

# Budget Initial Public Forum FY2021-22



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### Agenda



**Forum Topics** 



**Budget Process** 



**Budget Status** 

# 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 Grants
- 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 4, 2020

- Committee currently reviewing applications
- FY 2021 award = \$417,591

#### Next Steps:

- April 7 Second Public Forum
- May 5- Recommended CDBG & Home Plans



#### **HOME Grants**

## Orange County HOME Consortium deadline for completing applications is Feb 26, 2021

#### Next Steps:

- April 2021 HOME Program Review Committee recommendations
- Annual Action Plan & 5-Year Consolidated Plan submitted to HUD May 15, 2021



### **Housing Capital Funds Program**

## Amount of Housing Capital Fund Grant for FY22 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 \$1.9 million
- State ?
- Other Federal planning funds



#### Next Steps:

Transit Budget will be presented to the Public Transit
 Committee by April 2021



#### **Downtown Service District**

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- 7.0 cent tax improvements to Downtown
- Estimated funding for FY22 \$388,000





#### **Potential Legislative Proposals**

- Legislative requests for 2021 legislative session
  - The deadline for filing bills is March 3, 2021
  - Proposals can be considered at an upcoming Council meeting

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#### **Budget Calendar**







- Feb 24
- March 17
- April 7
- April 14
- May 5
- May 12
- May 19
- May 26
- June 2
- June 9

#### **Initial Public Forum**

**Work Session** 

**Public Forum** 

**Work Session** 

Manager's Recommended Budget

**Budget Work Session** 

Public Hearing on Recommended Budget

**Budget Work Session (if needed)** 

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Proposed Date of Adoption of FY2021-22 Budget

### **Operating Budget Status**

Forum Topics

Budget Process



Departmental budgets have been submitted and we have begun the process of budget review and research





#### Public Input

In addition to the April 7<sup>th</sup> and May 19<sup>th</sup> Public Forums, the public can also make comments to the Mayor and Council by mail or e-mail:

Town Hall
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mayorandcouncil@townofchapelhill.org

#### **Public Information**

Additional budget information available on the Town's website:

www.townofchapelhill.org/budget

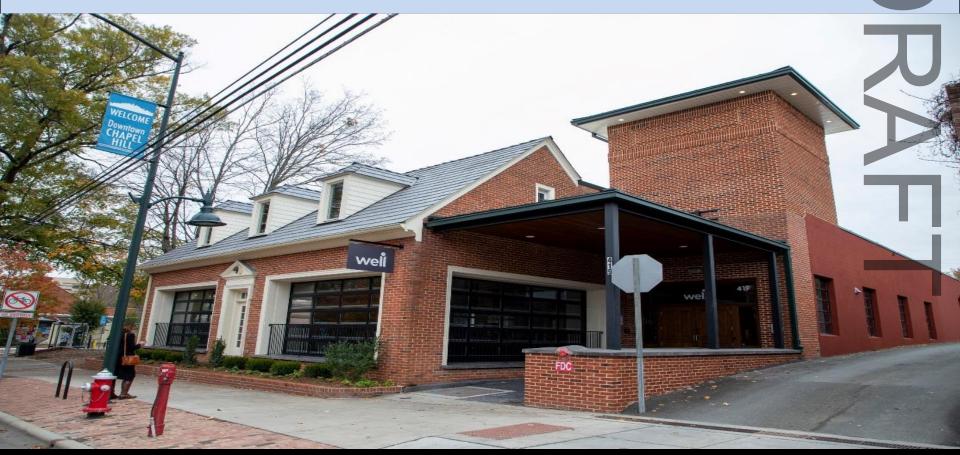
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#### **Next Steps**

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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