

Budget Initial Public Forum FY2023-24



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 is 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 staff 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





Potential Legislative Proposals

- Legislative requests for 2023 legislative session
 - Town Council met with the Legislative Delegation on January 24th to discuss legislative issues of interest to the Town

Budget Calendar

Council Work Session(s)



Manager's Recommended Budget



Budget Public Hearing



Adoption of FY2023-24 Budget

Public Input

In addition to the spring 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. Chapel Hill, NC 27514

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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

