09%
Fiber Optics Fund	6.76	6.82	7.60	7.60	_	-%
Gas Fund	52.16	52.55	53.11	53.67	0.56	1.06%
Utilities Administration Fund	18.12	18.22	19.21	19.21	-	-%
Wastewater Collection Fund	29.74	29.17	29.00	29.16	0.16	0.56%
Water Fund	46.15	47.99	47.90	47.08	(0.82)	(1.72)%
Total	269.31	268.06	268.05	268.05	-	-%

ELECTRIC FUND

Description

On January 16, 1900, the City of Palo Alto began operation of its own electric system. A steam engine was the initial source of the City's electricity and was replaced by a diesel engine in 1914. As demand for electricity and the population continued to grow, the City of Palo Alto Utilities (CPAU) connected to the Pacific Gas and Electric distribution system and purchased power from additional sources.

The integrity of the infrastructure required for achieving a high level of reliability and value for our customers is of paramount importance to CPAU. The Electric Fund plans to enhance the customer service connection experience, increase energy efficiency participation, and increase the percentage of electric supply obtained from renewable energy supplies. The City has entered into a number of contracts with producers of wind, landfill gas, and solar energy for more than 15-year terms.

Accomplishments

- Completed installation of the utility underground electric system for Utility Underground District 47 (area bounded by Middlefield Road; Homer Avenue; Webster Street; Addison Avenue).
- Completed installation of fiber optic cables between Adobe Creek/East Meadow/Maybell substations to assist in substation protection and monitoring systems. Completed a substation security assessment and currently prioritizing recommendations.
- Completed coordination of Utilities interconnection requirements at two of the City Garage Solar Projects (Bryant, Webster).
- Participated in and completed the California Public Utilities Commission Fire Map development process for the state of California.
- Assisted the Regional Water Quality Control Plant with assessment of their onsite 12kV electric system, including maintenance on switchgear and infrared inspection of equipment. Replaced one 60kV circuit breaker with one more in construction.

UTILITIES

- Customer-sited solar installations (projects in progress or completed), increased to nearly 14 megawatts in total by the end of 2017, equal to roughly 2% of load if all applications are completed. This included the commitment of nearly all of the capacity from the City's Palo Alto Clean Local Energy Accessible Now (CLEAN) program. Palo Alto was also recognized by the Solar Electric Power Association for installing the most solar per customer in the nation (both utility-scale and customer-sited).
- Fully-powered the carbon neutral electric portfolio with carbon-free energy from long-term contracted generating sources, without the need for short-term renewable energy credits, for the first time in 2017.

Initiatives

- Bring remaining solar projects online to bring Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS)-eligible renewable energy share of portfolio to 60% of retail sales from 2017 forward, with remaining energy supplied by carbon-free hydroelectric power.
- Establish new ten-year energy efficiency goals and new efficiency programs, including new behavioral savings and facility management training programs. Increase uptake for commercial efficiency programs.
- Seek City Council approval of an Electric Integrated Resource Plan for the 2019 through 2030 planning period.
- Continue to reduce barriers to building electrification and electric vehicle adoption, build on existing electrification programs, and evaluate new programs.
- Expand effort to lower greenhouse gas emissions through electrification of the transportation sector such as encouraging adoption of electric vehicles.
- Revisit strategy for promoting solar energy. Bring Palo Alto CLEAN projects online, evaluate sites for the community solar program, and complete a smooth transition from net metering to the replacement local generation compensation program once the net metering cap is reached.
- Continue to offer electric safety education presentations to school and community groups.
- Continue discussions on building a second transmission line to provide electric service to Palo Alto.
- Replace aging substation facilities and increase electric system capacity in the Colorado/ Hopkins/Quarry load areas to meet projected load growth.
- Improve efficiency of Utility Electric System with installation of Power Factor correction capacitor banks.
- Add new facilities to meet the electric loads proposed by the Veteran's Affairs Hospital for their site upgrades.
- Relocate/reconstruct City's electric and communication facilities as necessary to facilitate the electrification of the Caltrain system.
- Complete General Order 95,128 and 174 Inspection and Maintenance related to electrical overhead, underground and substation facilities.

- Rebuild underground facilities in District 20 (near Channing, Center, Hamilton, Lincoln)
- Complete the connection of new underground customer service conversions in Utility Underground District 47.
- Complete utility electric work for Utility Underground District 46 (near Charleston and El Camino Real).
- Complete the pole inspection and replacement program for each fiscal year.
- Continue to plan and replace electric facilities before they reach the end of their useful life to maintain high system reliability.
- Develop plans to ensure safe operation of the overhead electric system in the western foothills area.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Provide safe and reliable delivery of electric services to our customers.

Objectives:

- Develop a plan to complete a second electric transmission line source to improve service reliability.
- Provide exceptional system reliability.
- Reduce the backlog of infrastructure assets whose ages are beyond their useful lives.

GOAL 2

Increase environmental sustainability and promote efficient use of resources.

Objectives:

- Achieve the ten-year goal for electric energy efficiency of 5.7 percent of the electric load by 2027.
- Measure actual electric energy efficiency achievement.
- Continue to facilitate voluntary local solar installations through education and programs.

Key Performance Measures

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Goal	Support environ	Support environmental sustainability and promote efficient use of resources							
Objective	Achieve Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) of at least 52 percent by 2017.								
	FY 2016 Actuals								
Percent of retail electric sales volume provided by renewable supply resources under long-term PPAs	31.80% 51.00% 60.00% 51.00% 51.00%								
Description			City's retail elect hat are under lor						
Purpose	The California Renewable Energy Resources Act (SBX1-2) requires that utilities supply 33 percent of their total retail electric sales volume with eligible renewable energy resources by 2020. The City's internal target, established by the Longterm Electric Acquisition Plan (LEAP), was to meet at least 33 percent by 2015. In March 2013, the City also adopted a 100 percent carbon neutral electric supply portfolio target.								
Status	The City fully-powered the carbon neutral electric portfolio with carbon-free energy from long-term contracted generating sources, without the need for short-term renewable energy credits, for the first time in 2017.								

SYSTEM RELIABILITY

Goal	Provide safe and	d efficient deliver	y of electric service	ces to our custor	ners.				
Objective	Provide exceptional system reliability.								
	FY 2016 Actuals								
Average duration of customer outages in minutes as reported using industry guidelines	39.48	39.48 63.76 60.00 60.00 60.00							
Description		sures the numbe		OI) is a measure of the year that the					
Purpose	This information	will help Utilities	prioritize capital	p track of utility p and operating sp ts.					
Status	reliability can be improved without increasing costs. Despite continuous lineperson and system operator vacancies, the Electric Utility continues to meet the goal of average customer outages being 60 minutes or less in duration for the average customer by minimizing the number of outages and customers directly affected. This can be attributed to the Department's ongoing efforts for infrastructure replacement, outage isolation improvements, system maintenance, and improved response times.								

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY - SOLAR

Goal	Support environ	Support environmental sustainability and promote efficient use of resources.							
Objective	Increase the penetration of local solar installations.								
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed								
Cumulative installed capacity of photovoltaic (PV) systems measured in megawatts (MW)	7.70	7.70 8.70 13.50 11.40 14.90							
Description	This represents the cumulatively installed capacity of PV systems in Palo Alto, measured in MW. It includes PV systems installed prior to the passage of Senate Bill 1 (SB1), which enacts the Million Solar Roofs Initiative and expands upon the current California Solar Initiative (CSI) and the Energy Commission's New Solar Homes Partnership (NSHP).								
Purpose	commitment by MW of new PV s installations will electric generati percent carbon	The California Million Solar Roofs Bill (SB1) requires an expanded funding commitment by all California electric utilities, with a Statewide goal to add 3,000 MW of new PV systems over ten years. In addition to complying with state law, PV installations will benefit the environment and expand flexibility to Palo Alto's electric generation portfolio. This measure also supports the City achieving a 100 percent carbon neutral electric supply portfolio and meeting 4 percent of the City's electricity needs through solar by 2023.							
Status	Rebate funds for residential and commercial solar have been fully reserved well before the 2017 goal set by SB1. With the costs of PV systems steadily decreasing, along with the added incentive of available rebates, staff anticipates more residential and commercial construction projects to include installation of these systems.								

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of Customer Accounts (Electric)	29,304	29,616	29,300	29,600	29,600
Number of momentary outages	26	1	0	1	1
Percent of residents surveyed who rate the quality of the Electric Utility as "Good" or "Excellent"	86	87	88	88	88
Total Number of Outages	26	20	19	19	17

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Electric Fund	14,087,807	11,558,306	21,175,750	17,898,284	(3,277,466)	(15.5)%
Electric Administration	22,014,672	21,628,408	26,286,978	25,239,910	(1,047,068)	(4.0)%
Electric Customer Service	2,110,437	2,190,933	2,300,532	2,474,150	173,618	7.5%
Electric Demand Side Management	3,724,006	4,393,262	6,992,874	6,962,177	(30,697)	(0.4)%
Electric Engineering (Operating)	1,592,025	1,656,522	1,980,111	2,029,395	49,284	2.5%
Electric Operations and Maintenance	11,523,884	11,834,348	13,522,822	15,174,255	1,651,434	12.2%
Electric Resource Management	84,370,412	91,185,173	103,907,742	101,754,850	(2,152,892)	(2.1)%
Total	139,423,243	144,446,952	176,166,809	171,533,021	(4,633,788)	(2.6)%
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Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	1,767,659	1,897,689	2,270,685	2,403,978	133,293	5.9%
Other Benefits	325,666	234,198	323,575	329,347	5,771	1.8%
Overtime	978,506	946,401	492,003	504,795	12,792	2.6%
Pension	2,674,415	2,869,831	3,529,404	3,643,765	114,361	3.2%
Retiree Medical	1,417,176	1,537,263	1,617,277	1,555,185	(62,093)	(3.8)%
Salary	10,639,784	10,743,153	12,696,026	12,997,024	300,998	2.4%
Workers' Compensation	254,447	138,287	405,828	292,351	(113,477)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	18,057,652	18,366,822	21,334,799	21,726,445	391,646	1.8%
Allocated Charges	4,708,298	2,905,159	9,120,926	9,029,051	(91,875)	(1.0)%
Contract Services	3,670,436	4,445,291	6,849,914	7,743,680	893,766	13.0%
Debt Service	8,889,294	8,857,193	8,782,300	8,722,300	(60,000)	(0.7)%
Equity Transfer	11,659,000	12,035,000	12,754,000	12,709,000	(45,000)	(0.4)%
Facilities & Equipment	2,190	_	44,475	64,155	19,680	44.2%
General Expense	1,826,521	2,040,146	3,380,080	3,456,870	76,790	2.3%
Operating Transfers-Out	177,323	317,573	400,940	127,819	(273,121)	(68.1)%
Rents & Leases	5,301,644	5,449,402	5,603,447	5,893,136	289,688	5.2%
Supplies & Material	665,283	639,238	871,207	924,207	53,000	6.1%
Transfer to Infrastructure	273,476	189,972	_	_	_	-%
Utility Purchase	73,439,746	80,511,136	91,705,000	89,712,000	(1,993,001)	(2.2)%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Capital Improvement Program	10,752,379	8,690,020	15,319,720	11,424,359	(3,895,361)	(25.4)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	139,423,243	144,446,952	176,166,809	171,533,021	(4,633,788)	(2.6)%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	320,308	455,040	230,000	230,000	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	290,667	306,268	308,566	294,362	(14,204)	(4.6)%
Net Sales	110,604,293	129,124,526	136,139,180	145,448,843	9,309,663	6.8%
Operating Transfers-In	259,400	2,678,768	3,465,100	3,663,820	198,720	5.7%
Other Revenue	8,808,047	7,652,336	11,029,000	8,660,000	(2,369,000)	(21.5)%
Other Taxes and Fines	420,867	_	_	_	_	-%
Property Taxes	76	39	_	_	_	-%
Rental Income	_	5,000	_	_	_	-%
Return on Investments	2,039,748	1,800,584	2,507,700	2,507,700	_	-%
Total Revenues	122,743,405	142,022,560	153,679,546	160,804,725	7,125,179	4.6%
Positions by Division						
CIP Electric Fund	32.14	32.14	31.90	31.90	_	-%
Electric Customer Service	13.54	12.07	11.70	12.00	0.30	2.56%
Electric Demand Side Management	6.61	6.85	6.17	6.17	_	-%
Electric Engineering (Operating)	5.73	4.98	4.98	4.98	_	-%
Electric Operations and Maintenance	48.36	48.36	48.10	48.10	_	-%
Electric Resource Management	10.00	8.92	8.38	8.18	(0.20)	(2.39)%
Total	116.38	113.32	111.23	111.33	0.10	0.09%

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	0.26	0.33	0.31	0.31	-	22,475
Administrative Associate II	4.10	4.00	3.90	3.90	_	303,162
Assistant Director Administrative Services	0.15	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	40,227

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Assistant Director Utilities Customer Support Services	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	68,632
Assistant Director Utilities Engineering	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	77,958
Assistant Director Utilities Operations	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	_	115,228
Assistant Director Utilities/Resource Management	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	88,296
Business Analyst	2.89	2.04	1.94	1.60	(0.34)	244,375
Contracts Administrator	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	11,771
Coordinator Utilities Projects	1.80	1.55	1.55	1.55	_	147,139
Customer Service Representative	1.86	1.62	1.87	1.87	_	144,067
Customer Service Specialist	0.62	0.66	0.66	0.66	_	55,914
Customer Service Specialist-Lead	0.62	0.58	0.58	0.58	_	52,553
Electric Project Engineer	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	_	288,517
Electric Underground Inspector	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	206,984
Electric Underground Inspector- Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	110,682
Electrical Equipment Technician	_	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	94,483
Electrician Assistant I	4.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	246,313
Engineering Manager - Electric	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	_	99,459
Engineering Technician III	2.40	2.40	1.40	1.40	_	136,796
Heavy Equipment Operator	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	196,497
Inspector, Field Services	_	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	26,361
Lineperson/Cable Specialist	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	_	1,439,554
Lineperson/Cable Specialist-Lead	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	_	560,213
Manager Customer Service	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	44,019
Manager Electric Operations	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	155,792
Manager Treasury, Debt & Investments	_	0.30	0.30	0.30	_	43,181
Manager Utilities Compliance	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	25,091
Manager Utilities Credit & Collection	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	20,205
Manager Utilities Marketing Services	0.40	_	_	_	_	_
Manager Utilities Program Services	-	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	52,957

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Marketing Engineer	1.00	_	_	_	_	_
Meter Reader	2.41	1.99	1.99	1.99	_	144,002
Meter Reader-Lead	0.40	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	25,547
Metering Technician	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	_	370,131
Metering Technician-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	132,023
Offset Equipment Operator	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	_	33,140
Overhead Underground Troubleman	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	274,975
Power Engineer	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	_	320,856
Principal Business Analyst	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	_	49,122
Project Manager	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	_	76,315
Resource Planner	3.95	3.65	3.85	3.65	(0.20)	510,945
SCADA Technologist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	149,972
Senior Business Analyst	0.68	0.68	0.68	1.02	0.34	139,580
Senior Electrical Engineer	3.95	3.95	3.95	3.95	_	649,217
Senior Management Analyst	0.45	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	13,275
Senior Resource Planner	4.08	3.80	3.06	3.06	_	460,275
Senior Utilities Field Service Representative	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	11,417
Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber Technician	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	-	354,045
Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber- Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	126,276
Substation Electrician	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	_	708,065
Substation Electrician-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	275,540
Supervising Electric Project Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	138,445
Tree Maintenance Person	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	87,402
Utilities Compliance Technician	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	252,552
Utilities Compliance Technician- Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	135,102
Utilities Credit/Collection Specialist	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	186,663
Utilities Engineer Estimator	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25	_	396,797
Utilities Field Services Representative	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	53,364

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Utilities Key Account Representative	1.90	1.60	1.35	1.35	_	160,793
Utilities Locator	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	_	191,027
Utilities Marketing Program Administrator	2.25	1.90	1.60	1.90	0.30	214,977
Utilities Safety Officer	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	_	62,531
Utilities Supervisor	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	_	689,874
Utilities System Operator	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	_	701,469
Utility Engineering Estimator - Lead	_	_	1.00	1.00	_	131,470
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	112.02	108.18	107.12	107.22	0.10	13,346,083
Temporary/Hourly	4.37	5.15	4.11	4.11	_	361,475
Total Positions	116.38	113.32	111.23	111.33	0.10	13,707,558

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Electric Fund
Prior Year Budget	111.23	176,166,809	153,679,545	22,487,264
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(353,620)	_	(353,620)
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	-	(353,620)	-	(353,620)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salaries and Benefits Adjustments	_	508,152	_	508,152
Net-zero Utilities Staffing Realignment (increase of 0.3 FTE Utilities Marketing Program Administrator positions; decrease of 0.2 FTE Resource Planner position)	0.10	_	-	_
Electric Commodity Purchases Expenditure	_	2,053,001	_	2,053,001
Rents & Leases Expenditure	_	169,119	_	169,119
Bank Card Transaction Fee	_	80,000	_	80,000
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	36,855	_	36,855
Palo Alto Green Gas Program Sales Revenue	_	_	(17,491)	17,491
Custodial Contract Funding	_	(2,923)	_	(2,923)
Management Development Funding	_	(5,350)	_	(5,350)
Equity Transfer to the General Fund (FY 2019 Projected)	_	(45,000)	_	(45,000)
Aerial Trucks Leasing	_	_	120,569	(120,569)
Transfer to Technology Fund (TE-05000 Radio Infrastructure Replacement)	_	(149,626)	_	(149,626)
Transfer from the General Fund (for Traffic Signal and Streetlight Electric Costs)	_	_	208,151	(208,151)
Capital Improvement Funding	_	(7,841,136)	(2,499,000)	(5,342,136)
Electric Customer Sales Revenue (8% Rate Increase)	_	_	9,312,951	(9,312,951)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	(764,220)	_	(764,220)
Engineering & Inspection Service Allocated Charges	_	197	_	197
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	41,774	_	41,774
Ground Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	2,826	_	2,826
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	(13,708)	_	(13,708)
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	451	_	451
Utilities Administration Allocated Charges	_	676,479	_	676,479

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Electric Fund
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	(21,398)	_	(21,398)
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	18,927	_	18,927
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(29,753)	_	(29,753)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(116,506)	_	(116,506)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	0.10	(5,401,839)	7,125,180	(12,527,019)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	111.33	170,411,350	160,804,725	9,606,625
Budget Proposals				
1 Electric Overhead Maintenance Contract	_	937,814	_	937,814
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	183,857	_	183,857
3 Reclassification of Business Analyst to Senior Business Analyst	_	6,797	_	6,797
Budget Changes	-	1,121,671	_	1,121,671
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	111.33	171,533,021	160,804,725	10,728,296





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Electric Fund
1 Electric Overhead Maintenance Contract	0.00	937,814	0	937,814

This action augments funding to allow capacity for an electric overhead maintenance contract. In recent years, the Electric Operations Division has experienced staffing shortages in lineman positions due to retirements, employee disabilities, and a lack of qualified candidates to fill vacant positions. In FY 2015, the City entered into a contract to provide support for both maintenance and capital improvement projects; however, this contract ended prematurely. With the staffing shortage issue persisting, the department will work to seek City Council approval of a multi-year contract until staffing stabilizes. Additional funding of \$938,000 will increase appropriated funds when combined with vacancy savings to support \$1.5 million contract services support annually. With the need for the contract primarily driven by staffing shortages, the department will reassess the situation for FY 2021 to determine if this contract will continue to be needed. (Ongoing costs: \$937,814)

Performance Results





This contract will allow the department to ensure necessary maintenance work is performed to avoid potential costly fixes down the road and ensure the electric utility service remain reliable.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

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This action transfers \$183,857 from the Electric Funds to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental pension trust fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Electric Funds' annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental pension trust will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

3	Reclassification of Business Analyst to Senior
	Business Analyst

0.00

6,797

6,797

This action reclassifies 1.0 Business Analyst to 1.0 Senior Business Analyst in the Utilities Department to align with current staffing levels and assignments. Duties assigned to this position were evaluated through the appropriate processes with the Employee Relations Division in the Human Resources Department and a settlement was reached in February 2018. This action aligns authorized staffing levels with this settlement agreement which determined the Senior Business Analysts was more commensurate with the duties assigned. (Ongoing costs: \$6,597)

Performance Results



This action ensures the table of organization is adjusted to reflect the employee relations settlement action.

FIBER OPTICS FUND

Description

In 1996, the City built a dark fiber ring around Palo Alto that would be capable of supporting multiple network developers and service providers with significant growth potential. The fiber backbone network was routed to pass by and provide access to key City facilities and the Palo Alto business community, including research centers and commercial properties.

Dark fiber optics service consists of providing the fiber optics cabling, splice points, service connections, and other infrastructure providing high-capacity bandwidth needed to transport large quantities of data. It does not include the transmitters, receivers, or data itself, which are owned and operated by each customer.

Accomplishments

- Continued the rebuild of the City's dark fiber-optic network to improve network performance and enable future expansion opportunities for licensing dark fiber to commercial firms and anchor institutions. Rebuild work completed: The fiber route from Palo Alto Internet Exchange at 529 Bryant Street to the Park Boulevard Substation. This phase of the project included substructure work, fiber pulling and cabinet installation.
- Completed installation of fiber optic service connections for the Department of Public Works to monitor pump stations and creek levels at 17 locations.
- Completed project design to install approximately 3,020 linear feet of fiber-optic conduit and 4 pull boxes on University Avenue.
- Issued a request for proposal to develop a business case for a Fiber-to-the-Node (FTTN) network for fiber and broadband expansion, including an expansion option to build citywide Fiber-to-the-Premises (FTTP).

Initiatives

Provide high-quality and competitively-priced fiber optic utility services to City departments and commercial customers in the City of Palo Alto.

- Continue Capital Improvement Projects to upgrade the City's dark fiber network to enhance network capacity to enable future expansion opportunities for licensing dark fiber for commercial purposes.
- Evaluate new opportunities to expand the existing commercial dark fiber customer base in other business sectors (e.g. licensing dark fiber to the mobile service operator for network backhaul links for small cell deployments).
- Develop a plan to ensure the retention of commercial dark fiber customers due to anticipated changes in the market for business broadband services.
- Retain a management consultant to develop a business case for a FTTN network and prepare a high-level network design. Based on the findings and recommendations in the business case, engage an engineering firm to design a FTTN network, including an expansion option to build a citywide FTTP network.
- Develop policies and ordinances to support the expansion of broadband in Palo Alto and to preserve City street conditions and other critical infrastructure (e.g. Dig Once, Microtrenching and One Touch Make Ready).
- Install public Wi-Fi to unserved City facilities at Cubberley, Lucie Stern, and Golf Course.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Increase the value of fiber utility services to customers.

Objectives:

- Provide high-quality and competitively-priced fiber optic utility services to City departments and commercial customers in the City of Palo Alto.
- Manage costs and add new dark fiber license agreements with commercial customers.

GOAL 2

Improve capacity and reliability of the Dark Fiber system.

Objectives:

- Ensure sufficient fiber optic cables are available to meet future customer needs.
- Make system enhancements to prevent damage from outside sources and improve reliability.

Key Performance Measures

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION

Goal	Provide exceller	Provide excellent customer service.						
Objective	Provide high-quality and competitively-priced fiber optic utility services to City Departments and commercial customers in the City of Palo Alto.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Number of commercial fiber connections completed	219	228	223	233	238			
Description	This measure shows the growth of the Fiber Enterprise based on customers and connections. Some customers have multiple fiber connections at various locations.							
Purpose	The purpose of this measure is to add value to companies doing business in Palo Alto by providing a cost-effective, world class telecommunications system. The goal is to build out and fully leverage the fiber network to add value to the business and other communities as needed.							
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Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of customer accounts	108	110	105	108	110
Number of Wholesale re-sellers	10	12	14	13	14

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Fiber Optics Fund	634,258	458,664	1,652,838	1,650,000	(2,838)	(0.2)%
Fiber Optics Administration	177,369	174,885	788,590	763,546	(25,044)	(3.2)%
Fiber Optics Customer Service	402,806	515,324	1,128,287	1,170,484	42,197	3.7%
Fiber Optics Operations and Maintenance	1,360,167	1,236,236	574,757	596,169	21,412	3.7%
Total	2,574,599	2,385,108	4,144,473	4,180,199	35,726	0.9%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	129,998	150,743	159,128	163,151	4,023	2.5%
Other Benefits	20,292	18,999	24,978	26,007	1,029	4.1%
Overtime	7,863	11,593	24,244	24,874	630	2.6%
Pension	168,158	209,591	231,718	251,105	19,387	8.4%
Salary	805,524	825,396	893,674	955,812	62,138	7.0%
Workers' Compensation	_	1,166	26,440	19,047	(7,393)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	1,131,834	1,217,489	1,360,182	1,439,997	79,814	5.9%
Allocated Charges	475,985	438,939	616,772	590,597	(26,175)	(4.2)%
Contract Services	193,240	134,006	458,300	454,646	(3,654)	(0.8)%
Facilities & Equipment	_	-	-	2,457	2,457	-%
General Expense	3,982	3,161	14,000	13,900	(100)	(0.7)%
Operating Transfers-Out	103,818	103,915	122,837	113,684	(9,152)	(7.5)%
Rents & Leases	71,650	73,038	76,914	79,326	2,412	3.1%
Supplies & Material	6,323	-	9,000	9,000	-	-%
Transfer to Infrastructure	17,141	13,756	_	_	_	-%
Capital Improvement Program	570,626	400,805	1,486,468	1,476,592	(9,877)	(0.7)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	2,574,599	2,385,108	4,144,473	4,180,199	35,726	0.9%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	25,702	28,052	_	_	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	5,300	_	_	_	_	-%
Net Sales	4,474,071	4,526,098	4,890,810	4,989,512	98,702	2.0%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Other Revenue	1,417	1,181	200,000	200,000	_	-%
Return on Investments	443,557	499,412	366,400	366,400	_	-%
Total Revenues	4,950,048	5,054,743	5,457,210	5,555,912	98,702	1.8%
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Positions by Division						
CIP Fiber Optics Fund	0.79	0.79	0.79	0.79	_	-%
Fiber Optics Customer Service	2.84	2.90	3.68	3.68	_	-%
Fiber Optics Operations and Maintenance	3.13	3.13	3.13	3.13	_	-%
Total	6.76	6.82	7.60	7.60	_	-%

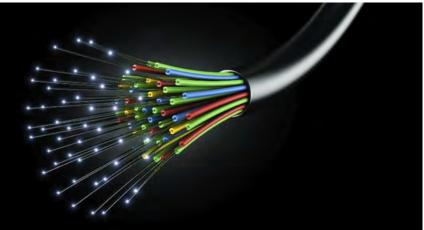
Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Administrative Associate II	-	0.10	0.20	0.20	-	15,547
Assistant Director Utilities Customer Support Services	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	34,316
Assistant Director Utilities Engineering	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	-	9,745
Business Analyst	0.10	0.20	0.30	0.30	_	45,820
Electric Project Engineer	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	_	7,398
Manager Utilities Compliance	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	16,727
Manager Utilities Credit & Collection	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	53,880
Manager Utilities Marketing Services	0.20	_	-	_	_	_
Manager Utilities Program Services	_	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	26,478
Manager Utilities Telecommunications	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	137,488
Power Engineer	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	55,801
Senior Electrical Engineer	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	_	8,146
Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber Technician	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	236,030
Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber- Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	126,276

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Utilities Key Account Representative	0.60	0.70	0.80	0.80	_	95,285
Utilities Locator	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	_	2,939
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	6.18	6.48	6.78	6.78	-	871,877
Temporary/Hourly	0.58	0.34	0.82	0.82	_	78,071
Total Positions	6.76	6.82	7.60	7.60	_	949,948

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Fiber Optics Fund
Prior Year Budget	7.60	4,144,473	5,457,210	(1,312,737)
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(22,250)	_	(22,250)
Transfer to Technology Fund (TE-10001 Utilities Customer Billing Software Replacement)	_	350	_	350
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(21,900)	_	(21,900)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salaries and Benefits Adjustment	_	87,404	_	87,404
Fiber Optics Revenue	_	_	(101,298)	101,298
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	2,457	_	2,457
Rents and Leases Expenditure	_	2,412	_	2,412
Management Development Funding	_	(100)	_	(100)
Custodial Contract Funding	_	(3,654)	_	(3,654)
Capital Improvement Funding	_	(9,857)	200,000	(209,857)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	(69,977)	_	(69,977)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	2,722	_	2,722
Utilities Administration Allocated Charges	_	43,086	_	43,086
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(1,938)	_	(1,938)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(7,590)	_	(7,590)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	44,964	98,702	(53,738)
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	7.60	4,167,537	5,555,912	(1,388,375)
Budget Proposals				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	12,661	_	12,661
Budget Changes	_	12,661	_	12,661
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	7.60	4,180,199	5,555,912	(1,375,713)





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Fiber Optics Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	12,661	0	12,661

This action transfers \$12,661 from the Fiber Optics Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental Pension Trust Fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Fiber Optics Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing net costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental Pension Trust Fund will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

GAS FUND

Description

The municipal natural gas system began operations in 1917 when Palo Alto acquired a privately-owned gas business. During the early years, gas was manufactured from coal tar. This was replaced in the 1920s by natural gas from Pacific Gas and Electric. Today, gas is purchased from several sources. The Gas Utility services include Crossbore Safety, Gas Main Replacements, and Home Energy Audits. The Gas utility infrastructure and its crews maintains an excellent safety record. The gas fund is responsible for planning, designing, budgeting, and constructing major capital improvements to the City's gas distribution system.

Accomplishments

- Adopted a Carbon Neutral Gas Plan to buy carbon offsets equal to Palo Alto's annual gas use as a transitional measure while we focus on reducing natural gas use. Established a partnership with a non-governmental organization in the City of Palo Alto's Sister City of Oaxaca, Mexico to fund forestry carbon offsets to fulfill some of the program's offset needs. Purchased the remaining needed offsets from a U.S. forestry and U.S. dairy waste digester
- Completed the design of a Gas Main Replacement (GMR) 22 project for the downtown area to replace approximately 19,500 linear feet of gas main pipelines and 1,400 service pipelines.
- Completed the gas pipe coating project for exposed pipe at bridge crossings.
- Completed the security camera project at Gas Receiving Stations 1, 2, and 4.
- Started on the design of the Acrylonitrile Butadien Styrene (ABS)/tenite service replacement project to replace approximately 160 gas service pipelines at various locations.

Initiatives

- Complete design and start construction of the ABS/tenite service replacement project to replace approximately 220 gas service pipelines at various locations.
- Install 19,440 linear feet of gas main pipelines and 367 service pipelines on University Avenue and various streets in the Downtown District for the Upgrade Downtown and Gas Main Replacement (GMR) 22 projects.

- Implement Phase II of the Crossbore Gas Safety Program to inspect high priority sanitary sewer laterals.
- Complete the gas cost of service study; the previous study was conducted in 2012.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Provide safe and efficient delivery of natural gas to our customers.

Objectives:

- Continue repairing 100 percent of laterals damaged by crossbore within 24 hours.
- Remove and replace the remaining ABS pipe from the gas system.
- Complete a walking gas leak survey for 50 percent of the City and a mobile gas leak survey of services in business districts and 100 percent of the City's gas mains on an annual basis.

GOAL 2

Increase environmental sustainability and promote efficient use of natural gas resources.

Objectives:

- Ten-year goal for natural gas efficiency is a reduction in expected gas use of 2.85 percent by 2023 (base year 2013).
- Reduce the carbon intensity of the gas portfolio in accordance with the Sustainability and Climate Action Plan (S/CAP) using offsets.

Key Performance Measures

GAS LEAKS REPAIRED

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Goal	Provide safe and	Provide safe and efficient delivery of natural gas to customers.						
Objective	Respond to and repair all Grade 1 gas leaks immediately.							
	FY 2016 Actuals							
Percentage of Grade 1 leaks responded to within 24 hours	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
Description	and mobile (veh City's policy is to are hazardous le	iicle) surveys and o respond and re eaks that pose al	l any reported lea pair Grade 1 leak n immediate haza	l leaks found dur lks classified as C s within 24 hours ard to persons or onger hazardous	Grade 1. The c. Grade 1 leaks property and			
Purpose	gas concentration	on, potential for o	concentration, igr	location, extent nition sources, ar grades are intend	nd potential			
Status		ons responds imr epending on the		de 1 leaks. The avoid of the gas leak.	verage repair			

GAS SAFETY

Goal	Provide safe and efficient delivery of natural gas to our customers.							
Objective	Complete a walking gas leak survey for 50 percent of the City and a mobile gas leak survey of services in business districts and 100 percent of the City's gas mains on an annual basis.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Percentage of gas system surveyed by walking	100%	0%	100%	100%	100%			
Percentage of gas system surveyed by mobile (vehicle)	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
Description	covers one-half service lines) ever reviewed in a two regulations requivalking survey,	y is conducted to of the City (appro ery year, so that t ro-year period. The ire a survey of the a mobile (vehicle) the business dis	eximately 105 mil the entire City's g ne Federal Depar e entire City once survey of all gas	es of gas mains a gas service syster tment of Transpo every five years. mains and some	and 36 miles of m can be ortation (DOT) In addition to a			
Purpose	To ensure the safety of all who live and work in Palo Alto and to comply with Federal DOT requirements.							
Status	leaks in a timely		•	, ,	overed gas			
	The department	did not perform	a walking survey	in 2017.				

INCREASE ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY AND PROMOTE EFFICIENT USE OF NATURAL GAS RESOURCES

Goal	Support environmental sustainability and promote efficient use of natural gas resources.							
Objective	Ten-year goals for natural gas are a reduction in expected gas use of 2.85 percent by 2023 (2013 base year).							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Natural gas savings achieved annually through efficiency programs	286,317	228,707	287,000	287,000	301,000			
Description	The department measures specific savings achieved from the installation of natural gas efficiency improvements, which are tracked through energy efficiency incentive programs. The Department can also track overall savings by customer class. Much of the non-residential savings were achieved through third party contractors who help large customers give their buildings a tune-up known as retrocommissioning.							
Purpose	The carbon intensity of the natural gas portfolio is a function of where and how the gas is acquired and how much of it is burned in use. Improving gas efficiency directly reduces the gas-related carbon footprint in Palo Alto.							
Status	FY 2017 gas efficiency savings were above the annual target for the tenth year in a row. As the cost of gas decreases, the Department anticipates a decline in the type of large commercial gas savings projects that made up the majority of this year's savings.							

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of Customer Accounts (Gas)	23,467	23,637	23,460	23,460	23,637
Number of gas leaks repaired	109	82	50	24	50

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Gas Fund	3,298,187	2,694,478	6,052,844	5,417,183	(635,661)	(10.5)%
Gas Administration	9,729,505	10,476,335	12,283,724	12,182,201	(101,524)	(0.8)%
Gas Customer Service	1,364,272	1,440,930	1,693,417	1,779,485	86,067	5.1%
Gas Demand Side Management	565,553	855,204	1,593,290	1,547,073	(46,217)	(2.9)%
Gas Engineering (Operating)	425,602	354,827	567,176	561,931	(5,245)	(0.9)%
Gas Operations and Maintenance	4,158,721	4,321,176	5,550,022	6,632,739	1,082,717	19.5%
Gas Resource Management	8,599,212	13,129,316	16,185,726	15,398,027	(787,699)	(4.9)%
Total	28,141,053	33,272,265	43,926,200	43,518,639	(407,561)	(0.9)%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	819,155	905,632	1,053,572	1,089,891	36,320	3.4%
Other Benefits	136,962	94,385	149,353	153,760	4,407	3.0%
Overtime	325,581	241,406	188,249	193,144	4,894	2.6%
Pension	1,116,780	1,234,331	1,511,446	1,571,349	59,903	4.0%
Retiree Medical	543,452	594,708	625,662	667,617	41,955	6.7%
Salary	3,603,977	3,484,177	5,406,444	5,569,839	163,395	3.0%
Workers' Compensation	64,978	101,734	173,330	124,864	(48,466)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	6,610,886	6,656,373	9,108,056	9,370,463	262,407	2.9%
Allocated Charges	2,550,031	2,771,186	3,938,355	4,441,226	502,871	12.8%
Contract Services	573,304	896,927	1,446,000	2,463,313	1,017,313	70.4%
Debt Service	248,930	226,747	802,615	802,615	_	-%
Equity Transfer	6,194,000	6,726,000	6,733,000	6,563,000	(170,000)	(2.5)%
Facilities & Equipment	_	-	19,790	19,039	(751)	(3.8)%
General Expense	348,019	465,031	780,274	769,134	(11,140)	(1.4)%
Operating Transfers-Out	375,638	457,658	899,639	640,642	(258,997)	(28.8)%
Rents & Leases	688,649	713,115	728,615	759,870	31,254	4.3%
Supplies & Material	445,378	324,485	497,216	488,816	(8,400)	(1.7)%
Transfer to Infrastructure	100,119	71,969	_	_	_	-%
Utility Purchase	8,127,485	12,562,932	15,586,773	14,671,556	(915,217)	(5.9)%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Capital Improvement Program	1,878,613	1,399,844	3,385,866	2,528,965	(856,901)	(25.3)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	28,141,053	33,272,265	43,926,200	43,518,639	(407,561)	(0.9)%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	20,982	24,303	20,000	20,000	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	216,628	219,023	95,587	98,072	2,486	2.6%
Net Sales	29,021,397	35,214,383	34,740,465	36,160,635	1,420,170	4.1%
Other Revenue	984,314	957,753	1,060,510	1,091,935	31,425	3.0%
Return on Investments	448,615	506,216	526,300	526,300	_	-%
Total Revenues	30,691,936	36,921,679	36,442,861	37,896,942	1,454,080	4.0%
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Positions by Division						
CIP Gas Fund	17.10	17.10	15.80	15.80	_	-%
Gas Customer Service	8.41	8.78	9.03	9.13	0.10	1.11%
Gas Demand Side Management	0.34	1.34	1.94	1.54	(0.40)	(20.62)%
Gas Engineering (Operating)	1.15	1.40	1.40	1.40	_	-%
Gas Operations and Maintenance	22.38	22.43	23.98	24.14	0.16	0.67%
Gas Resource Management	2.77	1.50	0.96	1.66	0.70	72.99%
Total	52.16	52.55	53.11	53.67	0.56	1.06%

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	0.26	0.23	0.23	0.23	_	16,675
Administrative Associate II	0.65	0.75	0.85	0.85	_	66,074
Assistant Director Administrative Services	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	_	10,057
Assistant Director Utilities Customer Support Services	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	34,316
Assistant Director Utilities Engineering	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	38,979
Assistant Director Utilities Operations	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	28,807

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Assistant Director Utilities/Resource Management	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	-	44,148
Business Analyst	0.83	1.28	1.48	1.15	(0.33)	175,644
Cathodic Protection Technician Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	105,001
Cathodic Technician	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	128,908
Cement Finisher	0.25	0.25	0.68	0.68	_	64,093
Contracts Administrator	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	11,771
Coordinator Utilities Projects	1.51	1.26	1.26	1.26	_	142,864
Customer Service Representative	1.50	1.62	1.87	1.87	_	144,067
Customer Service Specialist	0.50	0.68	0.68	0.68	_	57,608
Customer Service Specialist-Lead	0.50	0.58	0.58	0.58	_	52,553
Engineer	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	261,350
Engineering Manager - Electric	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	27,125
Engineering Manager - WGW	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	51,885
Engineering Technician III	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	_	68,398
Equipment Operator	0.43	0.43	_	_	_	_
Gas and Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician	_	-	3.20	3.20	_	335,418
Gas and Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician - Lead	_	_	0.80	0.80	_	89,730
Gas System Technician	2.00	_	_	_	_	_
Gas System Technician II	0.90	2.90	_	_	_	_
Heavy Equipment Operator	2.57	2.52	2.52	2.52	_	247,586
Heavy Equipment Operator - Install/Repair	_	0.65	0.65	0.65	_	67,355
Inspector, Field Services	1.17	1.42	1.42	1.42	_	149,730
Maintenance Mechanic-Welding	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	104,895
Manager Customer Service	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	44,019
Manager Treasury, Debt & Investments	_	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	14,394
Manager Utilities Compliance	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	41,818
Manager Utilities Credit & Collection	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	20,205
Manager Utilities Marketing Services	0.20	_	_	_	_	_

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Manager Utilities Operations WGW	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	31,683
Manager Utilities Program Services	_	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	26,478
Meter Reader	1.92	1.98	1.98	1.98	-	143,278
Meter Reader-Lead	0.32	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	25,547
Principal Business Analyst	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	-	47,677
Program Assistant I	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	26,026
Project Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	140,646
Resource Planner	0.95	0.65	(0.05)	0.65	0.70	90,990
Restoration Lead	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	_	44,063
SCADA Technologist	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	29,994
Senior Business Analyst	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.99	0.33	135,475
Senior Engineer	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70	_	390,235
Senior Management Analyst	0.05	-	-	_	_	_
Senior Mechanic	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	36,343
Senior Resource Planner	0.77	0.30	0.46	0.46	_	67,898
Senior Utilities Field Service Representative	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.41	_	46,808
Substation Electrician	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	12,874
Supervisor Inspection Services	0.29	_	_	_	_	_
Utilities Engineer Estimator	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	_	102,036
Utilities Field Services Representative	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	_	186,774
Utilities Install Repair-Lead-Welding Certified	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	_	151,109
Utilities Install Repair-Welding Certified	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	_	195,343
Utilities Install/Repair	4.45	3.85	3.85	3.85	_	400,676
Utilities Install/Repair Assistant	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	_	57,374
Utilities Install/Repair-Lead	1.98	1.98	1.98	1.98	_	208,183
Utilities Key Account Representative	0.35	0.45	0.50	0.50	_	59,553
Utilities Locator	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29	_	28,409
Utilities Marketing Program Administrator	0.35	0.70	1.00	0.70	(0.30)	79,202
Utilities Safety Officer	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	22,739

UTILITIES

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Utilities Supervisor	2.08	2.37	2.37	2.37	_	273,403
Water System Operator II	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.66	_	64,818
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	49.03	49.68	51.14	51.54	0.40	5,771,109
Temporary/Hourly	3.13	2.88	1.97	2.13	0.16	125,669
Total Positions	52.16	52.55	53.11	53.67	0.56	5,896,778

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Gas Fund
Prior Year Budget	53.11	43,926,200	36,442,862	7,483,338
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(148,937)	_	(148,937)
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(148,937)	_	(148,937)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	I			
Salaries and Benefits Adjustments	_	312,167	_	312,167
Net-zero Utilities Staffing Realignment (increase of 0.7 FTE Resource Planner and 0.16 FTE Journey Level Laborer - H positions; decrease of 0.3 FTE Utilities Marketing Program Administrator positions)	0.56	_	_	_
Rents & Leases Expenditure	_	19,254	_	19,254
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	17,199	_	17,199
Transfer to Water Fund (WS-02014 - Water, Gas, Wastewater Utility GIS Data)	_	13,421	_	13,421
Management Development Funding	_	(3,470)	_	(3,470)
Custodial Contract Funding	_	(5,037)	_	(5,037)
Transfer to Technology Fund (TE-05000 Radio Infrastructure Replacement)	_	(58,311)	_	(58,311)
Transfer to Electric Fund (EL-11014 - Smart Grid Technology Installation)	_	(120,000)	_	(120,000)
Equity Transfer to General Fund (FY 2019 Projected)	_	(170,000)	_	(170,000)
Capital Improvement Funding	_	(889,344)	31,425	(920,769)
Gas Commodity Purchases Expenditure	_	(915,217)	189,751	(1,104,968)
Gas Customer Sales Revenue (4% Rate Increase)	_	_	1,232,904	(1,232,904)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	123,078	_	123,078
Engineering & Inspection Services Allocated Charges	_	119	_	119
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	17,842	_	17,842
Ground Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	1,871	_	1,871
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	12,696	_	12,696
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	8	_	8
Street Cut Allocated Charges	_	1,034	_	1,034
Utilities Administration Allocated Charges	_	351,528	_	351,528
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	56	_	56

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Gas Fund
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	9,042	-	9,042
General Liability Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(12,708)	_	(12,708)
Workers' Compensation Savings (One-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(49,760)	_	(49,760)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	0.56	(1,344,531)	1,454,080	(2,798,611)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	53.67	42,432,732	37,896,942	4,535,790
Budget Proposals				
Crossbore Gas Safety Program - Phase II Contract	_	1,000,000	_	1,000,000
2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	79,311	_	79,311
3 Reclassification of Business Analyst to Senior Business Analyst	_	6,597	_	6,597
Budget Changes	_	1,085,908	_	1,085,908
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	53.67	43,518,639	37,896,942	5,621,698





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Gas Fund
Crossbore Gas Safety Program - Phase II Contract	0.00	1,000,000	0	1,000,000

This action increases funding in contract services for Phase II of the Crossbore Safety Program. Launched in FY 2012, this program ensures that there are no natural gas lines inadvertently installed or cross bored through sewer laterals as these setups can lead to potentially hazardous situations. In Phase I, approximately 40% of total laterals (7,000 out of 18,000) were inspected and cleared. Phase II of the program will inspect and repair approximately 2,000 sewer laterals that have been categorized as high-risk cross bores. Phase II is expected to cost between \$3 million to \$4 million and will take 3 to 4 years to complete. (Ongoing costs: \$1,000,000)

Performance Results





Proactively examining and repairing crossbores will prevent potentially hazardous situations such as gas leaks in the future.

2 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution

0.00

79,311

79,311

This action transfers \$79,311 from the Gas Funds to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental Pension Trust Fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Gas Funds' annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental Pension Trust Fund will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

3 Reclassification of Business Analyst to Senior Business Analyst	0.00	6,597	0	6,597
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This action reclassifies 1.0 Business Analyst to 1.0 Senior Business Analyst in the Utilities Department to align with current staffing levels and assignments. Duties assigned to this position were evaluated through the appropriate processes with the Employee Relations Division in the Human Resources Department and a settlement was reached in February 2018. This action aligns authorized staffing levels with this settlement agreement which determined the Senior Business Analysts was more commensurate with the duties assigned. (Ongoing costs: \$6,597)

Performance Results



This action ensures the table of organization is adjusted to reflect the employee relations settlement action.

WASTEWATER **COLLECTION FUND**

Description

In 1898, Palo Alto approved \$28,000 in bond money to fund construction of the City's first sewer network, which was completed in 1899. Private cesspools and privies were banned, and the City Health Officer had residents connected to the sewer system within a few years.

Wastewater Collection's staff is responsible for design, construction, operation, and maintenance of approximately 216 miles of sewer mains and over 18,000 City-owned laterals. Staff continues overlapping the design and construction elements of rehabilitation and augmentation projects. Wastewater Collection's priorities are: maintaining infrastructure reliability; identifying problems in mains and service laterals through expanded use of video technology; complying with all regulatory requirements; and maintaining its excellent safety record.

Accomplishments

Substantially completed two major capital improvement projects for the sanitary sewer system (Sanitary Sewer Replacement (SSR) projects 24, 25, 26 and 27). This accounts for approximately 42,485 linear feet of sanitary sewer mains, 659 sewer laterals and 114 manholes in University South, Professorville and Old Palo Alto neighborhoods for SSR 24/ 25/26; and approximately 15,151 linear feet of wastewater main pipelines, 247 lateral pipelines and 42 manholes in Downtown North, Crescent Park, Community Center and Duveneck/St. Francis neighborhoods for SSR 27.

Initiatives

Conduct a cost of service study for wastewater collection; the previous study was completed in 2011.

- Implement Phase II of the Crossbore Gas Safety Program to inspect high priority sanitary sewer laterals.
- Begin design of SSR project 28 to replace approximately 21,000 linear feet of sewer main pipelines in the Charleston Meadows and Leland Manor/Garland neighborhoods.
- Acquire and deploy proven systems management technologies and replace a legacy sewer and sanitary overflow tracking software.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Maintain and provide reliable and cost-effective wastewater services to customers.

Objectives:

- Clean and maintain sewer mains in commercial areas on a quarterly basis.
- Clean and video a minimum of 17%, or 3,060, of the City-owned laterals annually to comply with City's Sewer Overflow Reduction Plan.
- Maintain a low level of inflow and infiltration of saltwater into the City's wastewater system.
- Maintain the integrity of the City's wastewater collection system by replacing mains and laterals as identified in the Wastewater Collection System Rehabilitation/Augmentation Capital Improvement Project plan.
- Minimize Sanitary Sewer Overflows and stoppages.
- Maintain a fleet of dependable vehicles to provide high quality cleaning and servicing of the sewer system.

Key Performance Measures

MAINTAIN AND PROVIDE RELIABLE SERVICES

Goal	Maintain and provide a reliable wastewater system to customers.							
Objective	Inspect and clean 100 percent of the sewer mains in commercial areas on a quarterly basis. Clean and video a minimum of 17 percent of the City-owned laterals annually to comply with the City's Sewer Overflow Reduction Plan.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed							
Number of miles of sewer lines cleaned/treated in a fiscal year	133	61	145	132	75			
Percentage of sewer laterals inspected annually	17%	19%	18%	19%	18%			
Description	improve the cor and provide app sanitary sewer of collection system inspections and closed-circuit te	ndition of the colle propriate sewer coverflows. The go m every 30 mont I maintenance of elevision (CCTV) in al inspection prog	ection system inf capacity; and min bal is to perform s hs (81.6 miles pe 17 percent of Cinspection data, in	Plan (SSMP) is to rastructure; contrimize the number sewer main cleanier year). This meaty-owned laterals noluding results cower mains and lo	rol infiltration, r and impact of ng of the entire sures annually using of the on-going			
Purpose		kage, sewer over ains must be clea		nply with the City' onths.	s SSMP, all the			
Status	The City is meeting the objectives of its SSMP; through the implementation of ar aggressive sewer main cleaning, the number of blockages and overflows has decreased. The division is on target to complete inspection of 19%, or 3,447, laterals of 18,141 in the City.							

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Number of Customer Accounts (Wastewater)	22,016	22,216	22,010	22,010	22,010
Number of sewage overflows in a fiscal year	95	100	65	80	63
Percent of sewage spill responses within two hours	100%	94%	100%	98%	100%
Percent of surveyed residents rating the quality of the Sewer Service as good/excellent	88%	88%	88%	88%	89%
Percent of miles of sewer lines replaced	1.50%	1.20%	1.50%	1.50%	1.50%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division						
CIP Wastewater Collection Fund	5,300,945	10,265,576	2,188,157	6,631,085	4,442,928	203.0%
Wastewater Collection Administration	1,962,889	2,379,821	2,847,999	2,708,907	(139,092)	(4.9)%
Wastewater Collection Customer Service	255,586	274,932	301,679	332,034	30,354	10.1%
Wastewater Collection Engineering (Operating)	347,062	291,893	480,976	479,537	(1,439)	(0.3)%
Wastewater Collection Operations and Maintenance	11,405,108	11,149,370	13,354,992	13,783,976	428,984	3.2%
Total	19,271,590	24,361,592	19,173,803	23,935,539	4,761,736	24.8%
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	519,724	541,581	667,936	621,177	(46,759)	(7.0)%
Other Benefits	67,991	50,285	76,568	78,258	1,690	2.2%
Overtime	271,686	250,958	147,159	150,985	3,826	2.6%
Pension	606,146	673,275	838,155	867,095	28,940	3.5%
Retiree Medical	124,755	136,521	143,626	259,629	116,003	80.8%
Salary	2,332,607	2,741,131	2,968,946	3,050,134	81,188	2.7%
Workers' Compensation	22,645	31,589	95,475	68,779	(26,697)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	3,945,556	4,425,340	4,937,866	5,096,057	158,191	3.2%
Allocated Charges	936,248	918,413	2,607,743	2,600,579	(7,163)	(0.3)%
Contract Services	171,722	114,936	247,640	248,986	1,346	0.5%
Debt Service	46,777	42,568	129,001	129,001	-	-%
Facilities & Equipment	_	214	3,000	12,828	9,828	327.6%
General Expense	47,240	59,133	122,160	125,420	3,260	2.7%
Operating Transfers-Out	338,264	414,853	393,160	294,055	(99,105)	(25.2)%
Rents & Leases	373,180	396,092	399,647	419,562	19,915	5.0%
Supplies & Material	320,224	272,399	385,618	380,618	(5,000)	(1.3)%
Transfer to Infrastructure	57,499	50,002	-	_	_	-%
Utility Purchase	8,769,780	8,390,646	9,915,579	10,276,371	360,792	3.6%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Capital Improvement Program	4,265,100	9,276,997	32,389	4,352,062	4,319,672	13,336.7%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	19,271,590	24,361,592	19,173,803	23,935,539	4,761,736	24.8%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	20,972	20,955	10,000	10,000	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	30,107	30,107	30,107	30,890	783	2.6%
Net Sales	16,296,938	18,237,556	17,957,112	19,835,873	1,878,760	10.5%
Other Revenue	511,434	245,565	1,057,820	1,069,995	12,175	1.2%
Return on Investments	299,684	215,909	266,500	266,500	_	-%
Total Revenues	17,159,136	18,750,093	19,321,539	21,213,257	1,891,718	9.8%
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Positions by Division						
CIP Wastewater Collection Fund	12.52	12.52	12.52	12.52	_	-%
Wastewater Collection Customer Service	3.06	2.19	2.22	2.22	_	-%
Wastewater Collection Engineering (Operating)	1.15	1.40	1.40	1.40	_	-%
Wastewater Collection Operations and Maintenance	13.02	13.06	12.86	13.02	0.16	1.26%
Total	29.74	29.17	29.00	29.16	0.16	0.56%

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	0.25	0.23	0.23	0.23	-	16,675
Administrative Associate II	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	31,094
Assistant Director Utilities Engineering	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	29,234
Assistant Director Utilities Operations	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	19,205
Associate Engineer	0.50	-	_	-	_	_
Business Analyst	0.50	0.75	0.75	0.75	_	114,551
Cement Finisher	0.50	0.50	0.76	0.76	_	71,633

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Contracts Administrator	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	_	5,885
Coordinator Utilities Projects	1.35	1.10	1.10	1.10	_	124,722
Customer Service Representative	1.38	1.20	1.45	1.45	_	111,710
Customer Service Specialist	0.46	_	_	_	_	_
Customer Service Specialist-Lead	0.46	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	22,652
Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	-	130,675
Engineering Manager - Electric	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	27,125
Engineering Manager - WGW	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	_	53,457
Engineering Technician III	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	_	43,970
Equipment Operator	0.26	0.26	_	_	_	_
Heavy Equipment Operator	2.13	0.23	0.23	0.23	_	22,597
Heavy Equipment Operator - Install/Repair	-	3.15	3.15	3.15	_	300,957
Industrial Waste Investigator	_	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	54,257
Inspector, Field Services	1.43	1.68	1.68	1.68	_	177,145
Maintenance Mechanic-Welding	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	20,979
Manager Utilities Credit & Collection	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	20,205
Manager Utilities Operations WGW	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	_	47,524
Program Assistant I	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	_	26,815
Project Engineer	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	281,293
Restoration Lead	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	_	26,643
Senior Engineer	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	_	190,307
Senior Mechanic	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	36,343
Supervisor Inspection Services	0.42	_	_	_	_	_
Utilities Engineer Estimator	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.47	-	55,366
Utilities Field Services Representative	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	_	133,410
Utilities Install Repair-Lead-Welding Certified	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	-	27,897
Utilities Install Repair-Welding Certified	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36	_	36,063
Utilities Install/Repair	5.50	4.25	4.25	4.25	_	442,305
Utilities Install/Repair-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	227,162
Utilities Locator	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.39	_	38,205

UTILITIES

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Utilities Safety Officer	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	11,369
Utilities Supervisor	1.30	1.72	1.72	1.72	_	183,671
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	28.77	28.15	28.40	28.40	_	3,163,103
Temporary/Hourly	0.98	1.02	0.60	0.76	0.16	50,669
Total Positions	29.74	29.17	29.00	29.16	0.16	3,213,772

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Wastewater Collection Fund
Prior Year Budget	29.00	19,173,803	19,321,540	(147,737)
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(83,380)	_	(83,380)
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	-	(83,380)	_	(83,380)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	•			
Salaries and Benefits Adjustments	_	185,600	_	185,600
Net-zero Utilities Staffing Realignment (increase of 0.16 FTE Journey Level Laborer - H position)	0.16	_	_	_
Capital Improvement Funding	_	4,315,432	12,175	4,303,257
Wastewater Treatment Expenses	_	360,792	_	360,792
Bank Card Transaction Fee	_	15,100	_	15,100
Transfer to Water Fund (WS-02014 Water, Gas, Wastewater Utility GIS Data)	_	13,421	_	13,421
Rents and Leases Expenditure	_	9,915	_	9,915
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	9,828	_	9,828
Engineering and Inspection Services Allocated Charges	_	242	_	242
Management Development Funding	_	(1,840)	_	(1,840)
Custodial Contract Funding	_	(3,654)	_	(3,654)
Transfer to Technology Fund (TE-05000 Radio Infrastructure Replacement)	_	(70,013)	_	(70,013)
Wastewater Collection Customer Sales Revenue (11% Rate Increase)	_	_	1,879,542	(1,879,542)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	(200,968)	_	(200,968)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	9,828	_	9,828
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	(935)	_	(935)
Street Cut Fee Allocated Charges	_	2,067	_	2,067
Survey Fee Allocated Charges	_	534	_	534
Utilities Administration Allocated Charges	_	182,942	_	182,942
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	293	_	293
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	7,091	_	7,091
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(7,000)	_	(7,000)

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Wastewater Collection Fund
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(27,409)	_	(27,409)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	0.16	4,801,267	1,891,717	2,909,550
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	29.16	23,891,690	21,213,257	2,678,433
Budget Adjustments				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	43,849	_	43,849
Total Budget Adjustments		43,849		43,849
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	29.16	23,935,539	21,213,257	2,722,282

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Wastewater Collection Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	43,849	0	43,849

This action transfers \$43,849 from the Wastewater Collection Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental Pension Trust Fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Wastewater Collection Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Proactively contributing to the supplemental Pension Trust Fund will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

WATER FUND

Description

From 1895 until 1928, the City's water supply came from deep wells. When the groundwater supply started to decline, water was purchased from the San Francisco Regional Water System to supplement the local water system. Since 1962, when Palo Alto's wells were discontinued as the primary water system, 100 percent of the water has come from the Regional Water System: 85 percent derived from snow melt flowing into the Hetch Hetchy Reservoir and the balance from runoff stored in San Francisco Bay Area reservoirs. The Water Fund focuses on increasing infrastructure reliability and responsiveness to meet the City's water supply needs during an emergency; maintaining high-quality and reliable sources of water; updating water efficiency goals; and implementing water efficiency programs and services. Additionally, the engineering division is implementing a seismic upgrade to the existing reservoirs, wells and receiving stations to increase supply reliability during catastrophic emergencies.

Accomplishments

- Collaborated with Public Works and Santa Clara Valley Water District to begin the Recycled Water Strategic Plan, a comprehensive evaluation of all potential recycled water supply options including non-potable and potable reuse options. Woodward & Curran were contracted to complete the plan.
- Started construction of a Water Main Replacement project (WMR 26) to replace approximately 11,000 linear feet of water main pipelines, 200 service pipelines, and 40 fire hydrants with approximately 29% completed this year. Completed design of water main replacement for Upgrade Downtown to replace approximately 3,155 linear feet of water main pipelines, 52 service pipelines, and 10 fire hydrants.
- Completed the construction of Montebello Reservoir steel water tank rehabilitation and seismic upgrade, including a new roof, interior and exterior coatings, a new control valve, and paving. Completed the remaining roof coating portion in the construction of Boronda Reservoir concrete water tank rehabilitation project.

UTILITIES

- Retained a consultant to review storage and operational needs. Consultant will develop a water model that will assist in the storage and operational recommendations.
- Engaged a consultant to perform a geological investigation of the foundation leaks at the Mayfield Tank to provide a report containing results of the subsurface explorations and laboratory testing and recommend repair alternatives.
- Completed two transmission main repairs in the foothills area west of Highway 280.
- Completed the first annual water loss audit (SB 555) to the State Water Resource Control Board (SWRCB).
- Completed over 70 customer service projects.

Initiatives

- Complete the geological study of Mayfield tank site to assess the stability of the reservoir and begin repairs based on the findings.
- Continue construction of Water Main Replacement (WMR) 26 and Upgrade Downtown projects to replace approximately 14,000 linear feet of water main pipelines, 250 service pipelines, and 50 fire hydrants.
- Complete design for WMR project 27 in Oak Creek and University Avenue neighborhoods.
- Start and complete the preliminary design report for the Corta Madera tank replacement project. This will include a topographic survey and a geotechnical report for the site.
- Start and complete the transmission main repair and valve installation at the intersection of Page Mill and Old Page Mill Road.
- Complete collaboration with Public Works and Santa Clara Valley Water District on evaluation of recycled water options, including evaluating the economic potential of a Palo Alto recycled water system.

Goals and Objectives

GOAL 1

Provide safe and clean drinking water for customers.

Objectives:

- Ensure drinking water meets all regulatory standards.
- Maintain and update water infrastructure to ensure reliable service.
- Educate customers about backflow prevention as part of the City's Cross Connection Control Program.
- Ensure adequate water supplies are available to meet existing and future water demands.
- Complete seismic upgrades to water system (e.g. reservoirs, receiving stations and wells).

GOAL 2

Increase environmental sustainability of the water supply system.

Objective:

- Increase water conservation and efficiency participation.
- Develop updated long-term water efficiency goals as part of the 2015 Urban Water Management Plan update.
- Evaluate expanding the recycled water delivery system to help drought-proof the system, reuse local water supplies, and reduce the City's dependence on the Tuolumne River.

Key Performance Measures

PROVIDE SAFE AND CLEAN DRINKING WATER FOR OUR CUSTOMERS.

Goal	Provide safe and	Provide safe and clean drinking water for customers.							
Objective	Ensure drinking	Ensure drinking water meets all regulatory standards.							
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Proposed								
Percentage of customer-owned water backflow prevention devices in compliance	90% 91% 94% 91% 92%								
Description	City's Cross Co devices help to	nnection Control	d backflow devic Program, which ontaminants of a le water system.	began in early 20	010. The				
Purpose	The California Department of Public Health provides regulations for the City and its customers through California Code of Regulations, Title 17. These regulations specify the types of hazards that require backflow devices.								
Status	basis. There are	The City is achieving a compliance rate of up to 90-95 percent on an annual basis. There are 3,856 backflow devices. This number is growing every year as current codes require backflow installation for residences as well as commercial							

WATER EFFICIENCY

Goal	Increase enviror	Increase environmental sustainability of the water supply system.							
Objective	Increase water conservation and efficiency participation.								
	FY 2016 FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 2018 FY 2019 Actuals Actuals Adopted Estimated Propose								
Annual savings achieved through water efficiency programs as a percentage of total sales	1.96% 1.91% 0.91% 1.91% 1.94								
Description	The department measures specific savings achieved by the installation of water efficiency improvements through the programs that the City offers through the Santa Clara Valley Water District. The California Drought greatly affected the City's water savings numbers with the largest amount of savings attributed to the non-residential installation of drought tolerant landscapes and water efficient irrigation hardware.								
Purpose	water operation	s and wastewate	r processing savi	ses can result in ings. This measul rater use by 20 pe	re supports the				
Status	Water efficiency program savings were significantly higher starting FY 2015 through FY 2017 compared to previous years due to the California drought and the Governor's Executive Order mandating water conservation. Program marketing and general drought awareness helped to achieve acceptable levels of program participation; however, staff expects program participation to decrease after the current rainy winter.								

WATER QUALITY

Goal	Ensure the provision of safe and clean drinking water for customers.							
Objective	Safe testing of drinking water to meet all regulatory standards.							
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed			
Percentage of samples passed from all sampling stations	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%			
Description	The City of Palo Alto (CPA) regularly collects and tests water samples from connection points between the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission/City of Palo Alto (SFPUC/CPA), storage reservoirs, emergency wells, residential, and sample station locations within the distribution system to ensure that the water quality meets all California Department of Public Health (CDPH) and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) prescribed regulations that limit the amount of contaminants in the drinking water. The City has 18 sampling stations and collects 84-105 samples monthly to test levels of chlorine residual, coliform and pH levels are within regulatory guidelines. All sample results are reported to CDPH on a monthly basis.							
Purpose	Complying with regulations guarantees the City maintains its high standards of water quality and avoids fines.							
Status	Palo Alto drinking water continues to be in complete compliance with all existing county, state, and federal standards for water quality.							

Workload Measures

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2018 Estimated	FY 2019 Proposed
Percent of miles of water mains replaced	0.70%	0.20%	0.70%	1.00%	1.00%
Number of Customer Accounts (Water)	19,994	20,213	20,000	20,213	20,213
Percent of surveyed rating the quality of the Drinking Water (Water) as "Good" or "Excellent"	87%	88%	88%	88%	88%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Division	·		·	·		
CIP Water Fund	9,082,022	3,453,732	6,127,567	15,072,824	8,945,257	146.0%
Water Administration	6,871,823	7,038,937	8,884,495	8,879,778	(4,717)	(0.1)%
Water Customer Service	2,082,194	1,488,960	2,201,670	2,282,720	81,051	3.7%
Water Engineering (Operating)	409,183	355,852	538,106	537,839	(267)	(0.0)%
Water Operations and Maintenance	5,433,991	5,291,117	7,531,885	7,681,920	150,035	2.0%
Water Resource Management	18,219,637	20,943,416	22,203,416	23,699,431	1,496,015	6.7%
Total	42,098,850	38,572,014	47,487,138	58,154,512	10,667,374	22.5%
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Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	750,434	822,738	957,649	958,317	669	0.1%
Other Benefits	114,286	94,370	140,523	142,932	2,409	1.7%
Overtime	250,524	231,860	267,963	274,930	6,967	2.6%
Pension	1,025,830	1,165,780	1,397,443	1,428,203	30,760	2.2%
Retiree Medical	260,618	285,198	300,042	427,827	127,784	42.6%
Salary	4,949,770	4,627,885	5,117,401	5,154,784	37,383	0.7%
Workers' Compensation	89,580	225,163	164,608	118,581	(46,027)	(28.0)%
Total Salary & Benefits	7,441,043	7,452,994	8,345,630	8,505,574	159,944	1.9%
Allocated Charges	2,867,207	3,212,511	4,410,152	4,613,901	203,749	4.6%
Contract Services	806,550	155,818	827,806	819,002	(8,804)	(1.1)%
Debt Service	1,813,658	1,757,088	3,222,606	3,222,606	_	-%
Facilities & Equipment	_	_	2,000	16,711	14,711	735.6%
General Expense	443,919	417,045	666,070	667,170	1,100	0.2%
Operating Transfers-Out	251,541	317,220	649,055	486,353	(162,702)	(25.1)%
Rents & Leases	1,803,087	1,862,485	2,931,563	3,003,388	71,825	2.5%
Supplies & Material	544,371	413,824	609,982	610,982	1,000	0.2%
Transfer to Infrastructure	112,692	84,211	_	_	_	-%
Utility Purchase	17,626,020	20,075,377	21,090,000	22,620,000	1,530,000	7.3%
Capital Improvement Program	8,388,762	2,823,442	4,732,275	13,588,826	8,856,551	187.2%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	42,098,850	38,572,014	47,487,138	58,154,512	10,667,374	22.5%

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Revenues						
Charges for Services	51,021	60,000	10,000	10,000	_	-%
Charges to Other Funds	442,829	160,766	84,403	81,201	(3,202)	(3.8)%
From Other Agencies	636,666	512,301	576,632	576,632	_	-%
Net Sales	36,764,774	42,740,545	40,913,999	42,737,130	1,823,131	4.5%
Operating Transfers-In	221,833	244,018	512,436	539,278	26,842	5.2%
Other Revenue	955,122	844,915	904,280	931,348	27,068	3.0%
Return on Investments	738,329	772,015	775,300	775,300	_	-%
Total Revenues	39,810,575	45,334,560	43,777,050	45,650,889	1,873,839	4.3%
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Positions by Division						
CIP Water Fund	9.05	9.05	8.03	8.03	-	-%
Water Customer Service	9.01	9.68	9.66	9.66	_	-%
Water Engineering (Operating)	1.12	1.37	1.35	1.35	_	-%
Water Operations and Maintenance	25.44	25.44	25.34	25.01	(0.32)	(1.28)%
Water Resource Management	1.53	2.44	3.52	3.02	(0.50)	(14.19)%
Total	46.15	47.99	47.90	47.08	(0.82)	(1.72)%

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Account Specialist	0.25	0.23	0.23	0.23	_	16,675
Administrative Associate II	0.85	0.75	0.65	0.65	_	50,527
Assistant Director Utilities Customer Support Services	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	-	34,316
Assistant Director Utilities Engineering	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	38,979
Assistant Director Utilities Operations	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	28,807
Assistant Director Utilities/Resource Management	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	_	44,148
Business Analyst	1.68	1.73	1.53	1.20	(0.33)	183,281
Cement Finisher	0.25	0.25	0.56	0.56	_	52,782
Contracts Administrator	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	_	11,771

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
Coordinator Utilities Projects	1.34	1.09	1.09	1.09	_	123,588
Customer Service Representative	1.26	1.56	1.81	1.81	_	139,444
Customer Service Specialist	0.42	0.66	0.66	0.66	_	55,914
Customer Service Specialist-Lead	0.42	0.59	0.59	0.59	_	53,459
Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	130,675
Engineering Manager - Electric	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	27,125
Engineering Manager - WGW	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	51,885
Engineering Technician III	0.45	1.45	0.45	0.45	_	43,970
Equipment Operator	0.31	0.31	_	_	_	_
Gas and Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician	_	_	0.80	0.80	_	83,855
Gas and Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician - Lead	_	_	0.20	0.20	_	22,432
Gas System Technician II	0.10	0.10	_	_	_	_
Heavy Equipment Operator	2.00	1.95	1.95	1.95	_	191,584
Heavy Equipment Operator - Install/Repair	_	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	20,523
Inspector, Field Services	1.40	1.65	1.65	1.65	_	173,982
Maintenance Mechanic-Welding	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	83,916
Manager Customer Service	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	_	45,353
Manager Utilities Compliance	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	83,637
Manager Utilities Credit & Collection	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	20,205
Manager Utilities Marketing Services	0.20	-	-	-	-	_
Manager Utilities Operations WGW	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	79,206
Manager Utilities Program Services	_	0.20	0.20	0.20	_	26,478
Meter Reader	1.67	2.03	2.03	2.03	_	146,896
Meter Reader-Lead	0.28	0.34	0.34	0.34	_	26,321
Power Engineer	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	_	41,851
Principal Business Analyst	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	47,677
Program Assistant I	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.33	_	26,026
Project Engineer	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	281,293
Resource Planner	0.10	0.70	1.20	0.70	(0.50)	97,989
Restoration Lead	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	_	31,766

Staffing

Job Classification	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Salary
SCADA Technologist	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	_	119,977
Senior Business Analyst	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.99	0.33	135,475
Senior Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	141,922
Senior Mechanic	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	_	37,444
Senior Resource Planner	0.55	1.10	1.68	1.68	_	255,845
Senior Utilities Field Service Representative	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.49	_	55,941
Senior Water Systems Operator	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	_	222,769
Substation Electrician	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	51,496
Supervisor Inspection Services	0.29	_	_	_	_	_
Utilities Engineer Estimator	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	_	50,453
Utilities Field Services Representative	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	_	160,092
Utilities Install Repair-Lead-Welding Certified	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.46	_	53,469
Utilities Install Repair-Welding Certified	0.69	0.69	0.69	0.69	_	69,121
Utilities Install/Repair	2.05	1.90	1.90	1.90	_	197,736
Utilities Install/Repair Assistant	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	_	30,893
Utilities Install/Repair-Lead	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	_	107,246
Utilities Key Account Representative	0.15	0.25	0.35	0.35	_	41,687
Utilities Locator	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	_	33,307
Utilities Marketing Program Administrator	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	_	45,258
Utilities Safety Officer	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	_	17,054
Utilities Supervisor	2.62	2.91	2.91	2.91	_	360,684
Water Meter Cross Connection Technician	2.00	_	_	_	_	_
Water System Operator I	_	1.00	_	_	_	_
Water System Operator II	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	_	328,016
Sub-total: Full-Time Equivalent Positions	42.95	45.26	45.29	44.79	(0.50)	5,134,228
Temporary/Hourly	3.21	2.73	2.61	2.29	(0.32)	186,165
Total Positions	46.15	47.99	47.90	47.08	(0.82)	5,320,393

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Water Fund
Prior Year Budget	47.90	47,487,138	43,777,050	3,710,089
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	(140,385)	_	(140,385)
One-time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(140,385)	_	(140,385)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salaries and Benefits Adjustments	_	207,201	_	207,201
Net-zero Utilities Staffing Realignment (decrease of 0.5 FTE Resource Planner and 0.32 FTE Journey Level Laborer - H positions)	(0.82)	_	_	_
Capital Improvement Funding	_	8,830,458	(875,438)	9,705,896
Water Commodity Purchases Expenditure	_	1,530,000	_	1,530,000
Rents and Leases Expenditure	_	56,825	_	56,825
Silicon Valley Regional Communications Systems (SVRCS) Radio Subscription (CMR #8658)	_	15,561	_	15,561
Bay Area Water Supply & Conservation Agency Fee	_	12,000	_	12,000
Engineering & Inspection Service Allocated Charges	_	119	_	119
Management Development Funding	_	(1,230)	_	(1,230)
Custodial Contract Funding	_	(3,654)	_	(3,654)
Transfer to Electric Fund (EL-11014 - Smart Grid Installation)	_	(10,000)	_	(10,000)
Transfer to Technology Fund (TE-05000 Radio Infrastructure Replacement)	_	(65,433)	_	(65,433)
Water Customer Sales Revenue (4% Rate Increase)	_	_	2,749,277	(2,749,277)
General Fund Cost Allocation Plan	_	(163,676)	_	(163,676)
General Liability Insurance Allocated Charges	_	16,944	_	16,944
Ground Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	258	_	258
Print & Mail Allocated Charges	_	(5,191)	_	(5,191)
Storm Drain Allocated Charges	_	40	_	40
Street Cut Allocated Charges	_	1,034	_	1,034
Utilities Administration Allocated Charges	_	251,843	_	251,843
Utilities Allocated Charges	_	104,733	_	104,733
Vehicle Replacement & Maintenance Allocated Charges	_	10,651	_	10,651

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Water Fund
General Liability Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	-	(12,068)	_	(12,068)
Workers' Compensation Savings (one-time FY 2019 Savings)	_	(47,256)	_	(47,256)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	(0.82)	10,729,157	1,873,839	8,855,318
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	47.08	58,075,910	45,650,889	12,425,022
Budget Proposals				
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	_	72,005	_	72,005
2 Reclassification of Business Analyst to Senior Business Analyst	_	6,597	_	6,597
Budget Changes	_	78,602	_	78,602
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	47.08	58,154,512	45,650,889	12,503,623





Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net Water Fund
1 Supplemental Pension Trust Fund Contribution	0.00	72,005	0	12,661

This action transfers \$72,005 from the Water Fund to the General Benefits Fund on a one-time basis to contribute to the City's supplemental Pension Trust Fund. This amount represents approximately 5% of the Water Fund's annual pension contribution. Contributing to the Pension Trust Fund will further bolster the City's resilience to variability associated with pension forecasting, including rate of return changes and increases associated with the unfunded accrued liability. (Ongoing costs: \$0)

Performance Results



Budget Adjustments

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Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Water Fund

Proactively contributing to the supplemental Pension Trust Fund will allow the City to prefund pension costs and continue to address the GASB 68 Net Pension Liabilities (NPL).

This action reclassifies 1.0 Business Analyst to 1.0 Senior Business Analyst in the Utilities Department to align with current staffing levels and assignments. Duties assigned to this position were evaluated through the appropriate processes with the Employee Relations Division in the Human Resources Department and a settlement was reached in February 2018. This action aligns authorized staffing levels with this settlement agreement which determined the Senior Business Analysts was more commensurate with the duties assigned. (Ongoing costs: \$6,597)

Performance Results



This action ensures the table of organization is adjusted to reflect the employee relations settlement action.

NON-DEPARTMENTAL

Description

The General Fund Non-Departmental budget includes revenue and expenditure appropriations that are not related to a specific department or function. These costs typically benefit the City as a whole and include such items as Cubberley lease payments to Palo Alto Unified School District. The Non-Departmental budget may also include estimated provisions or placeholders for certain revenues and expenditures that have not yet materialized or distributed at the time the budget is developed or adopted. These items can be one-time or ongoing depending on the nature and frequency of the item.

In Fiscal Year 2019, the annualization of one-time items that appeared in the Fiscal Year 2018 Budget, including the \$0.5 million Operations Reserve, the \$0.4 million Salary Reserve, and the \$150,000 set aside for the Parking Evaluation Study. In Fiscal Year 2019, various adjustments are proposed including the elimination of the Airport Fund Transfer, which was a loan from the General Fund to the Airport, and the addition of one-time funding for the November 2018 City Council Elections.

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Category						
Cubberly - Lease Payments to PAUSD	5,584,808	5,642,424	5,923,685	6,101,395	177,710	3.0%
Contingent Accounts						
City Manager	_	_	250,000	250,000	_	-%
City Council	_	_	225,000	225,000	_	-%
City Attorney	_	_	100,000	100,000	_	-%
Human Resources	_	_	50,000	50,000	_	-%
Human Services Resource Allocation Process (HSRAP)	_	4,025	50,000	50,000	_	-%
Innovations & Special Events	_	_	50,000	50,000	_	-%
Budget Operational Reserve	_	_	500,000	_	(500,000)	(100.0)%
Salary Reserve	_	_	400,000	_	(400,000)	(100.0)%
Other						
Contract Services	_	14,112	40,000	120,000	80,000	200.0%
Debt Service	430,791	432,150	432,271	612,948	180,677	41.8%
General Expense	46,590	130,186	236,756	89,012	(147,744)	(62.4)%
Operating Transfers-Out	5,061,723	6,538,924	4,874,446	4,450,215	(424,230)	(8.7)%
Rents & Leases	172,886	177,506	177,786	177,127	(659)	(0.4)%
Transfer to Infrastructure	29,365,580	22,859,355	24,980,569	25,172,648	192,079	0.8%
Total Dollars by Expense	40,662,378	35,798,682	38,290,513	37,448,345	(842,167)	(2.2)%

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
Prior Year Budget	_	38,290,513	_	38,290,513
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments				
FY 2018 Operations Reserve	_	(500,000)	_	(500,000)
Salary Reserve	_	(400,000)	_	(400,000)
Citywide Parking Evaluation Study	_	(150,000)	_	(150,000)
One-Time Prior Year Budget Adjustments	_	(1,050,000)	_	(1,050,000)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Transfer to Electric Fund (COSA Transfer)	_	208,151	_	208,151
Infrastructure Transfer	_	192,079	_	192,079
Debt Service Expenditure (Golf Course, FY 2018)	_	180,677	_	180,677
Cubberley Lease Payments to PAUSD	_	177,710	_	177,710
Transfer to Technology Fund (Technology Surcharge)	_	28,045	_	_
Transfer to Public Art Fund	_	15,174	_	15,174
Transfer to University Avenue Parking Fund	_	11,920	_	11,920
Property Tax Administration	_	2,256	_	2,256
Rent and Leases	_	(659)	_	(659)
Program and Project Costs (Grant-writing funding)	_	(20,000)	_	(20,000)
Transfer to Debt Service Funds (Downtown Parking COP Debt)	_	(72,221)	_	(67,221)
Airport Fund Transfer (FY 2018, \$200,000 Loan)	_	(200,000)	_	(200,000)
Information Technology Capital Transfer (TE- 05000)	_	(415,300)	_	(415,300)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	-	107,832	-	(123,364)
Total FY 2019 Base Budget	_	37,348,345	_	37,117,149
Budget Adjustments				
1 FY 2019 Council Election Costs	_	100,000	_	100,000
Total Budget Adjustments	_	100,000	_	100,000
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	_	37,448,345	_	37,217,149

Budget Adjustments

Budget Adjustments	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net General Fund
1 FY 2019 Council Election Costs	0.00	100,000	0	100,000

This action adds \$100,000 in one-time funding for the General City Council Election to be held in November of 2018. This funding is sufficient for the at-large City Council Election that is anticipated to be held as the City Council transitions from nine members to seven members. If any additional election items are brought forward for consideration, such as a ballot measure or other item, additional funding would be required. (Ongoing costs: \$0).

Performance Results



This funding supports the democratic process for electing City Council Members.





EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

General Benefits Fund Overview

The General Benefits Fund includes funding for employee pension benefits, health benefits (medical, dental, and vision) for current City employees and several other benefits, such as life insurance, the employee assistance program, and the employee commute program. Funding for retired employees' healthcare costs is reflected in the Retiree Health Benefits Fund, discussed elsewhere in this document.

There is an overall net \$2.2 million increase in employee pension, healthcare costs, and other benefits costs from the Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 Adopted Budget amount of \$61.89 million to the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget amount of \$64.1 million. This increase is primarily driven by increases in the pension rate and health care costs partially offset by a citywide decrease of 17.6 benefitted positions, or 1.7 percent from FY 2018 Adopted Budget staffing levels (1,058.95 positions to 1,041.35 positions). Of these changes in the Table of Organization, the elimination of 11.0 positions was approved by the City Council during Fiscal Year 2018. An additional 6.60 benefitted positions are recommended to be eliminated in this Operating Budget document.

PENSION COSTS

The City of Palo Alto provides a defined pension benefit to its employees through the State of California Pension Retirement System (CalPERS), which manages and administers the program. The CalPERS program maintains two trust accounts: 1) a plan for safety employees (sworn fire and police personnel); and 2) a plan for miscellaneous employees (all other non-safety personnel employed by the City such as field personnel, administrative support, and managers). Annually, CalPERS provides actuarial reports detailing the latest status of the City of Palo Alto Pension trust plans for employees and retirees. These actuarial reports are used to calculate the Actuarial Determined Contribution (ADC) to the trust for the pension obligations.

This budget includes the most recent pension rates from these valuation reports, as of June 30, 2016. When compared to the prior fiscal year, Fiscal Year 2019 employer contribution rates, represent an average year-over-year increase of 9.9 percent.

- Miscellaneous plan rate increased 2.4 percentage points, a year-over-year 7.9 percent growth, from an employer contribution rate of 30.2 percent to 32.6 percent
- Safety plan rate increased 5.9 percentage points, a year-over-year 11.9 percent growth, from an employer contribution rate of 49.7 percent to 55.6 percent.

With the passage of the California Public Employees' Pension Reform Act (PEPRA), the City has three retirement benefit tiers for Miscellaneous and Safety Plans. As of 2018, approximately 40 percent of the City's employees are either in Tier 2 or Tier 3.

GENERAL BENEFITS FUND

Consistent with FY 2018, CalPERS calculates the pension liability as a normal cost (percent of payroll) and a flat dollar amount to pay down the Unfunded Accrued Liability (UAL). This budget assumes the pre-payment of the UAL portion of the annual pension cost, which confers savings to the City. In FY 2019, prepayment of the UAL generates \$938,000 in savings across the organization, of which \$588,000 is realized in the General Fund. These savings are calculated by CalPERS.

The City's mounting pension obligations remain an important context for ongoing service delivery. The CalPERS board is working to de-risk the pension plan through various actions. In December 2016, the CalPERS board voted to lower the rate of return to 7.0 percent from 7.5 percent. Beginning in FY 2019, this decrease will be phased in over three years reaching the 7.0 percent discount rate in FY 2021. In anticipation of this lowered rate of return, and to proactively address the City's unfunded pension liability the Finance Committee and staff have met multiple times during FY 2018.

On September 19th, 2017, the CalPERS Annual Valuation Reports were transmitted to the Finance Committee and discussed as part of CMR #8509 Review and Discuss CalPERS Pension Annual Valuation Reports https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/61211. According to these valuation reports, the City's current Unfunded Accrued Liability totals \$404.7 million (\$143.0 million for the Safety Plan and \$261.7 million for the Miscellaneous Plan), and the plans are 64.0% funded (the Safety Plan is 63.6% funded while the Miscellaneous Plan is 64.2% funded.)

On October 17, 2017, staff returned to the Finance Committee to review and discuss strategies to address the City's pension liability as part of CMR #8579: City's Pension Liability Discussion and Strategies https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/61485. This discussion included a detailed presentation from the City's actuarial services consultant, Bartel and Associates, discussing the City's specific pension outlook.

On December 6, 2017, as part of CMR #8676: FY 2019 - FY 2028 Long Range Financial Forecast and City Pension Liabilities https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/62316 the City modeled alternative assumptions that demonstrated the impact of changes to the discount rate on the City's General Fund budget.

As discussed during these public meetings, the City has identified ways to incrementally address the City's pension liabilities. This budget continues the past practice of allocating funding to the City's irrevocable IRS Section 115 Pension Trust Fund ("Trust Fund") using available funding on a one-time basis. The City Council first approved establishing a 115 Pension Trust Fund as part of CMR #7553 on January 23, 2017 https://www.cityofpaloalto.org/civicax/filebank/documents/55487, authorizing an initial deposit of \$2.1 million in General Fund proceeds, or approximately 10 percent of the General Fund Pension annual cost. When combined with the recommended contribution in this budget, the City Council has approved deposits of \$7.5 million (\$4.6 million from the General Fund). This additional investment in retirement prefunding will help mitigate the City's risk from lower than anticipated rates of return and from other factors that would affect the City's pension costs. Contributions through the FY 2019 Proposed Budge are detailed below:

FY 2017 Mid-year deposited \$2.1 million from the General Fund, approximately 10 percent of the City's annual pension contribution, establishing the Trust Fund;

- FY 2018 Adopted Budget deposited \$1.4 million from other funds throughout the City, matching the 10 percent of annual pension costs that established the trust from the General Fund in the prior year;
- FY 2018 Mid-year deposited \$2.0 million from all funds, representing approximately 5.0 percent of the City's annual pension contribution (\$1.3 million in General Fund); and
- FY 2019 Proposed Budget recommends a \$2.0 million deposit from all funds, representing approximately 5.0 percent of the City's annual pension contribution (\$1.2 million in General Fund).

This FY 2019 Proposed Operating Budget reflects a recommended budget adjustment in each department section where the additional contributions to the Trust Fund are budgeted for FY 2019. Although these are one-time adjustments, the City continues to prudently contribute available funds to the Trust Fund at least on an annual basis. In FY 2019, one-time savings wereidentified; the Workers' Compensation Fund and General Liability Fund had accumulated excess fund balance due to prior year savings. The City will continue to proactively strategize how to address the increased pension costs and growing unfunded liability through continued deposits to the Trust Fund as well as other mechanisms such as:

- Managing full-time benefitted position authorization levels. This Fiscal Year 2019 Budget reduces nearly 2 percent of benefitted position when compared to FY 2018.
- One-time surpluses resulting from excess revenues or expense savings at year-end will continue to be brought forward for City Council consideration as potential contributions to the Trust Fund.
- Continue to strive to contain costs with measures such as cost sharing with employees. In FY 2016, labor contracts approved an employee pick-up of a portion of the employer pension contribution (upon completion of an amendment to the City's contract with CalPERS). These contracts stipulated up to a 3.0 percent contribution cost share with safety groups and up to a 1.0 percent contribution cost share with miscellaneous groups SEIU and the management group.

It is anticipated that staff will return to the Finance Committee with a range of potential policies and procedures to incrementally address the City's pension liabilities for consideration. These options are intended to identify a path forward for the City to address its pension obligations on an ongoing basis in order to mitigate implications on service delivery.

HEALTHCARE COSTS

The Fiscal Year 2019 budget for healthcare is based on the health plan choices employees made for Calendar Year 2018. The FY 2018 budget presumed a four percent increase in dental and vision costs; however, the City enjoyed favorable rate decreases from Calendar Year 2017 to Calendar Year 2018 of more than 10 percent for dental and more than 3.0 percent for vision, driven primarily by decreased utilization. This one-time decrease is not expected to continue in the near future, and increases of four percent for both dental and vision rates, effective January 1, 2019, are assumed in the FY 2019 Operating Budget. All bargaining units except the Utilities Management Professional Association of Palo Alto (UMPAPA) are on the flat rate medical plan; UMPAPA uses a 90/10 contribution structure. For calendar year 2019, the budget models a four percent annual increase in flat rate medical costs. Ongoing increases in healthcare and other

GENERAL BENEFITS FUND

benefit costs are an important factor in labor negotiations; staff will continue to monitor labor negotiations and align budgeted funds as necessary.

Consistent with the Fiscal Year 2018 Adopted Budget and Government Accounting Standards Board regulations that require government agencies to recognize the true cost of medical health care by active employees and retirees, an implied subsidy for retiree healthcare was calculated. Health care premiums are contracted at a blended rate, they are the same regardless of age or active versus retired status, with the exception of Medicare premiums. Despite the contractually blended rate, the implied subsidy is calculated in order to recognize the higher cost of medical services for retirees, which is reduced from the active employees' health care costs and identified as a retiree medical cost. In Fiscal Year 2019, the City's full cost of active employee healthcare is budgeted in the various City departments and collected in the General Benefits Fund to be paid to CalPERS. In order to account for the implied subsidy, health care costs for active employees have been reduced in the General Benefits Fund by \$2.2 million, and a corresponding transfer from the General Benefits Fund to the Retiree Health Benefits Fund has been continued to reflect the full payment of the City's Actuarial Determined Contribution (ADC) for Retiree Healthcare in the Retiree Health Benefits Fund. Additional discussion of Retiree Healthcare costs and the ADC are located in the Retiree Health Benefits Fund section of this document.

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Healthcare	17,697,809	18,249,553	18,845,038	19,104,761	259,723	1.4%
Other Benefits	613,967	609,884	1,090,740	1,118,506	27,767	2.5%
Pension	26,076,879	28,812,075	39,304,074	41,435,938	2,131,864	5.4%
Salary	513,382	279,010	23,422	24,571	1,148	4.9%
Total Salary & Benefits	44,902,036	47,950,521	59,263,275	61,683,776	2,420,501	4.1%
Contract Services	172,858	128,773	215,200	220,795	5,595	2.6%
General Expense	150	(196)	-	-	-	-%
Operating Transfers-Out	2,102,000	2,203,000	2,411,030	2,197,000	(214,030)	(8.9)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	47,177,044	50,282,099	61,889,505	64,101,571	2,212,067	3.6%
Revenues						
Charges for Services	12	485	_	_	_	-%
Operating Transfers-In	_	2,055,000	1,427,044	1,991,729	564,684	39.6%
Other Revenue	46,924,554	52,322,332	59,733,098	61,361,570	1,628,472	2.7%
Return on Investments	63,865	50,385	15,765	16,175	410	2.6%
Total Revenues	46,988,431	54,428,202	61,175,907	63,369,473	2,193,566	3.6%

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net
Prior Year Budget	0.48	61,889,505	61,175,907	713,598
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Salary and Benefits	_	1,166	-	1,166
Citywide Pension	_	1,567,179	_	1,567,179
Implied Subsidy Transfer to the Retiree Healthcare Fund	_	(214,030)	_	(214,030)
Citywide Dental Insurance	_	(229,958)	_	(229,958)
Citywide Healthcare Insurance	_	488,398	_	488,398
Citywide Vision Insurance	_	1,283	_	1,283
PARs Contributions and Expenses	_	564,685	564,684	1
Department Charges for General Benefits	_	_	1,628,472	(1,628,472)
Return on Investments	_	_	410	(410)
Adminsitrative Costs	_	8,343	_	8,343
Commuter Program (CMR #8265, Approved on December 4, 2017)	_	25,000	_	25,000
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	2,212,066	2,193,566	18,500
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	0.48	64,101,571	63,369,473	732,098

Retiree Health Benefit Fund Overview

In addition to providing pension benefits, the City participates in the California Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act (PEMHCA) program to provide certain health care benefits for retired employees. This fund reflects costs for this program as well payments for the unfunded liability for future medical benefits that will be provided to current and future retirees. The City's actuarial consultant, Bartel Associates, recently completed their June 30, 2017 actuarial study. This study captured investment gains for the Retiree Healthcare Trust Fund as of June 30, 2017, lowered the assumed investment returns from 7.25 percent to 6.75 percent, and restated the City's Fiscal Year 2019 annual Actuarial Determined Contribution (ADC). The City's ADC for FY 2019 is \$16.0 million, or a 5.5% decrease from FY 2018, representing the favorable performance of this Trust Fund and the positive impacts of the City's proactive funding.

The June 30, 2017 actuarial study was performed in accordance with applicable actuarial standards and Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 45, Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pension. The ADC includes both the normal cost for the plan for FY 2019 as well as the amortization towards the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL). According to the valuation as of June 30, 2017, approximately 34 percent of the UAAL is attributable to current active employees, and 66 percent is attributable to retirees. The City has established an irrevocable trust fund to account for assets accumulated to offset the retiree medical costs for current and future retirees. The annual ADC is fully funded in The City's General Fund, Enterprise Funds, and Other Funds. Respectively, the General Fund, Enterprise Funds, and Other Funds contribute 64 percent, 30 percent, and 6 percent of the ADC cost.

As stated above, the ADC assumed for the Fiscal Year 2019 budget is \$16.0 million. However, the charges to the City's funds are budged at \$13.8 million. The difference of \$2.2 million represents the City's implied subsidy for retiree healthcare. There is a requirement, first imposed in Fiscal Year 2017, that government agencies must recognize the true cost of medical health care by active employees and retirees. The health care premiums are the same regardless of age or active status with the exception of Medicare premiums. The new requirement is intended to recognize that as people age, their medical costs increase; therefore, an actuarial calculation has been performed to recognize the higher cost of medical services for retirees, which is reduced from the active employees' health care costs. This difference is known as the 'implied subsidy'. In Fiscal Year 2019, the full cost of active employee healthcare is budgeted in the various City departments and collected in the General Benefits Fund to be paid to CalPERS. In order to account for the implied subsidy, healthcare costs for active employees have been reduced in the General Benefits Fund by \$2.2 million, and a transfer from the General Benefits Fund of \$2.2 million to the Retiree Health Benefits Fund has been established. This transfer reflects the full payment of the City's annual ADC for Retiree Healthcare in the Retiree Health Benefits Fund.

RETIREE HEALTH BENEFIT FUND OVERVIEW

Budget Summary

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change \$	FY 2019 Change %
Dollars by Category						
Salary & Benefits						
Other Benefits	71,237	66,286	60,000	61,560	1,560	2.6%
Retiree Medical	14,372,057	16,365,000	16,938,000	15,997,000	(941,000)	(5.6)%
Total Salary & Benefits	14,443,294	16,431,286	16,998,000	16,058,560	(939,440)	(5.5)%
Total Dollars by Expense Category	14,443,294	16,431,286	16,998,000	16,058,560	(939,440)	(5.5)%
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Revenues						
Operating Transfers-In	2,102,000	2,203,000	2,411,030	2,197,000	(214,030)	(8.9)%
Other Revenue	12,343,188	13,808,255	14,526,970	13,800,000	(726,970)	(5.0)%
Return on Investments	69,922	73,868	57,700	59,200	1,500	2.6%
Total Revenues	14,515,110	16,085,122	16,995,700	16,056,200	(939,500)	(5.5)%

RETIREE HEALTH BENEFIT FUND OVERVIEW

Budget Reconciliation

	Positions	Expenditures	Revenues	Net
Prior Year Budget	_	16,998,000	16,995,700	2,300
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities				
Citywide Retiree Health Benefits Adjustment	_	(726,970)	(726,970)	_
Implied Subsidy Transfer from the General Benefits Fund	_	(214,030)	(214,030)	_
Administrative Costs	_	1,560	_	1,560
Return on Investments	_	_	1,500	(1,500)
Adjustments to Costs of Ongoing Activities	_	(939,440)	(939,500)	60
Total FY 2019 Proposed Budget	-	16,058,560	16,056,200	2,360



	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2019 Proposed	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019
General Fund	Actuals	Actuals	Budget	Budget	FIE	Change %
Administrative Services						
Account Specialist	4.95	5.88	4.88	4.63	-0.25	(5.12)%
Account Specialist-Lead	4.59	4.05	3.05	3.45	0.40	13.11%
Accountant	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Administrative Services	1.75	1.65	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00%
Buyer	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Procurement Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Contracts Administrator	1.70	1.70	2.70	2.70	0.00	0.00%
Director Administrative Services/CFO	0.70	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Director Office of Management and Budget	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00%
Manager Accounting	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	-1.00	(100.00)%
Manager Budget	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	100.00%
Manager Real Property	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Revenue Collections	0.70	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.00	0.00%
Manager Treasury, Debt & Investments	1.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00%
Manager, Finance	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00%
Payroll Analyst	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Principal Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Accountant	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Buyer	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	4.20	4.90	4.90	2.30	-2.60	(53.06)%
Storekeeper	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Storekeeper-Lead	1.00	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Warehouse Supervisor	0.50	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Total Administrative Services	38.09	38.60	38.60	38.15	-0.45	(1.17)%
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City Attorney	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000/
Assistant City Attorney	1.00	1.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Assistant City Attorney	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
City Attorney	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Claims Investigator	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Deputy City Attorney	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Legal Fellow	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Legal Services Administrator	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Principal Attorney	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Secretary to City Attorney	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Assistant City Attorney	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Deputy City Attorney	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Legal Secretary	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	-1.00	(100.00)%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Total City Attorney	11.00	11.00	11.00	10.00	-1.00	(9.09)%
City Auditor						
Administrative Assistant	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
City Auditor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Performance Auditor	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Performance Auditor I	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Performance Auditor II	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	100.00%
Senior Performance Auditor	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	-1.00	(50.00)%
Total City Auditor	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
City Clerk						
Administrative Associate III	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant City Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
City Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Deputy City Clerk	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Hearing Officer	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.00	-0.75	(100.00)%
Total City Clerk	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.00	-0.75	(13.04)%
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City Manager						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant City Manager	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant City Manager/Utilities General Manager	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00%
Assistant to the City Manager	0.00	0.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Communications Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Sustainability Officer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
City Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Deputy City Manager	0.00	0.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Executive Assistant to the City Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Communications	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Economic Development	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Total City Manager	9.00	9.00	10.25	10.25	0.00	0.00%
Community Services						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Community Services	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Building Serviceperson	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Building Serviceperson-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Recreation Programs	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.00	-1.00	(25.00)%
Director Community Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Division Manager Open Space, Parks and Golf	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00%
Inspector, Field Services	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Junior Museum & Zoo Educator	2.75	2.75	3.60	3.60	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Community Services	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Community Services Senior Program	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Human Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Park Maintenance Person	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Park Maintenance-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Park Ranger	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Parks/Golf Crew-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Producer Arts/Science Program	12.50	12.50	11.00	11.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant I	7.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant II	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Project Manager	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Sprinkler System Representative	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Superintendent Community Services	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Superintendent Recreation	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Theater Specialist	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Volunteer Coordinator	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Community Services	77.42	78.42	78.77	77.77	-1.00	(1.27)%
Development Services						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	3.02	3.00	3.00	2.80	-0.20	(6.67)%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Administrative Associate III	1.01	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Chief Building Official	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Public Works	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Associate Engineer	0.16	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00%
Associate Planner	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00%
Building Inspector Specialist	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Building/Planning Technician	1.80	2.30	2.30	2.30	0.00	0.00%
Chief Building Official	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Planning Official	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00%
Code Enforcement Officer	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00%
Code Enforcement-Lead	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	0.85	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Development Project Coordinator II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Development Project Coordinator III	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Development Services Director	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Engineer	0.62	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.00	0.00%
Engineering Technician III	2.10	1.78	1.78	1.78	0.00	0.00%
Fire Fighter	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Fire Inspector	4.00	3.20	3.20	3.20	0.00	0.00%
Hazardous Materials Inspector	1.90	1.60	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00%
Industrial Waste Inspector	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00%
Industrial Waste Investigator	0.21	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00%
Inspector, Field Services	0.70	0.68	0.68	0.68	0.00	0.00%
Landscape Architect Park Planner	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.50	0.00%
Management Analyst	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.01	0.00	0.00%
Manager Development Center	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Environmental Control Program	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Manager Planning	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Urban Forestry	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00%
Manager Watershed Protection	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Planner	0.25	0.17	0.17	0.15	-0.02	(11.76)%
Planning Arborist	0.25	0.25	0.29	0.00	-0.29	(100.00)%
Plans Check Engineer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Project Engineer	0.13	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00%
Project Manager	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Engineer	0.68	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.00	0.00%
Senior Industrial Waste Investigator	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Planner	0.36	0.24	0.24	0.25	0.01	4.17%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Senior Technologist	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Supervisor Inspection and Surveying	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.00	0.00%
Surveyor, Public Works	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Development Services	39.32	36.53	36.50	36.51	0.01	0.03%
Fire						
40-Hour Training Battalion Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
40-Hour Training Captain	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.20	0.20	10.00%
Battalion Chief	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Business Analyst	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	0.00	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00%
Deputy Director Technical Services Division	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Deputy Fire Chief	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Emergency Medical Service Director	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Emergency Medical Services Data Specialist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Fire Apparatus Operator	30.00	30.00	30.00	26.00	-4.00	(13.33)%
Fire Captain	21.00	21.00	21.00	21.00	0.00	0.00%
Fire Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Fire Fighter	40.00	41.00	41.00	34.00	-7.00	(17.07)%
Fire Inspector	0.00	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Geographic Information System Specialist	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00%
Hazardous Materials Inspector	0.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00%
Police Chief	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Technologist	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Fire	106.50	108.65	108.65	97.85	-10.80	(9.94)%
Human Resources						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Human Resources	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Director Human Resources/CPO	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Human Resources Assistant	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Human Resources Representative	2.00	2.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Human Resources Technician	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Employee Benefits	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Employee Relations	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Senior Human Resources Administrator	4.00	4.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Human Resources	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	0.00	0.00%
Library						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Library Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Library Programs	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Director Libraries	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Division Head Library Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Librarian	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00%
Library Assistant	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Library Associate	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00%
Library Specialist	12.50	12.50	12.50	11.50	-1.00	(8.00)%
Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Assistant	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Library Services	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Librarian	8.50	9.00	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00%
Supervising Librarian	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Library	48.00	48.50	48.50	47.50	-1.00	(2.06)%
Office of Emparancy Seminor						
Office of Emergency Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Director Office of Emergency Services Office of Emergency Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator	1 00	1 00	1.00	0.00	1 00	(100 00)0/
Program Assistant II	1.00	1.00		0.00	-1.00	(100.00)%
Program Assistant II Total Office of Emergency Services	0.00 3.00	0.00 3.00	0.00 3.00	1.00 3.00	0.00	0.00%
Office of Sustainability						
Chief Sustainability Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.75	0.75	0.00%
Total Office of Sustainability	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.75	0.75	75.00%
Planning and Community Environm	nent					
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate I	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018 Adopted	FY 2019 Proposed	FY 2019 Change	FY 2019
	Actuals	Actuals	Budget	Budget	FTE	Change %
Administrative Associate III	2.00	3.00	3.00	2.59	-0.41	(13.67)%
Assistant Director PCE	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Associate Engineer	1.00	1.00	0.73	0.65	-0.08	(10.96)%
Associate Planner	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.37	0.27	270.00%
Building/Planning Technician	0.20	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00%
Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Planning Official	0.80	1.00	1.00	0.99	-0.01	(1.00)%
Chief Transportation Official	0.50	0.70	0.43	0.64	0.21	48.84%
Code Enforcement Officer	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00%
Code Enforcement-Lead	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Transportation Systems Management	0.85	0.60	0.88	0.74	-0.14	(15.91)%
Director Planning/Community Environment	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	0.40	0.88	0.98	0.80	-0.18	(18.37)%
Manager Planning	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Parking Operations-Lead	0.30	0.20	0.00	0.10	0.10	0.00%
Planner	3.00	3.83	3.83	3.85	0.02	0.52%
Program Assistant II	0.00	0.35	0.60	0.00	-0.60	(100.00)%
Project Engineer	1.65	1.15	0.50	0.80	0.30	60.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.88	-0.12	(12.00)%
Senior Planner	7.64	6.70	6.51	6.63	0.12	1.84%
Senior Project Engineer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Traffic Engineering-Lead	1.00	0.10	0.38	0.65	0.27	71.05%
Transportation Planning Manager	0.20	0.85	0.20	0.41	0.21	105.00%
Total Planning and Community Environment	31.04	31.56	30.24	30.20	-0.04	(0.13)%
Police						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Animal Control Officer	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Animal Control Officer-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Animal Services Specialist II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Police Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Business Analyst	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00%
Code Enforcement Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Communications Manager	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Communications Technician	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Community Service Officer	8.50	8.50	7.50	7.50	0.00	0.00%
Court Liaison Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Crime Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Deputy Director Technical Services Division	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Geographic Information System Specialist	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00%
Police Agent	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	0.00	0.00%
Police Captain	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Police Chief	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Police Lieutenant	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Police Officer	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	0.00	0.00%
Police Records Specialist II	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Police Records Specialist-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Police Sergeant	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant II	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Property Evidence Technician	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Communications Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Dispatcher	0.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Dispatcher I	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Dispatcher II	14.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Dispatcher-Lead	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Manager I	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Manager II	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Safety Program Manager	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Technologist	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Superintendent Animal Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Veterinarian	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Veterinarian Technician	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Police	155.00	155.00	155.00	155.00	0.00	0.00%
Public Works						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate I	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	2.63	2.65	2.65	2.65	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Public Works	0.85	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.00	0.00%
Associate Engineer	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00%
Building Serviceperson	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	-1.00	(100.00)%
Building Serviceperson-Lead	1.80	1.80	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Cement Finisher	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.00	-1.00	(33.33)%

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Cement Finisher-Lead	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Public Works Projects	1.00	0.50	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00%
Director Public Works/City Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Electrician	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Engineer	0.40	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.00	0.00%
Engineering Technician III	1.20	1.47	1.47	1.47	0.00	0.00%
Equipment Operator	3.46	3.46	3.46	2.46	-1.00	(28.90)%
Facilities Carpenter	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Maintenance-Lead	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Mechanic	5.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Painter	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Technician	0.00	5.55	4.05	4.05	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator	2.33	2.33	2.33	2.33	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator-Lead	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00%
Inspector, Field Services	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00%
Landscape Architect Park Planner	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.60	0.50	500.00%
Management Analyst	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00%
Manager Facilities	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00%
Manager Maintenance Operations	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00%
Manager Urban Forestry	0.96	0.96	0.96	0.96	0.00	0.00%
Manager Watershed Protection	0.00	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00%
Planning Arborist	0.75	0.75	0.71	0.00	-0.71	(100.00)%
Project Engineer	0.40	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00%
Project Manager	1.93	2.58	2.65	2.65	0.00	0.00%
Senior Engineer	0.57	0.79	0.79	0.79	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.11	1.11	1.11	1.11	0.00	0.00%
Senior Project Manager	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Supervisor Inspection and Surveying	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Surveyor, Public Works	0.10	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00%
Traffic Controller Maintainer-Lead	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Traffic Controller Maintainer I	1.94	1.94	1.94	1.94	0.00	0.00%
Traffic Controller Maintainer II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Tree Maintenance Person	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Tree Trim/Line Clear	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00%
Tree Trim/Line Clear-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Public Works	54.59	55.93	54.66	51.45	-3.21	(5.87)%
Total General Fund	600.71	603.94	602.92	585.43	-17.49	(2.90)%

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Enterprise Fund						
Public Works						
Account Specialist	0.45	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00%
Accountant	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate I	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.15	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Public Works	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Manager WQCP	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Associate Engineer	1.35	1.99	2.99	2.99	0.00	0.00%
Business Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Buyer	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Chemist	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Sustainability Officer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Public Works Projects	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00%
Electrician	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Electrician-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Engineer	1.00	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00%
Engineering Technician III	0.20	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00%
Environmental Specialist	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Equipment Operator	0.54	0.54	0.54	0.54	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Maintenance Lead	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Technician	0.00	0.00	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00%
Hazardous Materials Inspector	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator-Lead	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00%
Industrial Waste Inspector	2.99	2.99	2.99	2.99	0.00	0.00%
Industrial Waste Investigator	1.79	1.15	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00%
Laboratory Technician WQC	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Landfill Technician	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Maintenance Mechanic	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	1.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	0.00	0.00%
Manager Airport	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Environmental Control Program	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.90	0.00	0.00%
Manager Laboratory Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Maintenance Operations	1.96	1.96	1.96	1.96	0.00	0.00%
Manager Solid Waste	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Water Quality Control Plant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%

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Manager Watershed Protection	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00%
Plant Mechanic	0.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant I	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant II	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Project Engineer	1.83	1.83	1.83	1.83	0.00	0.00%
Project Manager	0.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	0.00	0.00%
Senior Accountant	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00%
Senior Buyer	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Chemist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Engineer	1.76	3.76	3.76	3.76	0.00	0.00%
Senior Industrial Waste Investigator	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00%
Senior Mechanic	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Operator WQC	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Technologist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Storekeeper	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Street Maintenance Assistant	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Street Sweeper Operator	1.63	1.63	1.63	1.63	0.00	0.00%
Supervisor WQCP Operations	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Surveyor, Public Works	0.35	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00%
Technologist	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Traffic Controller Maintainer I	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00%
WQC Plant Operator II	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	0.00	0.00%
Zero Waste Coordinator	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Public Works	95.12	98.69	101.19	101.19	0.00	0.00%
Utilities						
Account Specialist	2.55	1.70	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00%
Accountant	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate II	6.00	6.00	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant City Manager/Utilities General Manager	0.00	0.00	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Administrative Services	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Utilities Customer Support Services	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Utilities Engineering	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Utilities Operations	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Utilities/Resource Management	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%

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Associate Engineer	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Business Analyst	7.00	7.00	7.00	6.00	-1.00	(14.29)%
Cathodic Protection Technician Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Cathodic Technician	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Cement Finisher	1.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Sustainability Officer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Contracts Administrator	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Utilities Projects	7.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Customer Service Representative	6.00	6.00	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00%
Customer Service Specialist	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Customer Service Specialist-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Deputy Chief/Fire Marshal	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00%
Deputy City Attorney	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Director Administrative Services/CFO	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Director Utilities	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Electric Project Engineer	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Electric Underground Inspector	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Electric Underground Inspector-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Electrical Equipment Technician	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Electrician Assistant I	4.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Engineer	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Engineering Manager - Electric	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Engineering Manager - WGW	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Engineering Technician III	4.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Equipment Operator	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Gas and Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician	0.00	0.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Gas and Water Meter Measurement and Control Technician - Lead	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Gas System Technician	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Gas System Technician II	1.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Hazardous Materials Inspector	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator	8.70	6.70	6.70	6.70	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator - Install/ Repair	0.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Industrial Waste Investigator	0.00	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00%
Inspector, Field Services	4.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Lineperson/Cable Specialist	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	0.00	0.00%
Lineperson/Cable Specialist-Lead	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Maintenance Mechanic-Welding	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Manager Communications	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Customer Service	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Customer Service and Meter Reading	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Electric Operations	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Treasury, Debt & Investments	0.00	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00%
Manager Utilities Compliance	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Utilities Credit & Collection	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Utilities Marketing Services	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Utilities Operations WGW	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Utilities Program Services	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Utilities Strategic Business	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Utilities Telecommunications	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Marketing Engineer	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Meter Reader	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Meter Reader-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Metering Technician	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Metering Technician-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Offset Equipment Operator	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.00	0.00%
Overhead Underground Troubleman	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Planner	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Power Engineer	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Principal Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Principal Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant I	2.50	2.50	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00%
Project Engineer	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Project Manager	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00%
Resource Planner	5.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Restoration Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
SCADA Technologist	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Accountant	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00%
Senior Business Analyst	2.00	2.00	2.00	3.00	1.00	50.00%
Senior Deputy City Attorney	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Electrical Engineer	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Engineer	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	2.40	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00%
Senior Mechanic	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Performance Auditor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Project Engineer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Resource Planner	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%

	FV 2016	FV 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2019	FV 2010
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	Adopted Budget	Proposed Budget	Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Senior Technologist	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Utilities Field Service Representative	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Water Systems Operator	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Storekeeper	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Storekeeper-Lead	0.00	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber Technician	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber Technician Apprentice	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Street Light, Traffic Signal & Fiber-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Substation Electrician	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Substation Electrician-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Supervising Electric Project Engineer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Supervisor Inspection Services	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Tree Maintenance Person	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Account Representative	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Chief Operating Officer	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Compliance Technician	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Compliance Technician-Lead	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Credit/Collection Specialist	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Engineer Estimator	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Field Services Representative	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Install Repair-Lead-Welding Certified	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Install Repair-Welding Certified	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Install/Repair	12.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Install/Repair Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Install/Repair-Lead	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Key Account Representative	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Locator	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Marketing Program Administrator	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Safety Officer	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities Supervisor	11.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	0.00	0.00%
Utilities System Operator	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00%
Utility Engineering Estimator - Lead	0.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Warehouse Supervisor	0.50	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Water Meter Cross Connection Technician	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Water System Operator I	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%

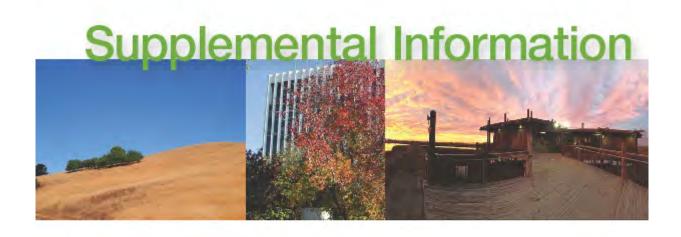
	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Water System Operator II	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Utilities	255.97	254.92	256.67	256.67	0.00	0.00%
Total Enterprise Fund	351.09	353.61	357.86	357.86	0.00	0.00%
Other Funds						
Capital Project Fund						
Administrative Associate I	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	0.89	0.89	0.89	1.09	0.20	22.47%
Assistant Director Public Works	0.58	0.58	0.58	0.58	0.00	0.00%
Associate Engineer	2.69	2.69	2.96	3.04	0.08	2.70%
Associate Planner	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.31	0.31	0.00%
Cement Finisher	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Cement Finisher-Lead	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.00	0.00%
Chief Transportation Official	0.50	0.30	0.52	0.36	-0.16	(30.77)%
Contracts Administrator	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Public Works Projects	1.00	1.50	1.30	1.30	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Transportation Systems Management	0.15	0.90	0.62	0.76	0.14	22.58%
Engineer	2.98	2.80	2.80	2.80	0.00	0.00%
Engineering Technician III	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Technician	0.00	0.00	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00%
Heavy Equipment Operator	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Inspector, Field Services	1.20	1.21	1.21	1.21	0.00	0.00%
Landscape Architect Park Planner	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	1.39	0.89	0.79	0.82	0.03	3.80%
Manager Facilities	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Manager Maintenance Operations	1.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.00	0.00%
Parking Operations-Lead	0.00	0.30	1.00	0.35	-0.65	(65.00)%
Program Assistant I	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant II	0.00	0.20	0.40	0.00	-0.40	(100.00)%
Project Engineer	4.99	6.49	7.14	6.84	-0.30	(4.20)%
Project Manager	1.80	1.15	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00%
Senior Engineer	1.99	1.99	1.99	1.99	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.72	0.12	20.00%
Senior Planner	0.00	0.70	0.85	0.72	-0.13	(15.29)%
Senior Project Engineer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Project Manager	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00%
Supervisor Inspection and Surveying	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.00	0.00%
Surveyor, Public Works	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Traffic Engineering-Lead	0.00	0.90	0.62	0.35	-0.27	(43.55)%
Transportation Planning Manager	0.70	0.15	0.50	0.35	-0.15	(30.00)%
Total Capital Project Fund	28.83	30.61	33.79	32.61	-1.18	(3.49)%
Printing and Mailing Services						
Manager Revenue Collections	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Offset Equipment Operator	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.52	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Printing and Mailing Services	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	0.00	0.00%
Special Revenue Funds						
Account Specialist	1.55	1.62	1.62	1.87	0.25	15.43%
Account Specialist-Lead	0.41	0.95	0.95	0.55	-0.40	(42.11)%
Administrative Associate II	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Administrative Associate III	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.21	0.21	0.00%
Associate Planner	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.42	0.42	0.00%
Building Serviceperson-Lead	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Chief Transportation Official	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.00	-0.05	(100.00)%
Community Service Officer	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00%
Coordinator Public Works Projects	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Electrician	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Maintenance-Lead	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Mechanic	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Painter	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00%
Facilities Technician	0.00	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	0.00	0.02	0.02	0.17	0.15	750.00%
Manager Community Services Senior Program	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Maintenance Operations	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00%
Manager Revenue Collections	0.20	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00%
Parking Operations-Lead	0.70	0.50	0.00	0.55	0.55	0.00%
Planner	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Program Assistant II	0.00	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Planner	0.00	0.36	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00%
Senior Project Engineer	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Street Maintenance Assistant	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Street Sweeper Operator	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00%
Transportation Planning Manager	0.10	0.00	0.30	0.24	-0.06	(20.00)%
Total Special Revenue Funds	9.22	9.69	9.13	10.20	1.07	11.72%

	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Technology Fund						
Administrative Assistant	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Administrative Services	0.00	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00%
Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Desktop Technician	5.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Director Administrative Services/CFO	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Director Information Technology/CIO	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Manager Information Technology	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.00	-1.00	(25.00)%
Manager Information Technology Security	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Principal Business Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Principal Management Analyst	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Business Analyst	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Technologist	15.00	16.00	17.00	18.00	1.00	5.88%
Technologist	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Technology Fund	34.10	35.10	36.10	36.10	0.00	0.00%
Vehicle Replacement and Maintena Administrative Associate III	ance Fund	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Director Public Works	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00%
Assistant Fleet Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Equipment Maintenance Service Person	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Fleet Services Coordinator	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Management Analyst	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00%
Manager Fleet	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Motor Equipment Mechanic II	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00%
Motor Equipment Mechanic-Lead	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00%
Project Manager	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Senior Management Analyst	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00%
Total Vehicle Replacement and Maintenance Fund	16.53	16.53	16.53	16.53	0.00	0.00%
Workers' Compensation Program I	Fund					
Senior Human Resources Administrator	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%

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	FY 2016 Actuals	FY 2017 Actuals	FY 2018 Adopted Budget	FY 2019 Proposed Budget	FY 2019 Change FTE	FY 2019 Change %
Workers' Compensation Program Fund						
Total Workers' Compensation Program Fund	0.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00%
Total Other Funds	90.30	94.55	98.17	98.06	-0.11	(0.11)%
Total Citywide Positions	1,042.10	1,052.10	1,058.95	1,041.35	-17.60	(1.66)%





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Reserve Policies

One of the key components of a financially stable organization is the adherence to a policy of maintaining an appropriate level of reserves. The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) recommends, at a minimum, that general purpose governments, regardless of size, maintain reserves (unrestricted fund balance) in their General Fund of no less than two months of operating revenues or expenditures, or a minimum of approximately 16.6 percent of General Fund operating expenditures. The GFOA further recommends that reserve levels be directly related to the degree of uncertainty the local government faces; specifically, the greater the uncertainty, the greater the financial resources necessary. Since reserves are used to mitigate risk, during these uncertain economic times, it is crucial that the City continue its practice of adhering to this GFOA guidance. This will provide the City with resources to cope with unforeseen expenditures, unanticipated events, or revenue shortfalls.

General Fund Budget Stabilization Reserve

The City's Budget Stabilization Reserve (BSR) serves as the primary General Fund reserve. By policy, the BSR is maintained in the range of 15 to 20 percent of General Fund operating expenditures, with a target of 18.5 percent. Any reduction to the reserve below 15 percent requires City Council approval. At the discretion of the City Manager, any BSR balance above 18.5 percent may be transferred to the Infrastructure Reserve (IR), which was established to provide funding for maintenance and rehabilitation of the City's capital assets. The BSR is used to fund unanticipated one-time costs as opposed to ongoing or recurring operating expenditures. The City's intent is to fund ongoing programs and services with ongoing dollars.

The City has held a long-standing practice of maintaining a BSR balance of no less than 15 percent of General Fund operating expenses. The table below depicts the BSR balances for seven years, last five years of actual ending BSR balances and two years of budgeted ending BSR balances. As discussed in this document, the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget assumes a BSR ending balance of \$41.0 million or 19.16 percent; this is \$1.4 million above the Council approved 18.5 percent target.

	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Actuals	Adopted	Proposed
Ending BSR Balance (in millions)	\$30.4	\$33.1	\$48.2	\$49.5	\$48.1	\$39.1	\$41.0
% of Total Expenses	18.50%	19.33%	25.96%	24.06%	22.87%	18.63%	19.16%

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Over the years, the City's BSR has served as a repository for unspent operating funds at yearend and to fund one-time unexpected needs that arise outside of the regular budget preparation process. Prudent financial management practices dictate that the BSR not be used to fund or solve on-going, recurring financial needs. The City has adhered to this practice and has not used the BSR to provide ongoing budget stabilization during periods of economic downturns. .

HUMAN SERVICES RESOURCE ALLOCATION PROCESS (HSRAP) RESERVE

In Fiscal Year 2015, the City Council set aside an earmarked reserve for the Human Resource Allocation Process (HSRAP) in the amount of \$50,000 to be used during future budget cycles. These funds are anticipated to be unspent at the conclusion of Fiscal Year 2018, and it is recommended that this reserve be carried forward to Fiscal Year 2018.

Credit Rating Agencies

Credit rating agencies view General Fund reserves as a critical component of strong municipal management. According to Moody's Investors Service, reserves are an important factor in the analysis of a municipality's fiscal health and, therefore, a jurisdiction's fiscal policies should include a plan for maintaining reserves. Rating agencies view sound reserves favorably, thus improving a municipality's rating and its ability to obtain low-cost financing for important projects. The City is proud to report that both Moody's and Standard and Poor's (S&P) awarded their highest credit ratings, Triple A, to the City's General Obligation Bonds for library and community center capital improvements in 2010 and it was most recently reaffirmed in 2013. The City is currently moving forward with updates to ratings as part of the upcoming issuance of debt for the golf course remodel. These ratings demonstrate that Palo Alto's prudent financial management and fiscal strength are viewed most favorably by credit agencies.

The four Utility bonds that are rated by S&P also received their highest credit rate of Triple A. Moody's has rated these Utility bonds with either their second highest (Aa1) or third highest (Aa2) ratings.

Capital Fund Reserve

Infrastructure Reserve (IR)

The Infrastructure Reserve (IR) provides a mechanism for financing the City's infrastructure maintenance and rehabilitation requirements and allows for the City to apply for reimbursable infrastructure grants and respond to urgent infrastructure needs. The primary purpose of the IR is to the fund projects which are critical to the maintenance of existing infrastructure. As part of the Council approved Infrastructure Plan (IP), approved in FY 2014,, the Infrastructure Reserve was planned to fund \$7.5 million of the IP funding needs. Between FY 2012 and FY 2016 unspent monies from General Fund capital projects are returned to the IR and retained within the Capital Fund. General Fund Operating Budget surpluses of \$36.9 million have been transferred to the Infrastructure Reserve beyond base budget transfers. Investment income from this reserve is also retained within the IR to fund future capital project needs.

Other Policies

Debt

The City of Palo Alto recognizes the need for spending a prudent amount every year for ongoing capital replacement and rehabilitation needs. An ongoing capital improvement plan is vital to ensuring the future viability of services. To achieve this priority, the City funds its regular and ongoing capital needs primarily on a "pay-as-you-go" basis. There are, however, special or extraordinary capital improvement projects, refinancing of existing debt, and purchase of major and multiple pieces of equipment in which it is appropriate to consider debt financing. The City's Debt Policy establishes the guidelines to support the decision-making process for issuing debt. These guidelines were adopted by the City Council on May 13, 1997 (City Manager's Report 210:97). Staff revised the guidelines at the April 11, 2017 City Council meeting to explicitly comply with the recently passed SB 1029 amendments to Government Code section 8855. A summary of the Debt Service guidelines, including more information on the new reporting requirements, is in the Debt Service Fund Overview section.

Investments

The basic principles underlying Palo Alto's investment philosophy are to ensure the safety of public funds, provide that sufficient money is always available to meet current expenditures and achieve a reasonable rate of return on its investments. Safety is the top priority, followed by liquidity and yield.

The City pools cash from all sources and funds - except restricted bond proceeds with fiscal agents - and invests its pooled idle cash in accordance with state law and the City's charter. The City follows the "Prudent Investor Standard" cited in State Government Code (Section 53600.3). Under this standard, all governing bodies of local agencies or persons authorized to make investment decisions on behalf of the City are trustees and, therefore, fiduciaries subject to the prudent investor standard. When investing, reinvesting, purchasing, acquiring, exchanging, selling or managing public funds, a trustee shall act with the same care, skill, prudence and diligence under the prevailing circumstances that a prudent person acting in a like capacity and familiarity with those matters would use in the same circumstances to safeguard the principal and maintain the liquidity needs of the agency. Prevailing circumstances include, but are not limited to, economic conditions and the anticipated needs of the agency.

The City's preferred and chief practice is to buy securities and to hold them to their date of maturity rather than trade or sell securities prior to maturity. The City may, however, elect to sell a security prior to its maturity date should there be a significant financial need. If securities are purchased and held to their maturity date, then any changes in the market value of those securities during their life will have no effect on the principal value. Under a buy and hold philosophy, the City is able to protect its invested principal. The economy, money markets and various financial institutions (such as the Federal Reserve System) are monitored carefully to make prudent investments and assess the condition of the City's portfolio.

FINANCIAL POLICIES

A detailed explanation of investment objectives, applicability and general investment guidelines can be found on the City's website. The Investment policy also delineates authorized investments, authorized investment personnel and administrative procedures.

In 2018, City staff is evaluating possible recommendations to the City Council for changes to the Investment Policy and other financial practices to encourage investments that support sound environmental, social, and governance (ESG) investing. This includes, encouraging investments in entities that support community well-being through safe and environmentally sound practices and fair labor practices and equality of rights. Also, administratively, staff doesn't invest in entities that manufacture tobacco products, firearms, or nuclear weapons and production and/or drilling of fossil fuels. Staff will be looking at making a recommendation to formalize this practice in the Investment Policy.

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Key Budget Terms

Accrual Accounting: A method of accounting that recognizes expenses when incurred and revenues when earned rather than when payment is made or received

Adopted Budget: The budget that is approved and enacted by the City Council annually on before June 30th.

Appropriation: The allocation of an expense budget for a particular project or program usually for a specific period of time.

Balanced Budget: A balanced budget exists when total revenues are equal to, or greater than, total expenses.

Bond: A debt investment in which an investor loans money to an entity (governmental or otherwise) that borrows the money for a defined period of time at a fixed interest rate to pay for a variety of projects.

Budget Stabilization Reserve (BSR): The BSR was established as a prudent measure to maintain the City's fiscal stability in the event that unanticipated events reduce revenue or create obligations that significantly impact the current-year budget. Examples of such events include a downturn in the economy, a natural disaster or actions that may be taken by another governmental agency that reduce revenues and/or increase expenses for the City.

Capital Budget: A plan of proposed capital outlays and the means of financing them for the current fiscal period. In a two-year budget, the second year of the Capital Improvement Program is adopted-in-concept.

Capital Improvement Program (CIP): The City's plan for current and future projects related to the acquisition, expansion, or rehabilitation of buildings, equipment, parks, streets, and other public infrastructure.

Capital Projects Fund: A fund created to account for all resources to be used for the construction or acquisition of designated fixed assets by a governmental unit except those financed by proprietary or fiduciary funds.

City Manager's Report (CMR): Staff reports for City Council meetings as well as boards and commissions that are prepared by City staff and submitted through the City Manager's Office.

Comprehensive Plan: The Palo Alto Comprehensive Plan contains the City's official policies on land use and community design, transportation, housing, natural environment, business and economics, and community services. Its focus is on the physical form of the City and is applicable to both public and private properties. The Budget integrates the 1998-2010 Comprehensive Plan into the budget process.

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Cost Accounting: The branch of accounting that provides for the assembling and recording of all the elements of cost incurred to accomplish a purpose, carry on an activity or operation, or complete a unit of work or a specific job.

Enterprise Funds: Funds used to account for services that are provided to the public on a user charge basis, similar to the operation of a commercial business. The City's enterprise funds include the gas, electric, water, fiber optics and wastewater collection and treatment funds.

Fiduciary Fund: A fund used to account for assets held by the City acting in a fiduciary capacity for other individuals or entities. These funds are operated to carry out the specific actions required by the trust agreements, ordinances and other governing regulations.

Fiscal Agent: A bank or other corporate fiduciary that performs the function of paying, on behalf of the governmental unit, or other debtor, interest on debt or principal of debt when due.

Fiscal Year: A 12-month period of time to which the annual budget applies and at the end of which a governmental unit determines its financial position and the results of operations. Palo Alto's fiscal year begins on July 1st and ends on June 30th.

Fixed Assets: Assets such as land, structures and improvements, furniture and/or equipment that are expected to last and/or be used for more than one year.

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE): Used to quantify staffing hours for permanent and temporary employees. A 1.0 FTE employee works full time; a.50 FTE employee works half-time.

Fund Balance: An excess of the assets of a fund over its liabilities.

General Fund: The primary fund used to account for the City's general purpose revenues such as sales, property, utility users and transient occupancy taxes. General Fund revenues typically pay for citywide services such as public safety, community development, recreation, libraries and parks. The General Fund is distinguished from Special Funds in that the latter are used to account for revenues that have restricted uses (e.g. gas tax funds that must be used for street maintenance or repair).

Governmental Funds: A generic classification used to refer to all funds other than proprietary and fiduciary funds. Governmental funds include the general fund, capital fund, special revenue funds and debt service funds.

Infrastructure Assets: Roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, streets, sidewalks, drainage systems, and lighting systems installed for the common good.

Infrastructure Management Plan (IMP): A portion of the General Fund capital improvement program which focuses on rehabilitating the City's infrastructure. In 1998-99, an outside consultant on the City's infrastructure prepared a report known as the Adamson report. Within this report the City's infrastructure was cataloged and ranked based on when the infrastructure needed to be upgraded or replaced and the cost for each item. At that time, the City Council decided to establish a plan using the Adamson report as a guide for both timeline and cost.

Internal Service Funds: These funds provide services to City departments and recover their costs through user charges. For example the Vehicle Replacement Fund is an Internal Service Fund managing the replacement and maintenance of the City fleet.

Method of Accounting: The City's General Fund budget is developed using a modified accrual basis of accounting, with revenues being recorded when measurable and available, and expenditures recorded when the liability is incurred. Enterprise Funds and Internal Service Funds are budgeted on a generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) basis, which for Proprietary Funds is on a full accrual accounting basis.

Operating Transfer: Amounts transferred between funds, not considered a revenue or expense. For example, legally authorized transfers from a fund receiving revenue to the fund through which the resources are to be expended.

Pay-As-You-Go-Basis: A term used to describe the financial policy of a governmental unit that finances all of its capital outlays from current revenues rather than by borrowing.

Proposed Budget: The proposed budget is the budget that is sent to the Finance Committee by the City Manager. The proposed budget, including changes made by the Finance Committee during their review, is reviewed and then adopted by the City Council.

Proprietary Funds: A generic classification used to refer to all funds other than governmental funds or fiduciary funds. Proprietary funds include internal service funds and enterprise funds.

Reimbursements: Inter-fund transactions that constitute reimbursements to a fund for expenditures or expenses initially made from it but that properly apply to another fund. For example, the Enterprise Funds reimburse the Technology Fund for CIP projects from which the Enterprise Funds benefit.

Reserve: Represents the portion of fund balance set aside for financing future financing needs and addressing one-time emergency or unanticipated events.

Revenues: Revenues include compensation received by the project for specific services to the public (external revenues), as well as revenues received from other funds (internal revenues).

Special Revenue Funds: These funds account for the proceeds derived from specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes. The Street Improvement Fund (SIF) is a Special Revenue Fund that derives its funding from state gas tax revenues. Capital appropriations from the SIF must be spent on the construction and maintenance of the road network system of the City.



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