

Fiscal Year 2017 Proposed Budget

City Council

June 13, 2016

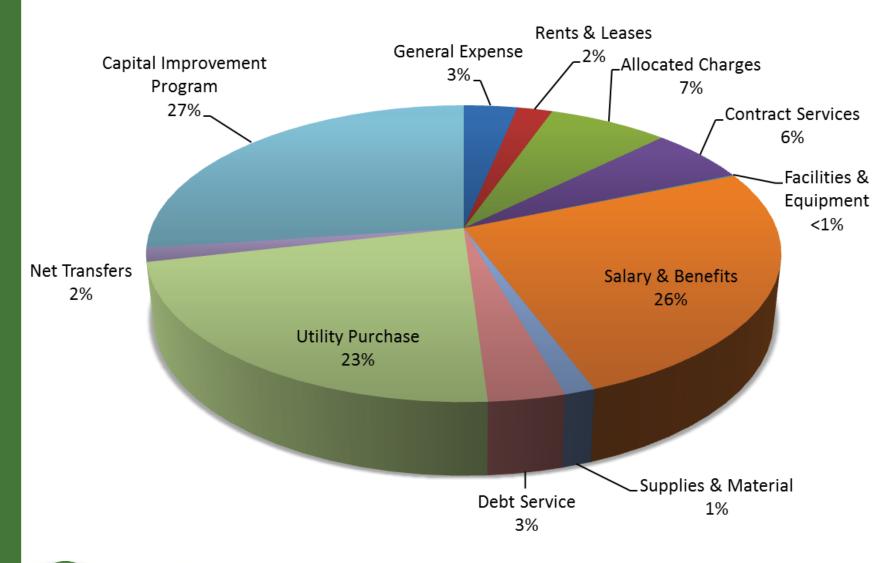


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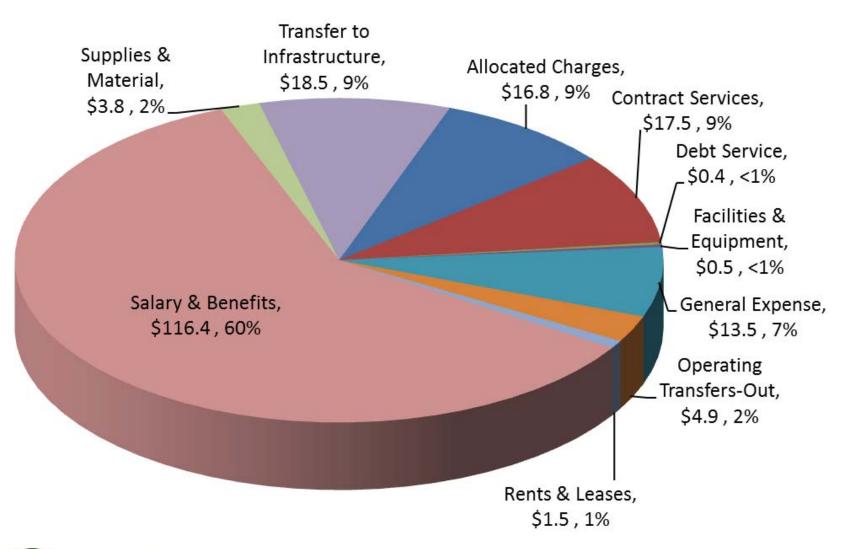


FY 2017 Revised Citywide Expenses





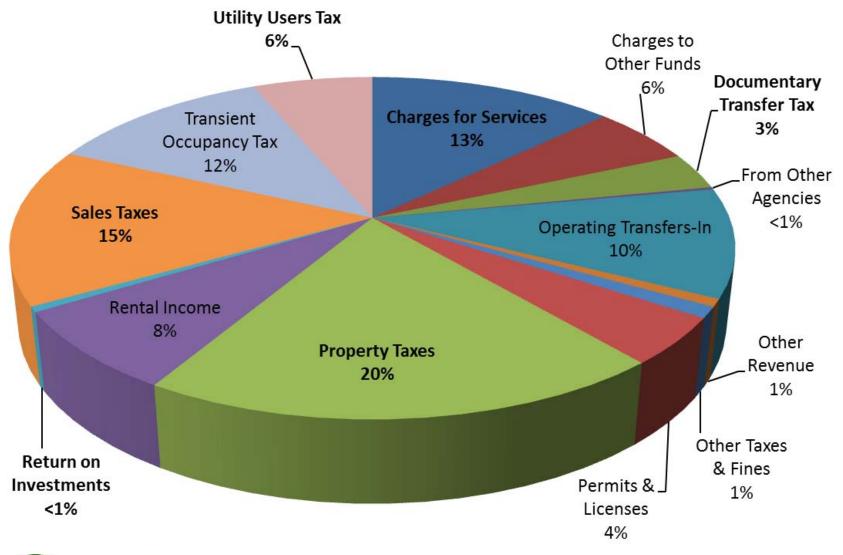
FY 2017 Revised General Fund Expenses





\$194.1 million

FY 2017 Revised General Fund Revenues





Citywide Position Changes

	GF	ENT	Other*	Total
FY 2016 Adopted Budget	599.31	351.09	89.70	1,040.10
FY 2016 Approved Adjustments	1.40	-	0.60	2.00
FY 2016 Modified Budget	600.71	351.09	90.30	1,042.10
FY 2017 Reallocations	0.38	(1.48)	1.10	-
FY 2017 Net Additions	2.85	4.00	3.15	10.00
Subtotal of 2017 Changes **	3.23	2.52	4.25	10.00
FY 2017 Proposed Budget	603.94	353.61	94.55	1,052.10
Anticipated Fire Department Reductions	(2.00)	-	-	(2.00)
Revised Subtotal FY 2017 Changes	1.23	2.52	4.25	8.00

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

** A reduction of funding equivalent to 2.0 FTE is recommended in the Fire

Department and the positions will be identified later



FY 2017 Revised Proposed Budget

GENERAL FUND: Finance Committee Changes

Adjustments	Revenue	Expense
FY 2017 City Manager Proposed Budget (April 2016)	\$193,127	\$198,072
Planning & Transportation Contingency		500
Two new RPPs Operation & Maintenance		155
Tree Trimming Contract (10 year cycle)		170
2.0 Position Funding Reduction Fire Dept	(151)	(454)
General Fund CIP schedule adjustment		(4,327)
Revised General Fund Tax Revenue	2,102	
FY 2017 Proposed Budget (REVISED)	\$195,078	\$194,116



Revised FY 2017 General Fund Revenue Estimates +\$2.1 million (\$'s in '000)

Revenue Category	FY 2017 Proposed (Original)	FY 2017 Proposed (Revised)	\$ Change (Original vs Revised)	% Growth (from FY 2016 Adopted)
Property Tax	\$37,853	\$38,953	\$1,100	11.1%
Sales Tax	\$28,668	\$29,150	\$482	5.5%
Utility Users Tax	\$11,209	\$12,379	\$1,170	10.7%
Documentary Tax	\$7,532	\$6,747	(\$785)	-1.5%
Return on Investment	\$840	\$975	\$135	18.4%



Revised FY 2017 Budget Stabilization Reserve

BSR Balance (as of FY 2016 Mid-Year)	\$36,970
FY 2016 Year End Revenue versus Expense Projection*	3,611
BSR Projected Balance (as of June 30, 2016)	40,581
FY 2017 City Manager Proposed Operating Budget Recommended Adjustments Revised General Fund Revenue Estimate	(4,944) 3,946 2,031
BSR Revised Projected FY 2017 Balance	\$41,614

approximately 21.4%

^{*} This does not include the additional \$1.2 million outlined in the 3rd Quarter Financial Report, this additional funding may be used for eminent capital projects.



Potential FY 2017/2018 Variables Budget Stabilization Reserve

BSR Revised Projected FY 2017 Balance \$41,614

Revised FY 2016 Year End Rev. vs Expense 1,270

(June 2016, 3rd Quarter Financial Report)

Reverse Capital Project Schedule Adjustment (4,327)

BSR Revised Projected FY 2017 Balance \$38,557

approximately 19.4%



Revised FY 2017 Proposed Budget

OTHER FUNDS: Finance Committee Changes

- Electric Fund: Facility Relocation for Caltrain
 Modernization Project; + FY 2017 \$150,000; +5 Year CIP
 \$2.7 million
- Capital Improvement Fund: Art in Public Spaces recalculation (-\$156,000)
- Capital Improvement Fund: Project schedule adjustments, not "shovel ready"
 - Rinconada Park Improvements
 - Municipal Services Center A, B, & C Roof Replacement
 - Ramos Park Improvements
- Various Funds: Capital reappropriations \$21.7 million



Revised FY 2017-2021 CIP Five Year Plan (\$'s in millions)

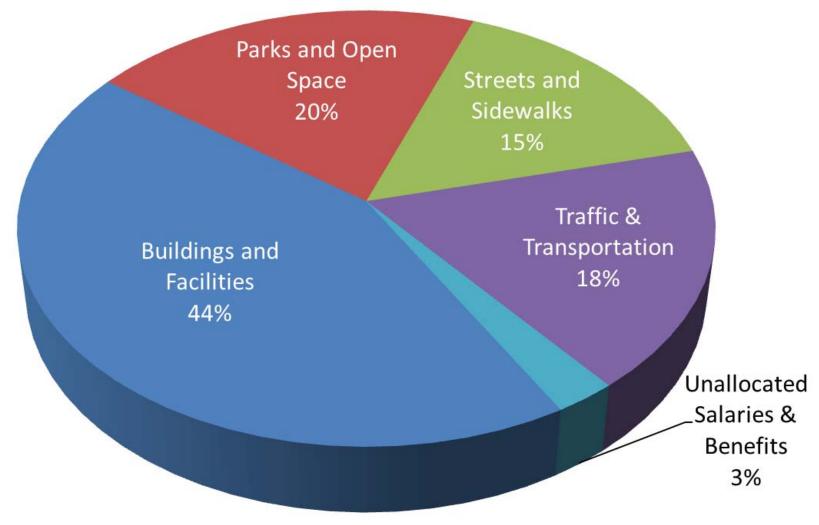
FY 2017-2021 City Manager Proposed CIP Plan	\$639.5
 New Project: Facility Relocation for Caltrain Modernization Project (Electric Fund) 	2.7
- Revised Project: Art in Public Spaces (General CIP)	(0.2)
 Project reappropriations from FY 2016 to FY 2017 (various funds) 	21.7
- Three project schedule adjustments (General CIP)	0
FY 2017-2021 City Manager Proposed CIP Plan (REVISED)	\$663.7



General Capital Improvement Fund (43.8%)

approx. \$290.8

FY 2017 Proposed Budget General Capital Improvement Fund





FY 2017 Utility Rate Changes

	Proposed	
Utility Service	Rate Change	
Electric	11%	
Gas	8%	
Wastewater	9%	
Water Utility	6%	
Refuse	9%	
Storm Drain	3.2%	

Increase the average residential bill by about 8%, for a total increase of about \$22.42 per month.



Costs/Revenues – Potential Issues

Year 1 Transportation costs to mitigate traffic issues

Fire Services Contract with Stanford University

Animal Shelter Service Delivery

Golf Course Reconfiguration & Renovation

Potential acquisition of the downtown Palo Alto Post Office

Trackwatch

Junior Museum and Zoo

Cubberley Community Center Master Plan

Unfunded Actuarial Liability of \$450.6 million for Pension and Retiree Healthcare Trusts (\$300.7 million General Fund)

Parks Master Plan

City owned assets operated by non-profit organizations (Palo Alto History Museum, Avenidas)

Year 10 Cadillac Healthcare Federal Excise Tax (FY 2020)



Looking Forward

- Balance expectations with funding
- Ensure we are a competitive employer of choice
- Address FY 2018 structural imbalance between General Fund revenues and expenses
 - ➤ Return to Finance Committee fall 2016 outlining potential budget balancing options
- Rising Pension and healthcare costs
- Unfunded liability

