

# Budget Initial Public Forum FY2023-24



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# Agenda









# Purpose of the Public Forum







- present background information on budget topics
- opportunity for Council to hear comments from the public





## **Topics for the Public Forum**

- A. Annual Budget
- B. Capital Program
- C. Community Development Grant
- D. HOME Program Funding
- E. Housing Capital Funds Program
- F. Public Transportation Grants
- G. Downtown Service District
- H. Potential Legislative Proposals







## **Annual Operating Budget**

- Police & Fire Protection
- Streets, Solid Waste, Engineering & other Public Works Functions
- Parks & Recreation and Library Services
- Planning and Building Inspections
- Administrative and Legal Services
- Affordable Housing
- Pay-as-you-go Capital









# **Capital Program**

15 Year Plan for investment in capital projects: Acquiring, building, improving, and maintaining infrastructure, facilities, land & major equipment.





## **Capital Program Components**

### 15 Year Capital Program

- Pay-go Funded (Annual Budget)
- Debt & Grant Funded (multi-year project budgets)
- Financing Plan
- Debt Fund











### **CDBG Grant**

# Initial Public Forum for CDBG held November 16, 2022

- Committee currently reviewing applications
- FY 2023 award = \$421,755

#### Next Steps:

- April 19 Second Public Forum
- May 10- Recommended CDBG & Home Plans





## **HOME Program**

# Orange County HOME Consortium deadline for completing applications was Feb 21, 2023

#### Next Steps:

- April 2023 HOME Program Review Committee recommendations
- Annual Action Plan submitted to HUD May 17, 2023





# Public Housing Capital Grant Funds Program

# Amount of Public Housing Capital Grant Funds for FY24 is unknown at this time

- A preliminary program based on the expected reduced funding level is presented in memo
- A final recommended plan will be presented in April





## **Public Transportation Grants**

### • Estimated funding levels:

- Federal \$2.8 million
- State \$3 million
- Other Federal planning funds



### Next Steps:

Transit Budget will be presented to the Public Transit
 Committee by April 2023



### **Downtown Service District**

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- 6.4 cent tax improvements to Downtown
- Estimated funding for FY24 \$408,000



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# **Potential Legislative Proposals**

# Legislative requests for 2023 legislative session

- Town Council met with the Legislative Delegation on January 24<sup>th</sup> to discuss legislative issues of interest to the Town
- General Assembly convened this year's long session on January 25
- Proposals can be considered at an upcoming Council meeting



## **Budget Calendar**







	Feb 15	Initial Public Forui	m
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- March 15 Work Session
- April 10 Work Session
- April 19 Public Forum
- May 10 Manager's Recommended Budget
- May 17 Work Session
- May 24 Public Hearing on Recommended Budget
- May 31 Budget Work Session (if needed)
- June 7 Budget Work Session (if needed)
- June 14 Proposed Date of Adoption of FY2023-24 Budget



## Public Input

In addition to the April 19<sup>th</sup> and May 24<sup>th</sup> Public Forums, the public can also make comments to the Mayor and Council by mail or e-mail:

Town Hall
405 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
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mayorandcouncil@townofchapelhill.org



### **Public Information**

Additional budget information available on the Town's website:

www.townofchapelhill.org/budget

2023-24 Budget Development Page







### **Next Steps**

Council may now open the public forum to receive public comment and refer comments to the Manager for development of the Recommended Budget



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