BUDGET RETREAT AGENDA

CITY COUNCIL BUDGET RETREAT THURSDAY FEBRUARY 16, 2017 COUNCIL CHAMBERS 211 WEST ASPEN AVENUE 8:00 A.M.

1. Call to Order

NOTICE OF OPTION TO RECESS INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the City Council and to the general public that, at this work session, the City Council may vote to go into executive session, which will not be open to the public, for legal advice and discussion with the City's attorneys for legal advice on any item listed on the following agenda, pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3).

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Roll Call

NOTE: One or more Councilmembers may be in attendance telephonically or by other technological means.

MAYOR EVANS VICE MAYOR WHELAN COUNCILMEMBER BAROTZ COUNCILMEMBER MCCARTHY

COUNCILMEMBER ODEGAARD COUNCILMEMBER OVERTON COUNCILMEMBER PUTZOVA

4. Public Participation

Public Participation enables the public to address the council about items that are not on the prepared agenda. Public Participation appears on the agenda twice, at the beginning and at the end of the work session. You may speak at one or the other, but not both. Anyone wishing to comment at the meeting is asked to fill out a speaker card and submit it to the recording clerk. When the item comes up on the agenda, your name will be called. You may address the Council up to three times throughout the meeting, including comments made during Public Participation. Please limit your remarks to three minutes per item to allow everyone to have an opportunity to speak. At the discretion of the Chair, ten or more persons present at the meeting and wishing to speak may appoint a representative who may have no more than fifteen minutes to speak.

5. City Council FY 2018 Budget Retreat - February 16, 2017

6. Informational Items To/From Mayor, Council, and City Manager.

7. Adjournment

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING OF	NOTICE
The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing notice was du on, at a.m./p.m. in accordance with the state	
Dated this day of, 2014.	
Elizabeth A. Burke, MMC, City Clerk	

CITY OF FLAGSTAFF

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT

To: The Honorable Mayor and Council

From: Rick Tadder, Management Services Director

Date: 02/09/2017

Meeting Date: 02/16/2017



TITLE:

City Council FY 2018 Budget Retreat - February 16, 2017

DESIRED OUTCOME:

To provide City Staff:

- Direction for FY 2018 budget development, Rio de Flag funding, and User Fees
- Finalize the Objectives related to Council Goals

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The budget for the City of Flagstaff is the policy document that reflects the goals and objectives of the City Council. Over the course of several months the Council meets to gather input on major budget issues prior to preparation of the budget.

The February 16th retreat will be the second of three Council budget retreats/work sessions toward the FY 2018 Budget adoption. This retreat will address the financial outlook, review funding options for the Rio de Flag project and provide direction on user fee changes. In addition, the City Council will finalize the Objectives for meeting the Council Goals.

The following is the agenda for the retreat:

- Welcome and Retreat objectives
- Revenue Updates
- Available Revenue and Fixed Costs
- Rio de Flag Funding
- User Fee Presentations for Planning and Development Services, Engineering and Recreation Fees
- Council Goals and Objectives

INFORMATION:

COUNCIL GOALS:

- Economic Development
- Affordable Housing
- Social Justice
- Transportation and Other Public Infrastructure
- Building and Zoning/Regional Plan
- Climate Change

- Water Conservation
- Environmental and Natural Resources

ADMINISTRATIVE GOALS:

- Personnel
- Community OutreachTown and Gown
- Code Compliance

Attachments: **Budget Retreat Presentation** Council Objectives





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Intro and Retreat Objectives

- Revenue Updates
- Available Revenues and Fixed Costs
- Rio de Flag Funding
- User Fee Presentations
- Council Objectives Review and Discussion
- Budget Direction/Recap
- Wrap Up





Revenue Outlook

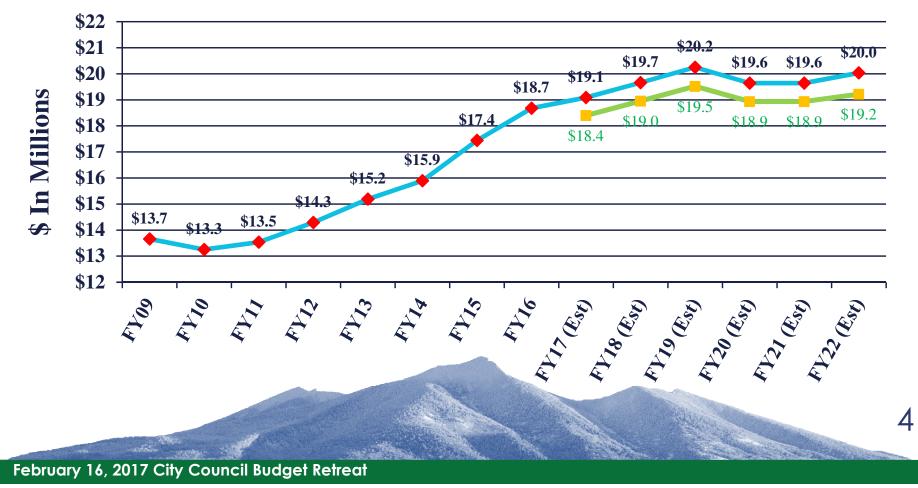
- City Sales Tax
- State Shared Sales/Income/Auto
- Franchise Taxes
- Building Permits
- BBB Taxes
- HURF Revenues







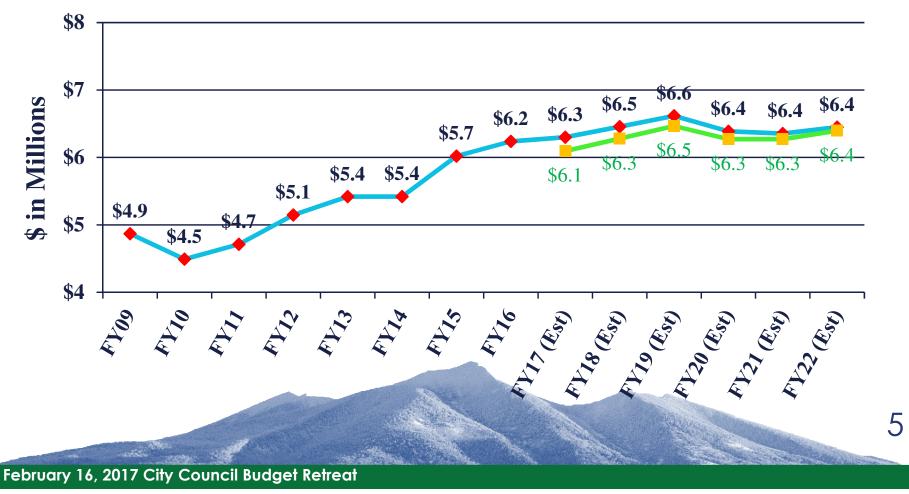
City Sales Tax-General Fund







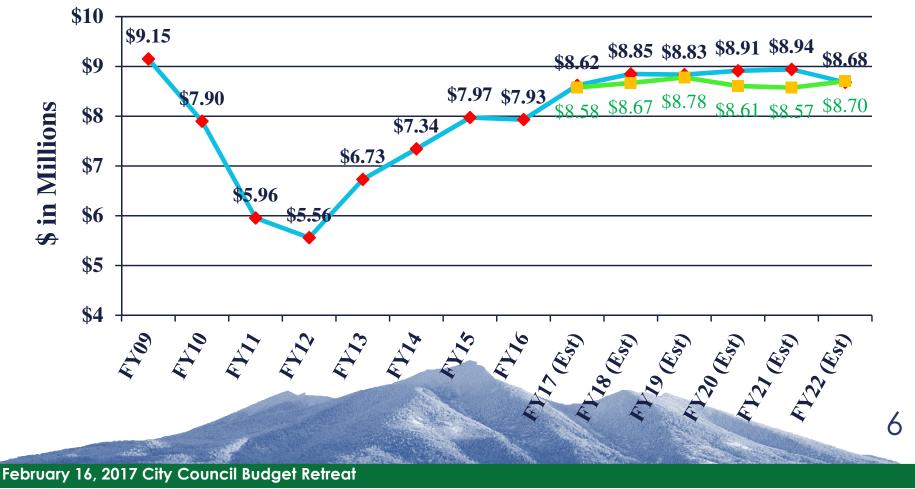
State Shared Sales Tax







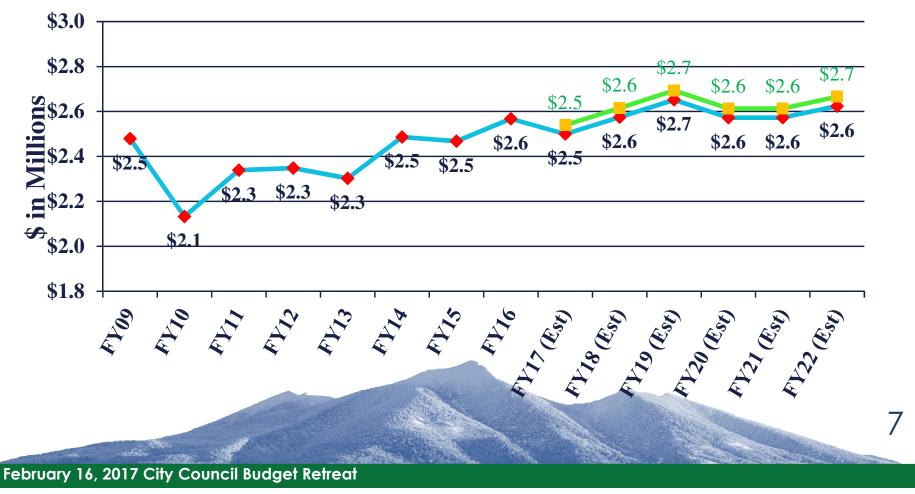
State Shared Income Tax







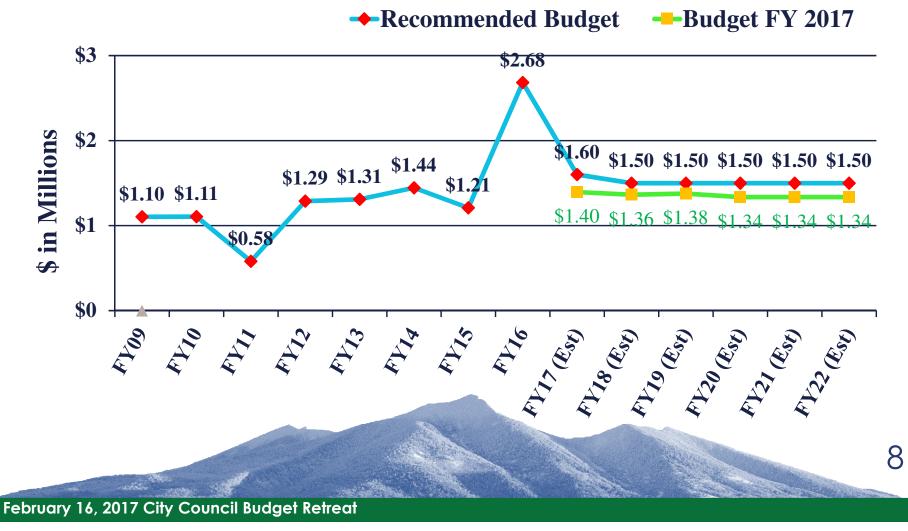
Franchise Taxes







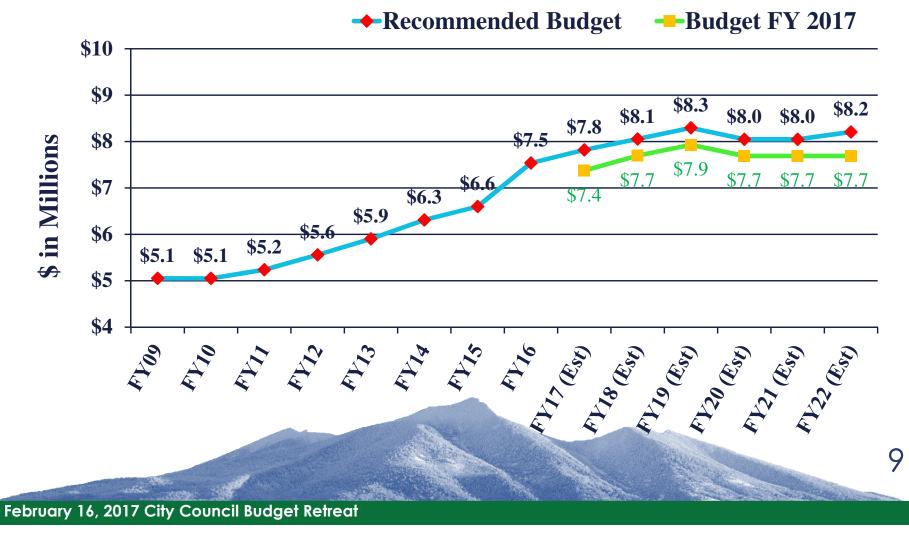
Building Permits







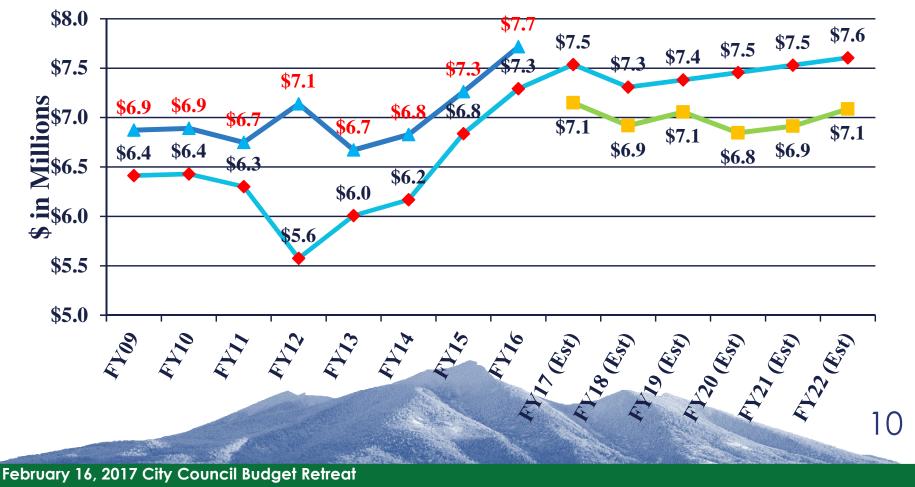
BBB Sales Tax







Highway User Revenues







Revenues and Fixed Costs

- Revenue Summary
- Fixed Costs
- Prior Year One-time Personnel Costs
- Other Budget Considerations







Revenue Update Summary – General Fund

General Fund	One-Time	Ongoing
City Sales Tax	\$ 600,000	\$ 700,000
State Shared Sales Tax	\$ 205,000	\$200,000
State Shared Income Tax	\$ 40,000	\$ 220,000
State Shared Auto Lieu	\$ 210,000	\$ 90,000
Building Permits	\$ 200,000	\$ 140,000
Other adjustments	\$ (55,000)	\$ O
Total Available for FY 2018	\$1,200,000	\$ 1,350,000

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Expenditure Update Fixed Cost Summary-General Fund

General Fund	Amount	Туре
Employee Market Pay - Phase 2	\$ 1,015,000	Ongoing
Pension Cost - New	\$ 1,190,000	Ongoing
Health Insurance	\$ 200,000	Ongoing
Minimum Wage Changes	\$260,000	Ongoing
Electric Utility Rate Increase	\$ 50,000	Ongoing
Airport Transfer	\$175,000	Ongoing
Total General Fund Fixed Costs	\$2,890,000	Ongoing
Funded in the General Fund Plan	(1,155,000)	Ongoing
Unfunded Fixed Costs	\$1,735,000	Ongoing

General Fund Ongoing Deficit = \$385,000

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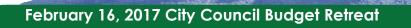




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Revenue and Expenditure Update Other Considerations

Issue	Impact	Funds
Arizona Department of Revenue Collection of Sales Tax*	Flatter Revenue Estimates	General Fund
Construction Sales Tax (\$1.6M)	Unknown	General Fund
State Shared Sales Taxes-Universities	\$45,000 ongoing	General Fund
Pension Reform	To be determined	General Fund







Personnel Costs in 1X

Position	Amount	Fund
Contract Specialist (Funded through FY18)	\$67,000	General Fund
Regional Fire Training Coordinator (Funded through FY18)	\$74,000	General Fund
CART Paramedic (FY17)	\$66,000	General Fund
Recreation Temp56 FTE (FY17)	\$16,000	General Fund
Court Admin Assistant (FY17)	\$42,000	General Fund
Court Collection Specialist (FY17)	\$60,000	General Fund
Library Temps (FY17)	\$35,000	Library
Library Sunday Hours (FY17)	\$42,000	Library
Open Space Specialist (FY17)	\$60,000	SEMS
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Review Revenue Opportunities

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Revenue Opportunities

Property Tax			
Revenue	Impact	Pros	Cons/Other Considerations
Property Tax Levy – 0- 12%	Up to \$720,000	Ongoing Revenue	Increased Tax Burden to Properties

- Property Tax Information
- 91 Cities and Towns
 - 50 Primary Property Tax
 - 21 Secondary Tax
 - 37 do not have Property Tax
- Flagstaff
 - 25th highest Primary Property Tax (.8121)
 - 14th highest Secondary Property Tax (.8366)
 - 25th highest combined Property Tax (1.6487)





Revenue Opportunities

SALES TAX	Impact	Pros	Cons/Other Considerations
Every 1/10th of a % (Current rate retail - 8.951%)	\$1,800,000	Ongoing – Could designate for a special purpose	Recent increase, voter burnout. Renewal of trans tax (expires in 2020)
MCTC – Wastewater	\$80,000	Ongoing	Impacts all households/ businesses







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Sales Tax Information

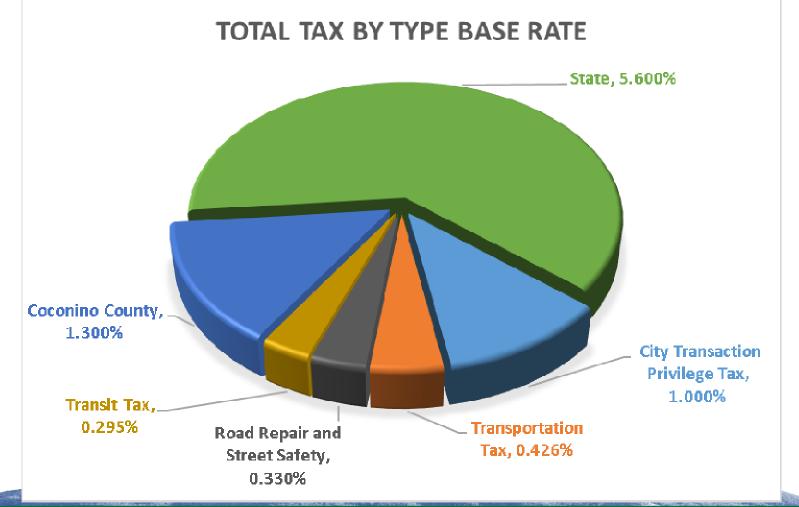
					FY 2017
	Base Rate	w/BBB	Expiration Date	Es	t. Revenues
Transaction Privilege Tax	1.000%	1.000%	11/4/2024	\$	19,086,000
Bed, Board and Beverage	n/a	2.000%	3/31/2028	\$	7,800,000
Transportation Tax	0.426%	0.426%	6/30/2020	\$	7,900,000
Road Repair and Street Safety	0.330%	0.330%	12/31/2034	\$	6,134,000
Transit Tax	0.295%	0.295%	6/30/2030	\$	5,480,000
Total City Sales Tax	2.051%	4.051%			
Coconino County	1.300%	1.300%			
State	5.600%	5.600%			
	6.900%	6.900%			
Total Tax Rate	8.951%	10.951%			







Sales Tax Information

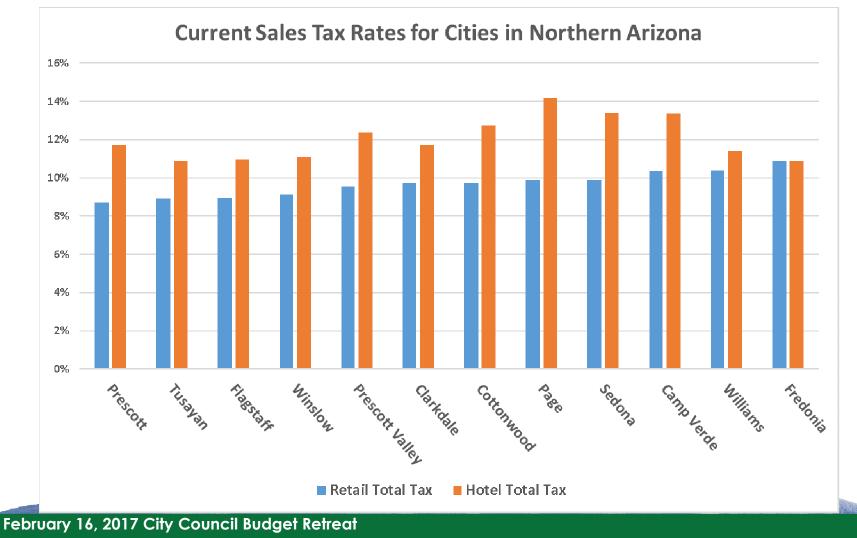






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Sales Tax Information







Revenue Opportunities

USER FEES	Impact	Pros	Cons/Other Considerations
Studies completed for Community Development, Fire and Recreation Fees	To be discussed	Ongoing to General Fund	Increase cost to citizens and businesses
Other User Fees: Business and Tax Licenses, Cemetery Fees, and Liquor Licenses	To be determined	Increase in Cost Recovery	Increase cost to citizens and businesses
OTHER	Impact	Pros	Cons/Other Considerations
Additional Municipal Services Fee - \$4 fee to be assessed through water bills	\$1,000,000	Ongoing to General Fund – specific purpose	Impact to all households/business of \$48/year
Development/Impact Fees	To be determined	Resources for future projects	Process to implement



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Rio de Flag Funding

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Rio de Flag Funding

\$36M Obligation – Funding/Financing Options

- Utility Relocation Contribution
- Stormwater Fees
- General Obligation Bonds
- Sales Tax



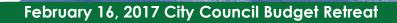




Rio de Flag Funding

Utility Relocation Contribution

- Water and Wastewater Contributions
- Dependent on Federal Funding Schedule
- Revenue Bonds
- Water and Wastewater Revenue







Rio de Flag Funding

Stormwater Fund

- Council Adopts Rate
- Cash or Revenue Bond Payback
- Allows Community-wide Participation







Rio de Flag Funding

General Obligation Bond

- Voter Approval
- Debt Obligation-Secondary Property Taxes
 - Increases to Secondary Property Taxes
- Issue Based on Need
- Competing with Other Needs





Rio de Flag Funding

Sales Tax

- Voter Approval
- Increment Rate & Duration
- Debt Payment or Cash Needs
- Competing with Other Needs
- Community and Visitor Participation





Rio de Flag Funding

Additional Considerations

- Funding Need: $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 Years
- Ability of Federal Funding
- Ballot Decision Deadlines







Rio de Flag Funding

Council Discussion

- Utility Relocation Contribution
- Stormwater Fees
- General Obligation Bonds
- Sales Tax
- Other?





User Fee Discussion







USER FEES 2017

- Community Development
- Fire
- Recreation

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Introduction of User Fees

Presented by: Rick Tadder Management Services Director







What are we asking of Council today?

 Policy Question: High level direction as to what level of recovery is appropriate for the types of Services offered by each Section?

What Direction are we looking for today?

- Consider New Fees
- Recommendation for Cost Recovery Levels
- Confirm/Adjust Public Outreach





Key concepts to distinguish

- Program Fees vs. User Fees
 - User Fees An outside entity is running the program (i.e., Adult Hockey League runs the program)
 - Program Fees Internally run (i.e., Co-Ed Hockey run by the City)







What is the time-table from this time forward?

- Obtain Council direction on path forward today
- Recalculation of fees based on Council direction
- Community, Commissions and User group presentations
- Obtain Community feedback and share with Staff
 and Council
- Work Session with Council
- Adoption by Ordinance if fees are modified





Overview

- MGT of America –
- Level of effort for this project
- Staff Involvement
- Methodology MGT uses
 - Full Cost Calculation
- Subsidy Decisions





Director & Section Head Presentations

- Community Development Planning Dan Folke
- Community Development Engineering Rick Barrett
- Fire Chief Mark Gaillard
- Recreation Rebecca Sayers







Planning & Development Services Section User Fee Discussion

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Planning & Development Services Fees

- Planning, Development Services, Building Safety program
- Current fees Adopted October 1, 2013
- 42% increase in all planning fees
- Increased recovery rate from 50% to 71% (based on 2009 study)
- Increases funded new planning position







User Fee Recommendations

- Adopt International Code Council building fee methodology and material valuation
- New fees for existing services
- New categories for zoning map amendments
- Tiered fees: base fee and per acre/lot fee







User Fee Recommendations

- Fee Recovery Range: 10% to 100%
- Straight percent increase on tiered fees
- 100% recovery: fees increase and decrease
- Lower recovery for lighting & concept plan







Planning & Development Services Section Recovery

- Overall Actual Cost Recovery (37%) *:
 - ➢ Revenue total: \$615,000
- Overall Cost Recovery per Current Policy (71%)*:
 ➢ Revenue total: \$1,200,000 (+\$585,000)
- Overall Actual Cost Recovery (Staff Recommended) (53%)*:
 ➢ Revenue total: \$895,000 (+\$280,000)
- Overall Cost Recovery if fees at 100%*:
 > Revenue total: \$1,675,000 (+\$1,060,000)

*Excludes Building Plan Review and Building Inspections (Permit Fees)





Discussion

- Is Council interested in establishing new fees where recovery has been 0%?
- What level of staff cost recovery is appropriate?
 - Leave existing fee schedule as is?
 - > Adjust fees to prior cost recovery levels?
 - Adjust to Current Policy level to staff recommendation?
 - Establish new Policy level?
- Outreach will be discussed with Engineering
- Questions, comments or concerns?



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Engineering Section User Fee Discussion

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% Recovery Discussion

- Current Policy at 50% Recovery
- 100% Recovery for Materials Testing
- Staff recommends 100% Recovery for users that have progressed through the process to construction plan review and permitting
- Staff Recommends 50% Recovery for users that are still in Site Plan Review
- Staff recommends cost recovery for new services that have been provided at no cost







Engineering Section Recovery

- Overall Actual Cost Recovery (36%):
 ➢ Revenue total: \$540,000
- Overall Cost Recovery per Current Policy (50%):
 ➢ Revenue total: \$750,000 (+\$210,000)
- Overall Cost Recovery Recommendation (100%):
 ➢ Revenue total: \$1,500,000 (+\$960,000)







Planning & Engineering Sections Outreach

- Planning & Zoning Commission
- Transportation Commission
- Northern Arizona Builders Association
- Chamber of Commerce
- Consultants and Contractors
- Friends of Flagstaff's Future
- Developers & past Applicants
- Downtown Business Alliance
- Current Applicants
- Utility Companies
- Neighborhood Associations
- Any others?

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 - Establish new Policy level?
- Does Council have general direction as to how we proceed with public outreach?
- Questions, comments or concerns?





Fire Section User Fee Discussion

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Development Permits – (Construction) Operational Permits Special Event Permits Wildfire Management

• Types of FD Fees

User Fees – The Fire Department





Opportunities -Policy Discussion

- Risk vs. Frequency
- One Time Fee vs. Repeat Fee
- City Sponsored Event vs. Non-City Sponsored Event
- Development (Cost Recovery?)
- Operational (Cost Recovery ?)





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New Construction -Comparison







Summary of Staff Recommended Changes

- Expansion of our fee system of 15-80 -Permits
- <u>Development Permits-</u>5-54 Accurately reflect scope/size of project. Plan Review and Inspectionsbased on Sq. Ft., #-heads or devices and #-of inspections – <u>100% Cost Recovery</u>
- <u>Operational Permits</u> from 6-24 based on risk and new/expanded permits required in 2012 IFC- <u>40% Cost</u> <u>Recovery</u>
- <u>Special Events</u> from 1-5 –based on increased demand and scope/size of event- <u>100% Cost Recovery</u>





Fire Section Recovery

- Overall Actual Cost Recovery (24%):
 ➢ Revenue total: \$80,000
- Overall Cost Recovery per Current Policy (28%):
 ➢ Revenue total: \$90,000 (+\$10,000)
- Overall Cost Recovery Recommendation (73%):
 ➢ Revenue total: \$240,000 (+\$160,000)







Fire Department – Public Outreach

- Chamber of Commerce
- Northern Arizona Builders Association
- Local Fire Protection Contractors
- Local Special Event Vendors







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Discussion

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Recreation Section User Fee Discussion

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Recreation Services

Program areas:

- Aquaplex
- Athletics
- Community Events
- Hal Jensen Recreation Center
- Jay L. Lively Activity Center
- Joe C. Montoya Community and Senior Center





Recreation Services

Current policy on direct* costs recovery:

- 50% youth enrichment events and activities organized by Recreation staff
- 100% adult enrichment / specialty programs organized by Recreation staff

*Current cost recovery policy is based on Recreation's direct costs

Note: the Flagstaff Aquaplex has an overall cost recovery policy of 70% as set by Council when the facility opened in 2008





Recreation Services

Current policy on direct cost recovery (continued)

- 0% indoor or outdoor drop-in and self-activated use
 of parks or recreation centers
- 15-25% staff organized activities and services typically based out of recreation centers
- 25-50% specialized facilities such as the ice arena, lighted fields, weight rooms, group ramadas
- 125% resale / concession sales
- 125% contracted (third party) operations designed to generate a net profit (e.g. golf)





Recreation Services

- Overall Actual Cost Recovery: 46%
 - Revenue total: \$1,425,000
 - Minimum Wage Impact at \$10/hr = \$75,000
 - Minimum Wage Impact at \$12.25/hr = \$260,000
- Overall Cost Recovery per Current Policy: 62%
 - Revenue total: \$1,920,000 (+\$495,000)
- Overall Cost Recovery Recommendation: 38%
 - Revenue total: \$1,425,000





Recreation outreach efforts

- Parks and Recreation Commission
- Affected user groups as needed (if user fees are changing)







Recreation Discussion

- What level of cost recovery is appropriate?
 - Leave existing fee schedule as is (Staff recommendation)?
 - Larger subsidy by General Fund due to increased expenses
 - Increase fees to meet 46% cost recovery levels?
 - Establish new Policy level?
- Does Council have additional direction as to how we proceed with public outreach?
- Questions, comments or concerns?





User Fees Wrap Up







Council Goals and Objectives

(Refer to Council Goals and Objectives Document)



COUNCIL GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

		STAFF RECOMMENDATION
EC	CONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	
G	row and strengthen the economy.	
•	Expedite the small business process.	Improve the small business experience when going through the City process.
•	Support all businesses.	Support and enhance services to all businesses in the community.
•	Enhance services to small business in the community.	Combine with above objective.
	Complete the sale of the auto mall.	
	Eco and historic tourism.	Increase Eco and historic tourism in Flagstaff.
	Form an arts district and cultural arts facility.	
	Parks and Recreation accessible for all regardless of	
	income.	
•	Promote internet connectivity throughout the	
	community.	

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
AFFORDABLE HOUSING	
Increase the inventory of permanent affordable housing for renters and home ownership in the community.	
 Affordable rent with high quality and energy efficient units distributed throughout the community and neighborhoods to facilitate more integrated housing in the community. 	 Increase the number of affordable rental units Promote energy efficient rental units. Affordable rental units are distributed throughout the community and neighborhoods.
 Have five percent of all non-city managed rental units be affordable and have 1,000 city-managed units. 	Consider this as a measurement for #1 above.
 Market driven solutions. 	Seek private developer partnerships to increase affordable housing inventory in both rental and ownership units.
 Bond or other financing to build permanent, affordable homes for purchase or rent. 	Pursue financing strategies for affordable housing to create additional rental and ownership housing opportunities.
 Modify the zoning code to encourage more affordable housing options. 	
 Primary property tax rate increased to the full maximum with all additional funds dedicated to setting up robust city-managed rental housing units. 	
 Employer-managed housing. 	Establish an Employer Assisted Housing Program for City of Flagstaff Employees.

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
SOCIAL JUSTICE	
Advance social justice in our community.	
 Increase participation in City decisions with indigenous neighbors. 	Increase communication and engagement with indigenous neighbors regarding City decisions.
 Strengthen and repair relationships with the indigenous and immigrant communities. 	
 Revisit the anti-camping ordinance. 	

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER PUBLIC	
INFRASTRUCTURE	
Deliver quality community assets and continue to	
advocate and implement a highly performing multi-	
modal transportation system.	
 Transportation tax renewal question to voters in 	
November 2018 and earn majority voter support.	
 Address snow traffic problems. 	Improve peak travel times between Snowbowl Road
	and Interstate 17/40 corridor.
 Address Highway 180 issues. 	Combine with snow traffic problems.
 Advocate reasonable state and federal funding for 	Advocate for additional state and federal funding for
state and federal roads.	state and federal roads.
 Facilitate infrastructure needed to develop private 	
land.	
 Support Transportation Plan 	Combine with Regional Transportation Plan below
 Develop a downtown multi-model transportation. 	Develop a downtown and Southside multimodal
	transportation plan.
 Fourth street connection with John Wesley Powell 	
Boulevard.	
 Fourth Street Bridge funded through Arizona 	
Department of Transportation five-year Capital	
Improvement Program.	
 Support the Regional Transportation Plan. 	
 Complete the Public Works Yard in next two years. 	

 Complete the Intergovernmental Agreement with the County for a new courthouse and begin the design process. 	
 Evaluate water and sewer infrastructure capacity issues. 	
 Replace aging infrastructure. 	

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
BUILDING AND ZONING/REGIONAL PLAN	
Update Zoning Code to eliminate potentials for misinterpretation, and to ensure it reflects community	
 and Regional Plan values. Ensure building and zoning codes reflect community values and comply with the intent of the regional plan with regard to legal issues. 	 Align building codes, zoning codes and regional plan. Adjust the codes to better reflect community values and the intent of the regional plan.
 The regional plan, zoning codes and building codes need to agree with each other and reflect values of the community. 	See above
 Adjust the code to reflect intent and community values. 	See above
 Physical and electronic integration of regional plan, city code, master plans, neighborhood plans and zoning code documents. These documents should be hyperlinked together. 	Measurement for Alignment objective above?
 Code not explicit in its intent and needs to be easy to read and understand. 	
 Continue efforts to understand the impacts of student housing while supporting the housing type. 	
 Encourage more affordable housing, cost of land and infrastructure and smaller houses. 	Develop code changes to encourage more affordable housing, cost of land and infrastructure and smaller houses.

-	Complete and update neighborhood plans specific to	
	Housing Urban Development consolidated plan and	
	target neighborhoods within that plan.	
-	Continue the conversation about impact fees.	

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
CLIMATE CHANGE	
Take meaningful climate change action.	
 Develop and implement a climate action plan. 	
 Become a 100% renewable energy city as an organization and a community. 	Strive to become a 100% renewable energy city as an organization and a community.
 Financial divestment from fossil fuels. 	
 State or federal legislative action we need to take. 	Support state or federal legislative action that facilitates meaningful climate change.
 Energy code updates 	Update energy code.
 Renewable Energy Generation off-site/micro-grid/etc. 	Measurement for 100% renewable objective above.
 Clean action advisory ad-hoc group 	Measurement for 100% renewable objective above (Create advisory group)

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
WATER CONSERVATION	
Become a national leader in water conservation in all	
sectors.	
 Develop a sustainable water budget. 	
 Enhance water conservation efforts. 	
 Commercial and multi-housing sector. 	Encourage commercial and multi-housing sectors to participate in water conservation efforts.
 Securing water resources. 	Secure long-term water resources.
 Prioritize reclaimed water uses. 	

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES	
Actively manage and protect all environmental and	
natural resources.	
 Aggressively support efforts for forest health. 	
 Preservation of natural resources. 	Preserve natural resources.
 Sustainability and waste removal 	Further development of sustainability and waste
	removal policies and programs.
 Strive to become a zero waste organization and 	Measurement of the above objective.
expand these policies to the community.	
 Dark Skies (SLEDS and policy impacts) 	Alignment of Dark Skies policies, city policies and
	SLEDS committee recommendations.
 Continue to support the Four Forest Restoration 	
Initiative (4FRI).	

ADMINISTRATIVE GOALS

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
PERSONNEL	
Attract and retain quality staff.	
 Employee investment training. 	Invest in employee training.
 Ensure adequate Public Safety staffing levels. 	
 Pay raises for all employees. 	
 Paid maternity and paternity leave – non-detrimental to family. 	Paid maternity and paternity leave
 Housing assistance program for all City staff. 	
 Enhance tuition reimbursement opportunities throughout the organization. Parking incentives for employees. 	
 Pension Pay Down 	

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
COMMUNITY OUTREACH	
Enhance public transparency and accessibility.	
 Provide more access to and more approachable city council meetings. 	Staff needs more direction.
 Define the City's public communication program. 	
 Take a more proactive role in communicating around council priorities. 	Take a more proactive role in communicating progress on Council Goals and Objectives.
 Get ahead of issues and respond quickly to council actions. 	Staff needs more direction. Is this addressed below in the objective "invest resources
 Invest resources to strengthen the City's support on social media. 	
 Comprehensive neighborhood services concept -assist neighborhoods with what they would like to see happen. 	Build and enhance neighborhood services from the City.

	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
TOWN & GOWN	
Enhance relationships between the city and institutions of higher education.	
 Comprehensive internship program through Coconino Community College and Northern Arizona University. 	
	STAFF RECOMMENDATION
CODE COMPLIANCE	
Achieve comprehensive and equitable code compliance.	
 Maximize code compliance and other policies to encourage compliance. 	 Review current City Code to align with community expectations. Proactive enforcement of the City Code.
 Formulate policy that will give tools to staff to implement effective, neutral enforcement. 	See above objective.
 Explore code enforcement staffing. 	Measurement for Proactive enforcement